

How Can You Help NGAP?

If you cannot adopt but would like to support us in our efforts to rescue and place greyhounds you may make a donation to:

NGAP 636 Piney Point Rd.

Virginia Beach, VA 23452

NGAP is a non-profit 501 C3 Corp.

\$25.00—"Greyhound Pup" Greyhound fridge magnet

\$50.00—"Greyhound Runner" Car magnet

\$100.00—"Greyhound Sprinter" Greyhound Ball Cap

\$250.00—"Greyhound Lover" Adopt a Racing Greyhound Book

\$500.00—"Greyhound Winner" Greyhound Tee
SIZE?



Thanks for helping save another one as cute as me! Luv ya, Scarlet

Greyhounds

- Are gentle and non-aggressive/not a watch dog
- Loves human companionship
- Ages range from 2 1/2 to 5. Some greyt seniors are available
- Greyhounds come in many colors and combinations
- Life span is 12 to 15 years
- Weight ranges from 50 to 85 lbs.
- Height 23 to 26 inches
- Needs little grooming. Bath 3 to 4 times per year
- Has a short and sleek coat of short hair. Very little shedding and has no doggie odor. Does not tolerate extreme heat or cold
- Greyhounds must never be off a lead unless they are in a fenced area
- Greyhounds like gentle, quiet children who do not wish to engage in boisterous play.
- Greyhounds need little exercise
- Cats: We cat test all greyhounds in the kennel and should be safe with an indoor cat
- Greyhounds need a fenced yard (electric fences are not advisable)
- Greyhounds must live inside your home as a companion dog. . .NO DOG HOUSE OR GARAGE!!!

For more information please contact:

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Greyhounds Make Great Companions

Adopt an Ex-Racer and become a winner!



**National Greyhound
Adoption Program
Virginia Affiliate
Virginia Beach, VA**

Comfy, Loving Retirement Homes needed
for ex-sprinters



40 Mile an Hour Couch Potato

Tens of thousands of greyhounds are killed each year because they are just not fast enough.

Each year tracks are closing and states are banning dog racing. Until there is no dog racing, we must help find homes for as many as possible. Our goal is to find permanent, loving homes for all of them. Be a winner and make a greyhound a FAST FRIEND!



About Greyhounds

Because the racing greyhounds have lived a very sheltered and regimented life, becoming a pet is almost like being "reborn". Most greyhounds have never been in a house, seen a child, stairs, a pool, or a cat. As a result, they will be curious, awestruck, and somewhat frightened as they enter their new lives, but with a little understanding, love, and patience, they will adjust and blossom into a loving and well-mannered companion.

Important Facts

- Greyhounds have always relied on a human to take care of them. They do not understand the dangers outside a fenced area...Greyhounds can see over 1/2 mile and can run over 40 miles an hour. Greyhounds are never safe outside a fenced area unless on a leash. Greyhounds cannot withstand extreme heat or cold.
- Greyhounds should never be tied or staked out (nor should any animal)
- Greyhounds are powerful sprinters and could break their neck if they decided to bolt or run.

****Special Notice****

If your lifestyle includes one or more of the following, your application process will include an in-depth discussion with the VA Director.

- Small children under the age of 6
- Consistently out of the house for more than 6-7 hours at a time with no option for your greyhound to relieve themselves
- No fenced-in yard
- Household includes an outdoor cat
- Apartment dweller

Adoption Process

Includes an application and a home visit.

If you feel a greyhound would fit into your family and would like an application, please call:
757-486-7956

Greyhound adoption fee is \$260.00

This includes transportation, spayed, neuter, teeth cleaning, all shots, heart worm test, micro chip, and blood work.

You will also receive a kit containing a care booklet, food, and a special collar and leash designed for a greyhound.

You must agree to keep your greyhound as an indoor companion and never let your greyhound off a leash in an unfenced area. If you ever have to give your greyhound up, you must agree to return it to the adoption program.

Dedicated to the rescue, care, and placement of ex-racing greyhounds



Greyhounds are like potato chips.
You can't have just one!!