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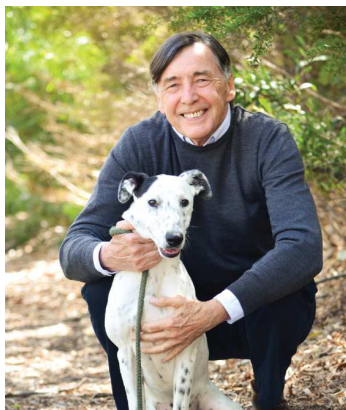
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### Dear Friends and Supporters,



Cr. John Chandler OAM with SADS dog "Zara"

SADS extends its heartiest congratulations to City of Stonnington Councillor, John Chandler, upon his being awarded a Medal in The Order of Australia which was announced in The Order of Australia Honours List, Australia Day 2014, with the citation

reading "for service to local Government and to the City of Stonnington".

Although SADS is an autonomous organisation which works in different capacities with many suburban and country municipalities it is very proud to have a long standing and special relationship with the City of Stonnington.

Cr Chandler is, and has been for many years, an ardent supporter of SADS and his generous and unstinting contributions in so many ways to our organisation and our work of saving companion animals, both in Stonnington and generally have been of inestimable benefit.

Again, congratulations Cr. Chandler... and THANK YOU!

Pam Weaver  
President.

## PETS IN THE PARK

Saturday 22 March

11am - 4pm

Central Park, Corner Burke and  
Wattletree Roads, Malvern East

### WHO IS THERE TO CARE... WHEN I'M NO LONGER LOVED?

Of all the hundreds (well over a thousand really) of dogs and cats saved each year by Save-A-Dog Scheme a substantial number are older, neglected and deprived of the veterinary maintenance needed by an aging body. In fact the poor creature, once young and lithe has simply been neglected and "allowed to fall into disrepair" for want of love and attention.

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## DONATIONS YOU MAKE TO SADS OF \$2 OR MORE ARE NOW TAX DEDUCTIBLE ON YOUR ANNUAL TAX RETURN

Save-A-Dog Scheme (SADS) was established in 1985 to offer a humane alternative to the killing of unwanted dogs, especially dogs of good temperament, that would otherwise be destroyed at pounds and shelters.

SADS is an incorporated, non-profit, community based organisation controlled and operated by volunteers with the help of paid staff. It operates as a registered animal shelter and combines this with foster care in the community. Each dog is desexed, vaccinated, wormed, microchipped, vet checked and temperament assessed prior to adoption.

SADS has a no kill philosophy and believes that the dichotomy of a dog being "Mans Best Friend" on the one hand and an unwanted article for destruction on the other is

totally unacceptable. SADS is a "coal-face" organisation, which saves hundreds of dogs each year and which seeks, by example, to provide a better way of treating non-human animals.

Save-A-Dog Scheme relies on donations for its continuing existence and does not receive any government funding. Donations to Save-A-Dog Scheme are now tax deductible and help with the general care of the dogs and the maintenance of the organisation.

The greatest expense is for veterinary treatment for the dogs, which includes the care of sick and injured dogs. These dogs are nursed back to health rather than being destroyed as they may be elsewhere.



## Foxy

Basenji X  
*(crossed with small breed,  
possibly Pomeranian)*  
Male  
10+ years old  
*Foxy is a happy dog who loves  
the company of people. He will  
live with another quiet dog but  
would like his human companion  
around as much as possible.*



## Bushy

Husky X  
Female  
~2 years old  
*Bushy has a friendly personality  
but she is quite hyperactive and  
will need to live with another  
active dog of similar size.*



## Sunny

Beagle X  
Male  
~2 years old  
*Sunny is your typical beagle....  
terrific with other dogs and  
people, bursting with energy  
and a huge zest for life! He'll  
need a home where he has lots  
of mental stimulation to keep  
him occupied and someone who  
has the time to dedicate to his  
exercise and training*



## Casey

Beagle X  
Female  
~12 months old  
*Casey loves people and while  
she enjoys meeting other dogs,  
she would prefer to be the only  
dog in the family.*



## Elmo

Collie X Labrador  
Male  
~8 years old  
*Elmo loves people and would  
make a wonderful companion.  
Elmo is good in the house and  
housetrained. Elmo definitely  
doesn't like cats and has an  
edge with other dogs, but he'd  
make a very special companion  
for someone seeking a canine  
soulmate.*



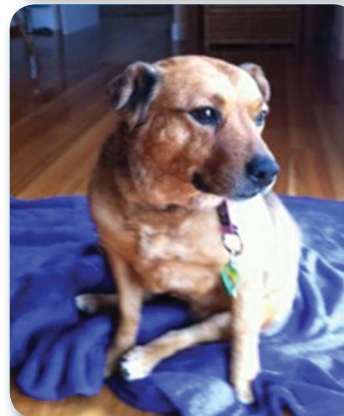
## Madonna

German Shepherd X  
Female  
~2 years old  
*Madonna has a sweet nature  
but hasn't had a lot of training  
to date. She can be a bit  
boisterous with other dogs but  
more socialisation will soon  
solve that. She's not good with  
cats.*



## Harry

Foxhound X Beagle  
Male  
~6 years old  
*Harry is a loving dog – just  
look into those eyes! He needs  
to be rehomed as an only dog  
in an adult home. If you're  
interested in adopting him, ring  
us on 0488 502 121 or 0418  
389 810 during business hours  
(9am to 5pm). Please don't  
text.*



## Leah

Heeler X  
Female  
~6 years old  
*Leah loves being around people  
and will need a home where  
there is someone around a lot  
of the time. She's housetrained  
and very settled inside. She will  
need to live as an only dog.*



## Oden

Lab X  
Male  
~6 years old  
*Oden is a nice dog who enjoys  
the company of people and  
would like to have someone  
around during the day. He's  
searching for a more adult  
home where his new human  
companion has had experience  
with dogs and can further his  
training.*



## Marley

Bull Arab x Pointer  
Male  
~8 months old  
*Marley is bursting with  
enthusiasm and energy. He  
would like to live with another  
dog and someone who has the  
time to invest in his training.*



*Alex, Ross and Clarke are all brothers. They are friendly and very playful and enjoy the company of other cats*



Alex

DSH Male  
~4.5 months old @  
20 February



Ross

DSH Male  
~4.5 months old @ 20  
February



Clarke

DSH Male  
~4.5 months old @  
20 February



Kris

DSH Male  
~4.5 months old @ 20  
February

*Kris is a little shy at the moment but he loves the company of other cats, especially his brother Krinkle. He will need to be indoors most of the time because of his white colouring.*



Mitch

DMH Male  
~4 months old @  
13 February

*Mitch is a friendly kitten and enjoys the company of other cats. His best friend is Piper (on the back page)*

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SADS embraces these creatures taking them into its care and providing them with love and whatever else is needed to enable them to gain their full physical and mental well being to be happy and to live out their natural life span, and they, in turn respond with affection and companionship.

SADS Policy when contacted from a pound about an old dog in poor condition, which is just about to be euthanased, is to take the animal for assessment and providing there is a possibility that it will regain a good quality of life SADS embarks upon its usual program of providing what is required to enable it to be happily and permanently adopted.

“Hayley” (pictured on page 1) is a recent addition to SADS. She arrived suffering from obesity, arthritis and a painful old

fractured hip which sadly did not respond to surgical intervention and therefore the leg had to be amputated. SADS is now happy to report that Hayley appears to be going from “strength to strength”, her mobility and light heartedness increasing from day to day to the point where she will soon be available to go to the family who have already decided to give her a permanent home..

10 year old “Ivy” (pictured) was, on arrival, suffering from bleeding “cancerous” ears and an untreatable eye ulcer. After the required surgery she now has a pain free life although sadly as predicted by the vet, the sight in her remaining eye has diminished. “Ivy” is happy, as can be seen in the photo, where she loves the comfort and affection provided by her foster carer.

*Ivy is on the improve every day!*



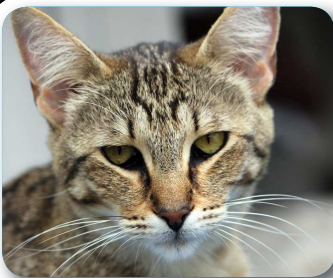
# Location and Hours of Shelter

**36 Weir Street Glen Iris (Past Tait Timber off Carroll Cres.) (Melway 59 F5)**

**Open 7 days: 9am to 5 pm**

**(Please refer to our website or phone for hours on public holidays) (Animal Viewing: 10am to 4pm)**

*The SADS 2013 Christmas party was a very happy get together. Our special thanks go to Kerry Buckley and Glen Buckley, daughter and son of SADS Management Committee member Fay Buckley for generously providing the catering for an abundance of luscious and substantial "finger food" and to SADS Vice President Liz Sutherland for her generous provision of drinks.*



*India*

Oriental X Female  
~12 months old

*India loves human company and will need someone around much of the time. She will probably do best as an inside cat*



*Coco*

DMH Female  
~11 years old

*Coco loves people and will be a wonderful lap cat. She will want to be an inside cat as she can be a bit timid of loud bangs and such*



*Roger*

DSH Male  
~5 years old

*Roger loves pats and will show you the right spots to make him purr. Sitting on laps isn't his thing but he's incredibly affectionate and will stretch up to you to say that he wants a pat. He's a fun cat to be around and we will miss him when he finds a home!*



*Piper*

DSH Male  
~16 months old

*Piper is a fun cat to have around and loves to play! He plays fetch with his mouse toy as if he were a dog! He likes to relax a lot and is happy to get pats at any time. He'll even snuggle up in you lap every now and then!*

## Have You Become a Supporter Yet?

Annual Subscriptions are due by the end of June each year. Please fill out the subscription form below and post to:  
**Save-A-Dog Scheme Inc. Central Park P.O. Box 2325 Malvern East Vic 3145**

Student/pensioner \$10       Single \$15       Family \$30       Group \$50       Corporate \$100

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Surname \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Suburb \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Subscription \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Donation \$ \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_

(\*)Donations of \$2 or more are now TAX DEDUCTIBLE

Tick this box to have charged \$ \_\_\_\_\_ each month to your credit card as a TAX DEDUCTIBLE donation until you advise otherwise in writing.

Tick this box if you require a receipt. Receipts will only be issued for donations under \$50.00 if a stamped Self-addressed envelope is enclosed.

Tick this box if you wish to receive Newsletters via e-mail & if so provide your e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Tick this box if you do not wish to receive any other information about the shelter, which we believe may be of interest to you.

Form of payment: Cash  Cheque  EFT  Details: A/c Name Save-A-Dog Scheme Inc, Bank – NAB Malvern, BSB – 083-298, A/c Number – 792-025-571

Credit Card – Please circle Visa / Mastercard

Name on card \_\_\_\_\_ Card number \_\_\_\_\_

Expiry date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of card holder \_\_\_\_\_

Please contact the shelter on 9885 1188 if you are considering full or associate membership

**Form of Bequest:** If you care to donate money to S.A.D.S in the form of a bequest, the following bequest clause is recommended for insertion in the wills of potential benefactors to Save-A-Dog Scheme Inc. "I BEQUEATH to SAVE-A-DOG SCHEME INC. A0004567T, ABN 71 887 339 646 ("the Association") the sum of (AMOUNT IN WORDS) dollars (AMOUNT IN FIGURES) free of all duties, to be Applied by the Association in pursuit of the purposes provided for in its Constitution and I DECLARE the receipt of the secretary, treasurer or other proper officer of the Association shall be complete discharge to my Trustee for any monies paid to the Association"