



Freedom Tails

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WE'RE BAAAAAEEEEEEKKKK!!!

After a seemingly long 4 month hiatus, Freedom Tails is back! We would like to introduce you to and welcome our new Administrators of the program - **Harbor Association of Volunteers for Animals** – or, **HAVA** for short. HAVA is an all-volunteer group based in Raymond, WA, with the philosophy that “A shelter is a safe haven – **not** a last stop before death.” HAVA has been involved with Freedom Tails over the past few years, donating many dogs to the program. It was founded in Westport, Washington, by Shirley Brown, and operated for many years with a dedicated crew of volunteers. Following Shirley's retirement, HAVA went into a brief period of diminished activity. With the help of loving hearts old and new, the group was re-formed and has volunteers in Westport, Grayland, Tokeland, Raymond, South Bend, Menlo, Bay Center and other communities. Their volunteer base will now grow due to their involvement with Freedom Tails! Their website will soon be boasting our newsletters, and right now has many links to articles, blogs, and other Freedom Tails media.

Our first batch of dogs is due in soon, so keep your eyes open for those furry pups!

Visit <http://www.hava-heart.org/freedom-tails> to check HAVA out!

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Freedom Tails thanks all of you - from adopters and handlers, to volunteers and shelters - for supporting Freedom Tails and helping to give all of our dogs a new home and a second chance in life! Now let's get started again!!

New Paintings in H2 – H3's Next Issue!



Dean Royer, one of the handlers in the program also does some of the leather tooling on the collars and leashes that are for sale. Here he shows yet another talent!



Jeremiah Gilbert, another offender in H2 shows off his artistic skills – Bassets before and after! Below, Gilbert stands by another one of his.

