WHO ARE WE?

Frankie and Andy's Place is a very special kind of a place, where miracles happen and dreams come true...We take kind and loving senior dogs who have been dumped at kill shelters by their families, or abused or, in some cases, tied up and left behind when owners have moved.... and we give them the forever home that they always dreamed of.



A cozy cabin nestled in an idyllic woodland setting just outside of Winder, GA, Frankie and Andy's Place is temperature controlled and luxuriously furnished with comfy couches and squashy dog beds. The dogs eat a top quality diet including fresh home cooked food every day and have the best available veterinary care.

The cabin is staffed by a small group of part time individuals who dispense loving care and the dogs daily food and medical requirements in a gentle and loving fashion. At all other times, we have a whole host of kind hearted volunteers who take care of the dogs social needs including community visits, walks, playtime, grooming and petting. This level of care ensures that the dogs are drenched enough in love and kindness to be able to give a little of it away, and that's the most awesome part of what we do...

WHAT WE DO

Our motto is HELPING HANDS, HEALING PAWS...

That's because these wonderful, kind hearted, gentle old souls then go out into the community to help heal hearts and change lives.

Our small band of volunteers take our Frankie and Andy's Place dogs to Senior Centers locally so that the dogs can provide those who are no longer deemed able to have pets, a chance to reconnect with a gentle creature. The dogs are hand picked to provide a calm unthreatening presence around old people; they readily allow themselves to be used for touch therapy, petting or just the joy of holding a dog again.

The dogs also go to local schools to help educate schoolchildren on the responsibilities of pet ownership and how to correctly interact with dogs, to safeguard against bite incidences. The children are practically taught how to greet, touch and take care of dogs, and also to be vigilant for animal abuse in their neighborhoods. Encouraging children to tell a responsible adult that they know well, when they see an animal chained up or being starved has an immense impact not just on that dog and that child, but also on communities as a whole.

The dogs also visit adult daycare centers, where they visit those whose carers need respite for the day, and offer company, a chance to chat and laugh with our friendly volunteers and some much needed physical comfort for those who are wheelchair bound or incapacitated.

HOW ARE WE FUNDED?

Frankie and Andy's Place is funded by donations from dog lovers just like you. People who think it's appalling to take a dog that has given best years in service to his family, and then dump him when he needs help the most.... in his senior years.

We host events to raise funds to pay for the dogs accommodations and for their care, and we rely on people just like you to support us and to spread the word about the work we are doing.

We are very proud to have been awarded gold status by 'Guide Star', who monitor operational integrity of non profits all over the nation, due to the complete transparency of our operations and the way we handle ourselves financially.

We also have been selected as a top non-profit by 'Great Non Profits'.

This means that every dollar you donate to Frankie and Andy's Place is going exactly where you want it to go...to the care and upkeep of these wonderful dogs, and the work they do in our community. There are no fat cat salaries, no perks for board members.... it's all about the dogs.

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ARE VISITORS ALLOWED TO COME TO THE CABIN?

We actively encourage visitors to come and meet with us so that can schedule time to enjoy the peace and solitude of the cabin. We are totally non judgmental in our approach, however we do require every visitor to spend orientation time with us so that they can know how to handle these senior dogs appropriately. Some need to be handled with care, some have physical issues of their own, so it's important that we do this with everyone. We also require visits to be scheduled with our volunteer coordinator so that anyone needing quiet time up at the cabin will not be interrupted, and also so that the property residents know when there will be cabin visitors, and when there won't.

Since our inception in spring 2016, we have had many visitors to the cabin tell us that the gentle nature of our seniors has been life changing. They are able to spend time-sharing their troubles or just having companionable silence with a loving creature whose only purpose is to be there, to listen...and to love.



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Frankie and Andy's Place is a unique combination of senior dog shelter and emotional healing center for troubled humans. A beautiful log cabin, nestled in a picturesque Barrow County woodland setting, Frankie and Andy's Place is home to a small number of gentle, loving senior dogs who have been cast aside by their humans and yet who still have many valuable gifts to share..... These gifts of sympathy, time, reassurance and unconditional love are then shared with troubled humans in an atmosphere of calm and acceptance to help them mend.

Frankie and Andy's Place ... a healing collaboration between man and his best friend.



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