

WILD NEWS

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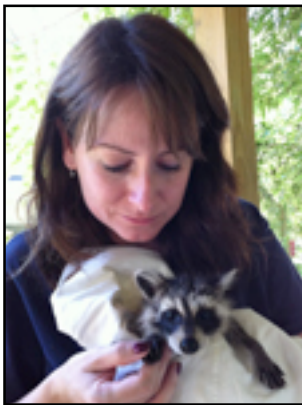
Established in 1994, Wildlife Rescue, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt nonprofit organization dedicated to alleviating the suffering of sick, injured and orphaned animals.

We assist Maryland residents with wildlife emergencies, rescue and rehabilitate wildlife with the goal of release back to nature, and provide children with educational opportunities to foster a respect for our natural world and for themselves.

Baby Season 2011

As we were waiting for all the rain to stop this past spring, we were getting a little anxious at Wildlife Rescue. The rain just would not stop and all the work outside we needed to do was at a standstill. Finally the sun came out and lines were trenched for water and electricity out to the fawn barn and over to the raccoon buildings. Finally we were able to get the fawn fence erected and what a beautiful sight that is. Just in time, for fawn emergency calls were coming in fast and furious. That's the way it is with wildlife rehabilitation. We are incredibly busy in the spring when babies are born and need to be rescued. Feeding them, treating their injuries and getting them strong is Barbara's biggest priority. As they grow, their return to the wild becomes our focus. Depending on the species, it can take only 4 weeks of care as with baby bunnies, to as long as 6 months which is the case with raccoons and foxes.

**Barbara Connor
with baby fox**



**Star Volunteer
Cathy Jones**



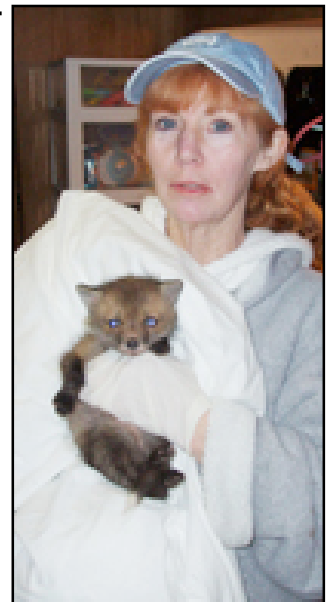
**Lounging in the new
Raccoon Building**



**Enjoying the new
Fawn Enclosure**



**Our New Resident
Turkey "Poncho"**



Way to Go, Nancy!!! You Are Our Hero!!!

This is a letter that was written by Marian and Gary Stewart about Nancy Kirk, a Wildlife Rescue volunteer.

To Whom It May Concern:

Last Sunday, August 21, a volunteer named Nancy from Forest Hill, came to our home to rescue an abandoned fawn. The fawn was clearly in distress after having been stranded in and near our yard for 5 days. We could see that the fawn had been eating leaves and such, but every night, the poor thing cried for hours. The mother never came back for her.

Finally on Sunday, Nancy came to our home. She had with her a large bird net, a large crate, and a bed sheet. For about an hour, Nancy, my husband, and me tried to approach the fawn but the little deer would become anxious and run from us. We followed the little girl all around the fields but we couldn't get quite close enough to grab her.

I suppose we wore her down and after a while the fawn began to run toward Nancy as she held the net towards her. Nancy actually had snagged her in the net a couple of times, but the fawn escaped and darted away. Nancy never faltered in her commitment to rescue the fawn. She even walked through tall fields of wild grass laden with ticks and other creatures, but would not give up.

On the last attempt to snare the fawn with the net, Nancy placed the net on the ground, and miraculously, the fawn leaped straight into her arms! It was a scene that should have been captured on video/U-Tube!! It really was amazing!

Nancy proceeded to carry the fawn closer to the house and closer to salvation. As the deer struggled to free herself, Nancy placed her on the ground and we threw the sheet over her to calm her while my husband got the crate. Nancy refused to let the deer get free from her grip and it was an incredible ordeal, but Nancy persevered. My husband helped Nancy to get the deer into the crate and into her truck.

We cannot say enough about your volunteer, Nancy. She is courageous with a huge heart for rescuing abandoned and distressed wildlife. Her love for animals is extremely evident. She is fantastic!



This is the reason why we are making this donation to your organization in honor of Nancy and other incredible volunteers like her.

Way to go, Nancy!!! You are our hero!!!

Sincerely,
Marian and Gary Stewart
Forest Hill, MD

WISH LIST

Paper Towels
Contractor Grade Trash Bags
Kitchen Drawstring Trash Bags
Towels, Linens, Blankets
Bleach
Baby Wipes
Whole Corn, Sunflower Seed
Nuts - All Kinds in Shells

Gift Cards for:
Petsmart
Petco
Loew's
Home Depot
Walmart
Target
The Mill

Scoopable Cat Litter
Dry and Canned Dog Food
Dry and Canned Cat Food
Carefresh Rabbit Litter
Oxbow Rabbit Timothy Hay
Oxbow Rabbit Pellets
Bird Seed
Baby Playpens

Looking for a great stocking stuffer!
Watch their faces light up when they see raffle tickets for a chance to
Win A Joe Flacco Autographed NFL Football!

Help us to continue to be there for both you and Maryland's wildlife, please donate today!

Looking For a Great Holiday Gift?

By donating \$100.00 or more you can Give the gift of becoming a "Wildlife Parent" for that special animal lover in your life

Your adoption will contribute to their daily care which includes veterinary treatment, food, housing and special treats.

For each adoption you will receive a certificate with a color photo of the animal species of your choice, A Wildlife Rescue, Inc. T-Shirt and in the next newsletter you will receive recognition of your adoption.

Adoptions can be "In Honor of" or "In Memory of" or just to show your love of wildlife.



Certificate of Fawn Adoption
In Memory of Gerda



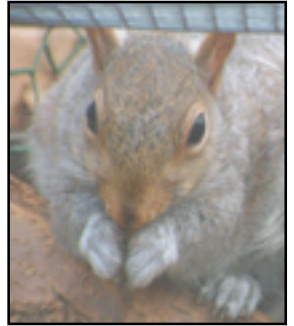
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I am a white-tail deer fawn.

I was rescued and brought to Wildlife Rescue, Inc. Fawns come here when they are attacked by domestic dogs, suffer from lawn mower and farm equipment injuries, or when their Mom's get killed.

Here I will be bottle fed 3 times a day and stay with other rescued fawns in a fenced in pasture. I will start to nibble on grass and hay at about 6 weeks old and will be weaned off my bottle slowly and given whole corn and deer pellets to supplement my diet. When I am about 3 months old, I will still have my spots but I will be strong enough to forage for food on my own and I will be released back to the wild.

Fearing her scent may attract predators, a mother deer leaves her fawn alone most of the day. If you encounter a fawn lying quietly by itself - and it looks healthy - leave it alone. Mom will be back.



To Adopt or Donate please fill out the donation form below.

Please fill out this coupon and mail it to: Wildlife Rescue, Inc., P.O. Box 330, Monkton, MD 21111

YES! I want to help save animals in need. Here's my tax-deductible donation of:

\$25 \$50 \$75 \$100 \$250 \$500 \$_____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State & Zip Code: _____ Telephone: _____

For credit card donations, please call or go to www.wildliferescueinc.org and select Make A Donation

This donation/adoption is in Memory of _____ or in Honor of _____

I want to adopt and become a "Wildlife Parent" (Donation must be \$100.00 or more. Please check one animal below)

Bird Duck Raccoon Fawn Rabbit Squirrel Fox

Financial statement available upon request by calling 443-507-0950. Documents and information filed in accordance with the Maryland Charitable Organization Solicitations Act available from the Secretary of State for the cost of copying and postage.

MEMORIALS & TRIBUTES

Memorial and Tribute Gifts honor a special family member, friend or pet while supporting Wildlife Rescue's programs. The following Memorial and Tribute Gifts were received from 4/1/11 to 11/1/11.

In Honor of:

Enid Feinberg ~ Bruna Raicovi

Austin Gray's Confirmation ~ Arlynn, Robert, Allan & Victoria Brown

Nancy Kirk ~ Marian & Gary Stewart

In Memory of:

Cody, Beloved Dog of Cathy Jones ~ Your Friends at Wildlife Rescue

Gerda Deterer ~ Sandra & Bernard Boehnlein

Gerda & Wayne Deterer, our beloved founders ~ Everyone at Wildlife Rescue

Hannah Crafton ~ Raymond & Elizabeth Logsdon

Lizzie Kendall, a sweet little dachshund whose time on earth was far too short ~ Tom & Diana Woesche

"Wildlife Parents"

Rabbit Adoption In Honor of Southern Pain Kink ~ Cassie Fuller

Rabbit Adoption In Memory of Snoopy, Lucy & Linus ~ Karen & Chuck Dunlap

Raccoon Adoption In Memory of Rusty ~ Margaret & Norman Zellers

Owl Adoption In Honor of Pine Grove Early Learning Center ~ Elisa Feser

Duck Adoption In Memory of Willis ~ Cindy Candelori

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Fall/Winter 2011-2012

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Wildlife Director

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Thank You:

Special Thanks to the Summer Raffle Winners for donating their prizes back to Wildlife Rescue!

1st Prize Ron Wicks, 2nd Prize Diane and Paul Barrett, 3rd Prize Barbara Cunliffe

Our Vets and Their Staff, as well as the Other Organizations That Work Hand in Hand with us.

Each and Every One of Our Volunteers- For always going "above and beyond" to make our rescue work possible!

Print Shack, Michael Masenior, Barbara and Pam- For your support in printing and mailing this newsletter.

Madison Bank of Maryland - For donating the \$500.00 savings bond for our raffle.

Dramatic Visions, Becky Wolff - For our informative and wonderful website.

Lierra Lenhard - For designing and writing the newsletter.

Girl Scout Troop Gives Wildlife A Helping Hand

Girl Scout Troop 1968 of Community 91 presented a lecture about Wildlife Rescue, Inc. The girls held their presentation at a local elementary school to inform younger students about our organization and give them information on what to do when they find an animal and how to help. Their personal donations along with the collected donations from Carroll Manor Elementary School and other girl scout troops were greatly appreciated.



The troop hopes the community becomes more informed and helps out wildlife in their own backyard. The girls visited Wildlife Rescue in June during baby season and got to see the wild babies and the rehabilitation process up close.

Pictured from left to right:
Kristen Meek, Carolyn Lagomarsino,
Anna Feerick, Holly Sutley, and
Julianna Perrella. Not pictured,
Maya Lapinski and Jackie Andrews.