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A Happy Tale — of Six Happy Tails!

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This tale begins nearly 2,500 miles away from the Cleveland Animal Protective League, in Vancouver, Washington. That's where Amanda Giese and her family run Panda Paws Rescue, a small, non-profit rescue organization for dogs with serious medical conditions and other special needs.

In May, Amanda and a friend were visiting Cleveland. While driving through the Tremont neighborhood, they came upon a gentleman in his yard, with an adult dog and a litter of five puppies. Brownie, the adult dog, he explained, was his longtime companion. He planned to give the puppies away, but was having a hard time finding the right people to take them, and provide them with good, loving homes. It had not been his intention to breed Brownie, but he hadn't been able to afford to have her spayed.

This animal advocate from across the country then made an incredibly generous offer: If Brownie's owner would allow it, Amanda would make the necessary arrangements, and pay to have Brownie and all of her puppies fixed. Brownie's owner gratefully agreed.

Amanda arranged for Brownie to have a "spa day," at a local veterinary clinic. During her overnight stay, Brownie was spayed, vaccinated, groomed, and pampered. Amanda posted pictures and updates of Brownie's trip to the "spa" on Panda Paws' Facebook page, where the story received hundreds of positive comments, and loving wishes were sent to Brownie from around the country. Brownie's fairy godmother was not done yet, though: She purchased and delivered dog food, beds, toys, collars, leashes and flea treatments to Brownie's owner. Brownie returned home the next day, safe, clean, and on the mend.



Brownie's five adorable puppies. Sandy, aka Matilda, featured in lower right corner.

With Brownie's needs addressed, Amanda turned to the APL for help in finding the puppies their forever homes. The APL veterinary staff gave the five cuddly, healthy pups their medical examinations and vaccinations, and spayed or neutered them as well. After a short recovery, the puppies moved to the APL

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Sharon Harvey and Roo

Letter from the CEO

On a Monday evening in June, five, 8-to 10-week-old, reportedly "feral," kittens were shot by a "humane officer" in a Lorain County community just outside of Cleveland, Ohio. While this occurred outside of our area of legal jurisdiction, it certainly did not escape our concern. As you can imagine, we were outraged, as were animal-lovers and advocates from all across the country.

For clarification, it is important to note that this "humane officer" was not a humane agent appointed by a humane society, like the Cleveland APL, for the purpose of protecting animals and enforcing Ohio's animal cruelty laws. Much of his responsibility involves animal control issues.

Contrary to the statement issued by public officials after the incident, we know of no HUMANE animal organization that supports the routine use of gunshot for the euthanasia of cats when other options exist. The fact that this involved kittens, occurred within 10-15 feet of a residence in a populated, family neighborhood, and with young, horrified children in the house listening to the gunfire and animals dying, just makes it even more incomprehensible.

While there may be situations where animal control or law enforcement officers in the field have no option but to shoot a dangerous animal in self-defense to protect the public from imminent harm, or even to euthanize an injured, suffering animal when no other options exist, to our knowledge, none of those conditions existed that night. Amazingly, and in the face of the massive public outcry, public officials quickly issued a statement concluding there was no wrongdoing on the part of the animal control officer.

There are three primary outcomes that must result from this tragic event. The first is a change in policy and practice that govern the humane capture and euthanasia of feral and free-roaming cats or dogs. The second is updated education and training of animal control personnel to ensure that they carry out their duties humanely and responsibly. The third is the community's acceptance and implementation of Trap-Neuter-Return (TNR) as the only effective, humane means of reducing and managing free-roaming, community cat populations.

Reportedly, the mother cat was with her kittens when the gunfire started and ran



off in fear. Here's the sad irony... without TNR, she'll be back in that or someone else's wood pile with another litter of kittens ... and if it's not her, it will be another mom cat.

Let's not just end the shooting. Let's end the needless loss of life for free-roaming cats via any method of euthanasia by getting behind a proven and humane solution—TNR.

NOTE: The Cleveland APL offers TNR surgery to the caretakers of feral or free-roaming cats in Cleveland and Cuyahoga County for a fee of only \$10 per cat or kitten. Please contact our TNR Coordinator, Sara Dillenkofer, at (216) 377-1624 to learn more about the program or to make an appointment that will save many, many lives. (Regular fees for Cuyahoga County residents have been subsidized by generous grants from the Kenneth A. Scott Charitable Trust, the Bernice Barbour Foundation, and the Ohio Pet Fund.)

Six Happy Tails

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adoption floor, and quickly began to find their forever homes. Within days, all of them had been adopted. Amanda described her Cleveland adventure on Facebook. "Spectacular day today!" she begins. She goes on to express her gratitude for everyone involved in this tale of kindness and generosity, including Brownie's owner, for his willingness to accept her offer of

help, and for wanting the best for his dogs, the veterinary clinic that treated Brownie "with compassion and understanding," and the Cleveland APL for accepting all five puppies and finding them homes. She downplays her role as guardian angel for Brownie and her puppies. "I'm no saint, no hero, no angel," she writes. "I'm one person still believing in helping your fellow human in a time of need." She adds that she hopes the story will encourage others to "choose to lend

a helping hand when that moment is presented in front of them."

It appears that Amanda already is getting her wish: one of Brownie's puppies, Matilda (formerly Sandy) is working on potty training and basic commands, and soon will begin taking classes to become a therapy dog. Matilda and her "dad" will be visiting hospitals, lending a helping hand (and paw)!



Another Happy Tale

Scout Finds His Own Path to His Fur-ever Home

When Scout came to the APL in October 2012, it wasn't clear that his story would end with a happily-ever-after. The handsome gray tiger cat was in obvious pain and urinating blood. A man had found him as a stray, and brought him to the APL to be euthanized.

The intake staff noted that, aside from the urinary issue, Scout appeared healthy. The APL's veterinary team discovered that Scout had a urethral obstruction, a painful, life-threatening condition, but otherwise was a healthy 2½ year old. Scout had surgery to address the obstruction. The only lasting result: He must be on a special prescription diet for the rest of his life. APL staff and volunteers were concerned that this additional expense might make it harder to find him a home. Scout wasn't worried, though. He had plans of his own...

Michele Lavecchia has been a lifelong animal lover. When her circumstances changed, and she was able to have a pet, she knew she wanted a cat. While she was anxious to adopt, she was careful in making her choice. She wanted to be sure the cat she chose would be a good fit. After all, this cat was to be a permanent member of Michele's family.

Michele made a number of trips to the APL, looking for just the right cat. On her third trip, she brought her boyfriend and his children, since Michele wanted a cat that would get along with the important people in her life. They met with one cat, who wasn't as comfortable with the children as Michele had hoped. They walked through the cat adoption room, thinking about what to do. While Michele was uncertain, Scout was not—he immediately charted out his path to his forever home.



Scout photographed during his stay at the shelter by APL Volunteer Photographer Dan Sandy.

As Michele passed Scout's cage, he reached out a paw and grabbed her leg. This animal lover with the big heart was going to be his mom! Michele took him from the cage, and Scout went to work—head butting, kissing her, talking, purring. He pulled out all the stops—even charming Michele's boyfriend's children. That was it! Scout went home with Michele that day.

Scout loves his life of leisure in the home he chose for himself. He spends most days alone with Michele, where he discovered that he likes drinking water from the fresh stream that appears magically each day from the bathtub spigot. And, Scout has discovered that if he wakes Michele up a few minutes before the alarm goes off, he gets some last minute cuddling before the day begins. On weekends, when family and friends visit, Scout is friendly, even with Michele's "grand-dog," a golden retriever. Scout seems to be relieved, though, when everyone leaves, and he has his mom to himself. Michele teases him that he lives in Camelot. Scout seems to agree. And why not? After all, he earned it, by scouting out his purrfect forever home.



The Cleveland APL's animals are fed Hill's® Science Diet® pet food.

Offsite Adoptions

For dates and times, visit our website at www.ClevelandAPL.org.



Adoption Hours:
Monday through Friday 11 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Sunday Noon to 4 p.m.



Animal Surrender Hours
(Intake):
Monday through Friday 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Sunday Closed



Making Happily Ever Afters Since 1913

Where We Were Then And Where We Are Now

Everyday Adoption Center to
Open at Parma PetSmart™



Kimmy in the APL's adoption area in 1970.

As the Cleveland Animal Protective League celebrates our centennial this year, we have an opportunity to look back on our long, rich history of serving the animals of the Greater Cleveland area. We know we have so many things to celebrate. But, truly, it all boils down to one very simple thing ... each and every happy ending that has been created over the last 100 years for adopted animals and their people.

The black-and-white photo accompanying this article shows a little girl named Kimmy visiting the APL's adoption area in 1970. Maybe the kitty she was holding became her new best friend? Every day at the APL, staff and volunteers celebrate the new families that are made when our animals go off to loving homes.

And now, as we look to our future and making more happily ever afters for homeless animals, we are pleased to announce that the Cleveland APL, PetSmart™, and PetSmart Charities® are partnering to maintain a new Everyday Adoption Center (EAC) at the PetSmart™ located at 6780 Ridge Road in Parma. We will have animals available for adoption during regular store hours with approximately 22 dog and 20 cat kennels, in addition to a meet-and-greet room/ playroom.

PetSmart Charities® Everyday Adoption Centers are a nationwide, collaborative initiative between PetSmart Charities® and animal welfare organizations. The goal is to save more homeless pets. The adoption centers provide space to house adoptable dogs and cats 24 hours a day. This frees up space at local shelters and provides greater exposure of adoptable animals to the public. The Parma EAC is scheduled to open mid-August. Please check our website, www.ClevelandAPL.org, for more information as it gets closer to the opening date!



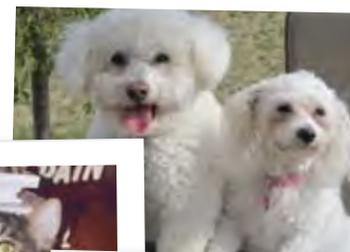
Another happily ever after in 2013!

2014 Annual Pet Calendar

The Cleveland APL's 2014 Pet Calendar will be available for sale beginning on November 4. The cover of our new calendar will feature Rudi and Rocky, whose mom and dad just happen to be former Cleveland Indian and current New York Yankee Designated Hitter Travis Hafner and his wife, Amy. The photo shoot for the cover is done by Pulitzer Prize-winning Associated Press photographer Amy Sancetta. The calendar cover photo shoot is one of our live auction items at the APL's annual Cold Noses, Warm Hearts - Fur Ball gala.

The calendar will make a great gift for your animal-loving family and friends. After November 4, the calendar can be previewed and ordered online at www.ClevelandAPL.org. It will also be available for sale at the APL's Adoption Center or you can purchase by calling 216-377-1628.

Don't miss the chance for your furry friend to be featured in the 2015 calendar. Enter online at www.ClevelandAPL.org or call 216-377-1628 for more information.



Another Happy Tale

Hounds Find Heaven on Earth

The Cleveland APL works in partnership with other animal shelters and organizations, including the Cleveland City Kennel, to transfer in and save the lives of more dogs in our area. Last September, the APL got a surprise from the City Kennel – six Bloodhounds, all around two years old! The APL veterinary staff examined the dogs (boys Bobby Dale, Bobby Ray and Bobby Joe, and girls Bobby Anne, Bobby Mae, and Bobby Sue), spayed or neutered them, and pronounced them available to move to the adoption floor.

The playful, energetic hounds quickly became stars of the Dog Adoption area. Staff, volunteers, and visitors alike were drawn to their friendly, goofy antics. One by one, the Bloodhounds began to find their forever homes.

Laura initially visited the APL website after she heard a story on the radio about rabbits at the APL. Then she clicked on the photographs of the adoptable dogs – and saw Bobby Ray and Bobby Mae. Laura and her husband Dan already had three young adult sons, two Bloodhounds they had rescued years before, a Labradoodle, and five cats! Still, Laura and Dan



came to the APL, “just to look” at one. Laura describes what happened next: “We were greeted by an awesome group of staff upon arrival, and were taken into the kennel area. You can imagine our delight when we saw the two of them ‘bunking’ together, keeping each other safe, calm, and cozy in their new temporary home! We were able to play with them in the bonding area—or rather—they played with us! Very rambunctious, clumsy, excitable, and needy! Truly two dogs who could not be separated, or returned to their cage... we adopted BOTH ... leaving with them that same day!”

Bobby Ray, now called Jax, and Bobby Mae, now Midge, love their new life in the country with the



Top: Jax and Midge on the patio with Roxy and Lola.
Left: The gang hanging out in hound heaven.

other members of their family – human, canine and feline! They are part of the five-dog “pack,” and happily share their four-acre yard with Bloodhounds Roxy and Lola and Labradoodle Marley. Jax and Midge remain especially close to one another; they cuddle up together when sleeping, and always “look” for one another when they are apart. Laura reports that they spend lots of time chasing butterflies, birds, and “especially each other.” Roxy and Lola sun themselves while keeping an eye on the youngsters. This summer, Jax and Midge are enjoying their baby pool, taking flying leaps into it! Soon, they’ll get to try out the in-ground pool with their big brother Marley. As Laura notes, “it’s good to be a hound.” Especially these hounds!

As Laura describes in one of the eagerly-anticipated updates about these special dogs: “They’re happy, healthy, and excited to be here with us ... in Hound Heaven!”

Volunteer at the APL

Share your love of animals and become a Cleveland Animal Protective League volunteer. Check our website at www.ClevelandAPL.org for dates of upcoming volunteer orientation sessions.

To Make a Donation to the APL:

Visit our website at www.ClevelandAPL.org or mail your check to the Cleveland Animal Protective League, Attention Development Office, 1729 Willey Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44113.



**Cold Noses,
Warm Hearts**

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We hope you can join us for the Cleveland APL's annual gala

This year's gala will be even more special because on February 7, 2013, the Cleveland APL turned 100 years old. As we look back on our long, rich history of serving the animals of the Greater Cleveland area, we know we have so many things to celebrate—especially the thousands of happy endings we have all made possible for animals and their loving families!

This sensationally casual event will be held Saturday, November 2, 2013, at 5:30 p.m. at the InterContinental



Hotel Cleveland. You will enjoy wonderful food stations, fabulous live and silent auction items, and a surprise guest appearance from a VIP (Very Important Pooch).

Proceeds from this event benefit the Cleveland APL's Second Chance Program. Visit our website at www.ClevelandAPL.org to learn more about the Second Chance Program and the event, including corporate sponsorship opportunities, providing silent or live auction items, or purchasing tickets.

FUR BALL 2013 • SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2

Photos by: Norman Freelan, Kristin Gall, Dan Sandy and Denise Webb

Thank You Cleveland Indians...

for hosting Puppypalooza for the 4th year at Progressive Field to benefit the Cleveland APL.

It was a tail-wagging party at the baseball game on Monday, June 17, when the Cleveland Indians took on the Kansas City Royals at Progressive Field. Just before the game, all the pooches and their people paraded on the warning track around the field and then enjoyed the game from the Party Deck—and it sure was a party.

Even though the Indians fell to the Royals 2 to 1, everyone still had a doggone good time!

The event raised \$2,385 for the Cleveland APL and nearly 600 dogs and their "humans" attended!

Save the Date! The second Puppypalooza will be Monday, September 9, at 7:05pm. The Tribe will be taking on the Royals yet again.



Photos by: Scott Theus



Photo by: Kevin Richards

Q104's Fee's Kompany and APL's Sharon Harvey and Judy Hunter celebrate \$1 million raised for the APL over the past eight Radiothons.



Students from Messiah Lutheran School in Fairview Park raised \$791 and won an assembly with Joe and Annie Thomas and Fee's Kompany.



Photo by: Regina Strauss

Phone Bank Volunteers from Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District's PUP (Pick Up Poop) help take donations while snuggling an APL puppy.

Radiothon and Rockin' Rescue

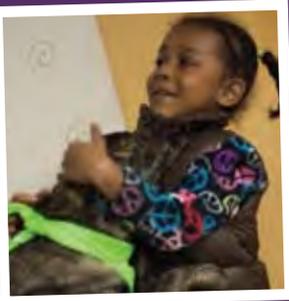


Photo by: Kevin Richards

Some K-9 kisses during the event!

Fee's Kompany, Q104's morning show team, had plenty of company as we celebrated the 8th Annual Pledge for Pets Radiothon May 10-11 at the Cleveland APL. Allan Fee, Katherine Boyd, and Glenn Anderson hosted the 18-hour live broadcast, which raised over \$123,000 to help homeless animals.

Our top fund-raising school was Messiah Lutheran School in Fairview Park, where the entire school collected \$791 for the APL. To celebrate their fund-raising efforts, the students won an assembly at their school with Joe and Annie Thomas and Fee's Kompany.

For the third consecutive year, we held a Rockin' Rescue adoption promotion in conjunction with Radiothon. This year's promotion resulted in the adoption of 100 animals— 81 cats, 18 dogs, and one rabbit.

Save the date! The 9th Annual Q104 Pledge for Pets Radiothon will take place in 2014 on Friday, May 2, from 6 am to 6 pm and Saturday, May 3, from 10 am to 4 pm. Also, please look for a save the date for our 2nd Annual Indoor Dog Walk at SouthPark Mall.



Photo by: Denise Webb

Cleveland APL Board Chairperson Laura Hudak helps a little boy and his family during an adoption.

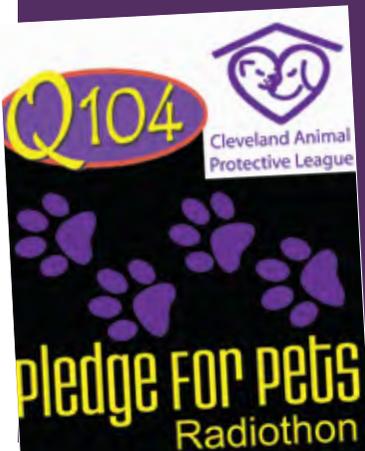
During 18 hours on the air, Fee's Kompany, along with guests including Cleveland APL staff members, volunteers and adopters, shared heart-warming, real-life stories that captured the spirit of the Cleveland APL's mission, our animals and the special people who rescue, rehabilitate and care for them.

Thank you to all of our sponsors, our many volunteers and everyone else who made the 8th Annual Q104 Cleveland APL Pledge for Pets Radiothon such a fantastic success!

Thank You to Our Sponsors:

Over the past eight years, the Pledge for Pets Radiothon has raised more than \$1 million for the animals at the Cleveland APL. We are so grateful to Allan, Katherine, Glenn and the entire Q104 team for their continued commitment and compassion in engaging their listeners to open their hearts to our animals.

Leading up to the Radiothon, APL supporters signed up to be Q Cash Captains, Kids or Schools and collected donations for the APL's animals from their families, friends and co-workers. The top Q Cash Kid fundraisers were Emily Wander and Katie Bly (as a team) in first place. Ben Anglewic came in a close second place. We were so grateful again this year to have Joe Thomas of the Cleveland Browns and his wife and APL Board Member, Annie, sponsor our Q Cash School program.



APL Launches New Program, Project CARE



Project CARE volunteers at the event.

The Cleveland Animal Protective League launched Project CARE in April 2013. Project CARE's mission is to provide outreach support for pet-owning residents in a targeted area that will help those owners keep their pets. Project CARE will also provide spay/neuter services with the goal of reducing community pet overpopulation.

The Project CARE's "target area" was identified as the highest animal intake area for both the Cleveland APL and Cleveland City Kennel through GIS mapping data. Project CARE will take a grassroots, door-to-door approach within the identified one-square-mile area in Cleveland's Ward 14.

Project CARE also plans to host two vaccination clinics this year; services



APL Veterinarian Dr. Sandra Andrulis and Veterinary Technician Amanda Thomas treat a dog.

will be free for animal owners and caretakers of stray animal populations in the target area.

The first vaccination clinic was held

on June 29, 2013, in Trent Park, located in the heart of the target area. The event was a tremendous success. A total of 60 cats and 347 dogs were vaccinated, de-wormed and flea treated. Over 100 animals were signed up for spay or neuter surgery and our first surgery day took place on July 12.

If you are interested in learning more about Project CARE or becoming a volunteer for the program, please contact Program Manager Becca Britton via e-mail, bbritton@clevelandapl.org or call 216-255-5012.

Project CARE is fully funded by a grant from the ASPCA® and will take place over the next year until May 2014.

Photos by: Scott Theus

APL Voted Best Local Nonprofit/Charity in Cleveland by Scene Magazine

If you have not had an opportunity to check out Scene Magazine's "Best of Cleveland – 2013" issue, you might not have heard the news – the Cleveland APL has been voted best local nonprofit /charity

in Cleveland this year! That's right; more than 35,000 people voted, which resulted in the APL being nominated best in our category! As the largest nonprofit humane society in Ohio, we are honored to have

been recognized by Scene Magazine and the wonderful residents of Cleveland who support our mission to foster compassion and end animal suffering!

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Thank You So Much!

BUCKBUCK Studio

For collecting donations at the door to benefit the APL during Purr: A Juried Art Cats-travaganza, an art exhibition that showcased the work of 25+ nationally located artists.

Orange Art Center

For donating a portion of the proceeds to the APL from the preview party for The 6th Annual Animals in Art Exhibition & Trunk Sale.

Sports Rehabilitation Consultants

For donating proceeds from their gourmet gift basket raffle at the "2nd Annual Doggy de Mayo Party" to the APL. In addition to the monetary donations, they also collected in-kind donations for the APL. Additionally, a kitten was adopted during the event!

SnapOn Business Solutions

They held a one-week fundraiser for their employees this past June. They collected monetary and in-kind donations for the APL. One of the days the APL brought adoptable animals.

Via the Sun

Hosted their album release party at the Avenue Tap House in Lakewood. They took donations for the APL at the door.

Thanks to the generosity and efforts of everyone involved in these events, more than \$6,600 was raised to help the Cleveland APL and our animals.

We also appreciate the in-kind donations we have received from our friends and supporters in the community.

Other Ways to Give

Deloitte Employees Lend a Helping Hand to the APL

On Friday, June 7, a group of employees from Deloitte spent the day at the APL painting metal trim throughout the shelter as a part of their IMPACT Day. Deloitte, with more than 80 U.S. locations — and hundreds more around the world — provides audit, consulting, financial advisory, risk management and tax services to their clients. During their IMPACT Day, Deloitte employees donate their time and talents to help an organization in the community.

Deloitte's team of volunteers was led by Shannon Sashko and Gina Parente. Shannon and Gina contacted the APL because they both currently volunteer at the shelter.

Although Deloitte's employees are not required to participate in IMPACT Day, most do. Over the course of the year, they usually help around 10 different organizations in the community.

Deloitte's IMPACT Day was a beneficial experience for their staff, as well as for the Cleveland APL—a handful of Deloitte's staff adopted and went home with new furry friends!

Deloitte's team of volunteers, along with APL's staff Sharon Harvey, Judy Hunter, and Danielle Begalla.



Photo by: Jamie Sanchez-Anderson

Tributes

The following tribute gifts were received between March 2013 and May 2013.

A gift of \$50 or more is recognized in Pet Patter.

Tribute donations are a very special way to remember and honor loved ones and pets.

Notification will be sent to whomever you ask us to notify.

In Memory of Individual:

Dana Michael Barnes Kerry and Ceasar Gallagher

Cynthia M. Barron Jay and Catherine Mansbach

James A. Baus Anonymous

Donald Becker Nancy Long and Lin Matt

Karen Benson Richard and Gloria Moore

Kent Benzinger Charlene Kusner, Robert Meyer, Raymond and Dawn Puzziello

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John Horvath Lillian Horvath and Friends of John A. Horvath, Brian and Lori Mewhinney

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Tributes

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Nancy Jaite Elizabeth Campbell
Dolores M. Kleme Ed and Marlene Kilpatrick
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Stuart Sharpe's Birthday Tamara Hrynik
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In Memory of Animal:

Ace Rich and Sheila Henry
All God's Creatures Douglas and Tamara Nelson
Bailey Horvitz Brad and Linda Demsey
Bailey aka Duffer Norman and Donna Shafran
Benji Ida Strozky
Bernie Laura Martin
Bernie Christopher Zito and the Zito Insurance Agency
Boots Debra Nyikes
Brady Jeff and Meryl Kaplan
Brandie and Abby Shaw Amy Shaw
Brandy Bonnie Angermeier
Brandy Jim and Janice Denham
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Cricket Kim and Al Tarnowski
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Dusty Ms. Marianne Nolan
Floyd Jeff and Meryl Kaplan
Friday, Molly, Mandy, Madame and Rocky Don and Linda Richards
Herbie Barry and Cheryl deBock
Hogan Edison Foulds Katherine Foulds and Marc Hopkins
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Jolie Kim E. Gorman



Photo by: Denise Webb

June Bug and Sissy Joan C. Kreiser
Leo Dennis and Dawn Swit
Loki Gallucci Brad and Linda Demsey
Luke Fiala Michael Fiala
Mac Nish Karen Skinder
Maggie Greg and Kelly Taylor
Manny Felicia Browning
Maudlin Nassim L. Behi
Max and Jake Tom and Natalie Rumbaugh
Meeks Amy Raber
Mira Jamie Tannish and Rick Howard
Molly Nancy Hansen
Nate Rachel Roberts
Niko Laura Martin
Olivia Jane Zimring
Peanut Mae Karoli
Pokey Mike Dombrowski
Ricki Hanowitz Diane M. Hanowitz
Robert Earl Vogle Becky Vogle
Rocky Rhoda and Rick Dillman
Rocky, Bullwinkle, Leo, Crickers and Herbert Mayer Dr. Terri Shawhan
Sadie and Grace Scirie-Klein Marta and John Zamiska
Scarlet Cindy Hazelton
Susie Scott and Cherrie Miller
Those We Have Lost Debbie Bernacki
Tyler, Duece III and Sassy Kenneth and Carol Bakos
Valentine Martin and Gail Shieff
Velvet Sherrie Szalay
Willy Jay and Catherine Mansbach
Winston Kilgore Barbara Philibert and Dennis Smith

In Honor of Animal:

All of the cats who have taken care of Mary Misamore Susan Luria
Alex and Zeke Catherine Veres
All God's Creatures Douglas and Tamara Nelson
All Loving Fur Babies Diane and Michael Brookins
Baxter Watts Sharon and Gregory Watts
Heidi Linda A. Lackner
Herbie Stacy Zitek
Joplin Joseph G. Tegreene
Meg Gregory M. Videtic
Millie and Willie's 3rd Birthday Barry and Sam Gabel
Our Love For All Dogs Mr. and Mrs. Stanley J. Puchalski
Priscilla Cat Audrey J. Smith
Sophie Al and Mimi Connors
Whitey Leslie Lahr
Willow Kimberly Roach

Making Happily Ever Afters Since 1913



The year 2013 marks the Cleveland Animal Protective League's Centennial. And as we look back on our long, rich history of serving the animals of the Greater Cleveland area, we know we have so many things to celebrate. But, truly, it all boils down to one very simple thing ... each and every happy ending that has been created over 100 years for adopted animals and their people.

At the Cleveland Animal Protective League, healthy friendly animals stay with us until they are adopted. There is never a limit to the amount of time that they can be with us. Thanks to our Second Chance Program, we're also providing additional medical care to an increasing number of animals with treatable injuries and illnesses, which means they may be with us for a little while longer than usual. Your support of our Centennial Wall will allow us to continue to care for all the animals who pass through our doors waiting for their happy ending.

Our Centennial Wall not only celebrates our history, it also allows you to honor the happy ending you made with your dog, cat or other furry friend. If you choose to sponsor a panel of our Centennial Wall, you may include a photo of your best friend and tell his or her story. This sponsorship is renewable every year.

2013 Cleveland Animal Protective League Centennial Wall Sponsorship Program

() Yes, I would like to honor my beloved pet(s) as we celebrate 100 years of happy endings at the Cleveland Animal Protective League.

- One 6"x 6" Panel (1 photo, approximately 100 words): \$2,500 per year.
- One 12"x 6" Panel (1 or 2 photos, approximately 250 words): \$5,000 per year.

* Each panel will be customized to fit photos and text provided.

A representative from the APL Development Department will contact you to customize your plaque.

Please print all information.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone: Home () _____ Work () _____ Cell () _____

E-mail Address: _____

I am enclosing a check for \$ _____ made payable to the Cleveland APL.

Please charge \$ _____ to my _____ Visa _____ MasterCard _____ Discover _____

Account # _____ Expiration Date _____

Name as appears on credit card _____

Pledge payment options are available. If interested, please call Judy Hunter, Director of Development, at 216-344-1353.

Name of Pet

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Example of a 6"x 6" panel that would appear on the Centennial Wall above.

2013 CLEVELAND ANIMAL PROTECTIVE LEAGUE ANNUAL CAGE SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

() Yes, I would like to sponsor a cage at the Cleveland Animal Protective League.

Dog Cage Sponsorship: \$1,500 per cage per year.

Cat Cage Sponsorship: \$1,200 per cage per year.

Small Mammal Cage Sponsorship: \$1,000 per cage per year.

Please print all information.

Name _____ Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone: Home () _____ Work () _____

Cell () _____ E-mail Address: _____

I am enclosing a check for \$ _____ made payable to the Cleveland APL.

Please charge \$ _____ to my Visa MasterCard Discover

Account # _____ Expiration Date _____

Name as it appears on credit card _____

Donor name to appear on plaque: _____

This sponsorship is in honor or memory of _____, who is a pet or person

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Become A Cage Sponsor! Until They Find Their New Home and Family...

The Cleveland Animal Protective League lovingly cares for thousands of homeless, injured and abused animals each year. For some, their cage at the APL, complete with a warm bed, toys, plenty of food and water, and lots of TLC, is the only "home" they have ever known. For others, it's a temporary home until they find the love of another family. For all of them, it's the reason they're getting a second chance. Our annual cage



Apollo was with us 2 months and 14 days, Adopted!

permanently. We ask that you help us to provide all of the care and love they need while they are with us by becoming a cage sponsor.

Your cage sponsorship will be recognized with a plaque on a cage in our cat, dog or small mammal adoption center areas. You may choose to make your cage sponsorship in honor or in memory of a special pet or person or you may choose to advertise your business. Cage sponsorships are renewable every year.

At the Cleveland Animal Protective League, healthy, friendly animals stay with us until they are adopted.

We all know a cage in a shelter is not a permanent home, but with your cage sponsorship, we can make it a temporary home away from home until they have one of



Gonzo was with us 9 months. Adopted!

their own by providing all the care that is needed—and that they so rightfully deserve.

For cage sponsorship opportunities please see above.



Phil was with us 6 months and 15 days. Adopted!

sponsors bring hope and comfort to our animals while they wait for their future mom or dad to adopt them and take them home—