Our Rescue Mission
NEBTR is comprised of volunteers based in CT, DE, NJ, NY, and PA, and serves Boston Terriers in need within the reach of our helping hands. Most dogs in foster care for placement are adolescent to adult age in need of re-homing for a multitude of reasons. Our caring hands guide them as they transition into new homes. All of our rescue dogs are fostered and evaluated for a two week minimum to allow us to assess their personality and provide them with basic foundation skills, like house training, crate training, and basic manners, to ease their transition into new homes. It is our belief such work in foster care better prepares dogs for success and helps them form lasting bonds.

NEBTR’s single priority in rescue is to serve the needs of the individual dog in our care. While many loving homes, individuals and families apply to adopt rescue dogs, we frequently receive multiple applicants for a dog. Therefore, our placement process is intended to supply the dog with a home suitable to meet it’s individual needs. Rescue volunteers also receive the same screening procedures as do our adopters.

About Boston Terriers

The Boston Terrier is often referred to as “The American Gentleman”, referring to the fact that this is the first breed that started in America - making them truly an American dog!

Bostons are lively, affectionate dogs who want nothing more than to be with their humans. If you are looking for a dog that is low maintenance, loving, and loyal, this is the breed for you. Bostons usually get along with other dogs, cats, and with children.

As with all animals, there are certain things you should be aware of before considering ownership. Bostons are indoor dogs usually just wanting to go outside for elimination and short investigations or walks. Bostons have very short noses, leaving them very sensitive to heat and cold. Bostons are active dogs who love to play and interact with their humans, even into their advanced years. Bostons live an average of 11 to 13 years with many living to 15 or 16 years of age. They are a long term commitment. Most Bostons snore and love to sleep in bed with their humans. As with any breed, Bostons can be prone to health problems as they get older, requiring some expense.
The Adoption Process
Your adoption application is the first step in your adoption to enable us to match you with your potential new best friend. Reference check and home visits are also required elements to NEBTR adoption and it is our policy to complete all screening checks prior to introducing dogs to adopters.

NEBTR does not buy or sell dogs.

There is an adoption fee which usually ranges between $100-$600, depending upon age and health or vet care requirements of rescued dogs. Adoption fees are in place to defer the veterinary costs for all of the dogs in our care. All veterinary records known to NEBTR will accompany each dog upon completed adoption agreement, along with a record for services rendered while in our care.

Our first and primary goal is to provide the best home possible for each dog so they will never have to come into rescue or to a shelter again. Placement is made based upon the needs of each dog and the opportunities offered by an applicant’s home.

If you are interested in adopting a rescued Boston Terrier, please go to our website and complete an application.

www.nebostonrescue.org

Virtual Fostering
We now have a virtual foster program! The program is for people that cannot fit another furry friend into their home or for one reason or another cannot physically foster but want to help and support our rescues. It gives our many supporters the opportunity to virtually foster a dog of their choice. There are two ways to sponsor virtually, a one-time donation (Guardian) or a monthly ongoing donation (Angel).

NEBTR is starting the program with six dogs (for now) that are either forever fosters or have terminal medical conditions. If the program is successful, the intention is to add more dogs.

Each dog has a Facebook page and the sponsors will have access to the page for updates as a way to communicate with the sponsor family.

You can learn all about virtual fostering on our website, www.nebostonrescue.org, and if you know anyone who would be interested in virtually fostering one of our dogs, please lead them to the site as well.

Donations
Donations to NEBTR are tax deductible and are most welcome and appreciated! Your generosity helps us to reach more animals in need.

Donations via PayPal houndsteeth@aol.com

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