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## Jericho Students Holds Fundraiser

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Sheba and Jackpot, 11 and 15 year old dogs who were left homeless after their owner died, were recently rescued from the Town of Hempstead Animal Shelter where they were set to be euthanized. The two senior dogs are now staying at A & A Veterinary Clinic in Franklin Square, but are looking for a permanent home.

Jericho Middle School's Community Service Learning and Student Council have been fundraising for these two dogs to stay at their current location, which costs \$90 a day. A recent 2-day bake sale raised over \$700 for the animals.

A group of Jericho High School students, from the Kids Helping Pets club, joined the effort and have a bake sale scheduled for Nov. 14 with all proceeds going to support Sheba and Jackpot.

"Although the dogs can stay at the clinic, it is costly and it is our hope to find the dogs a permanent home together," said Jericho Middle School teacher and Student Council Advisor Judi Adler.

To make a donation, or if interested in fostering or adopting the dogs, contact A&A Veterinary Clinic at 516-437-7222 and tell the receptionist that Sheba and Jackpot are under the account of Joanne Felicio –Acct #420.



*Sheba and Jackpot*