

Easy Ways to Help the Hounds

Every retired racer deserves a couch (or at least a cushy dog bed) of his or her very own. Here are some of the ways you can support NLGA's adoption efforts.

1. Become an NLGA sponsor. You will receive a nifty decal for your car and a discount on all NLGA logo merchandise.
2. Foster a hound. Even a day or two spent in a home environment helps a newly retired racer's chances of being adopted quickly.
3. When you shop online, start at www.nlga-mn.com. Click the iGive.com logo at the top of the shopping page to register. When you make a purchase from any of the hundreds of online stores in iGive's list, NLGA will receive a percentage of the amount you spend. NLGA will also receive a donation each time you use the iSearchiGive.com search engine. Download the iGive toolbar to make future purchases and searches even easier and earn money for NLGA just for surfing!
4. Set up a monthly donation to NLGA through Network for Good (www.networkforgood.org). Automatic donations are painless, and they are tax deductible.
5. To sponsor an individual greyhound, visit www.Petfinder.com. Use the "Find Animal Welfare Groups" box on the left side of the page to see NLGA's available dogs.
6. Take your hound to an NLGA meet and greet. Your dog will love visiting with other greyhounds, and you'll have the opportunity to talk with prospective adopters about this wonderful breed.
7. When you go to a meet and greet or Foley Boulevard Animal Hospital, take along your old cell phones and empty printer cartridges. NLGA earns money by recycling these items.
8. Host a meet and greet. It's easy--just find a location and set up a time.
9. Attend planning meetings for NLGA's annual picnic, then help out on the day of the event.
10. Donate items for the raffle, silent auction, or live auction at the annual picnic. Ask your favorite businesses to do the same.
11. Join other NLGA members and show off your hound at a parade, expo, or other event.

For more information on these opportunities, visit www.nlga-mn.org. Thanks for all you do to help retired racers go from kennel to couch!