

## Meet Area Coordinator Linda

I was 'encouraged' to foster by past CPR President, Robyn, after adopting my eldest dog, Bogi, from Florida Poodle Rescue. Having had a poodle and poodle mix as a child, I knew that this was the breed for me! I waited until my three children were older so that the dog would become a treasured family member.. Well, as any foster knows, I failed miserably because I kept my first foster, Lisa! A few more followed, then I had to keep Jack, my one eyed wonder biting boy. That's was enough for me...or so I thought, then Lin asked me to foster an 8 week old puppy that needed eye surgery...well, ok, but puppies are a lot of work! I went through four months of surgeries and recoup time with Trevor until it was time to put him on the Take Me Home page. I just couldn't do it!!! Yikes, how did I end up with four dogs?! Good thing 2 kids moved out!

### Counties Covered

Martin	St. Lucie
Indian River	Charlotte
Desoto	Glades
Hardee	Highlands
Manatee	Sarasota
Pasco	Pinellas
Polk	Hillsborough

### Area Events

FPL Extreme Energy Race —Ft. Pierce  
Monthly Petsmart Meet & Greet  
Plus I attend many of the events held in Palm and Broward Counties throughout the year!

# of foster dogs: 13

1 permanent foster dog

# of shelters covered: 3

### Responsibilities:

Board Member & VP,  
Home Visits,  
transport, foster mom  
and placing dogs into  
forever homes!

