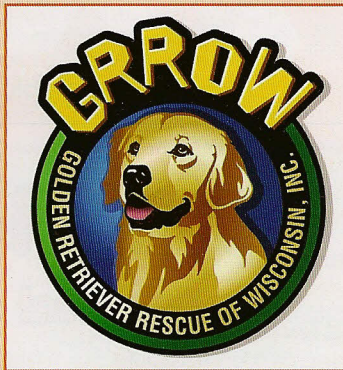


WARM FUZZIE SALUTE!

Organization: Golden Retriever Rescue of WI Inc.

(GRRoW) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that has rescued more than 1,750 Golden Retrievers since its May 2000 inception. GRRoW is the oldest statewide, all volunteer, non-profit rescue dedicated to helping unwanted, abandoned or surrendered Goldens find forever homes.



GRRoW functions entirely through the work of its volunteer board of directors, coordinators, coordinator assistants, clerical support and volunteers (all positions are un-paid). Volunteers of GRRoW encourage and promote responsible dog ownership and strive to reduce the abuse and neglect of all Golden Retrievers through rehabilitation and adoption. GRRoW volunteers promote responsible dog ownership; proper health, spay/neutering, nutrition, training and good canine citizenship.

In 2009, GRRoW rescued and served 165 Golden Retrievers. Preliminary veterinary expenses total \$94,367; therefore, the average cost per GRRoW dog in 2009 was \$571.

GRRoW relies on donations, fundraisers and the sale of merchandise to cover the cost of each Golden in its care. Merchandise is sold through GRRoW's web site and also at pet expos and meet-and-greets. An excellent upcoming event in Madison on April 10-11, is an education workshop with dog behavior consultant and pet trainer Sarah Kalnajs from Blue Dog Training & Behavior LLC.

Other events include:

Pet Wellness Expo in Burlington on April 17

Canines and Coffee in Madison on April 17

GRRoW's largest annual fundraiser is the Tails on Trails Dog Walk. This year it is Oct. 23, at Lapham Peak State Park in Delafield.

For information on volunteering, adopting, donating and/or surrendering a Golden Retriever to GRRoW, visit www.grow.org or call 1-888-655-4753.

Send your nominations to:

Warm Fuzzy
Mounds Pet Food Warehouse
2422 Montana Ave.
Sun Prairie, WI 53590
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Fax: (608) 825-4800

Selected Nominees receive:

- \$100 Mounds gift certificate for their organization
- Profile and Picture in Mounds Newsletter and Website (www.moundspet.com)
- Profile featured on 105.5 MMM