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Rescue Report: Zhukov

**Newfoundland Health
Challenge 2023 a Quest for
Help!**

A question that may have been ignored, but certainly needs to be answered, "Why does the Health Challenge have fundraising campaigns for approved studies that are fully funded?" The purpose of the Health Challenge is to raise funds for research grants presented to the Charitable Trust for funding. When Grants are approved by Morris

Recently the CTMB approved a \$4,388.34 grant to Southeastern Newfoundland Club Rescue to subsidize veterinary care for “Zhukov”.

Southeastern Newfoundland Club Rescue reported, “We took Zhukov into Rescue in September, 2023. We were contacted when he was observed at Wake County Animal Shelter in NC. He was one day away from euthanasia. We immediately arranged foster care. Unfortunately, he was in such bad condition he required an urgent care vet. We were advised the only hope to save him was to get him to Veterinary Emergency Group in Cary, NC. This boy deserved that chance. When it was finally deemed he could be released but needed to be in a place where he was not around other animals due to pneumonia and keeping other dogs safe until his medication could take effect. He has now been with the foster for over a month and his recovery is nothing short of miraculous. Apparently, Zhukov’s first language was Russian so he has also had to slowly learn English commands. The foster care provider says he is an incredible joy and a quick learner. Zhukov came to us totally shut down, depressed and a medical challenge. He is now happy and healthy and ready for a forever home.”

NCA Rescue Fund grants are available to regional Newfoundland clubs to subsidize extraordinary veterinary costs for Newfoundlands surrendered to their Rescue programs. Grant applications are reviewed and approved by the CTMB and funded by the generous donors to the NCA Rescue Fund.

**Learn more about the NCA
Rescue Program and how
you can help.**

Animal Foundation, AKC Canine Health Foundation or submitted directly to the Charitable Trust Management Board (CTMB), if the CTMB agrees to support the grant, funds must be available at that time.

Currently the NCA Charitable Trust is funding a study to identify a genetic marker for SAS with Morris Animal Foundation. This study required full funding from the Newfoundland Health Challenge (NHC) for \$50,000 resulting from a request from the CTMB for a proposal on SAS, called Donor Inspired.

Stolen Heartbeats to support SAS Research

Currently, the Research Advisory Committee is reviewing Hemangiosarcoma proposals from Morris Animal Foundation for funding by the NHC.

These campaigns are vitally important to replenish funds for future studies. We must have funds available when a study is presented for funding. We must keep moving forward with research that will benefit the Newfoundland dog. After all, the health of our breed is at stake.

Please donate NOW to improve the health of our breed and ensure a healthy future for the dogs!

**Learn more about
the NCA Health
Challenge**

What We've Been Up To...

HELP NEEDED

Minutes

The Newfoundland Charitable Trust is seeking a Volunteer(s) to help with the Social media in the area of the Health Challenge.

August 2023

Sept 2023

Oct 2023

A knowledge of Facebook and other social media is helpful. with the goal to increase our online presence and benefit our fund-raising efforts to support ongoing and future research.

If you interested in helping out or you would like to learn more contact:

Clyde Dunphy 217-691-4950 call or text or email Bisk9@earthlink.net

or

Mary Jane Spackman (Newfoundland Health Challenge) call or text 717-802-2873 or email mjspackman@comcast.net



AKC Canine Health Foundation Parent Club Conference

AKC National Parent Club Health Conference was held in St Louis, MO August 11-13, 2023, Clyde Dunphy and Lori Littleford attended in person and Shauna Bryant attended virtually. The conference was well attended and both Clyde and Lori had an opportunity to visit with CHF personnel and various researchers.

Video recording of the presentations are now available to view online.

[View the Videos](#)



AKC Canine Health Foundation Celebrates 1,000th Scientific Publication

The AKC Canine Health Foundation (CHF), a non-profit organization dedicated to advancing the health and well-being of all dogs, proudly announces the publication of its 1,000th scientific study.

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We would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude to the owners and breeders of the 40 Newfoundlands who have received CHIC designations in 2023.

Remember that all of the Newfoundlands who have DNA stored with CHIC should update the health information on their dogs whenever they experience a major health change or new diagnosis. You can

email health information directly to the OFA, including your dog's registered name, breed and AKC or CHIC number.

[Email The OFA](#)

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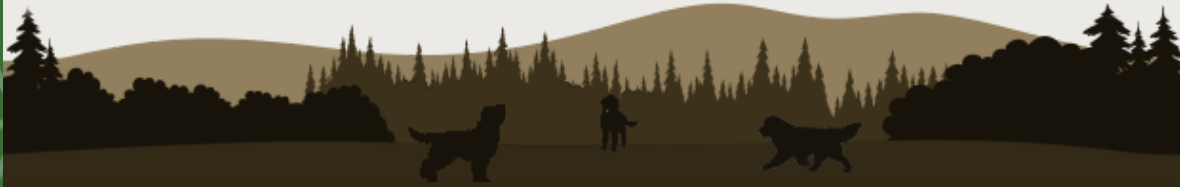
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