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It seems that all of us know it’s a new season, bringing with it a new energy.  We’re already focused on the events that will allow us to enjoy what are arguably the best weather days in RI: The FurBall will take place June 24th at The Dunes Club, where we’ll enjoy evening breezes off the ocean, while Bark on the Beach is set for September 24th, just in time to enjoy the late summer days we all appreciate so much. It’s not too soon to mark your calendars!  These events give us the opportunity to come together to celebrate ARRI’s pets and the work we do on their behalf. They also help us raise critically needed funds for our programs. We hope you’ll join us at The FurBall and Bark on the Beach!  In gratitude, | | | https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/22aedc8e-03f9-4512-ad19-ca29347e211c.jpg | | |  | | --- | | Liz Skrobisch, Executive Director | | | | | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | | | [https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/de4a3b5f-a7ae-4d6e-83fd-830c304640b6.png](https://default.salsalabs.org/T48929860-2b5b-4d7c-b7fb-76105d0369d9/020dfc86-d12f-4b8d-8e03-1debfbbab213) | | |  | | --- | | **Get Your Tickets Now For The FurBall**  **Join us on June 24th at 6pm for The FurBall.**  **Reserve your table today. This event will sell out!**  **Sponsorships and tables start at $1,600.**  **Individual Tickets are $200.**  ***The FurBall will raise vital funding for our shelter.***  **We hope to see you there!** | | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [YES, I'd like to attend The FurBall!](https://default.salsalabs.org/Tcd3f16bd-c900-4b81-b158-b53dccc21ac2/36c6beb6-33d5-4aab-94ed-d2414910dc32) | | | | |  | | --- | | *For more information on sponsorship and reserved table opportunities, please contact Jeanine* *at 401-783-7606, ext. 113 or at*[*jconrady@animalrescueri.org*](https://default.salsalabs.org/T8826633f-63f1-43ca-a0b8-2b9516aabd4a/12ac3efd-5d40-4d95-8c19-84e73b3f8beb)*.* | | | | | |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | | | https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/586952e8-8caa-449e-adf4-f70c9bff79ef.png | | |  | | --- | | **ARRI Animal Scholars**  In January, we announced that ARRI’s Animal Scholars, a collection of humane education presentations, would launch its programs this year. We’re excited to share that we have started presenting “Playing It Safe With Dogs”, a dog bite prevention program, at elementary schools. In fact, during National Dog Bite Prevention week, April 10–16, ARRI representatives were in Woonsocket sharing this critical information with children in kindergarten and are presenting the program to first graders there this month. | | | | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/f8982463-bec9-4c01-9d9f-ee9ff29d4c73.jpg | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/69d22630-feb8-4c11-b37b-c4b7be6faeea.jpg | | | | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | This is just one step ARRI is taking as we work to make our state a compassionate and humane community. We are committed to educating the next generation of pet owners and to sharing valuable information with them so they, too, may create positive, lasting relationships with the animals in their lives.  If your school, library, or scout troop would like more information, please let us know. We’d love to create a custom program or series of presentations for you. For information, or if you’d like to sponsor a program, please contact us at education@animalrescueri.org. | | | |  | | --- | |  | | | https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/1786312c-c9b0-4cde-b586-5bcf791f57f7.jpg | | |  | | --- | | **April Fundraising Update**  **Spring Fling Raffle** WOW! More than $18,000 was raised during ARRI’s Spring Fling Raffle! Thank you to all our participants and congratulations to all the winners. For a full list of our raffle donors and winners, please click [**HERE**](https://default.salsalabs.org/T66f9cb00-f6b9-4379-b49c-aeb81b9520f9/72b0b9b2-2814-4927-917a-1e62d5e2fad3).  **401Gives** Thank you to everyone who gave so generously and supported ARRI through 401Gives on April 1st! Through your donations, ARRI raised funds to purchase new agility equipment for the shelter. Stay tuned for future pictures of our pets enjoying their new items.  **Mews Tavern**  The 9th Annual “Pints for Paws” event was a great success. Thank you to everyone who provided food for the pet pantry and visited the Mews in April! | | | | | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | | | https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/1c89943e-c4be-4a56-816f-0d8f28ed699e.jpg | | |  | | --- | | **Sign Up For Our Free Loose Leash Walking Class**  ***'I just want to thank you for having this course!  We've been using the techniques and although Raisin still pulls when she sees other dogs, I manage it a lot better. I was given a lot of other tips too and they are really very helpful. Thank you!' -****Laura*  ***'Thank you so much for organizing this program. Shorey was AMAZING!!!!!'****-Michelle*  ***'The class was amazing! Kate was a huge help.' -****Deb*  This is just some of the positive feedback we've received about our Loose Leash Walking class! Let our trainers show you how to have a great experience walking your dog. In this free class, you will learn how to get your dog to walk without pulling on his or her leash.  We have 2 upcoming classes, May 15th and May 22nd, weather permitting. Both classes start at 10:00 am and run for approximately an hour. If you are interested in attending one of the sessions, please contact Jennifer at 401-783-7606, ext. 104, or at [jgebar@animalrescueri.org](https://default.salsalabs.org/T3fb0897a-8e9c-4a09-b880-95cadd62700d/d5f860f1-5052-4141-bbb4-e4995f5dff48). | | | |  | | --- | |  | | | | | |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/430ee190-9a6c-4200-84a0-bda87bda22a1.png | | |  | | --- | | **We're Grateful For Our Volunteer Family!**  In April, we celebrated Volunteer Appreciation Week!  Like so many nonprofits, we rely on our volunteers for their time and commitment for helping in so many ways, including:  - Walking our dogs thousands of miles each year (cumulatively, of course!) and caring for   our cats  - Fostering and providing a safe and loving environment for our more delicate pets  - Ensuring the pet pantry is running smoothly by collecting donations and delivering food  - Preparing humane education programs to be presented beginning in Spring 2022  - Providing administrative support for various programs  Our volunteers truly make it possible for us to do what we do, and we are beyond grateful that they have chosen to be part of the ARRI family!  If you’re interested in volunteering, please go [**HERE**](https://default.salsalabs.org/T4835f091-127b-42f6-9f2b-d2efdae31d20/aab57122-f616-4fb2-b50d-68e2a1008c7d). | | | | | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | | | https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/d742b0ab-4c87-4f89-a845-6a182a8d35e4.png | | |  | | --- | | ***Register For 'Pet Meets Baby', a Free Presentation***  Are you, or is someone you know, expecting a baby? Are you adopting or fostering a child?  Is there a pet already in the home? A new little family member can be upsetting or confusing to some pets, as they’ll feel the change.  Join us on June 15th at 6PM in ARRI’s community room for **Pet Meets Baby**, an enlightening, 2-hour presentation, and learn critical steps to prepare your pets for a new baby in the home.  In this program, you’ll learn how to prepare your pets for the arrival of a new baby and how to manage them when you’re able to give them only limited attention. You’ll also learn plenty of tips for helping your child learn to be pet friendly, and you’ll receive take-home materials for future reference.  This free event is great for couples, grandparents, care givers, and foster parents!  *Space is limited to 10 people. Children and pets are not allowed. Participants must wear a mask.*  To register for the June 15th presentation, please click the below button: | | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [Register](https://default.salsalabs.org/T15053649-2753-43c2-8ed9-9edc6ecf78f3/0a4d816d-2280-48e4-9152-85c0bb7e5002) | | | | | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | | | | | |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/9c91e2e5-5dbd-4d8d-b90f-3a347a7ef18d.jpg | | |  | | --- | | **Donate An In-Kind Gift To ARRI**  Do you have a special item to donate for an upcoming ARRI event?  We would love to hear from you!  Contact us at[**jconrady@animalrescueri.org**](https://default.salsalabs.org/Ta22f902e-6167-4404-b2c7-436eb586918e/19e97378-51cb-495a-bee0-83982ff4af7e).  **Thank you!** | | | | | |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | | | https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/30b50006-aac3-44de-9f20-988044f267a0.jpg | | |  | | --- | | **Save The Dates for Upcoming ARRI Events**  **So. County Chamber First Friday Coffee** May 6th at 8 am at the ARRI shelter. More info [**HERE**](https://default.salsalabs.org/T6d6c95f5-32d7-4905-ab6b-fd6a79bf66d3/4191d157-d6a4-47f2-ae34-024e72c40418).  **Loose Leash Walking Class**May15th and May 22nd at 10am.  **Pet Meets Baby Free Presentation**June 15th at 6pm. Register [**HERE**](https://default.salsalabs.org/Tb290be4d-f9e8-44d4-9be0-126d93aa6597/fd765b26-c8db-4c7e-8096-387387b13bda).  **Music for ARRI** June 16th at the Ocean Mist.  **FurBall** June 24th at 6pm at The Dunes Club. More info [**HERE**](https://default.salsalabs.org/T842e3428-fd68-4faa-9640-c148902e10f7/2f60337a-c8a3-40b2-9d80-48b89cb2155c).  **Rockin' For Pets** August 21st at the East Providence Yacht Club  **Bark on the Beach**September 24th 9 -11am on Narragansett Beach.  **Go Beyond! Online Auction** Starts on September 24thand runs through October 7th | | | | | |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | | | https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/4f2dee1b-ed58-4032-9a91-03d6f657b3cb.jpg | | | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/c7a2b0e5-ffc4-4679-be92-24e858fb3810.jpg | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/e4426a81-7dea-4933-922a-13c959f2bc2c.jpg | | | | |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Meet Sherlock!**  Hi! I'm Sherlock, and I'm ready to sniff out trouble with the help of a new sidekick family! Could you be my Dr. Watson? I’m a handsome young man with lots of energy, so I would love an active family to take me on walks and hikes. After a nice walk, you’ll find me curled up on the couch and napping. I love to be the center of attention and I do like other dogs, but I can sometimes be a bit picky with who my friends are. If you’re looking for someone to solve the case of “Where did that squirrel go?”, I'm your man!  ***If you're interested in adopting Sherlock, please click the below link to our adoption application.*** | | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [Adoption Application](https://default.salsalabs.org/T13a08662-d2bc-4229-8c09-ecf927d71afc/7ec78ae7-bbdd-42a2-af7a-26ec5b56874b) | | | | | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | | | | | https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/6edc321e-0331-4f19-a864-97f52e39aa23.png | | |  | | --- | | **Happy Endings**  Our goal is to bring best friends and families together, and it's truly gratifying when we're able to find homes for our furry friends! | | | |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/09c1b424-8b02-4272-8dc8-e604c786e025.jpg | | |  | | --- | | *I just wanted to share a few photos of the 2 puppies my son and I adopted back in February. They are simply the best. Brother and sister Suffolk & Suzanna are now known as Mando & Xayda.  Mando accompanies my son to the gym every day. They are both doing very well with their other fur siblings. Thank you again!*  *Gretchen* | | |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022/6f786332-8f62-4233-9055-1e88383196a2.jpg | | |  | | --- | | *Minnie is fantastic! She fit into our family so seamlessly. Minnie loves her morning wet food, chasing a laser around the living room, and is determined to touch everything in our apartment that she can get her little paws on. It’s been so fun watching her become an adult kitty and we are so grateful to have such a sweet grey bundle of joy! And our dog Morty gives her face kisses!*  *Erica* | | | | | | | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | | | |  | | --- | | ***Do you follow us on social media?* For the latest and greatest news about ARRI,  follow us today!** | | | |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | [https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/public/images/icons/small-white_facebook2.png](https://www.facebook.com/AnimalRescueRI/) | [https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/public/images/icons/small-white_twitter2.png](https://twitter.com/intent/follow?screen_name=animalrescueri) | [https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/public/images/icons/small-white_instagram.png](https://www.instagram.com/animalrescueri/) | [https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/public/images/icons/small-white_linkedin.png](https://www.linkedin.com/company/animal-rescue-rhode-island/?trk=tyah&trkInfo=clickedVertical%3Acompany%2CclickedEntityId%3A10090936%2Cidx%3A2-1-2%2CtarId%3A1486181478624%2Ctas%3Aanimal%20rescue%20rh) | | | | | |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [DONATE](https://default.salsalabs.org/Te6b3ce6c-129f-4b5a-937f-46bd075c60b4/485422ad-bc67-4ae2-b439-fa831d284a3f) | | | |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [SUBSCRIBE](https://default.salsalabs.org/T2c62f490-65a7-43f7-943b-746924c96b21/4b4fb5d7-2dd1-47cc-84c1-87c09e79a84a) | | | | | | |  | | --- | | **Want to join our *Faithful Friends* monthly giving program? Click**[**HERE**](https://default.salsalabs.org/T39037d7c-cb7d-42b2-a212-d16336b121fd/daa04832-207d-4c18-8c32-1da478c0d5f3)**to sign up.** | | | |  | | --- | | Animal Rescue Rhode Island *Shelter Address*: 506B Curtis Corner Road, Peace Dale, RI 02879 *Mailing Address*: PO Box 458, Wakefield, RI 02880 Contact us: [shelter@animalrescueri.org](https://default.salsalabs.org/Tb1e24138-4205-4a72-8d72-28109ce8adde/9afee01e-d79f-41c7-b901-e41b6e6ce0f8) | 401-783-7606  Visit our website: [www.animalrescueri.org](https://default.salsalabs.org/Tf485bc7f-9301-41ce-bbc7-51d14f3e9178/96189b40-6936-49bb-9534-c5c5f0a32637) | | | | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [Unsubscribe](https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022) or [Manage Your Preferences](https://animalrescuerhodeisland.salsalabs.org/april2022) | | | |