

Wayne Bjorkman



This past year New England Bull Terrier Rescue witnessed how the love for bullies and a warm, generous spirit can live on, even after one has passed.

On Wednesday, June 23, 2010, Wayne Bjorkman died in a motorcycle accident. In addition to being a lover of bullies, especially beautiful Victoria Rose (Vikki), Wayne was also a lover of life. People describe him as a man who was a smiling light on earth, outdoor enthusiast, music lover, and all around great guy, known for his humor and spirit.

Wayne's family, including his fiancé, wished to honor Wayne's memory in a special way. Through their generosity and that of countless friends, family, coworkers and business associates, the NEBTR has established the Bjorkman fund. Contributions made to this special fund serve those dogs in our care that require training and behavioral consulting to improve their quality of life and adoptability. The funds may also help supplement the cost of training and evaluating dogs in danger of being surrendered due to behavior problems.

Wayne's love for his sweet Vikki was a recurring theme in the notes and letters we received from family and friends, especially those that knew him from Vikki's training classes. We hope this will create a lasting legacy in honor of Wayne.

