

Creating a safe and healthy future for every Newfoundland.

**2023**

**ANNUAL  
REPORT**

**NCA CHARITABLE TRUST**

# Contents

<b>Our Mission</b>	<b>02</b>
<b>Chairman's Letter</b>	<b>03</b>
<b>Financial Highlights</b>	<b>04</b>
<b>Health Challenge</b>	<b>05</b>
<b>Research Advisory Committee Report</b>	<b>06</b>
<b>Rescue Report</b>	<b>07</b>
<b>Stay In Touch</b>	<b>09</b>
<b>Our Supporters and Friends</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>How to Help</b>	<b>14</b>

# Our Mission

The mission of the Newfoundland Club of America Charitable Trust is to secure donations, to manage and distribute research grants to study health issues affecting Newfoundlands, to provide necessary monetary aid for Newfoundland rescue assistance, to award educational scholarships to junior Newfoundland fanciers, and to provide general education involving the care, raising, health, nutrition, training, disease, research, breeding, judging and exhibiting the Newfoundland breed.



The NCA Charitable Trust is committed to making a difference.

# Chairman's Letter

**Thinking about the past this year, as I write this annual report for the NCA Charitable Trust, I am thankful, grateful and confident. Thankful for the mentors in the Newfoundland community who came before me. Grateful for the opportunities that have been afforded me in both the Newfoundland Club of America and the NCA Charitable Trust. Confident in the position of the Newfoundland Club of America Charitable Trust to positively affect the lives of present and future Newfoundland dogs while having a positive impact on the lives of those in the Newfoundland community.**

Looking back on 2023, we lost two members of the Newfoundland Community that were both mentors to me personally and instrumental in the formation of the NCA Charitable Trust. David Helming and Mary W. Price both served on the committee to develop a charitable trust for Newfoundland dogs. Their passing while sad created great memories for me and our Newfoundland community that they were part of our lives and their involvement and actions left a positive impact on the future of the Newfoundland community.

*"There are things that we never want to let go of, people we never want to leave behind. But keep in mind that letting go isn't the end of the world, but a new beginning." - unknown*

Contrary to the idea that nostalgia can leave us stuck in the past, looking back fondly seems to help us look forward optimistically. Especially during rough times, reflecting on happier times can remind us that things do have the potential to prepare for the future and react to the present.

*"Nostalgia involves reflecting on past experiences but it motivates affective states, behaviors, and goals that improve people's future lives." - Taylor FioRito*

We must continue to look forward and explore our opportunities in Newfoundland Health Research, Rescue, Education and Scholarship.

NCA National Newfoundland Rescue is a large volunteer network that supports rescue efforts throughout the United States. These dedicated volunteers work with Regional Newfoundland Clubs to assist Newfoundlands in need and to work independently with the support of the Trust in areas where Regional Club rescue is not available. Your donations continue to make this important work possible. The Trust provides grants to Regional Clubs when needed to support rescue dogs.

The health of our Newfoundlands today and in the future is a priority for the NCA Charitable Trust. We are investing in the future health with our research funds.

The Research efforts of the Trust and the Research Advisory Committee are definitely prepared for the future as we have teamed up with the Morris Animal Foundation to fund Donor Inspired Studies.

## *Nostalgia: Why Thinking About the Past Can Be Good for You*

Currently, we are funding Research projects for Newfoundland Forelimb Anomaly (Congenital Radial Head Luxation), Cranial Cruciate Ligament Disease in the Newfoundland and Sub-aortic Stenosis in Newfoundlands. We recently funded a study on a new novel treatment for canine otitis externa. The Trust recently funded a study involving Hemangiosarcoma Cancer with the Morris Animal Foundation.

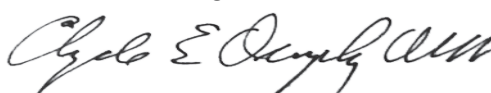
What's New for the Trust in 2024? An online store for NCA Trust, NCA National Rescue and NCA Health Challenge logo items is open. Please shop for your favorite logo items and support the Trust: <https://nca-charities.myspreadshop.com> The NCA Charitable Trust will host an information tent and raffles ringside at the National Specialty in 2024 to support Rescue and Health Challenge with a few very special items available daily for three days.

The number of subscribers to the e-newsletter *NewfCare: Research and Rescue* continues to grow with over 1,000 subscribers. This newsletter is published quarterly and provides current information from the Trust with Research and Rescue updates. Follow the NCA Charitable Trust on Facebook™ to keep up with our activities.

The NCA Board of Directors serves as the Trustee of the NCA Charitable Trust and sets policy for the management of the Trust that is carried out by a nine-member Charitable Trust Management Board. The administrative expenses of the Trust are covered by an annual grant from NCA Inc., so that 100% of your donations can be used to support the mission of the Trust.

The motto of the NCA Trust is simply "Your Gift Their Future"! The NCA Charitable Trust exists and continues to grow with the generous support of our donors. Many donors to the Trust have included the NCA Charitable Trust in their Will and Estate Planning. The generosity of time and resources to support the health and safety of future generations of Newfoundland dogs is an inspiration to us all. I am very proud and honored to have been a part of this journey and I am looking forward to what lies ahead.

To learn more about the NCA Charitable Trust or to make a donation visit [NCACHarities.org](https://NCACHarities.org).



Clyde E. Dunphy DVM, NCA Charitable Trust Board Chairman

# Financial Highlights

## Health Challenge

2023

Donations, Fundraising, Grants	\$ 45,479
Gains/Loss on Investments	\$ 23,094
Grants Awarded	-\$ 105,238
Fundraising Costs/Administrative Expenses	-\$ 2,387

## Rescue

Donations, Fundraising, Grants	\$ 149,905
Rescue Placement Fees	\$ 34,400
Gains/Loss on Investments	\$ 52,606
Rescue Veterinary Care	-\$ 190,448
Fundraising Costs/Administrative Expenses	-\$ 5,528
Grants Awarded	-\$ 27,768

## Education & Scholarship

Donations, Fundraising, Grants	\$ 6,036
Gains/Loss on Investments	\$ 5,061
Fundraising Costs/Administrative Expenses	-\$ 264

# Newfoundland Health Challenge

## *What is the Newfoundland Health Challenge and why is it important?*

The Newfoundland Health Challenge was approved November 3, 1996, as a fund-raising campaign for Newfoundland health related research. Since that date the Health Challenge became an important arm of the Newfoundland Club of America Charitable Trust supporting numerous research grants involving hundreds of thousands of dollars in Newfoundland specific and basic canine scientific research. We continue to invest in the future health of our Newfoundland companions by supporting current research initiatives.

Has your dog ever suffered from a hot spot, orthopedic problem, skin disorder, bloat, cancer, ear infection or allergies then the Health Challenge should be important to you! These are just a few of the areas the Health Challenge has supported research grants within the AKC Canine Health Foundation (CHF) and the Morris Animal Foundation (MAF).

The NCA Charitable Trust conducts the Newfoundland Health Survey every five years to evaluate the current health problems affecting Newfoundland dogs. In 2022 1,264 dogs were surveyed in the last health survey and the highlights of the last survey were published in the 2022 Annual Report which can be viewed on the NCA Charitable Trust website. This information is used by the Research Advisory Committee which evaluates current research areas or creates a research interest area specific to Newfoundland dogs and then seeks out researchers to conduct this research.

The NCA Charitable Trust recently supported Donor Inspired Research with Morris Animal Foundation in the areas of Newfoundland Forelimb Anomaly (Congenital Lateral Radial Head Luxation), Sub-Aortic Stenosis and Cranial Cruciate Disease affecting Newfoundlands. Additionally, research is ongoing with Dr. Stern regarding SAS in Newfoundland Dogs.

Research always provides answers, though sometimes not the answers we wanted or the desired result. However each research grant gives us a part of the puzzle to a complex disease process.

This past year Lori Littleford and Clyde Dunphy attended the AKC CHF Canine Health Conference. The mission of the conference is to promote canine health by Prevent, Treat and Cure! With 18 research papers presented and numerous panel discussions, the importance of continued research support was evident. This important research can be accomplished only with your financial support. The cost of research continues to escalate and your donations are more important each year.

Thank You to each of our donors that have supported the Newfoundland Health Challenge in the past, present and future and to our new donors thank you in advance for helping improve the health, quality of life and longevity for future generations of Newfoundland dogs.

Mary Jane Spackman, Chairman

Clyde Dunphy DVM, NCA Charitable Trust Chairman



**We invest in the future health of our Newfoundland companions thanks to your support.**

# Research Advisory

*Our role is to select and monitor research projects that meet high scientific standards and have the greatest potential for advancing the health of Newfoundland dogs.*

In January 2023, Morris Animal Foundation approved our Donor Inspired Sub Aortic Stenosis grant. Led by Dr. Vilma Yuzbasiyan-Gurkan, Professor, Microbiology and Molecular Genetics and Small Animal Clinical Sciences at Michigan State University and the project's Principal Investigator, the study will employ advanced tools to discover genetic determinants of SAS in Newfoundland dogs. If successful, findings could be used to genetically screen dogs for this disease and inform breeding decisions.

The CTMB approved \$5000.00 of funding from the Newfoundland Health Challenge Fund for MAF study DA23CA-801 - Fosmidomycin for treatment of canine otitis externa. This pilot study started in March, 2023 using a new antibiotic that has been used to successfully treat bladder infections in humans.

RAC also reviewed both the abstracts and full proposals of the 2023-4 MAF hemangiosarcoma studies recommending funding of D24CA-536: Discovery of public tumor specific neoantigens (pTS-NAs) and pTSNA reactive T cells arisen from hotspot mutations in canine hemangiosarcoma. This study's goal is to yield targets for future development of cancer vaccine and other immunotherapies to treat and prevent hemangiosarcoma in dogs. CTMB approved \$10,000.00 of funding.

One of the great benefits of sponsoring grants is the opportunity to review interim progress updates. We received the following updates:

MAF D21CA-503: A Genomics Approach to Understanding Newfoundland Forelimb Anomaly. This pilot study has completed high resolution sequencing of a family trio of an affected puppy. "Of particular interest is a loci on chromosome 4 which has by far the strongest significant association amongst the SNPs in the study. Interestingly, this region is homologous to a region on the long arm of chromosome 10 in humans, which contains a gene which has been associated with spondyloepiphyseal dysplasia, a form of chondrodysplasia that shares a similar phenotype and clinical presentation to NFA, and which is characterized by an autosomal recessive inheritance pattern." Analysis of the data is ongoing.

CHF Grant 02880: Enhanced Surgical Margin Imaging with Polarization-sensitive Optical Coherence Tomography in Canine Soft Tissue Sarcoma and Mammary Tumors "We have had good progress in our patient enrollment, we completed enrollment of the

**The Research Advisory Committee (RAC) consists of Bill Cuddy, Sharon Gwaltney-Brandt, chair Lori Littleford, Sharron Oviatt, Roger Powell and Tamzin Rosenwasser. RAC reviews research proposals from AKC Canine Health Foundation (CHF) and Morris Animal Foundation (MAF) as well as independent research contacts. RAC serves the vital purpose of advising the Charitable Trust Management Board which studies may have the greatest impact on Newfoundlands, are likely to be adopted into clinical practice and should be considered for funding. We are pleased to note that the CTMB decided to fund grants based on our recommendations.**

60 cases already! We are in the second phase of this project where we are looking at accuracy of surgical margin imaging soft tissue sarcomas and mammary tumors after surgical removal in dogs. Soon, we will start evaluating the images and preparing the training and test sets of images for observers to assess." This study is scheduled to conclude 5/31/2024.

CHF Grant 02851-A: Development of Regional Anesthesia Techniques to Treat Chronic Painful Conditions of the Stifle and Elbow in Dogs "Using cadaver limbs, a new proposed technique which consists of four peri-capsular injections was developed to better target the affected nerves. These landmarks are located on the humerus (arm bone) in relation to the four quadrants of the joint and are easily recognizable with ultrasound and by palpation." A similar technique will be developed for the stifle (knee) joint. This study is expected to conclude 12/31/2023 so we should have a final report soon.

Cruciate Risk Marker study:

Dr. Peter Muir writes "Participation by your members has been great and we now have largely completed the recruitment of dogs under this award for phenotyping as cruciate ligament rupture cases and controls and for genotyping. I can tell you that risk prediction of cruciate ligament rupture in the Newfoundland is not accurate when our large Labrador Retriever reference population is used as the training set for prediction. This means that, unfortunately, the portfolio of risk variants that are particularly influential in the Labrador Retriever are different from the ones that are particularly influential in the Newfoundland." Dr. Muir's group has applied for additional AKC/CHF funding to continue his investigations.

The CTMB has received current accounting on our Canine Health Foundation donor advised fund. RAC is currently reviewing 2024 grant applications for its recommendations. The NCA Trust's donor advised fund at CHF includes individual donations earmarked for the Newfoundland as well as Purina Pro Club Parent Club program support. Purina's revised program requires donated funds to be assigned to specific projects within 2 years of their donation or revert to the non-breed specific general fund.

Lori Littleford, chairman

# Rescue Report

*2023 Newfoundland Rescue Fund grants to NCA Regional Clubs:*

<i>“Thor”</i>	<i>Newfoundland Health &amp; Rescue, Northern California</i>	<i>\$4,449.22</i>
<i>“Maverick”</i>	<i>Southeastern Newfoundland Club Rescue</i>	<i>\$2,294.48</i>
<i>“Zhukov”</i>	<i>Southeastern Newfoundland Club Rescue</i>	<i>\$4,388.34</i>
<i>“Annabelle”</i>	<i>Southern California Newfoundland Rescue</i>	<i>\$8,361.82</i>

**The NCA Rescue Fund provides grants to NCA Regional clubs for rescue services incurring extraordinary expenses. Generous donations to the NCA Rescue Fund make these grants possible. Southern California Newfoundland Rescue Corporation requested a grant to support expenses for “Annabelle”. The grant request was reviewed according to the NCA Rescue Grant policy\* and the 50% grant - \$8,361.82 - was approved. Southern California Newfoundland Rescue Corporation provided her story.**

## **“Annabelle”**

Annabelle came into Rescue in early December 2022. She was a 3.5-year-old intact female relinquished by her owners who were being evicted, and she was living in less than stellar conditions. Annabelle was fed a cup of cottage cheese for breakfast and a can of Alpo with a slice of cheese for dinner.

She had patent ductus arteriosus, PDA, that was never corrected and was continually given a CBD oil with a high ratio of THC (toxic) to keep her quiet.

She had not been groomed and was covered in matts; the ones on her hindquarters were encrusted in feces. She seemed painful when walking and it was not readily apparent whether that was due to matts, muscle atrophy or an orthopedic issue.



**Health issues and neglect brought Annabelle into rescue.**



We had to work to improve her nutrition and body condition so she could tolerate corrective PDA surgery, to be followed by spay surgery and a consultation with an orthopedic surgeon. But tests prior to the PDA surgery indicated a serious staphylococcal infection which had to be resolved before any surgery. Her skin infection was treated and resolved and the Cardiologist proclaimed the postponed PDA procedure was successful so she was healthy enough to be spayed. The orthopedic surgeon said he was not sure he could make a difference in her intermittent lameness. Like so many Newfs she has allergies so she will require chronic dermatology and cardiology follow ups.

Thanks to great veterinary care and wonderful T.L.C. by her multiple foster care providers, she is expected to have a normal Newf lifespan with an excellent quality of life. After one year Annabelle is finally healthy enough to be adoptable and we are searching for a perfect match for her.

With generous discounts from the veterinary hospitals - Animal Dermatology Clinic-Tustin, Blue Pearl CA-Irvine (Cardiology), Veterinary Surgical Specialists (orthopedic consultation) and Arch Beach Animal Hospital (spay), the costs to date for Annabelle's veterinary care total \$16,723.64."

Southern California Newfoundland Rescue now reports, "Annabelle has quite the personality. Every one of us who had the opportunity to meet her while taking her to one of her vet. appointments or other outings found her to be full of heart to survive and so happy to meet new people. She has become a gorgeous girl and will be a great ambassador for our breed!"

*\* NCA Rescue policy: Grants are available to Regional Clubs' Rescue Services to subsidize up to 50% of estimated veterinary services costs. Applications for these grants are reviewed by the CTMB to determine correct diagnosis and prognosis. A grant application up to \$1,000.00 is reviewed by the NCA Rescue Chair for approval. A grant application over \$1,000.00 is reviewed by the NCA Rescue Chair and the NCA Charitable Trust Management Board Chair.*



**Despite her hardships, Annabelle demonstrates a wonderful temperament.**

# Stay In Touch



**[tinyurl.com/4rx4mx2n](https://tinyurl.com/4rx4mx2n)**  
Quarterly Updates

Stay current with the activities of NCA Charities, read heartwarming rescue tales, find out about cutting-edge research updates and learn about the progress of the Trust.



**[www.ncacharities.org](http://www.ncacharities.org)**  
Information Central

All the information you need to support NCA Charities. Easy, 1-click donations, planned giving information and details for legacy giving. Archives of our NewfCare newsletter and minutes of all of our meetings. Study reports and updates, rescue stories and more.



**[www.facebook.com/NCACHarities](https://www.facebook.com/NCACHarities)**  
Join the Conversation

Up-to-the-minute news and updates from NCA Charities. Join in conversations with others who support our work and hear from many voices in the rescue and research communities.



**[info@ncacharities.org](mailto:info@ncacharities.org)**  
Personal Connection

When you need more, just ask! Want to volunteer for one of our programs or committees? Need advice on planned giving? Need more information on a study? We're here to find the answers you need.

# Supporters & Friends

Dennise Aardema  
Susan Abramski  
Wally & Robin Adamson  
Dee Adrian  
John & Ellen Affel  
Michele Ahern  
Andrew Ahn  
Julia Alexis  
Lezli & Bennet Alford  
Deanna Alko  
Leigh Allison  
Tracy Anderson  
Lynne Anderson & Bill Powell  
Maxine Appleby  
Tracy Armstrong  
Steven Aubert  
Sue Auger  
Mardy Aune  
Jody Ayers' co-workers  
Terry & Kim Babb  
Carlo Baizas  
Lynne Baker  
Robert Ball  
Lori Balla  
Amber Balsinger  
Colleen Barbato  
Darby Barker  
Kathy Barnard  
Barbara Barry  
Marlis Bartscher  
Khrystina Bauman  
Jennifer Beals  
Fiona Bean  
Ned Bean  
Sally Bebo-Anderson  
Jeanna Beecham  
Bell Family  
David Bell  
Joel Benjamin  
Deborrah Bennett  
Jamie Bennett  
Jamie Bentz  
Carl & Eileen Bergal  
Lynn & Bob Bergan  
Susan Bernat  
Catherine Bierer  
Stephanie Bigcraft  
Megan Biskup  
Donyell Bissing  
Mary Ann Blackmur  
Georgia Blackwell  
Jill Blahnik  
Mike & Diane Blandina  
Patricia Blewitt  
Christina Blodgett  
Sandra Blough  
Jeanne Blythe

Kathryn Bobak  
Kenneth & Kathryn Bogdan  
Elaine Bolton  
Margaret Boosembark  
Beth Boring  
Paul Bourassa  
Kathy Bowler & Steve Coony  
Stephanie Boyd  
Richard Brady  
Kelli Brechbuhler  
Kari Brekke & Gudjon Gudjonsson  
Natalie Breyer  
Deborah & Todd Bridge  
Mary Broderick  
Sue Brosious  
Allison & David Brown  
Becky Brown  
Julie Brown  
Kathleen M. Brown  
Larry & Paula Brown  
Scott Brown  
Abby Bruce  
Daniel Bryant  
Debbie Bryant  
Justine Burchett  
Tom, Susan & Patty Burke  
Robin Burman  
Susan Burns  
Mary Bylone  
William Caesar  
Eva Caimano  
Megan Campbell  
Vincent Campbell  
Torrey Card  
Michael Carpenter  
W. Randy & Margaret Cassady  
Eileen Castonguay  
Patrick Castonguay  
Anita Chandlet  
Jamie Chanthavixay  
Martha Chase-Pallant  
Sasha Childress  
Kim Chonko  
Karen Clancy  
Dorothy Clayton  
Jill Cleary  
Patty Clifton  
Jewel & John Cody  
Rory Cohen  
Leigh Colberg  
Heather Cole  
Shell Cole  
Eric Colombo, Sr.  
Kyla Colwell  
Seth Cooper  
John & Elaine Cornell  
Tammy Corrow

Meaghan Costello  
Adrienne Craig  
Cindi & Mark Craig  
Samantha Craig  
B Crane  
Lisa Crispin  
John & Paula Crotteau  
Joe Cruz & Ted Panczyszyn  
Marsha Cuckler  
Mary Lou & Bill Cuddy  
Kimberli Cumming  
Denise Cuneo  
Jan Curtis  
John & Beverly Cusac  
Stephanie Magid & Edward Cusick  
Sarah Dailey  
Rose Darroch  
Penelope de la Rocha  
John Deagle  
Ann Dean  
Annie Dean  
Frances, Jack & Sarah DeBlasio  
Susan Defebaugh  
Tyson Deines  
Mary Delle & Raymond Gunn  
Debbie Dennison  
Cathy Derench  
Janis Devore  
Sheila Dinger  
Alexis Dixon  
Nicki Dobson  
Katie Dolan  
Judithanne Dominick  
Hannah Donahoe & Joe Soderberg  
Mary Douglas  
Darryl Drake  
Kurt Drummond Brown  
Elizabeth Dubreuil & Gene Lohrmeyer  
Mary Jo Dudek  
Margot Duval  
Richard & Kristin Eberly  
Joyce Echon-Butler  
Holly Eden  
Linda Edstrom & Kuna  
Dean & Grace Edwards  
Robin Edwards  
Ira & Marla Eglostein  
Lori Eldridge  
Brooke Elkan-Moore  
Robert Emery  
Karla Emmen  
Christy Enright  
Evie Esposito & John Bell  
Treasure Evilsizor  
Mary E. Evink  
Carl & Jennifer Ey  
Chelly Fair  
Meadow Fallon

Carol Farley  
Carol Farnsworth-Rhodes  
Linda Farruggia  
Sue Faulkner  
Tracy Faulkner  
Antonia Mimikos Faull  
Rosy Feldman  
Suzanne Felli  
Joan & Douglas Fenwick  
Joseph Ferrero  
Betsy Fisher Miner  
Lorenzo & Dr. Angela Fleming  
Blair Fogoros  
Joseph Foraker  
Marion Forbes  
Megan Ford  
Heidi Forrest  
Lorna Fortune  
Pat Fowler  
Stefanie Fowler  
Lowell & Armi Frank  
Cindy Franklin  
Charlene & Lance Freiburger  
Steven Frysinger  
Genette Fuller  
Sandy Gabel  
Kenda Galipo  
Carol Gallagher Boyle  
Frank Galovic  
Jennifer Garrison  
Dan & Jillian Gelb  
Carla Gengler  
Lori George  
Charles & Jean Giangarra  
Catherine Gillespie  
Nancy Glair  
Louise D. Goldberg  
Cynthia Goodwin  
Summer Goodwin  
Teresa Gordon  
Dwight & Christine Gorsuch  
Jim & Karen Grace  
Gwen Graham & Rob Kamai  
Pamela Grant  
Susan & Robert Grant  
Michele Green  
Susan Green  
Mary & Chuck Grey  
Jody & Ron Grunfeld  
Mary Pat Guenther  
Robert & Susan Guillotte  
Joan Gunn & Michael Reese  
Steven Gunther  
Charles McL. Hadley III  
Michelle Hagopian  
Kurt Hague  
Jennifer Hall  
Wendy Hall  
Alex Haluska  
Kathy Hamilton

Katharine Hanson  
Jessica Harris  
Pat Harris  
Eileen Hart  
Pamela H. Haskin  
Natasha Havey  
Kellie Haviland  
Catherine Hayes  
Rory Hedin-Leonard  
Carol Heggie  
Dorian Henley  
James Henninger  
Louise Hildebrand  
Gabrielle Hindin  
Sally & William Hines  
Jeremy D. Hoff  
Cathy Hoffman  
Cheryl Hogue  
Bruce & Judy Holmes  
Victoria Holt  
Chuck Holtzen  
James Hoorman  
Ron, Scarlett & Nelson Horn  
Erin Houdeshell  
Nissa Howard  
Gary & Lynda Hoyt  
Sandra Hull  
Lisa Hunt  
Kaiva Hurt  
Katelyn Ingraham  
Yuka Isayama  
Richard Jack & Melody Music  
David & Rita Jacobs  
Peter Jahn  
Simon Jamel  
Jamie Jennings & George Lee  
David & Jennifer Jenson  
Ellen Jesaitis  
Karen Jinkerson  
Kathleen Joan  
Larry Job  
Cynthia Sue Johnson  
Katherine Johnson  
Pamela Johnson  
Randall Johnson  
Rynn Johnson  
Susan Johnson  
Kim Jones  
Paul Joseph  
Eileen Joyce  
Cathy Jurewicz  
Randy Kaplan  
Dennis & Jodi Karau  
Lauren Karp  
Paul & Carole Katinas  
Amanda Kato  
Alyson Kaufman  
Alisa & Michael Keats  
Christine Kehoe  
Jessica Kemp

Diane Kentros  
Kevin & Deborah Kern  
Therese Killen  
John King  
Lydia Klein  
Russell Klein  
Deb Klie  
Stephen & M.B. Klinghoffer  
True Knight  
Andrew Knoop  
Helen Kopec  
Amber Nicole Kraft  
Colleen Krenitsky  
Amy & Mark Kugelman  
Katharine Kuharic  
J. Kuhfahl  
Deena Kuhn  
Mary Lackner  
Jennie Ladew-Duncan  
Rebecca Lamont  
Chris Lane  
Sherry & Charles Lane  
Patti Lang  
Peggy Lange  
Kari Lauber  
Louise Laughlin  
Trace Lawless  
Phyllis Layden  
Linda Leach  
Tom & Marian Leen  
Harriett & Stuart Lerman  
Julie Lerman  
Lawrence & Narcinda Lerner  
Victoria Lesh  
Linda L. Levesque  
Francoise Levi  
Mary Jeanne Levitt  
Terri Lewin  
Howard W. Lewis  
Becki Liebl  
Susan & Bill Liley  
Jana Logan  
Robert & Theresa Lorsbach  
Ken Lovins  
Stephanie Lucero  
Anthony Lyman  
Owen & Diane Lynch  
Cindy MacInnis  
Jane MacIntosh  
Gloria Madsen  
Maestro Maeckle  
Mike Maertens  
Karyn Makuch  
Glen & Mary Malchow  
Nancy Rae Mallery  
Mary Alice Maloney  
Linda Manley  
Sharon Mann  
Jerry & Sandra Manne  
Beth Mares

Jessie Marshall  
Bill Martin  
Jacqueline Martin  
Paula Martin-Buhrdorf  
Natalie Martin-Shepherd  
Sandra Martinez  
Julia Marvel  
Janet Massey  
Dr. Martin & Margo Matthews  
Janel Mattke  
Mj May  
Cathy Mayweather  
McCarthy family  
Nancy McCarthy  
Geraldine McClenaghan  
Anna McClintock  
Donna McConn  
Stephen McConnell  
Mary McDonnell  
Thomas & Olivia McDonough  
Erin McGlynn  
Sandy Mcguire  
Michael McKeon & Julia Spadt  
Brian Mclauchlan  
Ted Meeker  
Sue Mendleson  
Denise Mengerink  
Navi Menon  
Lucille Merillat  
Despina Metakos  
Patty & Wayne Methner  
Amy Metz  
Nancy Meyer  
Kara Miller  
Eileen Milzcik  
Beth Mirsky  
Patricia Misa  
Kathleen Mitchell  
Randi and Tom Mitchell  
Tehya Mockapetris  
Denise Montague  
Carolyn Morrill  
Toni Morrin  
Leslie A. Morris  
Cynthia Morrow  
Steve & Sharon Mulkeen  
Diane Murray  
Kimi Musgrove  
Gail Musialowski  
Dara Naraghi  
Char Nash  
Chelsie Neill  
Emily Neitzelt  
Marina Nemik  
Britany Nickolich  
Lisa Nilsson  
Lisa Noel  
Robert Novak  
Stanley Nowak  
Eric & Jo Nussle

Mark O'Connor  
Kevin O'Malley  
Brenda O'Shea  
Angela Odle  
Linda Odle  
Marjie Odle  
Lori Ann Ogolini  
Tom Ohagan  
Jane Olsen  
Michele Olsen  
Guy Orłowski  
Liz Ossen  
Andrea & Gary Ottey  
Janine Packard  
Ryan & Liz Pagel  
Rachel Palmer  
Tami Palomba  
Maria Paniagua  
Annmarie Park  
Lyle Payne  
Annalyn Paz  
Charles Peart  
Amy & Ana Peraza-Kroeger  
Leonard Perlmutter  
Donna Perry  
Hilary Grace Perry  
Diane Peterson  
Dana Phillips  
Denise Pierce  
Chris Plum  
Jody Porrazzo, PhD  
Jim Pospisil  
Samantha Pratt  
Kathleen Prentiss  
Barb Prillaman  
Vanessa Propetto  
Terri Prosser  
Katrina Purdy  
Laurel Rabschultz & Paul Pribula  
Justin & Kate Rahn  
J.C. Randolph & Mary Broiher  
Andrea Raucci  
Karen Reed-Wright  
Kimberly K. Reese  
Melanie Regnier  
Stacey Reid  
Joel & Mary Rich  
John Rihl  
Aleida Rios  
Valerie Ritchie  
Marcy Riviezzo  
Beverlee Roberts  
Kelly S. Roberts  
Deb Robinson  
Mariella Robles  
LuLu Rodriguez  
Larry & Alisa Roe  
Heather Rose  
Louise Rosenberg  
Ronda Rosenberg

Arlene Rosendahl  
Pamela Rubio  
Diane Runyon  
Christina Rutland  
Lisa Sarruda  
Schlagel Family  
Lynn Schlessler  
Mary Scholten  
Robyn Schuchardt  
Carol Schultz & Julia Cambria  
Jeffrey Scott  
Linda Seales  
Robin Seaman Grenier  
Pat Seawell  
Joan Seibenick  
Cynthia Seibert  
Beth Sell  
Janey Shaddrick  
Robert Shickora  
Jeffrey Shipko  
Parmela Shonk  
Daniel Sibila  
Deborah Sikora  
Terri Simmons  
Joseph Simone  
Heather Skall  
Marcia Smilanich  
Beverly Smith  
Christie Smith  
James Smith  
Sylvia Smith  
Vickie Smith  
Rose Smolka  
Brenda Soares  
Lonnie Specht  
Amy Spetsios  
Dylan Spradlin  
Chadron Stalkfleet  
Rebecca Stanevich  
Gina Stanford  
Sam Starks  
Lisa Steele  
Carl Steiling  
Laurie Sten  
Glen & Amy Stevens  
Jennifer Stewart  
Susan Stiffler  
Vic & Candi Strunk  
Sarah Stuary  
Sandra Stultz  
Scott Sullivan  
Lisa Sutton  
Elaine Sylvain-Riddle  
Amanda Szymanski  
Greg & Johanna Szynskie  
Dottie Tackett  
Georgina Taraschke  
Joy Tarter  
Sheila Tatman  
Terry & Sara Temple

Timothy Tepatti  
Diane Thomas  
Amy Thompson  
Kristine Tidrick  
Sandra Tischer  
Ellen Tobey Damron  
Donna & Keith Tong  
Tokarz Family  
Jacqueline Touba  
Nancy Tropple  
Krisy Turi  
Carrie Turner  
Beth Underwood  
Paul Van Anda  
Wendy Van Guilder  
Beth Van Horn  
Julie Van Tassel  
Jennie Van Tuyl  
Julie Vanderlouw  
Michael Vanek  
George Vasilow  
Billy L. Vice, Jr.  
Robin Vincent  
Jack Voller  
Larry Volovski  
Marie Vore  
Jeannette Voss  
Robert Wagner  
Bradley Walker  
Danielle Warchol  
Everett Ward  
Hannah Warren  
Irene Warren  
Joy Warren  
Gabrielle Warriner  
Col. Jim Wasson, USA Ret.  
Lyvon Watt  
Chevonne Way  
Katherine Weaver-Klein  
Laura Webb  
Kathy Weber  
TR Weerts  
Melinda Wells  
Taryn Wenk  
Jess & Matt Weners  
Meghan Westphal  
Kathleen Whitlock  
Barbara E. Whitney  
Alyssa Wiede  
Williams Family  
Theodore Williams  
Nila Williamson  
Laura Willingham  
Jean & Barry Wilson  
Jesse, Kelsie & Max Winegar  
Carol Winnert  
MaryElizabeth Winters  
Pamela Womeldorf  
Lillian Wong  
Kathy Wortham

Joseph Wurcherer  
Danielle Yost  
Flip & Garry Young  
Eugene & Patricia Youngquist  
Adam & Claire Zangerle  
John & Patricia Zangerle  
Marylou & Dan Zimmerman  
Donna Zink  
Lisa Zobrist & Paul Vittimberga  
Cecile & Harry Zohn  
Tanya Zvonchenko  
Bob & Heidi  
Charliebee  
Finbarr & Seamus  
Kyburz  
Toby, Bella & Otis  
Yogi

#### **Kennel Donors**

Bama Bears Newfoundlands  
Beach Bear Newfoundlands  
Capriccio Farms  
HighSeas Newfoundlands  
Ginny & the Turftide Newfs

#### **Club Support**

Gateway Tracking Club  
Genesee Region Newfoundland Club  
Heart of America Newfoundland Club  
High Country Newfoundland Club  
Misfits Newfoundland Dog Training Group  
Newfoundland Club of Seattle  
Penn-Ohio Newfoundland Club  
Saturday K9 Nose Work  
Shorewood Cocker Rescue, Inc.  
Westminster Kennel Club

#### **Special Campaigns**

Janet Cain Ornament fundraiser  
Ohio Mystery Dinner  
Pumpkins for Pups

#### **Corporate Sponsors**

AbbVie  
Ameriprise  
Arena Platform, Inc.  
BarkBox  
Camp Gomez WV  
City National Bank  
Costco Wholesale Corporation  
Duke Energy  
Frontstream  
Gone To The Dogs  
Intel Involved Matching Grant  
Jackson National Life Insurance Co.  
Jose's Landing

Karpus Family Foundation  
Lumen Corp.  
Nancy Allison-Perkins Foundation  
Parkersburg Area Community Foundation  
Purina Pro Club  
River Forest Fire Department  
Salesforce  
That Newfoundland Place  
Thelma Perlmutter Trust  
UK Foundation  
VMware Foundation  
Xcel Energy Foundation  
Yoga for Pups

#### **Affiliate Supporters**

Amazon Associates  
eBay® Give at Checkout  
HubPages  
Network for Good  
Newfoundland Coffee Co.  
Paypal® Give at Checkout  
Spreadshirt commissions

#### **Facebook Birthday Campaigns**

Lynne Anderson  
Charles Arlington Jr  
Wendy Lynn Aubert  
Amber Balsinger  
Vron Breach  
Kari Brekke  
Susan Carnes Garrett  
Staci Castonguay  
Annie Dean  
Steve Gunther  
Marjie Higgins Odle  
Chuck Holtzen  
Raven Jamal  
Lydia Klein  
Mary Margaret  
Anna Catherine McClintock  
Alyson Mott Kaufman  
Michelle Murphy Uplinger  
Marina Nemik  
Kelly Roberts  
Georgia Ryan  
Jennie Van Tuyl

#### **Legacy Gifts**

Roger Frey Estate  
Katherine Payne Estate  
Donna Stahelin Estate

# How To Help

## eBay™ Giving Works

Increase Sales by Supporting NCA Charities DYK: Items that benefit charity may sell faster, even at a premium price? Donate 10% or more and your item will feature an attention-grabbing charity ribbon—it may even be listed in the Charity Shop. Plus, you reduce your seller fees and enjoy tax savings. Get started today: <https://www.charity.ebay.com/charity/i/Newfoundland-Club-of-America-Charitable-Trust/33212>

## Workplace Giving

Donate to NCA Charities through your employer's giving campaigns in the fall, and watch the tremendous impact your payroll-deduction gifts have on the lives of Newfoundlands throughout the year. Designate Federal ID 06-1500326. Giving smaller amounts through regular payroll deductions allows you to make a larger impact overall for Newfoundlands in need.

## Monthly Donors

Did you know that monthly giving is an incredibly efficient way to support NCA Charities? Monthly gifts provide a consistent, reliable income stream, allowing us to focus more resources on our lifesaving programs, and less on raising the necessary funds. It's easy to budget and it feels great to be making a difference for Newfs every month of the year. [www.ncacharities.org/donatemonthly.html](http://www.ncacharities.org/donatemonthly.html)

## Legacy Gifts

One of the constants in the NCA Charitable Trust's success story is that those who believe in the mission of the Trust support it financially and make it part of their legacy. From its earliest days, the NCA Charitable Trust needed private support to fund vital Health Research and assist rescued Newfoundland in need. Get started today: [www.ncacharities.org/bequests.html](http://www.ncacharities.org/bequests.html)

## Logo Shopping

Wear your support of NCA Charities with apparel and drinkware featuring Newfoundland Health Challenge and NCA National Rescue Network Logos in a variety of styles and colors. <http://nca-charities.myspreadshop.com>

## Purina™ Pro Club

Pro Club members submit receipts and invoices from bags of participating Purina® Brand Dog Foods and accumulate points as part of the Pro Club Program. (Refer to Purina Pro Club Program for the program details). Purina tracks these submissions, and for every \$100 of qualifying points earned by Pro Club members, Purina donates \$10 to the participating national parent breed club.

### THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT OF NEWFOUNDLAND DOGS.

Donations to the NCA Charitable Trust are gratefully accepted and will be acknowledged in *Newf Tide* or will remain anonymous. Donations to the NCA Charitable Trust 501(c) (3) Fed. ID 06-1500326 are income tax deductible. Donations may be eligible for corporate matching gifts programs. Please contact your employer or pension provider for more information.

Donation From:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Acknowledgement:

In Memoriam (person or Newf): \_\_\_\_\_

In Honor Of (person or Newf): \_\_\_\_\_

Tribute of Thanks: \_\_\_\_\_

Address For Acknowledgement: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Donation for:

- NCA National Rescue Network
- NCA Newfoundland Health Challenge
- Charitable Trust Endowment Fund
- Junior Scholarship Fund
- Newfoundland Education Fund
- Area of Greatest Need

YOUR GIFT  
THEIR FUTURE



Please send completed form along with your check to:  
NCA Charitable Trust c/o Mary L. Price  
1004 State Rd 78, Mt Horeb,WI 53572-3044

To donate via credit card, please visit: [www.ncacharities.org/donate.html](http://www.ncacharities.org/donate.html)

## Management Board

# YOUR GIFT THEIR FUTURE



Clyde Dunphy, DVM  
Lori Littleford  
Mary Lou Cuddy  
Mary L. Price  
Mary Jane Spackman  
Denise Hatekayma  
John Cornell  
Christopher Plum  
Roger Powell

*Photo Credits:*

cover, p. 5 Shauna Bryant  
p. 2 Marie Acosta  
p. 7 & 8 Karrie Cook