Jan 7, 2019

Dear Potential Donor,

Who let the dogs out? Cindy did! Cindy made her way to the rainbow bridge around 3:45 PM on Monday, October 5, 2015 to pick up Roxy, Diesel, Jersey, Gidget, Brownie, Tiger, Tweetie, Max, and Kristie so that they could walk the path to heaven together. She loved on every animal that she came across, even snapping turtles.



Cindy's journey to heaven was a peaceful one, as she was surrounded by family loving on her until her last breath. She is survived by her parents, her furry children, sisters, brother-in-laws, nieces, nephew, and many beloved aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends. She is preceded in death by her grandparents, and many of her fur children.

She was proud graduate of South Allegheny High School, who later went on to earn her Bachelor's Degree in Human Resources from Point Park University. She was a generous, brutally honest, and loving daughter, sister, and aunt who excelled at growing the most beautiful gardens, cutting the ham and turkey just right, reenacting scenes from movies, and out singing and dancing everyone. She put her heart into making the best meals for her family, her passion into standing up for all animals, and all her love for her family and friends. Cindy is remembered through many scents, songs, days at the pool and beach, walks on the trail, concerts, gardens, and so much more!

## Please join us in celebrating Cindy's life by contributing to a memorial dog park in honor of her!

Why A Dog Park? Cindy wasn't just an animal lover. She was an animal rescuer, a volunteer transporter, a volunteer dog walker, an advocate...someone who gave so unselfishly of her time, talent, and money to many animal shelters, rescue organizations, and advocacy groups. We want to honor Cindy's memory and keep her legacy and love for animals and the environment alive for many years to come. Our first step in doing so is through the planning and installation of a dog park in a community where it would be welcomed and well used. After the completion of the dog park, we hope to continue doing projects that benefit rescue and shelter animals/organizations. So far, we've raised \$55,000 and we need to raise an additional \$5,000 before spring so that we open the dog park this summer!

**Donation Request:** We have our 3<sup>rd</sup> annual Casino Night fundraiser coming up on Saturday, March 2, 2019 and we need your support! The event we will have hourly door prizes, a basket raffle, 50/50, wheels, roulette, black jack, buffet, drinks, and so much more! We are **currently seeking large ticket items**, **baskets**, **and gift cards** for the door prizes and basket raffle, **food items and grocery store gift cards** for the buffet, **\$100 cash/check donations for game sponsors**, and **\$50 cash/check donations for table sponsors**. Please consider making a donation to help us get closer to achieving our goal! Your donation will help us to raise the funds needed for a dog park so that we can ensure that Cindy's legacy lives on. **All donations will need to be received by February 15, 2019**.

We thank you in advance for your consideration of becoming a donor. Please contact Holly Turkovic by email (<a href="https://holly.mcgraw@gmail.com">holly.mcgraw@gmail.com</a>) or phone (412-715-9451) if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Holly M. Turkovic

Donations should be sent to the address provided below. All checks should be made out to the Boro of Port Vue with Cindy's Memorial Bark Park written in the subject line.

> Mail to: Borough of Port Vue c/o Cindy's Memorial Bark Park 1191 Romine Avenue Port Vue, PA 15133 Attn: Holly Turkovic

Committee Members in Honor of Cynthia L. McGraw-Davic