

# Rescue the Animals, SPCA

## \$10,000 MEDICAL CHALLENGE

Donor Doubles Dachshund Donations till July 31!  
We Race to meet our Medical Bills!

### 14th Annual Dachshund Races! Thursday, July 14, 2022

While the cutest Dachshunds in Texas speed across Dachshund Downs at the Festival Gardens across from the Abilene Zoo on July 14, we will be racing to meet our medical bills! We reached our spring matching grant goal, but a huge jump in medical cases plus inflation in costs may force us to stop accepting major medical cases this summer!

One of our donors is offering a \$10,000 Medical Challenge Grant if we can match the money by July 31.

Please donate today to keep our surgery and medical program running all summer!

Medical cases are skyrocketing! Shelters and law enforcement are calling us daily for help with emergency cases. Our partners in 41 states and Canada can easily find new homes for all these sick and injured animals IF we can afford to treat them. Read below to see what wonders your donation can make possible. Note: We do not receive any money from national humane groups (HSUS or ASPCA) or the government.

Every Donation Doubled Till July 31st. You Can Double the Lives Saved!

## Just a Few of Our Many, Many Medical Cases!



**Thanos** was picked up at the shelter by our friend Caitlan who kept him throughout his long ordeal. His leg was **severely broken**, and the muscles atrophied resulting in the entire leg being **amputated**. He just left for a new home in Wisconsin.



**Lager** booked over 3,000 van miles going from Abilene to Wisconsin and then back to Abilene for a special **femoral head ostectomy** to repair a bad hip. He came all the way back just so Dr. Allen Bolt could do the surgery.



**Grumpy** is only 6 years-old, but he arrived with a terrible **anal abscess** that was a gaping, bleeding wound. He also had numerous **benign tumors** that had to be removed before he left for New York.



**Caprese** was hit by a car leading to an **amputation** and several surgeries over many months.



Before

**Dumbo** was the worst looking dog we have ever seen! Months of special care finally controlled his **mange** and eased his pain leaving the sweetest dog you could imagine.



After



**Rebel** from the planet **Mange!** It took months for this beautiful dog to reappear thanks to our hard working partners.



**Fanny** - broken pelvis from Houston.



**Chippy** - Heartworms



**Nala** - Heartworms



**Bugsy** - Heartworms & broken pelvis



**Dexter** - Heartworms



**Winnie** - is having an eye removed



**Anna** - had several mammary tumors removed

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED



**Multiple Surgeries!!**

**Dachshund Races  
July 14th!**

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New Medical Challenge Grant till July 31**



## Dachshund Races & Rescued Dog Reunion July 14

**Free Admission! No Fee to Race!**

Join us for a great summer evening on the lawn and in the shade at the Festival Gardens  
Across from the Abilene Zoo. Pre-register online or at the event!



### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

5:00 Gates Open

6:30 Rescued Dog Reunion

7:00 Dachshund Races

#### HOW TO REGISTER:

*Online registration:*  
[www.rescuethenanimals.org](http://www.rescuethenanimals.org)

*Register on race day at the event.*  
Gates open at 5:00 pm.

**Any Dachshund can race!**

All dogs must be current on shots and be on a leash  
at all times except when racing.

**NEW! Goofiest  
Dachshund Trophy!**

During the races we will pick Dachshunds  
that act "Goofy" instead of racing.  
At the end, these dogs will "race" for the  
"Goofiest" Dachshund Trophy.

Each dog needs two humans!  
One person will be at the start  
line and one at the finish line.  
The winner in each heat will  
move to the finals.  
The races should be finished  
by around 9:00 pm.

