



MAY 2015

## DOGGY DIGEST

 **ADOPTION  
& REHOMING**

 **RESCUE &  
TREATMENT**

 **STERILISATION &  
VACCINATION**

 **EDUCATION &  
AWARENESS**

### A PASHIONABLE HEART: UMayA



Umay Gunaratne was one of the first volunteers on the scene, but to call her a volunteer does not begin to describe this young lady's dedication to animals. Umay has accompanied Embark on much of our eight year journey and is a much loved member of the Embark family.

When she first joined us, it was to help out at Embark events but soon she was opening her home to homeless puppies and taking on the role of loving foster mum.

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### RESCUE UPDATE: A FRIENDLY HOPPER!



Hopper is receiving treatment and continues to heal. Next, she needs a permanent home where she will have gentle, loving care. Our thanks go out to everyone who was part of the first phase of her recovery.

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### SPAY/NEUTER STORIES: SIGIRIYA



The team had booked to stay at Madhawa Resthouse, close to where a field clinic was to be conducted. While we were checking in, an adult dog with a thick brown coat wandered up to inspect our luggage.

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### A POST FROM OTARA: 08 YEARS OF EMBARK



It was 8 years ago, that I launched Embark with six t-shirts and the dream to improve the welfare of street dogs in Sri Lanka. I have always loved animals and have tried to find ways to help them.

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### WHAT TO DO IF YOU SEE ABANDONED PUPS?



Puppies are a common concern of Embark's hotline callers. So, if you see puppies on the street what should you do? First, you need to determine if the pups are alone or if the mother dog is around.

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#### MONTH AT A GLANCE



#### HOPPER SAYS HELLO



#### ACHIEVEMENTS



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