



# Charlie's Place Monthly Chat 🐾

Clear Creek/Gilpin County Animal Shelter

"Dedicated to saving the lives of companion animals"

February 2017

## ~ Highlights ~

- 🐾 Hiking With a Shelter Dog!
- 🐾 Success Story: Maverick Gets a Home

## ~ Monthly Activity ~

Activity	Total
Dogs received	21
Dogs adopted	12
Dogs returned to owners	11
Cats received:	7
Cats adopted:	1
Volunteer hours:	290

## ~ Community Support ~



Girls Rowan, Willow, Josie, and Kylie made a couple of "snuffle mats" for the shelter dogs and cats.

The snuffle mat hold food and treats hidden between strips of fleece. They help to engage the animals' minds as they search for the edibles. Thanks, girls!

## ~ Upcoming Events ~

**2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Da Rivuh Texas Hold 'Em Charity Poker Tournament** – Da Rivuh Fish & BBQ Company, Friday, March 10, Bingo 5-6 pm, Poker Tournament 7:00 pm.

**Rock the Shelter** – Elks Lodge, Central City, Saturday, April 29, 6:00 – 10:00 pm.

**2017 Canine on the Creek 5K Run/Walk** – Charlie's Place, Saturday, May 13 at 10:30 am - 1:30 pm.

The shelter is located at:  
500 West Dumont Road, Dumont CO 80436  
Phone: 303-679-2477  
Open 12 p.m. – 4:30 p.m., Wed-Sun.

Check out our website at  
[www.charliesplaceshelter.org](http://www.charliesplaceshelter.org)  
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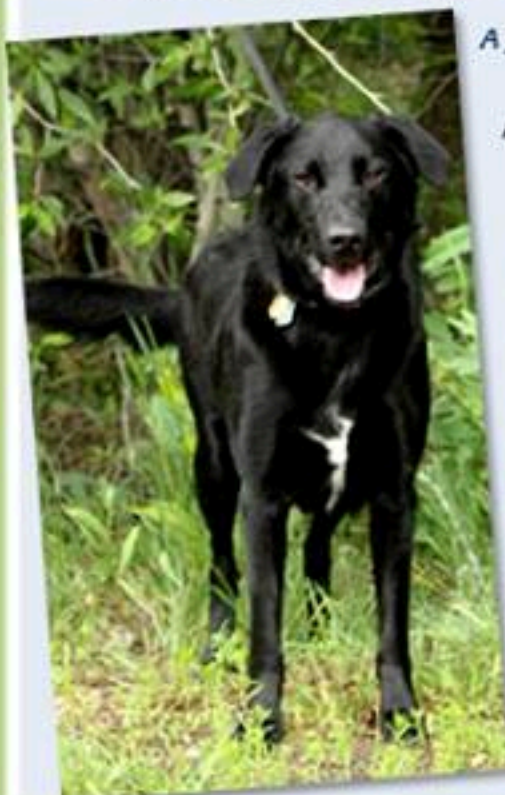
## Hiking With a Shelter Dog!



Blue skies and spring-like weather was perfect for our "Hike With a Shelter Dog Program" this month. Both the hikers and the dogs really enjoyed getting out for some exercise and socializing. The hikes take place the third Monday of every month. Come join us for the next hike on March 20<sup>th</sup>.

## Success Story

### A forever home and new sister for Maverick!



*A foster home can make all the difference...*

After months of being fostered by Jack and Marilyn Broughton, Maverick found his forever home. He will be living with Daisy, a Golden Retriever, in Centennial. From a difficult start at the shelter to an awesome foster home, and now his forever home!

(left) Maverick when he first came to Charlie's Place; (right) Maverick's new parent, Marilyn and Jack Broughton, Daisy and Maverick.

