

# Golden Moments

August 2010



## Lucy's Lucky Day

It would be an understatement to say that May 21<sup>st</sup> of this year was the most adventurous (and LUCKY) day of Lucy's young life. One morning Lucy was taken for a ride by her owners (illegally, loose in the back of a pickup truck) who had definite and deadly plans for her. They were on a very busy four lane road during rush hour and all of a sudden, the person in the back of the truck picked Lucy up, threw her deliberately down into the road and the truck sped away. That was certainly her bad luck. Her good luck however was that fortunately for Lucy, the person in the car directly behind the truck saw this all happen. He came to a screeching halt, got out and grabbed Lucy, and got her safely into his car. He was the true definition of a Good Samaritan since it is almost certain that this precious little puppy would have been hit, and quite probably killed by a speeding car. He then took her to the nearest vet to make sure she was OK. Again, as Lucy's good luck would have it, that vet is one that GRRCC uses frequently and so they immediately contacted us. Our Intake Coordinator rushed over and Lucy quickly became an official GRRCC dog. The Good Samaritan that brought her in was unable to stay so we weren't even able to thank him. Whoever you are... you have our (and certainly Lucy's) most heartfelt gratitude!



Lucy was pronounced to be a perfectly healthy, 10 week old Golden Retriever puppy... full of kisses and puppy breath, and went immediately into a loving foster home where she began working on learning all the good stuff that puppies need to know. Soon we were contacted by Gene and Tracey Horton, who have adopted from us twice before, and had recently lost their senior Golden to cancer. They, and their lovely young Flat Coated Retriever, Edgar, desperately wanted to hear the pitter-patter of Golden feet around the house again. Although they had originally been interested in a slightly older dog, one look at Lucy's pictures, and they were hooked. The transition from having a senior Golden to whirling dervish puppy Golden was not without its challenges. This was especially true because it was obvious that Lucy, over and above her near death experience, had not been treated kindly by people in even the few short weeks of her life. Fortunately the resilient nature of a Golden Retriever combined with the Horton's patience and sense of humor 'ruled the day' and Lucy is now bringing a smile to everyone's face (and considerable slobber to Edgar's ears!). Welcome to your new and wonderful world Lucy... May 21<sup>st</sup> may not have been the day you were born but it was most assuredly the day your real life began!

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### From The Hortons:

Our newly adopted 5 month old Golden Retriever goes by several names. Sometimes we call her "Buttercup," sometimes we call her "Trouble," but most of the time she just goes by "Lucy." Lucy has been with us now for 2 months. She is the youngest dog we have ever adopted. We thought we knew what "puppy" meant before we adopted Lucy. We thought we knew all of the ins and outs of making our house "puppy proof." We thought that it would be easy to keep her out of trouble since there is always someone at the house. We were wrong. Lucy is definitely her own dog: willful, intelligent, and curious. There have been quite a few days when I find myself having to work to out-think her. There are times when I can't believe she tried to eat THAT (rock or stick or frog or piece of paper). But Lucy is more than this; she is sweet and gentle and funny. When I am talking to her, she will usually cock her head to one side and look at me with those huge, brown, Golden Retriever eyes and it's as if she understands every word. In those moments it's easy to see the kind of dog she is growing into. I know that she will be devoted beyond measure, that she will continue to make me laugh until I cry, and that she will comfort me if I am already crying. She can't help but be that way. She's a Golden Retriever. For every prank she pulls it's easy to see that all she really wants is our attention and our love. And loving Lucy...well, that's the easy part.

Lucy is the third chapter in the nine year story of our relationship with GRRCC. My first adoption was Tyler, a 'special needs' Golden that I adopted in the spring of 2002. I have never encountered another living being that had so much love and tenacity for life, so much boundless love and joy to share. He was my hero. Tyler was born with a lot of physical problems; he was just a train wreck of a dog. Every day with Tyler was a gift. He had inverted eyelids, was missing a disk in his back, had been hit by a car and, after adopting him, we found out he had a liver shunt. Tyler was one of the first dogs in the United States to have an experimental procedure for this liver shunt. He lived 4 ½ years and died on Nov. 24<sup>th</sup>, 2004, two weeks before my wedding. It was almost like he had been waiting to make sure I would not be left alone before he allowed himself to rest. He lived three years longer than any vet first thought possible. There will never be another soul like Tyler. His life was – simply – a miracle.

On Feb. 21<sup>st</sup>, 2005, my husband and I adopted Ben. Like Tyler, he was a beautiful copper red and he was 4 ½ years old. Ben was surrendered for adoption by a family that had taken very good care of him, but that had grown tired of him running away all of the time. The day we picked him up from his foster mom's house was like something from a fairy tale. We walked into the living room, Ben saw us, and he raced across the room and literally threw himself into my arms. His foster mother couldn't believe it. She said he had never acted that way around strangers. It was like Ben just knew. About a year after we adopted him I became ill. Ben spent the rest of his days by my side. He slept next to me, his head upon my pillow, almost every night. He gave me more comfort and companionship than a person would have been able to offer. And, just like a Golden, he did so with ease and joy. A little over three months ago we took Ben to the vet because he wouldn't eat. They found a large liver tumor. There was nothing they could do. One day I was playing ball with him in the back yard. Four days later, on April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2010, he died. There will never be another soul like Ben. He was my best friend and I miss him dearly.

Each Golden we have adopted has been unique and amazing. With each one we have learned, loved, and cried more than we ever thought possible. We will always be grateful to GRRCC for giving us the chance to invite so much happiness and meaning into our lives.



Dunk Your Dog Day 2010 was a splashing success, with 95 dogs playing in the pond at Wickersham's K-9 Ranch

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## Congratulations to Our Adopted Dogs and Their Forever Families!

Phoebe	8 yr	5/10/10	Mike & Wyllyn Doherty
Killian (now King)	3 yr	5/22/10	Saul & Jessie Hyman
Molly	5 ½ yr	5/22/10	Tony & Cindy Simpson
Max	8 ½ yr	5/28/10	Jerry & Paula Goldschein
Millie (now Lucy)	10 wk	6/4/10	Gene & Tracey Horton
Shadow	6 ½ yr	6/8/10	Susan Anderson & De Weaver
Maya	3-4 yr	6/11/10	Karen Schweiker
Nala	5 yr	6/15/10	Tracey Delahunt
Spencer (now Mulligan)	4 mo	6/17/10	Peter & Betsy Eberhardt
Ruby	9 yr	6/22/10	Carolyn Powell
Joey	5 yr	6/27/10	David Lawson & Miranda Rittenberg
Lacy	1 yr	6/29/10	Brian & Mary Anderson
Oscar (now Sullivan)	5 yr	7/10/10	Randy & Jennifer Graham
Teddy	8-10 mo	7/11/10	Ron & Cathy Hart
Sophie	1 ½ yr	7/15/10	Michelle Darrington & Kelly Rogers
Carson	1 ½ - 2 yr	7/16/10	Peter Clement & Jane Abel
Buddy	5 ½ yr	7/27/10	Stan & Anita Grey
Jax	6 yr	7/31/10	Lesa & Kevin Babb

## Tough Times for Golden Rescue

As the President of GRRCC, I receive copies of all the emails from the Presidents of Golden rescue organizations nationwide to the National Rescue Committee on a Yahoo group blog. The latest conversations have been about the economy and how many of the rescue groups have been inundated with senior Golden's surrendered to them by individuals and families who could no longer afford to keep up with the basic necessities of food and medical care for their beloved pet. While we have had a good share of senior surrenders, so far we have been able to accommodate all of the intakes because we have a wonderful group of adoptive families who are willing to take a senior into their home. In fact, we have some real "angels" out there who will only adopt senior Golden's, knowing that it may be difficult to place them. I want to thank the adoptive parents of all our beautiful Golden's, but give a high 5 shout-out to the senior adopters.

Unfortunately, some rescue groups have shut their doors because of financial difficulties from the increasing cost of rescue and the lack of funds to keep them afloat. I feel for the volunteers who have worked so diligently for many years, but mostly for the Golden's who may not be rescued. That is another reason why I am so thankful to all of you at GRRCC.

We are more than halfway through the year and all of our wonderful volunteers have been busy in 2010, although the number of intakes is a little less than last year. We have had quite a good year with fund-raising, but know that all it will take to deplete a good amount of funds would be half a dozen Golden's with some major surgery requirements. With regard to fund-raising, the final numbers are in for our annual golf tournament and we netted \$7300 this year. Hooray to Dick Griffin and all the volunteers mentioned in the last newsletter. Thanks also to our sponsors and golfers. Way to go, ladies and gentlemen.

We are investigating several options for new committees in the club and we continue to look for volunteers. We have a major need in the rescue process – from intake to fostering to adoption - and ask you to consider volunteering there, as it is the lifeblood of GRRCC. For further information, please check our web site volunteer page or contact our vice-president Jill Santuccio at [Jill@grrcc.com](mailto:Jill@grrcc.com) (704-361-8896). As always, we are in desperate need of foster homes: even if for only an overnight, a weekend or one week. Please consider helping.

Sincerely,  
Gene Fitzpatrick

## How I Got Involved with GRRCC

I first got involved with Golden Retriever rescue about 14 years ago when we lived in Alabama. I met a volunteer with Tennessee Valley Golden Retriever Rescue in our town, and since my husband, Mike, and I had owned Golden Retrievers for years, I felt compelled to become a foster parent for this wonderful breed. My first foster dog was a puppy named Ben, and he had a rather nasty injury that required lots of attention from both our vet and me. Ben was an “old soul” and was a very easy foster, despite his young age. He got along wonderfully with our dogs, cats, and kids. When Ben was finally healthy enough to leave our home and move into his forever home, I cried for three days. Mike was quite distressed by this and wondered if fostering was really my “calling.” I told him I knew I could do it, and that surely letting the second foster dog go wouldn’t be as difficult as the first. Turns out I was right – sort of.

During my years of fostering, I’ve had lots of dogs come into my life for brief periods of time. Each one has been special and has taken a little piece of my heart when he/she moves on. But the happiness I’ve felt watching each dog become part of a new family far outweighs the sadness I’ve felt at the parting. So, when Mike’s job brought us to the Charlotte area eight years ago, it was only natural that I would seek out another Golden Retriever rescue organization and offer to volunteer. I was welcomed with open arms by several GRRCC “old timers,” and it’s been pretty much non-stop since then.

I took on the job of Intake Coordinator approximately four years ago, and the work has been daunting. Seems there are always more Golden Retrievers that need GRRCC’s help, especially in the past year and a half or so. So many people have been forced by these difficult economic times to give up their dogs, and it saddens all of us who work to take the dogs into GRRCC. But we are so fortunate to have wonderful individuals and families apply to adopt our dogs, and to have wonderful people who support our club financially and with their time! We continue to find excellent, loving homes for our dogs, and that makes all the hard work worthwhile.



Wylyn at Dunk Your Dog Day

I couldn’t do what I do without the support of my husband and the friendship and good humor of Bodee Corby, our Adoption Coordinator. She and I frequently finish each other’s sentences when talking on the phone (almost every night) about this dog or that applicant or how to get a dog from Point A to Point B. The other GRRCC board members work tirelessly to keep the club afloat by handling the “business end” of things, and Bodee and I handle the “dog end” of things. It’s immensely gratifying, and it brings me great joy, along with lots of hard work. We are always searching for more people who can help us as we struggle to provide for these needy dogs. If you can help, please let us know. All of us are capable of doing something – no matter how small – to help.

Mike and I have been lucky enough to adopt three wonderful GRRCC dogs. Our lives are enriched every day (and our house is made fuzzier) by Clancy and Phoebe, our wonderful Golden Retrievers. And our token “mutt,” Coal, is also a GRRCC dog. (We tell him he is a Carolina Mountain Spaniel, and that makes him feel special.) Three German Shepherd Dogs round out our pack of six, and our four cats live under the certain knowledge that they are actually the ones in control.

I think that, for better or for worse, rescue is “in my blood.” Thanks to each and every one of you reading this newsletter – board members, volunteers, adoptive parents, and club members – for loving dogs as I do. Surely there’s no better way to spend one’s time than with a dog.



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## It's Time for the Fall Tennis Ball Raffle and Picnic!

Our annual Tennis Ball Raffle (and picnic!) will be held on **Saturday, October 9, 2010 from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m.** Again this year, top prize will be \$1,000 cash, second prize will be \$500 cash, and third prize will be \$250 cash.

Our goal is to raise lots of money for our foster and medical needs, so we hope you will join us, or at the very least buy (and help sell) some tickets! This year we will be hosted again by David Grindstaff and his wife Dr. Lisa Shaw at Continental Boarding just off I-485 and Rt.49 (York Road) in southwest Mecklenburg County - a spacious facility where our goldens will be able to frolic and play off-leash (but not unsupervised by their owners)!

Barbecue lunches, including award-winning pulled pork and barbecue chicken with sides of baked beans, potato salad and cole slaw, for \$10 per person, will be provided by Q2U BBQ of Lake Wylie. Lunch will be served at noon and may sell out quickly, so be sure to let us know if you will be dining with us! We will have contests (things such as Fluffiest Tail, Biggest Dog, Darkest Coat, Lightest Coat, Curliest Coat, Most Enthusiastic Kisser, Craziest Trick, Oldest Dog, etc.) games, obedience and training opportunities.



Meanwhile, you can help the most by selling raffle tickets and promoting the event to all of your Golden-loving friends. We also need hundreds of tennis balls, and would appreciate any contributions – as well as volunteers that day to help us on site.

**To buy or sell tickets, or volunteer to help with the event, please contact Jill Santuccio (704-361-8896 or [jill@grcc.com](mailto:jill@grcc.com)).** Continental Boarding is located at 2235 Township Road, Charlotte, NC 28273. Please stay tuned to our web site, [www.grcc.com](http://www.grcc.com) for details.

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We would particularly like to mention Billy Bronson of Curatio Rehabilitation. Not only did they sponsor a hole, they provided two 5-packs of 1-hour massages, gift bags for all participants and had a masseur on hand for 2 hours on the course. Special thanks to Shari Martin and Natalie Armstrong for obtaining donations and sponsorships.

Gene Fitzpatrick & Dick Griffin

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**Travis Anderson, Ebby Ferrell/Cannon, Hudson Nixon, Penny Pulver, Jesse Truesdale, and Katie Lynn Wharton**

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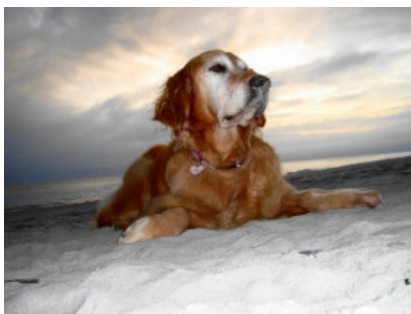
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