

HELLO, AXEL NOZE IS SHARING A BUDDY BAND
WITH YOU TODAY. SEE THE 988?

REMEMBER:

- ACTIVELY BE WATCHING OUT FOR OTHERS,
- ASK A SAFE ADULT FOR HELP,
- USE THE 988 TALKLINE.

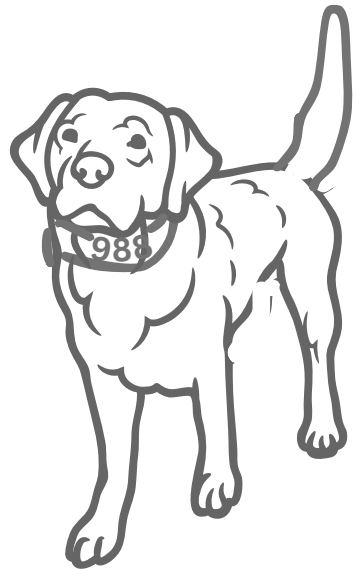
DON'T FORGET!

KINDNESS IS KOOL!



Write us or send us a picture
of your best buddy at:

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The Official Mission Manual

for

AXEL NOZE

BAND OF BUDDIES

HI, I'M
AXEL NOZE!
Will you join our
mission to:

- ACTIVELY watch out for others,
- Ask a safe adult for help, and
- Use the 988 talkline if no safe
adult is around?



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These are just two of my many buddies, Toby and Chance.

Together we are on a mission to find more buddies and to tell others about staying safe. Also, about the #988 talkline.

Official Band of Buddies member -

Do you have a special pet that is your buddy?

Can they can be our buddy, too?

Draw a picture of your buddy here



Hi I'm Toby. Hi, I'm Chance.

We are helping Axel Noze with a very important mission.

2 We are glad you are going to help us!

Ok, everyone - this is the most important part of the mission.

I need you to tell OTHER buddies about calling 988!



It's a safe talkline. Anyone can call it.

It takes a lot of bravery to ask for help.

Big people get sad, afraid or think no one understands what they are feeling, just like us.

Just say, let's call 988 and talk to someone that will understand!

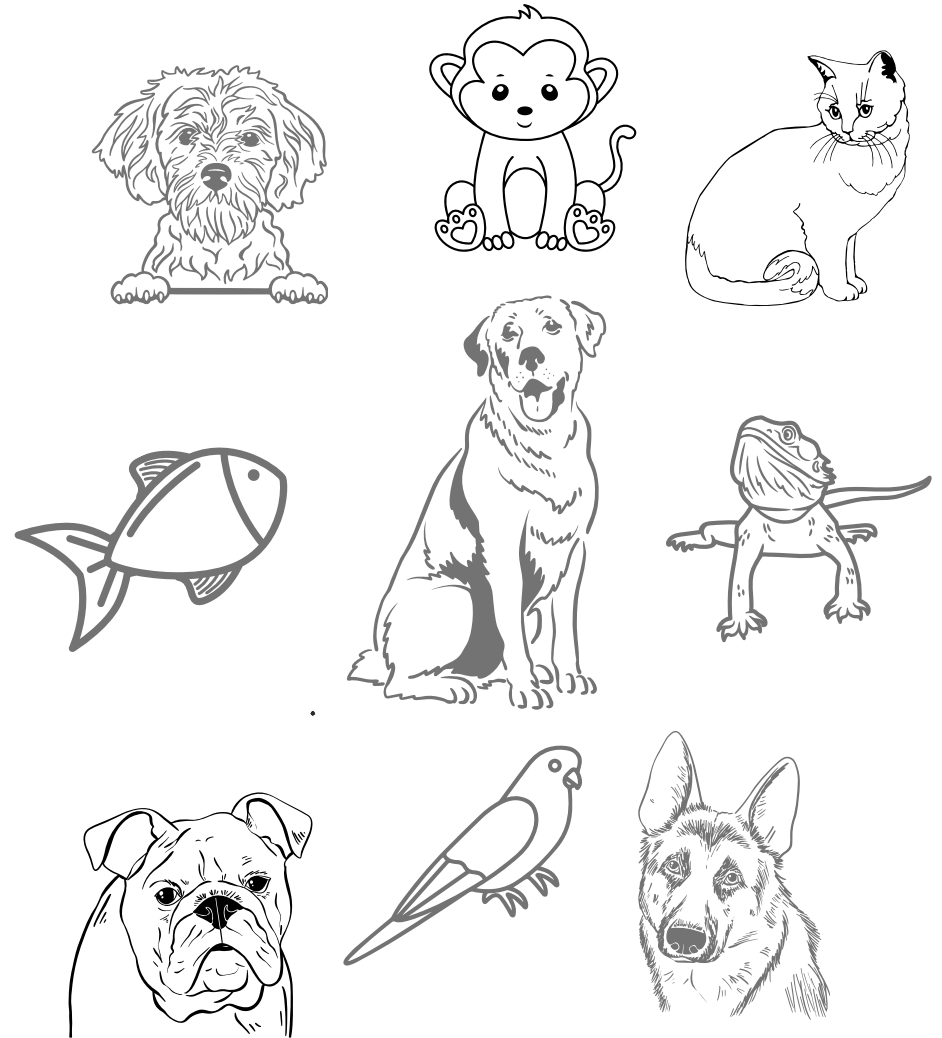
The first part of the mission is to **ACTIVELY** pay attention to others.

Actively just means noticing what is happening around you.

That's one way that we can make new buddies.

We like that our buddies are different.

Axel Noze says that being different makes us all special.



Things never get boring around here!

A good buddy watches out to make sure others are safe.



Toby, Chance, and all of our Band of Buddies,
never stop asking to get help for someone.
Even if you think they will be upset or mad at you.



Asking a safe person to get help is how we help others.

If no one is around, call 988!

Big people can use 988, too.

Doing the right thing is always better than doing nothing.

If that happens,
go tell a safe person. If no one is around, then call, 988.

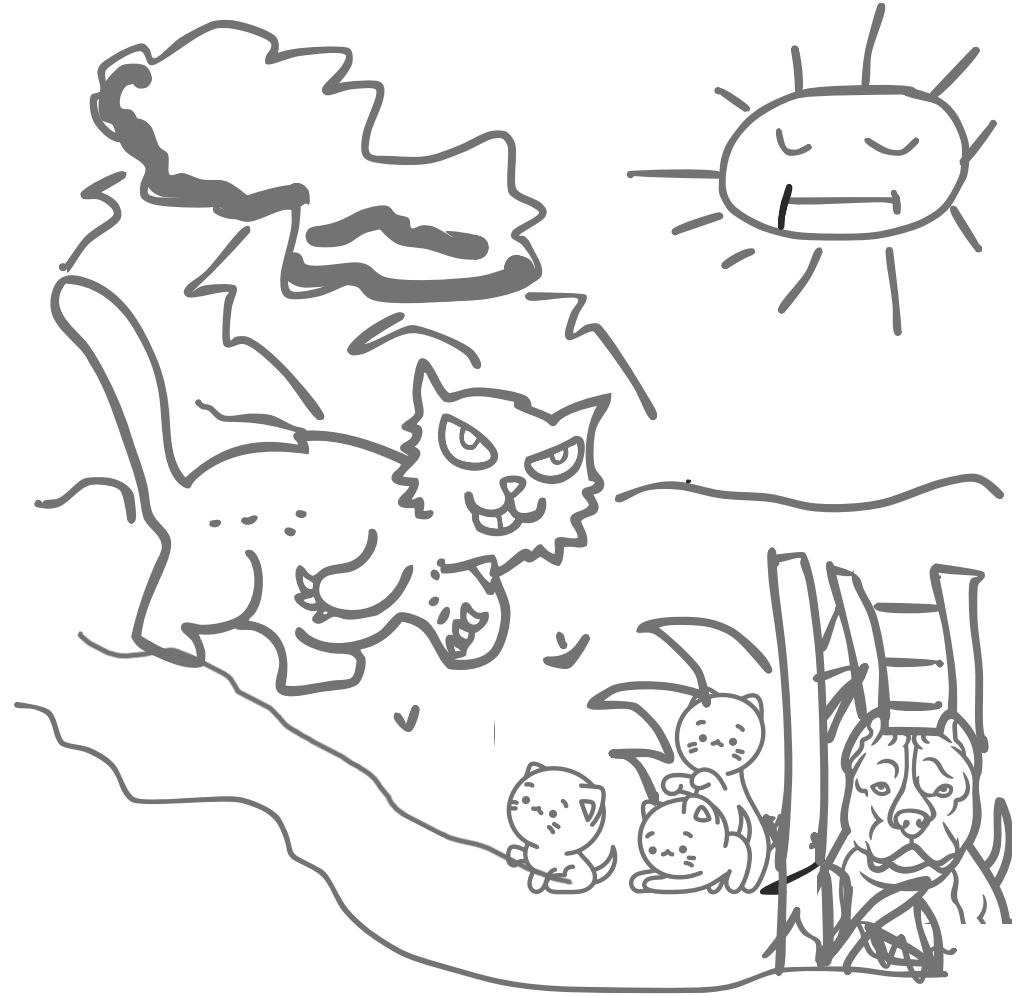
Later, when they are not extra sad -.

they might want to hang out and play. That's being kind.

Toby, we all know that KINDNESS IS KOOL!



Axel, what are we supposed to do about the meanies?
They scare me and I'm afraid to go help my buddies.
I don't want the meanies to be mean to me next !



First of all Chance, remember, good buddies are never
mean to anyone.

Buddies have to stay safe, too.

It IS helping our buddy
when we tell a safe adult about it.

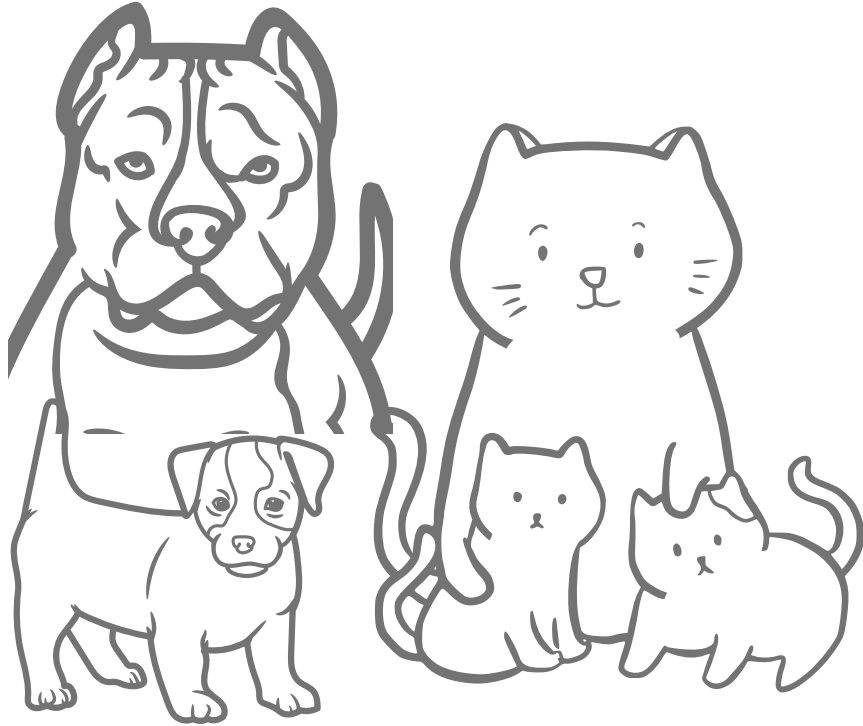
Or to call 988 to talk.

Listen Buddies, I really don't know why there are meanies.
Maybe they are extra sad or are afraid of something themselves?

Maybe, they don't know why they are mean either?

But, no matter what,
always be Kind. Even to meanies.

Maybe no one else is being kind to them anywhere else?



That is an extra important reason for telling a safe adult
or calling 988. We might get help for meanies, too.

Later, when they aren't mean,
they just might become our new buddy!

When we are looking out for others, you might see someone that is
more than regular sad. Axel Noze calls it *extra* sad.

