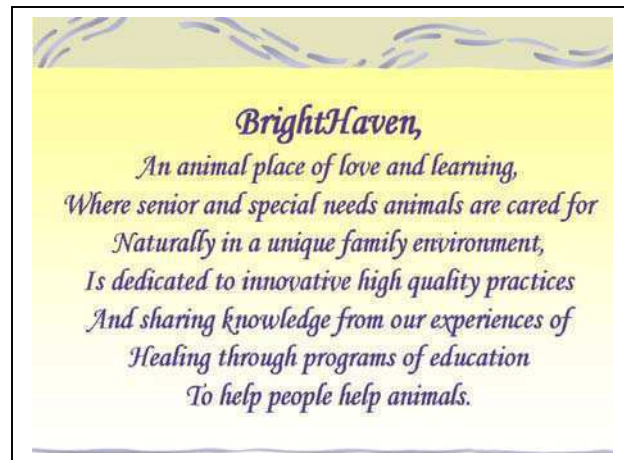




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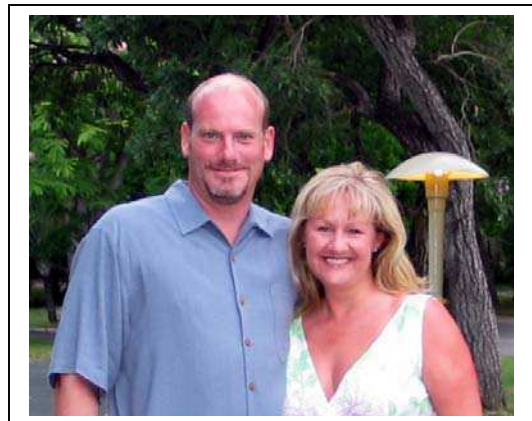


Hello dear friends,

As we pass through this first month of a brand new year, please accept the good wishes of each and every member of the BrightHaven family for a wonderful year filled with peace, joy and happiness.

Talking of happiness – I am delighted to tell you that Richard and I are looking forward to a very special year ahead as it promises to bring our family untold happiness in the form our first grand-daughter!!

Yes – our daughter Kirstie and son-in-law Roger are happily expecting their first child in May this year. We are very excited to know already that “our” baby will be a girl, and Kirstie and Roger have already chosen her name to be Emily – Emily Moore.



We have an ongoing joke now at BrightHaven about Emily – as we already have two cats called Emily and we differentiate between them by calling them Emily 1 and Emily 2.....so now we are all now ready and waiting to welcome “Emily 3”!!!!

And now – Let’s talk about New Year’s resolutions.....  
I wonder how many of you have made your traditional new year’s resolution?

I would like to tell you about mine this year. I do not usually make these kind of resolutions but, due to receiving an amazing Christmas present from my dear friend Valerie Bennett, my eyes have sprung wide open and I am resolved in my pledge.

If, as I tend to think we all do, you have a desire to help in some small way to make this place a better world for the humans and especially for the animals who all dwell herein, then I implore you to read this incredible book I have just avidly “consumed”, with growing interest and understanding.

It is called “Harvest of Hope” and it is written by the incomparable Jane Goodall. You will all know her from her “chimpanzee fame”, but here we have another side of this truly compassionate and very great lady, who is determined to open our eyes fully to the plight of the world and its beings and to try to encourage us to each do our own little bit to help – as we really all can.

This book has educated me and given me a better awareness of what ***ICANDO*** to help build a sustainable land for us all to live in and on, with people dedicated to honoring each and every animal who must be slaughtered to provide food.

Please read it.

And so now let’s get on with this month’s edition!!

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### 1. ANIMAL NEWS AND UPDATES

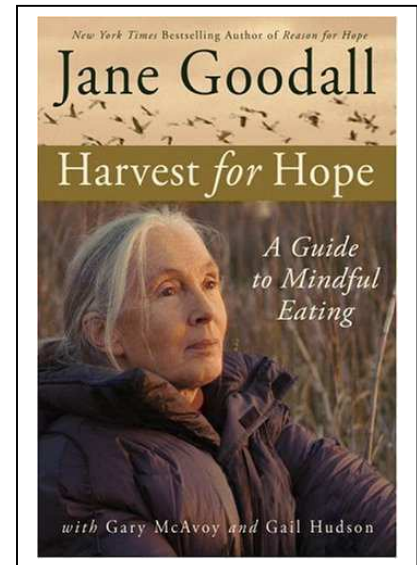
#### REMEMBER MY PLEA FOR HELP FOR A NEW WHEELCHAIR LAST EDITION FOR JOEY-D?

Well – I have exciting news on more than one count!!

First – BrightHaven friend **SHELLY HORTEN** lost no time in popping a check in the mail to completely cover the cost of a new wheelchair for Joey – Thanks and blessings to Shelly from us all!

But then – astonishing happenings.....

First - Joey got very sore from his new seat rubbing on his groin area, and had to endure several days out of his beloved chariot to give a little time for healing.....



And then.....as he was forced to use his legs more to scoot about on his bottom, he must have gained a little strength..... because when he went back into his chair we suddenly noticed that he was actually moving his back legs for the first time....

BrightHaven friend, volunteer and physical therapist **ANDREA KERN** lost no time in checking this boy out and teaching us all how to help him strengthen his muscles. It seems that Joey, although sustaining a broken back is now happily on the path to walking again!!!

Each and every day Joey is walking in his chair with more and more strength and determination. and we are all watching closely like mother hens to see just how far he is able to progress. Joey's homeopath, the renowned Dr. Jeff Levy is delighted with his progress and looking forward to another BrightHaven miracle!

To see the delight on this little dog's face as he uses all four of his legs to walk like a normal dog again, is worth all the tea in China!!



## FRAZIER

Lots of you I know, will recall my recent story all about the life and times of Frazier, the thirty – something cat who refuses to leave this life of his!!! Well I would just like to update you all as to his condition now.

Several weeks ago Frazier sustained a series of strokes which rendered him helplessly paralyzed – such a very sad state of affairs for a being of his strength and determination. We were devastated.

Of course we reckoned without this special man's determination and his equally special veterinarian, the incomparable Christine Barrett - shown here with our very own Katie.

(Chris is also BrightHaven's supervising veterinarian).

As the days went by – instead of dying – as we had been quite certain would happen, Frazier has grown in strength and shown us all yet again the very depth of his character. We are humbled to see how he is forcing his elderly body to again learn things – He can now sit up again and eat by himself - and drink - and laugh, and above all -be happy!!



Frazier cannot stand or walk and probably never will again – Hmmm – I wonder why I hesitate on that thought!!! But he is again loving his life and teaching us all once more to enjoy each and every day and not to be judgmental and just to simply accept everything that comes our way and above all –be happy!



Here he is today – Shown here (left) enjoying a few minutes sunshine on a rare winter's day, watched by some of BrightHaven ducks, geese and chickens.....

and then again (right) back in his cozy bed again....

The one – and only – the incomparable –

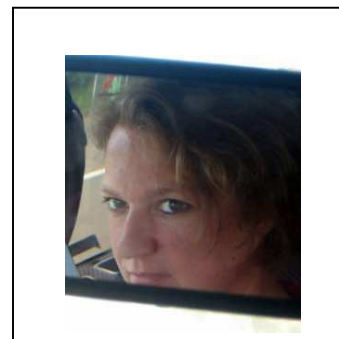
Frazier!!



## 2. THE LAST MONTH AT BRIGHTHAVEN

The first highlight of last month that I would like to tell you about was Susanna's very first workshop on diet and nutrition.

### *The Natural Diet for Cats and Dogs* - *What your vet won't tell you about feeding a carnivore...*



Well – I can tell you that I was terribly proud as Susanna kept everyone on the edge of their seats as she enthralled us all with her knowledge, understanding and humour. She above all really helped everyone to better understand how these delightful creatures of ours **need and must** eat for optimal health.



The workshop was held in the cozy BrightHaven lounge and here you can see us all – cats and dogs included - enjoying one of Susanna's merry quips.

The subject of diet is so terribly important for these animals with whom we happily share our lives and the workshop was so successful that we are now pledged to having them on a very regular basis – in fact as often as you all will show your support and come along to learn HOW and importantly WHY we do what we do here!



This next picture just does not do the scene justice!!

Susanna provided everyone with all the ingredients necessary to make the diet, and this was the time for us all to get busy and put them all together under her careful instruction. All the attendees were then able to take their food home with them to offer to their pets!!

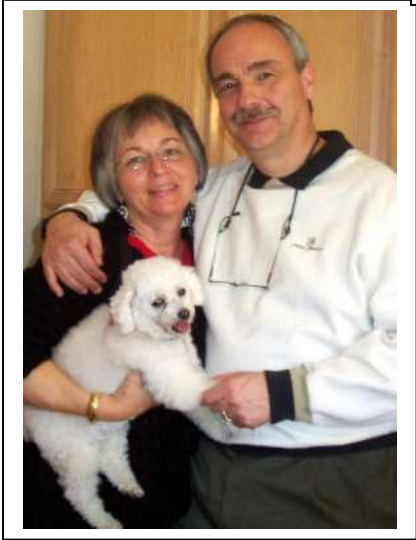
Happily we have been overwhelmed by the calls and emails of thanks and appreciation – not to mention that all the finicky felines apparently enjoyed their Mum's cooking and will now be on the receiving end of it every day!

**A VISIT BY “THE BENNETTS”**

The next highlight of the month of December was a long awaited visit to BrightHaven by our dear friends Valerie and Mike Bennett, who have long been BrightHaven friends and supporters, not to mention personal friends of ours.

Valerie and I first met xxxxx(!) years ago when I worked for the wonderful Doug Coward at the Animal and Bird Clinic of Mission Viejo, in Southern California, and Valerie was one of his highly valued clients.

We very soon learned that we shared the same passion for animals and their care - preferably natural, and have remained firm friends ever since.



Valerie has served on the BrightHaven Board of Directors since its inception and Val and Mike lose no chance to further our interests and support our mission.



Sadly (for us that is!!) they live in Florida and have their own huge family of rescued animals to take care of and so we do not get to see each other very often.

We said goodbye to our friends after a wonderful visit, which finished with a celebratory lunch at Howard’s Station in Occidental where we celebrated Susanna’s 40<sup>th</sup> birthday!!

Mike and Valerie are shown here (left) with our very own Joey and also (above) with their very own Misty.

**SUSANNA’S 40<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY PARTY**

I fear that Susanna can never quite catch me up, but at least now she is finally into her forties – I feel somewhat less of an old fogie!

After a delightful lunch with all her BrightHaven friends and family, Susanna headed off to the big city of San Francisco where she dined in celebratory style at a well-known Italian restaurant with friends, including our very own “children” ~ daughter Kirstie – (Did I tell you she is pregnant? – I could become very boring on the subject by May time!) - and husband Roger.

Here is the party girl happily showing off her brand new Cowboy boots!!



And here below are pictured Susanna and I



Below is pictured BrightHaven's Blanca and daughter Yanira enjoying their birthday lunch.



And last but not least -

Here are Valerie and I in a rare shot together, enjoying Susanna's birthday lunch before she returned to Florida with Mike later in the afternoon.



## THE ROSE CEREMONY

The ceremony is a BrightHaven tradition to honor the passing of our loved ones. It is a wonderful opportunity to share memories with like-minded people. The ceremony is a simple but very moving affair, which begins with a short address of welcome, after which family and guests will be invited to come and say a few words in memory of their pet if they would like to. Participants will then scatter rose petals around a photograph or memento of their honoree and the ceremony finishes with a prayer and a song.

You will then be welcome to join the BrightHaven family of humans and animals for refreshments and conversation.



I would love to welcome you to any BrightHaven Rose Ceremony – held here on the second Sunday of every month at 2pm.

It has proved a wonderful way for us to say goodbye and to resolve our feelings of sadness and grief by sharing our thoughts and feelings with each other. We always end up laughing as we remember funny incidents and happy times for each one we say farewell to.

Here (left) you can see Woody at this month's ceremony caught happily helping himself to a beautiful chocolate cake!!

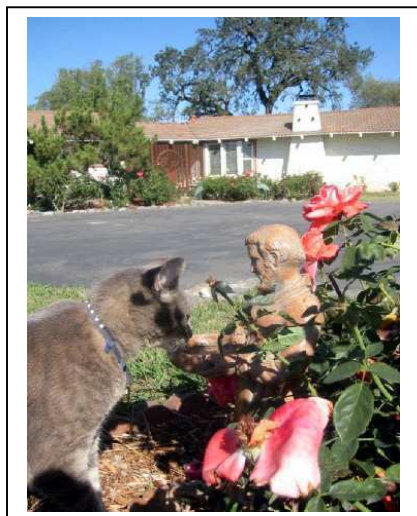
### 3 THE FUNDRAISING CORNER

#### WON'T YOU CONSIDER SPONSORING "PERCY" THE PRINTER??

Sadly, after over a decade of wonderful work we are being forced to retire the wonderful BrightHaven computer and printer!! After receiving much information and many quotes Susanna has chosen to purchase our new equipment from Dell.

This will enable us to continue to produce our fliers and continue to do our own in-house mailing. Susanna has calculated it will cost us \$1,500.00 and so I am appealing for sponsors for "Christopher" the computer and "Percy" the printer. Could you help us?

#### ROSES NEEDED FOR OUR BEAUTIFUL GARDENS



**JUNE NORTH** is a very special friend to BrightHaven. June has devoted many long hours these last several months to gardening and trying to restore the BrightHaven rose gardens to their former beauty.

June tells me that we will soon be needing several dozen new roses to fill gaps that have been left by the "departed" ones.

If anyone would like to donate a rose for our garden do please contact Susanna in the BrightHaven office by telephone 707 578 4800 or by email at [info@brighthaven.org](mailto:info@brighthaven.org) or through the BrightHaven website at [www.brighthaven.org](http://www.brighthaven.org)

For those of you who remember Grady, a BrightHaven miracle boy – Here he is in a much beloved shot in the gardens with St Francis and some of the BrightHaven roses.

#### THINKING OF MAKING A MOVE THIS SPRING?

As spring time approaches and many of you will be thinking of selling your home or purchasing a new one I would ask that you remember the wonderful offer made to us last month by BrightHaven friend and supporter, realtor Anna Boucher

**“When you purchase or list your residential or commercial property with me I will donate 20% of my commission in your name, upon the close of escrow, to BrightHaven”.**

This is a very exciting offer for us – and I encourage you to please allow Anna the opportunity and privilege to help you in the future if you are planning a move either residentially or commercially.

Please remember to mention BrightHaven when you pass this information along, or contact Anna as shown below:-



## DISASTER PREPAREDNESS : FOR THE BRIGHTHAVEN HORSES

In the wake of the devastation of hurricane Katrina we realize that we are sadly lacking here in Northern California as far as our preparedness for evacuation.

Richard and I are committed to acquiring the following vehicle for evacuation use

### **A TWO HORSE TRAILER**

(We have two and require one more)

Richard is willing to finance a good second hand one for BrightHaven, and so we would appreciate your help to find a suitably GOOD OFFER.



**DO YOU PERHAPS KNOW ANYONE WHO HAS ONE FOR SALE – OR DONATION???????????**

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## **BRIGHTHAVEN MUGS, T-SHIRTS, MOUSE PADS AND LICENSE PLATES:**

For a donation of \$50.00 we will be pleased to send you any of the above items, personalized with the animal of your choice, except of course the license plate holder and for that you can choose the wording to appear on the bottom from either:

“Happy Healthy Animals” or “Healing Arts for Animals”

**Please email [Susanna@brighthaven.org](mailto:Susanna@brighthaven.org) to place your order and arrange the details.**



## **A WEEKEND AT BRIGHTHAVEN!!**

“Bed and Breakfast – with “a difference” here at BrightHaven!!

You will have the comfort of your own bedroom and bathroom with access to a lovely little garden. Perhaps one of the many BrightHaven residents will choose to spend the night with you.

You will be welcome to experience animal feeding time Saturday evening and also Sunday morning. You will also have the opportunity to get to know Gail and Richard better over a glass of wine and dinner. Gail and Richard will be happy to discuss your animal concerns (or not!) during your stay and, of course you will be welcome to stay at BrightHaven and be part of our family during your visit or take the time to go wine-tasting or exploring in the gorgeous local countryside.

The cost: a tax-deductible donation to BrightHaven of \$200.00.





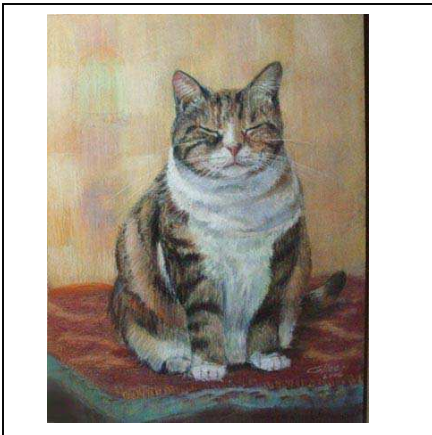
## 4 VOLUNTEER NEWS

You will I am sure, recall the name of **COLLEEN CAUB**, long time BrightHaven friend, volunteer and supporter.

Colleen is so multi talented that I hardly know where to begin!! She is a genuine, caring and great animal communicator who I often and happily refer whenever I can. Colleen is also a great dish washer (Ha-Ha!!) I say that as she often pops in to help me with the never-ending task of feeding, either morning or evening!

I think that the thing we all know Colleen best by, and which unceasingly continues to amaze us all, is her artistic and photographic ability. An avid animal lover and artist, Colleen has combined her love and talent to accomplish some of the very most beautiful artwork I have yet to see and I would like to give you a sampling of her work today.

Colleen excels at photography and, when she is not earning her living (as she indeed must)..... spends many happy hours snapping candid shots of the BrightHaven animals at work and play. **She then uses these adorable photographs to work from and paints in pastels or oil..... and here are a few of the breathtaking results.**



Many of you will know these cats and realize just how fabulous these paintings are –

The first is “Sammi”, one of the sweetest ex-wild girls one could ever meet.

With those days long behind her, Colleen has given her the nickname of Buddha-cat!!

Indeed! – I can’t think why!!



“Sushi” spends at least 90% of her life in one of the cozy wicker baskets on the BrightHaven kitchen bar top.

Originally a scared-y cat, hiding herself away in the bedroom, Sushi has amazed us all as she has a new found teenage courage and coquettishly parades for all to meet in the kitchen.

This is such a classic shot of her – and I for one can hardly believe that this to be actually a painting!



I wonder how many of you will remember the adorable “MeiLing”, now gone from us but never to be forgotten.

This painting was worked from a photograph of this darling, and so very beautiful girl taken some short time before her death and will be treasured by us forever.



.....and this is one for the grand finale – no less!

This is our very own much loved, but very neurotic “Eric” – the very first ever cat at BrightHaven – in fact he joined us long before I even began my dreams of such a place.....!!

Colleen, in this rare moment has captured his very soul here in this painting and it has touched my heart as no other can.

- \* Why not have Colleen paint a pet portrait of one of your beloved pets? - I encourage you to contact her for more information and a quote.
- \* Also – please remember that Colleen is also a talented, professional and intuitive animal communicator. I happily announce that she also donates a portion of your cost to BrightHaven!!

Our thanks Colleen for the special magic you create

Colleen can be reached by telephone at 707 824 9130 or by email at [colleenc@sonic.net](mailto:colleenc@sonic.net)

**CHERYL SMITH**, along with her friend Tim the cat would like to now present what to us here at BrightHaven is a minor miracle!!

Most of you who come here to visit at any time will have met our Timmy, scooting along gaily in his pants, which to our dismay become ragged and tattered in a matter of days.

In the eight or so years that Tim has lived with us we have gone from invention to invention to try to solve this problem for him to avoid him once more becoming bruised, abraded and bleeding on his left scooting hip.



Around a year ago Cheryl met Tim and resolved to put her amazing skills as a seamstress to work and modify the pants which we use for him and which fit him so well. She did an amazing job adding protective legs, but still they wore away quickly under Tim’s hard wear!!

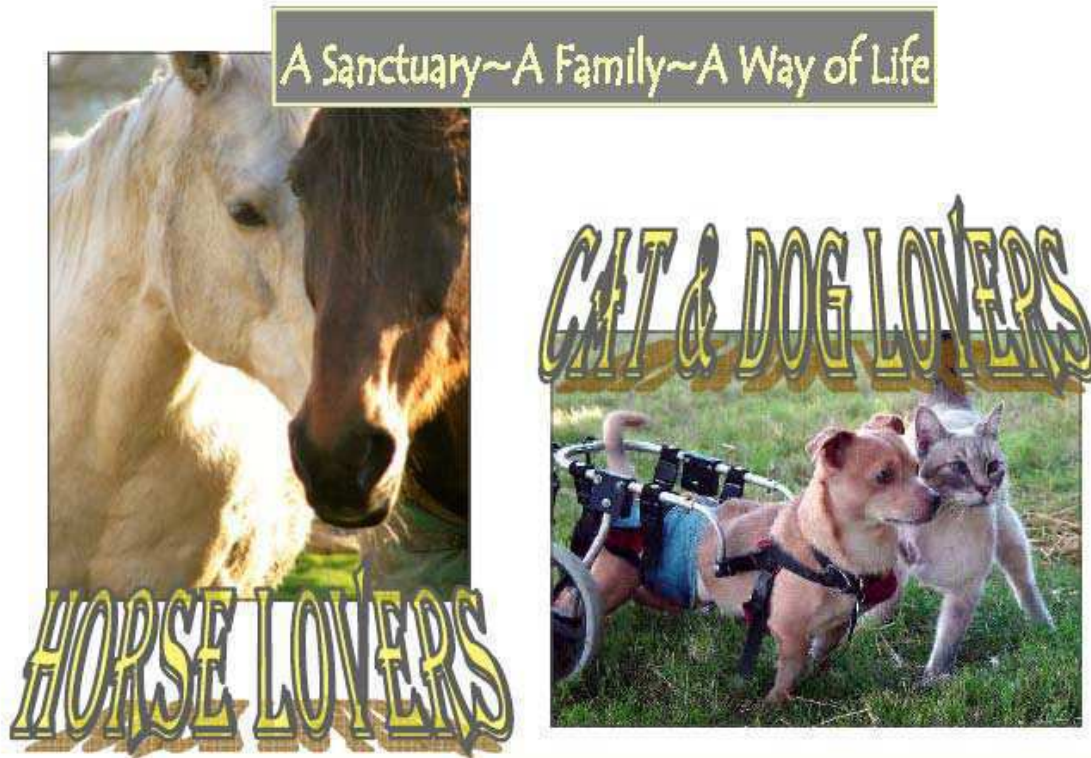
Finally Cheryl has achieved success, with the help of Cordura nylon fabric and it seems she has constructed Tim new pants which are comfortable, very modern, which is terribly important for him of course!, but-above all seem to be completely indestructible!!!

Here you can see Tim, posing perched happily upon Cheryl’s lap as he models his new clothes!!

## NEW VOLUNTEER POSITIONS AT BRIGHTHAVEN – AVAILABLE NOW!!

This next appeal goes mainly to our local community – or to anyone who may know of someone who might like to come and volunteer at BrightHaven.

Susanna and I do the lion's share of the medical and all animal work and Blanca takes care of the house, as well as tries to devote time to helping us out when she can. Fray volunteers help with care of the fowl, goats and Harley the hog, not to mention one hundred and one other tasks around and about BrightHaven on a daily basis. The work is endless as you can imagine and we really need some help – particularly in two specialized areas.



BrightHaven, a holistic sanctuary for senior and disabled animals, is looking for horse lovers with at least some experience to help with the daily care of our four rescued horses.

Each one has a wonderful personality and is waiting for that special someone to spend time with.

Shifts are approximately 1 hour, either in the morning or afternoon.

We are also looking for dedicated volunteers to help with medical work for our cats and dogs.

Duties include preparing and administering natural remedies and medications as well as giving subcutaneous fluids. Gain hands-on experience in holistic and conventional medicine for animals!

Shifts are approx. 3 hours in the morning.

If you are able to commit to either position at least once a week we would love to hear from you! Please call or email for more information and to schedule a tour of our sanctuary to meet the horses, cats, dogs and farm animals.

We look forward to welcoming you at our beautiful location, between Santa Rosa and Sebastopol.

I would like this month to introduce you to our very own Christmas miracle boy – Ralph.

Ralph arrived on December 22<sup>nd</sup> 2005, fresh from an East Bay Shelter where he was to be euthanized for Christmas as his family was moving house!

He is 20 years old, partially blind and very hard of hearing, as well as terribly sad and depressed. The first three days he was here he remained miserable and kept his head down all the time, barely registering anything – even food. He even used his bed as his toilet without care.



And then.....It was Christmas Day and Richard was cooking the turkey..... The aroma slowly pervaded the house and.....Ralph found his way into the kitchen where he eagerly devoured a mountain of turkey!!!!

Oh boy! - Did that warm our hearts and make us again realize that there is always hope!!!. Susanna drew blood from Ralph's old man veins and we anxiously awaited what did turn out to be very bad news. This poor boy was dreadfully ill. He was so very anaemic that it was actually surprising to find him still alive and able to eat at all.

At that time the BrightHaven regimen of love, diet, homeopathy, immune support, subcutaneous fluid therapy, flower essences – in fact a carefully balanced routine – including fresh raw liver which he luckily loves – swung into operation and we determined to give this boy every last chance we could at a new life.

Slowly – day by day Ralph has eaten just a little more – lifted up his head a fraction at a time and.....finally smiled! The day he ventured forth and used a litter box I knew we had a tiger by its tail and today Susanna pulled blood again and then proudly announced him no longer anaemic and actually in recovery at last!!! Ralph is still one very ill gentleman, but he surely now has that will to live!!



Here is Ralph today, happily walking in the garden on the first day of the rest of his life!

*“There are two ways of looking at life; One is as though nothing is a miracle; the other is as though everything is”..*

*-Albert Einstein*



## 6 AROUND AND ABOUT AT BRIGHTHAVEN

- a. What's in the pipeline – Workshops and Events
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### 6A. WHAT'S IN THE PIPELINE?

#### UPCOMING EVENTS AND WORKSHOPS AT BRIGHTHAVEN

*Our goal as an education center is to help you better help your animal.*

### The Natural Diet for Cats and Dogs - What your vet won't tell you about feeding a carnivore...

I am very happy to announce that in the wake of such a successful afternoon last month, that we are going to be offering Susanna's next diet workshop on

**MARCH 4<sup>TH</sup> 2006**

This highly informative, practical and fun hands-on workshop will teach you all you ever wanted to know about how to feed your cat or dog in the most healthful way:

- Find out why you should feed your carnivore a raw meat-based diet and how it can help improve their health, appearance and even behaviour.
- Learn how to make the natural diet yourself, with all the proper supplementation, including modifications for certain disorders.
- Get in on BrightHaven's secret tips and tricks on how to switch animals from a commercial diet to a wholesome, homemade diet.
- Make your very own batch of food and take it home to try!
- Let BrightHaven give you the tools and resources to take a proactive approach to your animal's health.



BrightHaven's General Manager Susanna Anthony has long researched the natural diet and is passionate about her subject.

You will have an entertaining and thoroughly enjoyable afternoon learning how best to feed your beloved pet the BrightHaven way.

Susanna will not only explain in detail how to prepare the diet but you will be given the hands on opportunity to mix the diet for yourself for an even better understanding.

You may then take home your mix to start feeding your own animals!!

This will be a small class, repeated frequently so that everyone actually has the chance to properly learn and understand the diet.

You will learn BrightHaven tips for the dietary changes you need to make as well as pointers for the future.

**Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup> 2006**

**1pm - 4pm**

**Donation: \$50**

Please call BrightHaven (707) 578-4800 or email [info@brighthaven.org](mailto:info@brighthaven.org) for reservations and directions. Each class will be small so please call BrightHaven early to reserve your place for this truly exhilarating afternoon of learning!

A flier to advertise the event is available on line at our Website: [www.brighthaven.org](http://www.brighthaven.org) or by clicking the link shown below:

[http://www.brighthaven.org/susanna\\_flyer.pdf?ArdSI=405e04c094d6d9f849defbeb14bffab2](http://www.brighthaven.org/susanna_flyer.pdf?ArdSI=405e04c094d6d9f849defbeb14bffab2)

## OUR PLANS FOR THE NEW BRIGHTHAVEN EDUCATION PROGRAM

This project is currently in its infancy and I will feature it more in each new edition. We are in the process of designing an educational package to offer to those of you who wish to learn more about holistic healthcare for animals, including diet – or natural animal care – or hospice care - transition – or the many things we do here at BrightHaven on a daily basis.

Over and over we are asked about various parts of our daily lives and realize that we need to actually offer to teach all or part of it!!

We aim to offer in all probability a two day training course which will be in part tailored to suit the individual and will be offered either as an all-in residency for two days or perhaps as two individual days for local residents.

The all-in residency will be invaluable experience for anyone wishing to start their own sanctuary or rescue organization and most especially for anyone who has an interest in natural animal care to better care for their own pets. Should anyone have any questions or ideas for the program for us – so please email me with your thoughts. We really wish to build this program to suit a variety of needs.

**MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW VERY SOON.....WATCH THIS SPACE!!**

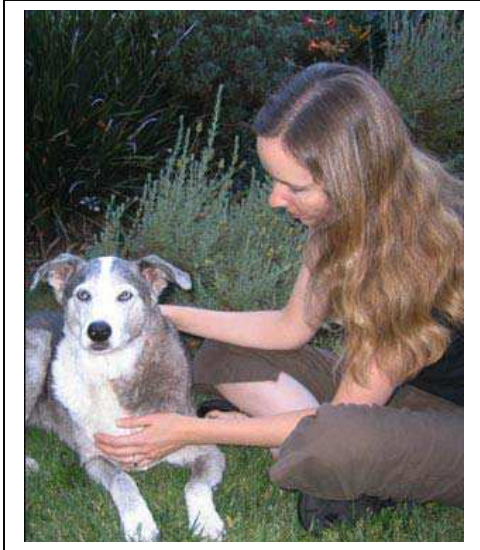


This is our very own Vancouver showing you just how irresistible the diet is!!!



Gone but not forgotten – “Rabbit” never met a bone he couldn’t manage!!

## AND NOW – PROUDLY PRESENTING OUR NEXT REIKI WORKSHOP



### Reiki I and Animal Reiki Training: The Basics

Tuition: \$250/person  
(50% of proceeds donated to BrightHaven)

Date and Time:  
February 25-26,  
1 p.m. - 5 p.m. both days.

#### Description:

This class is for animal people who want to deepen their relationships with animals and learn practical ways to heal the animals in their lives. Most Reiki I classes focus on Reiki for people, but Kathleen's class is unique in its emphasis on Reiki for both humans and animals. Day one will focus on giving Reiki to yourself and other people, and day two focuses just on animals. Both days include time for practice and feedback.

#### Class objectives:

Through lecture, discussion, observation and practice, students will:

- learn the story of the origin of Reiki
- learn the principles of Reiki and how they apply to practice
- learn different ways Reiki can be used as a healing tool
- hear numerous examples of treatments on animals as well as people
- receive an overview of strategies for using Reiki with animals
- receive ideas for how to gain experience practicing Reiki with animals
- receive the four attunements for Level 1 Reiki (two each day)
- receive a Certificate of Completion

#### Instructor:

Kathleen Prasad is a Reiki Master Teacher and Founder of Animal Reiki Source. Kathleen is co-author of the upcoming book *Animal Reiki: Using Energy to Heal the Animals in Your Life*, which features many of BrightHaven's beloved residents! For more information or to register for the class, contact Kathleen at [info@animalreikisource.com](mailto:info@animalreikisource.com).

**6B SPECIAL PROJECTS WE ARE ASKING FOR YOUR HELP WITH:**

**We still have lots of projects to work on and would appreciate any help offered – either financial or physical!!!**

Our main projects now include:

**Fencing** for horses, pigs and goats.

**Painting** and all sorts of **maintenance** issues –both indoors and out.

The big challenge we have is the completion of our cat garden areas.....

**Cat gardens.** As you can see from many of our photographs our cat gardens are well on the way now, but there is still much for us to do.....

We must still

- provide a watering system.
- dig flower beds and fill them with bushes and suitable cat proof plants and trees for fun and shade.
- provide water - well actually water features are our aim – such as rockeries with water flowing and fountains – excellent for Feng Shui purposes too.

We boast of the beauty of BrightHaven and are determined to live up to it once again.

Please consider helping us in any way you are able.

- Come and help us – call 707 578 4800 or email [Susanna@brighthaven.org](mailto:Susanna@brighthaven.org) for information
- Donate towards the construction work
- Donate towards our purchase of plants, trees, fountains, and other features.
- Donate towards our purchase of suitable climbing and playing outdoor amusements!

**6C HELP WITH OUR WISH LIST – SOME PRODUCTS YOU MAY BE ABLE TO CONTRIBUTE TO HELP**

You can review our wish list in great detail on-line by clicking the link below:

[https://protected.usanethosting.com/brighthaven/wish\\_list.html](https://protected.usanethosting.com/brighthaven/wish_list.html)

This month I would like to feature one item that we are much in need of...

Rugs – throw rugs from Target. (Approx 30”x20”) We use them for protection under litter boxes and as door mats too! Earth tones of beige, taupe and green would be a great fit for the house too.



I do hope you have enjoyed catching up with our news. Please let me know by email if there is anything you would like me to include in future newsletters. I will be happy to add or change the content.

The BrightHaven vision is important for animals and humans alike.

“The greatness of a nation, and its moral progress, can be judged by the way its animals are treated”.

M. Ghandi



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