

THE **Second Annual**

ASF VIRTUAL HOLIDAY

CRAFT FAIR **And Mega Raffle!**



Supporting Australian Shepherds Forever



Welcome to the ASF Virtual Holiday Craft Fair!

It's craft show season everywhere! Your best opportunity to find unique, handcrafted holiday gifts for your friends, family and coworkers. In a world full of cheap plastic, truly thoughtful gift-givers want something genuine that's been crafted with love for those they love!

Australian Shepherds Forever has been "gifted" with the support of a number of crafters, artists and artisans, along with independent consultants for popular brands like L'Bri and Pampered Chef, whose generous donations have helped make our raffles and auctions a great success in 2023. So this Virtual Craft Showcase is a chance for ASF to say "Thank you" for their generosity and yours!

Please review this catalog and take a look at what types of products are being offered for purchase. Then go to their Facebook page, Website or Etsy store to place your order! There are some special ASF items too that you can't get anywhere else! Support a small business and ASF too!



Creative Glass

Something Special,
For Someone Special!

Visit Marcia's Etsy store at
CreativeGlassFusing.
Etsy.com



Artist Marcia Caplan makes all of her own glassware and fuses it in her own kiln. All of the pieces are made from 2 pieces of glass which have been fused together in her kiln, which takes 11 hours. After the initial firing, Marcia places the fused pieces in a mold and puts it back in the kiln for another 10 hours. Out comes the finished product! Each one unique in it's own special, colorful perfection. Clocks. Spoon Rests and Glass Dishes. If you love the geometrics of Midcentury Modern, you'll love these unique pieces to decorate your home or office.

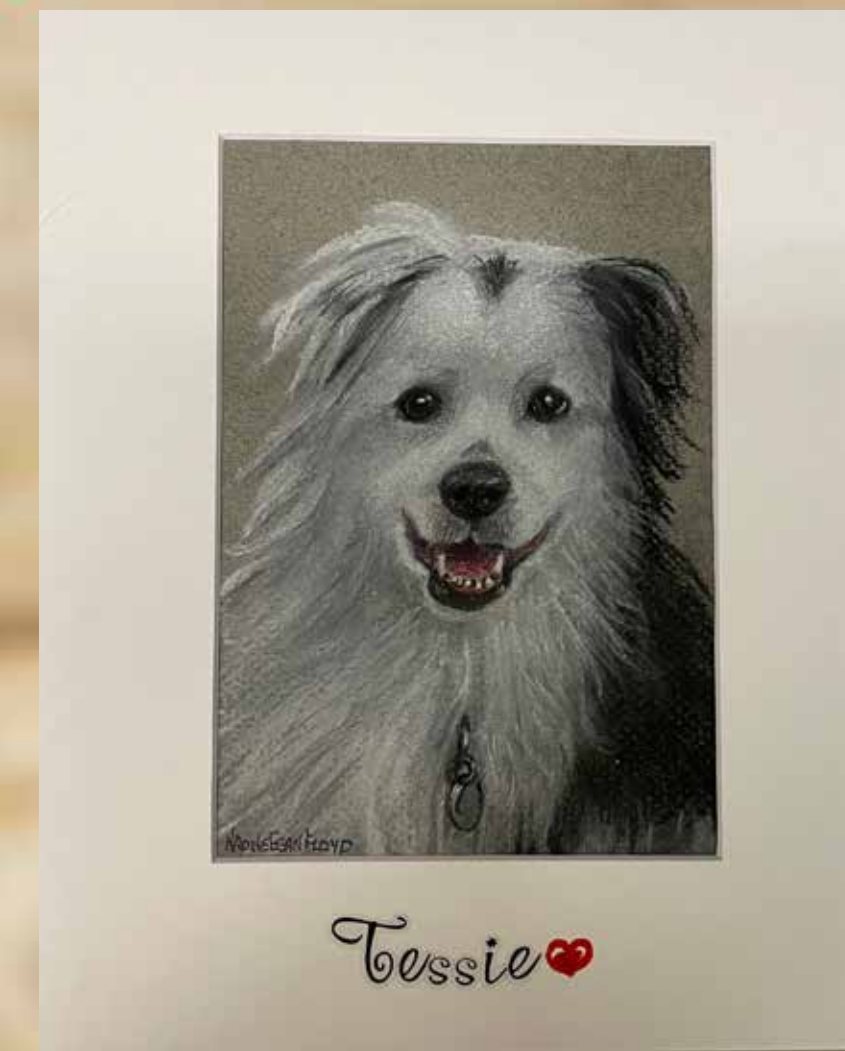


Pastel Pet Portraits



Artist, Jewelry Maker & Aussie Owner - will capture your beloved pet with pastels and mat it for you - adding a name and heart, if desired.

email: info@designsbydini.com



Portraits of ASF's early rescues, drawn by Nadine, are sold as notecards to benefit The Shani Fund to support rescue of senior Australian Shepherds.

www.designsbydini.com

A Very Beary Christmas!

ASF's own Britt Waite is a talented photographer and crafter who started Bear's Best Wishes to sell her unique, handcrafted greeting cards. For 2023, Britt is offering Bear & Moose Holiday Cards! These humorous cards, featuring Britt's two beloved ASF rescues, provide a light touch and a big smile to folks on your greeting card list. In addition, Britt is offering her resin ornaments to give your tree an aussome Aussie touch! She is also offering fully framed prints of her nature photography from the scenic Adirondack Region.



Bear's Best Wishes

"Bear's Best Wishes"

Photo Greeting Cards &
Handcrafted Resin Items

Britt E. Waite
Owner/Photographer

brittwaitel6@gmail.com
518-637-8406

On Etsy.com at
"BearsBestWishes"



The Scents of the Season

Our Aussie family members, Janie, Haddie and Chase, want you to know it's a great time to buy a candle from CocoBee Wax Works! Not only will everyone in your home enjoy these pawsome scents created for the fundraiser, but for each candle sold, \$5 will be donated to ASF. Choose from Happy Trails (an Aussie fav - it's a walk in the woods!), Black Apple or Honey-Spiced Pear.

Should one of our other candles or wax melts be more of interest, note ASF in the comments section at checkout, and \$5 from every order (or 10% for all orders over \$50) will be donated to ASF. And to add to this pawsome offer, CocoBee Wax Works offers \$10 flat rate shipping!

Order at https://www.cocobeevaxworks.com/ASF-Fundraiser_c_28.html

For more information or for special orders, contact Tamara Loucks at loucksmarketing@wavecable.com.





ASF AUSSIE CHIC BOUTIQUE

BUY COOL MERCH & HELP SAVE AN AUSSIE. IT'S A WIN WIN!

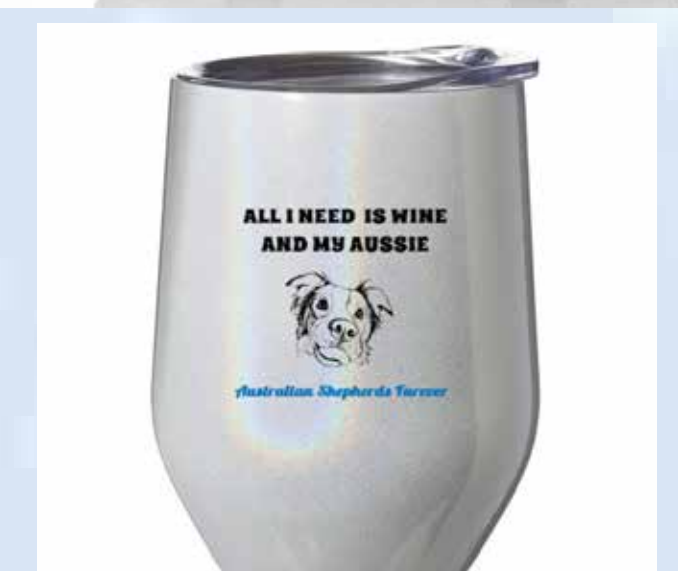


Looking for genuine ASF logo merchandise? Now you can show your support for ASF and help save more Aussies at the same time. You'll find high quality items such as:

- Coffee mugs, tumblers and travel mugs
- Water bottles
- Men's and women's T-shirts
- Tote bags and computer bags
- Hats
- Dog toys
- And more.

We're adding new items all the time. So come back often to check it out!

<https://www.australianshepherdsforever.org/shop>



Bonnie's Fantastic Frogs



Were you a BIG FAN of Kermit The Frog? Do you know all the words to *Rainbow Connection* and *It's Not Easy Being Green*? Then meet the Frog Lady, Bonnie Parker. Bonnie handcrafts these fabulous frog creatures, each with his or her own name, personality and story! They are fully dussed in unique outfits, depending on whether they are boy or girl frogs. They are 20 inches tall and take up a 7 inch footprint when sitting. Weigh in at 4.5 lbs.

If you'd like a chance to own one of Bonnie's unique creations, we are raffling off a pair that Bonnie donated as part of ASF's Holiday Mega Raffle. If you are a collector of frogs, this will be the highlight of your collection!





From Maine, homemade with love!

www.MapleShadeFarmME.com

Susan and Don Cookson bought their retirement “project farm” in 2010 and began the process of restoring it to a working farm with horses, alpacas, ducks, chickens, rabbits and Aussies! Susan, an ASF Foster and Adopter of 5, enjoys putting her “homesteading” skills to work, that she learned from her mom and Grandma. The result: a line of recycled tote bags, customized totes, doggie bandanas, and her popular “Go Bags” ... everything you need to take your pup on an outing. The farm also has gardens and heritage apple trees which Susan turns into preserves and pickles from old family recipes and sells as gift baskets. Her two best sellers: APPLE BUTTER and CRABAPPLE CHUTNEY! They are incredibly delicious!



Go Bags



Canvas totes & Bandanas



Gift Baskets



Recycled Grain-E-Totes



Aussie Totes



Personalized-Holiday Bandanas

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If you have questions, contact the Museum Shop at shopgunstonhall@gmail.com www.gunstonhall.org



Terry's Tie-Dye T's

Need some color to spice up your wardrobe? Terry's got the answer to making an impression with her bright and beautiful one-of-a-kind tie-dye creations! No two are even remotely alike! Assert your individuality and style every time you put one on!

Adult sizes S - 3XL \$30; Kid sizes XS(4) - XLH(18-20) \$20. Check out her Facebook page to see examples of tie-dye designs/colors and currently available T-shirts: www.facebook.com/terry.s.tie.dyes. See a design you like, or want specific colors/size? PM Terry or email her at thlemons@msn.com. She accepts Venmo, Zelle and PayPal



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Coming SOON



Star's Snuffles & Such

ASF Foster and Adopter Trish Hayes is an avid crafter, selling her creations at local Maine craft fairs. She started weaving deluxe, colorful snuffle mats this year to help amuse Star, her ASF rescue. Want a way to keep your Aussie occupied while in his or her crate? A snuffle mat challenges both the senses and the mind to discover all the tasty treats hidden there. In addition, Trish has revived a very old-fashioned craft! Hand-woven potholders in brilliant colors and interesting patterns. Use as a coaster and hot mats as well! A cheerful, useful addition to any kitchen's decor!

**Contact Trish on Facebook at:
<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=star%27s%20snuffles>**



The Shani Memorial Fund

***The biggest heart often comes
in the smallest package.***




For eight wonderful years, ASF Rescue Shani charmed and amazed with her striking blue eyes and her ability to pose for beautiful portraits. Her story is legendary among ASF rescues. She was found as a stray and scheduled for death in a Kansas City shelter because she was old, ugly, injured and blind, But ASF took her and she went to the Cole Family in Nebraska where a miraculous transformation occurred. Her blindness was cured, her wounds healed, her coat grew back, and Shani rose like a phoenix to online celebrity. And went on to be the most photographed and posted Aussie in ASF history, She became a Certified Therapy Dog who brought hope, comfort and love to 100s of patients in hospitals and nursing homes, Also to schools from Elementary to University. Shani touched thousands of lives. And her image helped ASF to rescue countless at-risk Aussies.



**Just Rockin' Around
The Christmas Tree!**



Shani 

Shani is gone now at age 18, but her memory lives on in The Shani Fund. It was established to allow senior citizens to adopt senior Aussies with all fees waived. Fundraisers to grow the fund will include seasonal flower bulb sales, holiday and notecards, and tote bag sales... all featuring her unforgettable images. Donations in memory of a senior dog are also welcome. Watch for more info on ways to purchase and show your support..

Adventures of Dually-Dude Fan Shoppe

Hey Guys! Dually-Dude here, social media star! And I'm lending my celebrity star power to ASF as an Honorary Spokesdog!

My crafty Crazy-Pants Mom is pretty handy. She makes awesome tumblers, t-shirts and mousepads to sell to my fans. She's made up some ASF items to help raise \$\$\$ to save more Aussies. I was a lucky pup. No shelter for me! But we know there's lots more Aussies out there without luck, without hope. That's when ASF steps in. So I hope you'll buy some of this great stuff and help support the cause!



Follow my adventures online at: <https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=adventures%20of%20dually-dude>
Visit us at www.duallydude.com to place orders for this merchandise.



It's Party Time!



Michelle Louriero
Consultant

What's better as a holiday gift than something from Pampered Chef? Whether it's a stocking stuffer or a gift swap... or a wish-list appliance like an air fryer or grill, your friends and family will be thrilled! You can't go wrong with Pampered Chef! And if you act now, you can take advantage of the November \$99 Sale for Holiday cooking essentials!

AND EVEN BETTER: This is an ASF Fundraising Party, so ASF benefits from your purchases! If you'd like to hold your own ASF Fundraising Party, contact Michelle to set you up for your own online party. Michelle does the work; you invite your friends and family. Nothing easier. And you and ASF get the rewards!





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Artisan leather goods for YOU and your DOG

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- Combining quality, heritage and tradition
- Creating custom & ready-made leather goods
- Dog collars & leashes
- Tote bags, wallets, belts & accessories
- Veteran owned and operated with American Pride



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