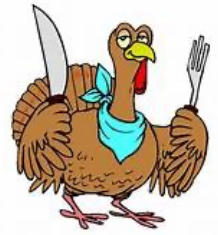




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ANIMAL SANCTUARY & RESCUE

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Meet Oakley. She is 55 pounds of pure love with a jawline that says, 'I'm one in a million'-literally. Thanks to a quirky little crooked lower jaw (probably from birth), her tongue tends to hang out like it's on vacation. It doesn't slow her down one bit-it just makes her 10x more photogenic. At just 1 year old, Oakley has already mastered the fine art of being the \*perfect couch potato\*. She's gentle, low-key, and would happily binge-watch an entire season of your favorite show without complaint-as long as she can be the little spoon. She's a little shy at first (especially around men), but give her a little patience and maybe a treat or two, and you'll unlock the cuddliest, most affectionate best friend you've ever had. She's also great with other dogs, sweet with kids, and has manners that would make your grandma proud (yes, she's house trained and crate trained!). In short, Oakley is a shy girl with a big heart. She's been waiting patiently for her forever people-could that be you?

## Rabies Alert!

Recently, Riverside County officials urged residents to take extra precautions to avoid contact with wild animals due to several reported cases of rabies in bats. Rabies is nearly always fatal in humans, and while it is relatively rare in California, exposure from bat bites can be particularly serious. Bites from bats can be painless and may leave no visible marks. Since January 2025, there have been 18 reported cases of rabies. It can be challenging to detect rabies in pets right away; symptoms may take days or even months to appear. The Animal Services Department advises against feeding or handling wild animals and recommends ensuring that your pets are up to date on their rabies vaccinations. While rabies is commonly transmitted through bites, health officials have warned that exposure to saliva can also pose an infection risk. If left untreated, rabies is fatal. In pets, symptoms of rabies may include unexplained aggression, fever, drooling or foaming at the mouth, and difficulty swallowing. In Riverside County, all dogs over four months old are required to receive a rabies vaccine.

**For the month of October 2025**

Hope Ranch Animal Sanctuary was contacted by people in the community of Anza and Aguanga, to help 5 dogs and 18 puppies in October That makes the total so far for this year 161 dogs and 369 puppies. Total dogs is 530

**It truly breaks our heart that we could not help them all.**

The good news is we have fixed 80 pets in October. That is a total of 638 spay/neuters this year.

We are so thankful for our generous donors who helped make this happen.

Help us fight this battle and donate for Spay and Neuter. We are staying optimistic that we will fix the over population of dogs in our community by providing free spay and neuter for the needy.

Ask us about sponsoring a spay and neuter day.

[www.hoperanchanimalsanctuary.org](http://www.hoperanchanimalsanctuary.org)

Check out our wish list  
We are always in need of dog food.

<https://www.hoperanchanimalsanctuary.org/donate>

Start a fundraiser, on Facebook, for your birthday and give donations to Hope Ranch.

[https://www.facebook.com/help/1910205189301966/?helpref=uf\\_share](https://www.facebook.com/help/1910205189301966/?helpref=uf_share)

Hope Ranch has had 39 adoptions in the month of October

. Total this year is 274.

We still have many dogs and puppies that are looking for their forever homes.

If you are not looking to adopt at this time, please consider fostering.

Foster families save lives

On September 11, 2024, we received a call from the local dump informing us that they had spotted a dog with a litter of puppies living under some large boulders just outside the dump's fence. The workers were worried because the mother dog was bringing the puppies under the fence in search of food, putting them at risk of injury from the heavy machinery and vehicles that frequently passed by. The mother was feral and could not be caught, so we decided to set a trap for her, hoping that the puppies would follow her out. One puppy was particularly stubborn and refused to leave her spot under the boulder. Sandra used a catch pole to gently pull her out. In total, there were eight puppies, and we managed to rescue all of them, including their mother. The stubborn pup we named Doreen. She was later adopted and has just completed her positive training certification. Her new family decided to name her Laika. She has proven to be a very smart puppy and has grown into a beautiful young dog.



We are always in need of donations. Visit our donation page at:

<https://www.hoperanchanimalsanctuary.org/donate>

You can also check out our wish list.

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### FUN FACT

Did you know, when a cat chases its prey, it keeps its head level? Dogs and humans bob their heads up and down.

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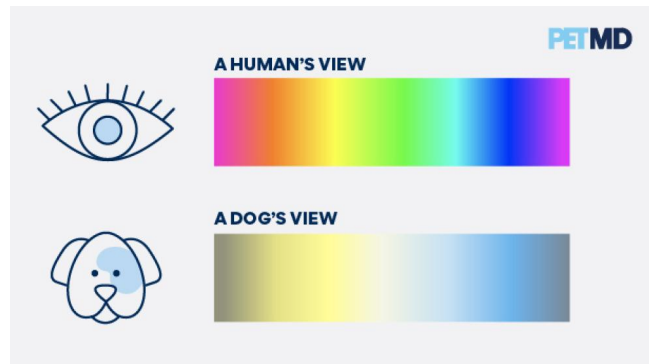
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Medical care  
Food  
Supplies  
Support



Learn More

You Provide:  
A loving home

**WE CAN SAVE  
MORE DOGS IF  
WE HAD MORE  
FOSTER HOMES**



Dogs don't see as well as people. They only see a few colors.

Dogs actually see better at night than they do during the day

Dogs make up for this with their great sense of smell.



Each year, Kahoots Pet Store in Temecula sets up a giving tree to support Hope Ranch and our foster dogs. If you get the chance, please stop by and select a gift for the giving tree. One of our most pressing needs is Kahoots' salmon grain-free dog food, which we feed to all of our puppies. Many of these puppies have faced challenging beginnings, and this high-quality food is essential for their well-being. Additionally, it is rich in omega-3 fatty acids, promoting eye health, bone development, and brain growth. We also welcome donations of dog treats, as we are always in need of them. If you have something else in mind that you'd like to contribute, we would be grateful for that as well!



Hope Ranch Animal Sanctuary is a non-profit organization; obtained our 501(c)3 in 2011  
ID #27-0810495  
Located in Anza, CA  
100% of donations go directly to the animals.  
**No one gets paid, we are all volunteers**

“Women and cats will do as they please, and men and dogs should relax and get used to the idea.”  
– Robert A. Heinlein



We have been waiting a long time for our forever home.  
<https://www.hoperanchanimalsanctuary.org/adopt>



**Bianca**



**Barrett**



**Shayla**



**Roger**



**Hugs**



**Bolt**

