

December 2016



ADOPTION EVENT DATES:

Saturdays 1pm-3pm:

- Dec 3 – PetCo Farragut
- Dec 10 – PetSmart Turkey Creek
- Dec 17 – Mast General Store

Special Events:

Crafty Bastard Brewery Fundraising & Adoption:

Sunday, December 11 from 2pm – 6pm; SBRET receives a portion of the beer sales

Sugar Mama’s Knox Fundraising: December 30 from 6pm – 9pm; SBRET receives a portion of the beer sales

WE NEED FOSTERS!

SBRET could not rescue without our foster families. Foster families allow the rescue to have a safe place to stay and rehabilitate physically and emotionally. Fostering is one of the most rewarding ways to save a life so if you are interested...

[Click here for more information and to apply!](#)

SBRET is a volunteer, 501©(3) non-profit organization. All [donations](#) are tax deductible and are used to provided medical and day-to-day care needed to save and rehabilitate the dogs we take into rescue. Your support enables us to continue our mission of saving lives. Thank you.



SBRET has 3 supporters who have offered to match up to \$9,000 in donations through the month of December. We are half way to our goal. Read the following stories and lend your support to help us raise \$18,000. SBRET has already rescued 250 dogs in 2016 – let’s save more lives!

- Miracle of Annamaria**
- Freedom for Phoenix**
- Medical Care for Cadence**



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The Miracle of Annamaria

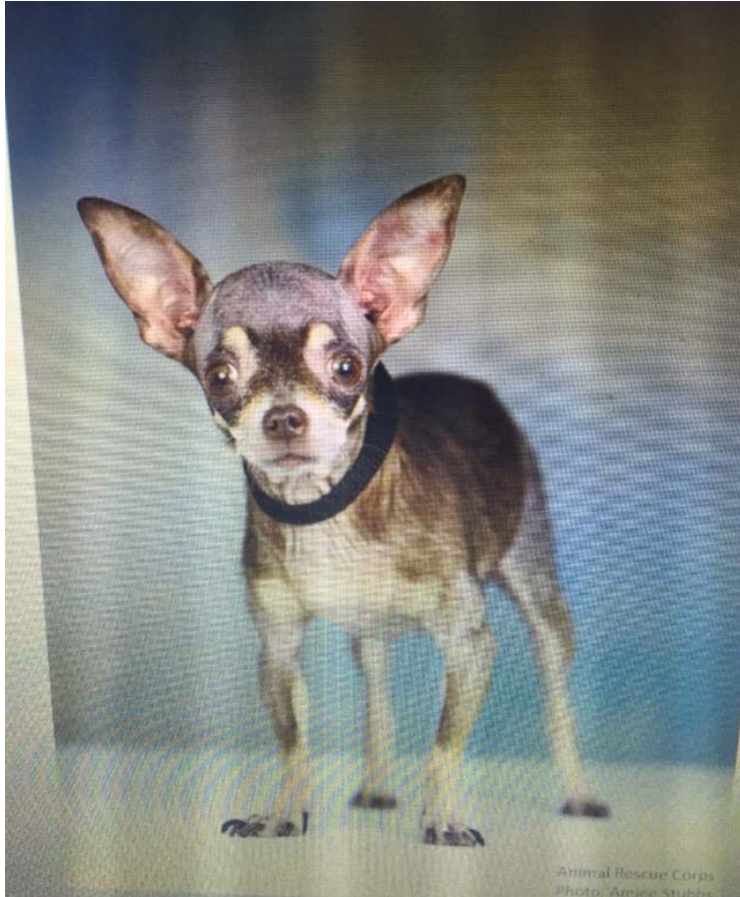


Sometimes it starts with a phone call from a distressed Good Samaritan and that is what happened with Annamaria. Annamaria was found in a ditch in their front yard next to a plastic bag she had managed to get out of. The Good Samaritan wanted to help her but knew by looking at her that it was going to involve a lot of expense and care if this little Chihuahua was going to be saved. She texted a picture of her to us and explained the situation and within an hour we were meeting her at our vet. No one including the vets knew if Annamaria was going to live through the night--she could not stand up, she was dehydrated, she was malnourished, and the bottoms of her feet were blistered. After two weeks of intensive care at our vet Annamaria got to go out into foster care for many more weeks of convalescing. Once well enough she of course required all the rest of the usual vetting. She is a happy little girl now and we all regard her as our Miracle Chihuahua!

[MAKE MORE MIRACLES HAPPEN – DONATE!](#)

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Freedom for Phoenix

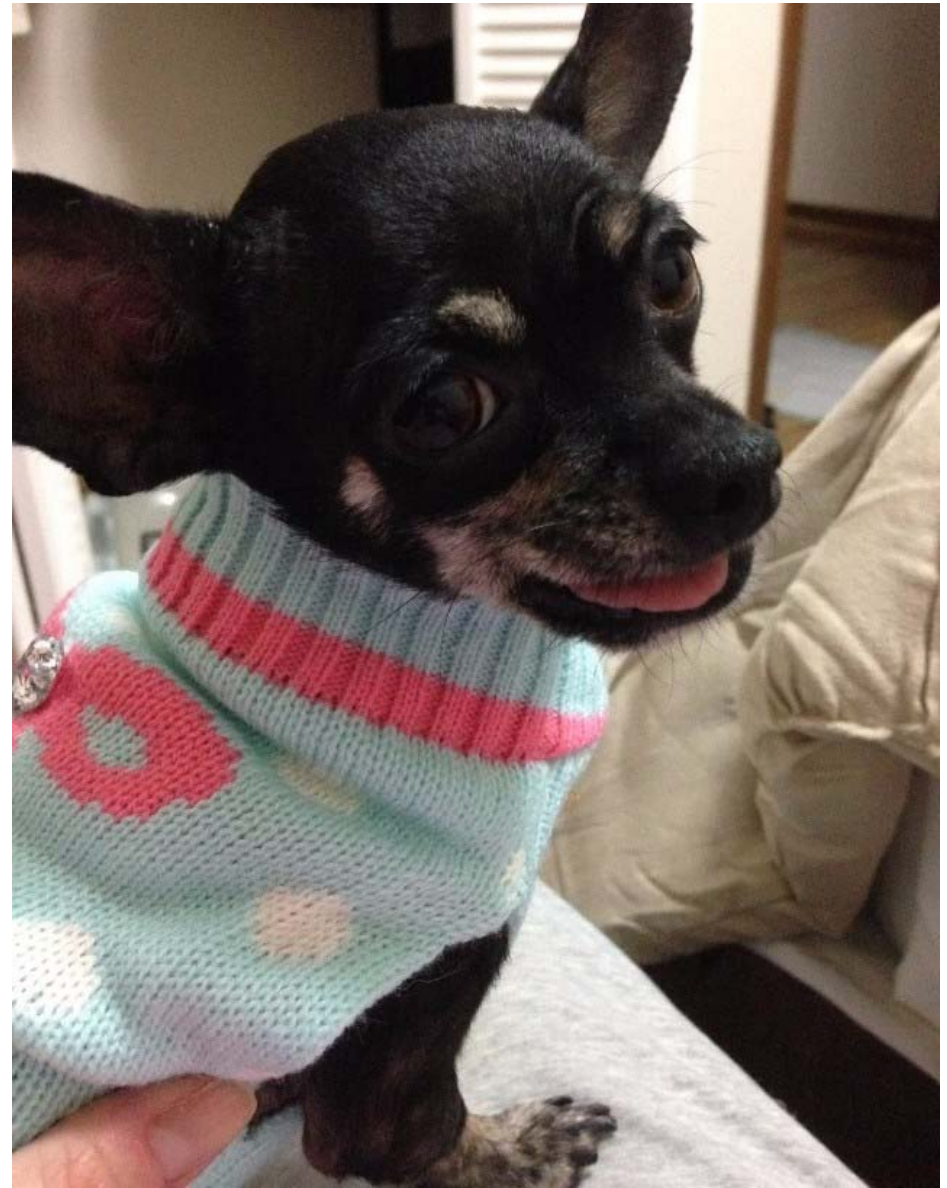


SBRET is a placement partner with Animal Rescue Corps (ARC). This year, SBRET had been on some of the puppy mill raids that have occurred here in Tennessee as well as volunteered at the emergency shelters, and taken many of the dogs into our rescue from ARC rescues in the southeast. Dogs taken from puppy mill situations always require extra care due to the years of neglect. Phoenix was a tiny Chihuahua rescued from a puppy mill bust by ARC in Tate County Mississippi, where nearly 200 animals were rescued from misery and abuse. Phoenix required emergency surgery to repair a bladder hernia in addition to all of her normal vetting including a dental. She is a healthy little girl now and is in her forever home and her name is Day-Z.

[HELP FREE PUPPY MILL VICTIMS – DONATE!](#)

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Medical Care for Cadence



As with many of our dogs, it started with a picture and a plea from an area shelter. They had a tiny little older Chihuahua with skin issues and mobility problems in her rear legs. Shelters reach out to rescues for dogs that require extra care and Cadence was definitely in need of extra care. She required her usual vetting in addition to treating a skin infection and having double knee surgery on her rear legs to make her mobile again! Cadence is now in a loving home and is a healthy, happy girl with full use of her rear legs. Her new name is Charley.

[SAVE SHELTER DOGS FROM EUTHANASIA – DONATE!](#)

Upcoming Fundraising Events:



Please join us at **Crafty Bastard Brewery on Sunday, December 11** . \$1 per pint sold for all beer sales goes to SBRET for the day, and we will have table set up with a couple **adoptable dogs from 2-6 pm** . Visit their [facebook page](#) and [website](#) for location and directions.



Please join us at **Sugar Mama's** (located at [135 S Gay St.](#) in Knoxville, TN) for our upcoming fundraiser on **Friday, December 30, from 6 - 9 pm**. During Yappy Hour with SBRET, 41 per pint goes to SBRET. There will be music at 7. Come grab a local craft beer, hand crafted pizza, or something delicious for your sweet tooth while enjoying some live music and learning more about our organization. We will have a table set up to share information about SBRET but there **will not be any rescue dogs** at this fundraising event. Visit their [website](#) or [facebook page](#) for more information about Sugar Mama's Knox.

Other Ways You Can Donate:

