

Annual Report 2015

Dogs cannot speak for themselves, so we have to be their voice



FOREWORD

What a wonderful year this was!

We brought the biggest amount of dogs ever to our country.

Some highlights:

- In May of this year 'Beestieboys' filmed the story of Cloe and her kids. The program was broadcasted in September. We were very happy and proud, watching it!
- In August Ana of the shelter in Segovia visited us. We had a wonderful meeting with some of her dogs.
- We could bring twice a big litter of pups to our country from the shelter in Cehegin (one litter of 10 and one litter of 9).
From the litter of 10, also the mama (Mady) travelled.
- In the last week of this year something special happened: Snow, a dog from who 1 leg was amputated, came to his adoptant on December, 27th.

Off course there were sad and difficult moments ...

But at the end of this year we can say: "This was a wonderful year and we are grateful for it!"

Marian Buurman, president ALAS Rescue Team

DOGS IN 2015

In 2015, 199 dogs came to our country. At the end of this year 185 were adopted.

Also 18 dogs were adopted that came to us in 2014.

We had to replace 8 dogs that could not stay with their owner. 7 of them found already a new home.

5 dogs that came back to us in 2014 found also a new home.

The total amount of adopted dogs in 2015 is 207.

Tabel - Dogs per shelter

Asiel	Aantal
Ibi	53
Villena	49
A.N.N.A.	45
Segovia	25
Barcelona	21
Vicenta	2

FOSTER FAMILIES

This year 70 families fostered dogs for us. That are 10 more as in 2014.

We know have a 'pool' of 56 foster families.

79 dogs were fostered immediately after their arrival in Holland with an 'option at adoption'.

77 of them were adopted. In 2015, 36 dogs were fostered with an option at adoption. So this year it were more than twice as much.

4 dogs were adopted by their foster family.



TRANSPORTS BY CAR

There were 4 transports by car:
In March, June, September and November

MARCH



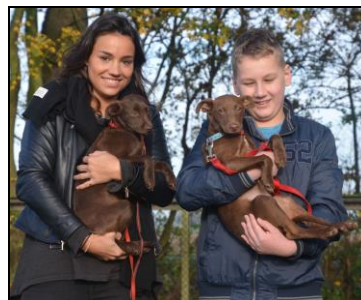
JUNE



SEPTEMBER



NOVEMBER





BY PLANE

We did 8 'puppy flights' in 2015: in January, February, May, August (2), October and December (2)



JANUARY



MAY



AUGUST, 18th



AUGUSTUS, 8th



OCTOBER



DECEMBER, 27th



DECEMBER, 29th



ANNUAL WALK FOR ADOPTANTS AND FOSTER FAMILIES

In May we had our yearly walk. 100 people and 75 dogs did take part.



TV PROGRAM ABOUT CLOE AND KIDS

In May 'Beestieboys' did make a program about Cloe and kids. The filmed in Ibi and Caudete. The program was broadcasted on Dutch TV in September. We were very proud!



VISIT ANA (SEGOVIA)

In August Ana (with Arsenio en Eva & Miguel) from the shelter in Segovia visited our country. She did meet with a lot of her dogs during a walk we did organize. What a lovely meeting took we had!





PROMOTIE/PUBLICITY/ACTIONS

ACTION FOR MAMA AND PUPS FROM THE SHELTER IN CEHEGIN



People from the shelter in Cehegin, saved a mama and 10 kids. Because of the financial problems they had to handle this situation we helped them with an action. People donated 1.425 euro, ALAS also gave a donation. In september mama Mady and her 20 kids came to our country.



A MIRACLE

At the end of the year a miracle happened: Snow arrived in our country on December, 27th. His adoptant waited for him at they airport. He was saved from the perrera in Caudete by Vicenta and Raquel. Snow's left for leg was amputated but what a happy dog he is!



SPONSORING TRANSPORTS

This year we also did a sponsor action for each transport. We received 4.600 euro (for the 4 transports). This means that 25% of the transport cost (totally 17.000 euro) was covered by donations. Not a bad result at all!



GPS TRACKERS

For some time we had the wish to buy GPS trackers for very scared dogs to wear. We did an action and reviewed 700 euro. So we could buy 10 trackers!



FRIENDS / DONATIONS

We have 100 'Friends of ALAS'. This are 10 more as in 2014.
They donated 3.835 euro.

We also received 1.703 euro as incidental gifts.

Some peopledonated especially for a sheer, other let us decide where we spent the money on.

We could donate to several shelter.

At the end of the year we did give all the shelters we work with a 'Christmas present' of 400 euro.

FACEBOOK

This year we passed the 11.000 'likes' at Facebook.

Facebook is found to be a wonderful medium for finding adoptants and successful sponsor actions.

TEAM EN FREE LANCERS



TEAM

Esther, Karin, Marian en Mieke are the ALAS Team.

FREE LANCERS



Paul



Bertha



Erik



Marina



THANKS TO

- adoptants, foster families and home visitors of our adopted dogs
- Friends of ALAS, donors and sponsors
- free lancers – Erik, Mieke, Paul, Bertha and Marina
- Els van de Berg who advises our adoptants and foster families if behavior problems with a dog arise
- Mike for driving dogs that has to be replaced (in our country)
- Cok, Angeline en Jeroen of the CVAB at Tholen, for their hospitality at the arrival of our dogs and the care for some of them (if needed)
- Juan en Rosa of TripsFor Dogs for the careful and loving way they bring our dogs to Holland.
- all those that support us (and are not mentioned here).

And, last but not least, Ou Spanish hero's:

Yolanda, Encarna and Bet (Barcelona), Maria Jose, Esther and others (Villena), Ana, and others (Segovia), Vicenta, George and Vanessa (Caudete), Raquel, and others (Ibi) en Espe, Pepa and Encarna of A.N.N.A. (Cehegin).

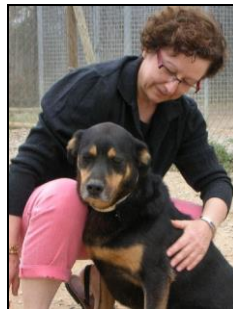
Onze bewondering voor hen is groot!



Bet (Barcelona)



Yolanda (Barcelona)



Encarna (Barcelona)



Raquel (Ibi)



Espe (Cehegin)



Pepa (Cehegin)



Ana (Segovia)



Vicenta (Caudete)



The team of the shelter in Villena



George and Vanessa (Caudete)