



December 25, 2008 Episode: D134



CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING

TIME: 14:30 p.m. Length: 30 minutes E/I 13-16 years of age

**ALEX PAEN**, the host of "Animal Rescue" is an award-winning journalist specializing in international news. Born in Greenwich, Connecticut, Paen was raised in Massachusetts and graduated from UCLA in Los Angeles, California where he also began his journalism career at KMPC Radio in 1975.

In 1994, he became the host of the nationally syndicated television show "EMERGENCY WITH ALEX PAEN." In 1997, Paen created "[Animal Rescue](#)" and in 2003 developed and brought to national syndication "[MISSING.](#)" In September, 2007 Paen launched "[Dog Tales](#)," a weekly television magazine show all about dogs.

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- The Dunn family of Woodland Hills, California, introduces viewers to Blaise, a yellow Lab and a mixed breed named Romeo. Family members describe each dog's behavior and personality.
  - Visiting a hospital where therapy dogs are used to help cheer up sick children.
  - Training tip: Meeting new people.
  - Ask the vet: Learning which foods are dangerous for dogs.
  - Breed profile: Coton de Tulear. Viewers learn all about this particular breed.
  - Book recommendations from Scholastic.
  - Shelter of the week: Adoptable dogs from San Diego, CA.
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