

### Hola, Lola!

## An Injured Dog Welcomes a New Life

In late January 2012, the APL's Animal Transfer Coordinator made a visit to the City of Cleveland Kennel to bring eight dogs back to the APL for adoption who hadn't been reclaimed by their owners. One of them was a three-year-old Chihuahua named Marchesi. City Kennel staff reported that the tiny, cream-colored dog had been found under a car. She had large, painful, ulcerated areas on her back, the result of burns. She had a skin infection, and, understandably, was somewhat fearful.

As soon as Marchesi arrived at the APL, she received treatment for her wounds, but because of her condition and experience, the APL staff determined that she would benefit from some time in foster care, not only to recover from her physical trauma, but also to receive love and attention to begin to help her recover from the emotional trauma she had suffered. Marchesi went to the home of one of the APL's foster care volunteers—heroes who provide love and care for our most fragile animals, then return them to the APL to find their



permanent homes. And a few weeks later, her foster mom brought Marchesi back to the APL reporting that she was "100% housebroken," and got along well with children and small animals. Well on the Letter from the CEO pg. 2

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#### Lola living the good life!

road to recovery, Marchesi was now ready to take the next steps toward her new, happy life.

She didn't have to wait long...

Four days later, Cindy and her family came to the APL to look at dogs. While they weren't set on adopting that day, they were open to the possibility. Cindy and her daughters walked through the dog adoption area, looking at the available dogs. Her niece, Eva, was looking in the cages, when Marchesi caught her eye. The little Chihuahua "cowered in the front corner of her cage," Cindy reports. Eva reached down and put her fingers in front of the cage, and Marchesi began to lick them. Cindy admits that the rest of her group "wasn't too convinced" that timid little Marchesi was the dog for

## Roo's News

## Letter from the CEO

The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly. For some, it's a Clint Eastwood movie released back in 1967. To those of us working in animal welfare, it's what we see every day. There's never a time when it's not our reality, but there are some times when the spectrum is especially striking. The weeks spanning late May and early June were a good example.

It started with a horrific report of animal cruelty. Witnesses described a man repeatedly slamming a cat to the ground, knocking it senseless, walking away, coming back with lighter fluid, and setting the poor animal on fire while it was still alive. The cat belonged to the suspect's grandmother—he didn't survive.

A few days later, our humane investigations team received another call about a man who had been caught on video surveillance walking down the street, bending over to pet a friendly cat, walking a few steps past the cat, and then turning and shooting the unsuspecting animal. Sadly, the cat's spine was shattered and he had to be euthanized.

These first two accounts couldn't better illustrate the Bad and the Ugly ... in ways we wish we didn't have to witness or share. But, being their voice and seeking justice for their pain and suffering is a cornerstone of what the Cleveland APL does and what you, through your support, allow us to do.

Where's the Good, you ask? Well, that same weekend, we were on the verge of exceeding our capacity for cats at our facility. Honestly, we already had and couldn't let it go any further. Because we will not euthanize healthy, friendly animals or animals who we can treat through our Second Chance program, we had a decision to make. Either we had to stop bringing cats in, leaving some without help when they need us most, or find a way to get LOTS of cats adopted. We chose the latter and sent out a cry for help, and it was heard. During that evening and the following two days, more than 150 cats were adopted. All we had to do was ask people who care to come forward and make a difference, and they did. For us, every person who cares, who adopts,



Sharon Harvey and Roo

who donates, who volunteers, who speaks up for animals, who values their place in society—you're the Good.

Hopefully, by the time you receive your issue of Pet Patter, we will have gotten justice for the cats who suffered unspeakable cruelty at the hands of the Bad and the Ugly. Meanwhile, hundreds more cats, dogs and other wonderful, priceless animals will have found their happy endings with loving, compassionate people. It's an emotional roller coaster at times—there's no doubt! But, it's one we'll ride with our hands up in the air, screaming with silly glee, whenever we can turn a sad beginning into a happy ending for an animal. As for the animals who we couldn't help in time, we will be their voice and will work to stop the Bad and the Ugly.

Thank you for being the Good ...

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them. But, they agreed to meet with her, just to see how it would go.

Marchesi may have drawn some courage from Eva's kindness. Cindy describes what happened next: "We were patiently waiting in the meet and greet room, suddenly the door opened and in ran this dog who was the complete opposite from the one we saw in the cage. THIS dog literally pranced to visit each one of us and ran around and licked each of our hands. She was quite possibly the cutest dog we had ever seen! We just couldn't say no to her and adopted her into our family."

Cindy's family gave Marchesi a new name—Lola—chosen, Cindy says, because it was "a fun and vibrant name, just like her." And Lola's new life is fun and vibrant, too. She has extended family who "all want to play and love on Lola." She likes snuggling under the covers, going on walks, wearing pretty pink dresses, and giving lots of big, sloppy kisses. "She is extremely pampered," Cindy says, but is well worth spoiling. "She had a hard life before but we are glad that she is with our family now. We wouldn't have it any other way!" The little Chihuahua is enjoying the life she was meant to live. As she might say, she's living la vida ... Lola!

## Another Happy Tale

#### A Little Dog Lost Finds her "Fur-Ever" Home

When you look at a picture of Counselor Deanne Troi—eventually to be known as "Foxy"—it's hard to imagine her running loose as a stray on the streets of Cleveland. But that's exactly what this puppy was doing. With her fluffy white fur, biscuit-colored ears and freckles on her nose, it seemed certain that she was a family pet who had slipped out of her yard. But when nobody claimed her through the Cleveland City Kennel, the staff of the APL set to work to find this three-month-old charmer a home.

The little rough collie mix was examined by the APL veterinary staff, given a clean bill of health, and spayed. Then she was ready to go!

Our dogs, cats, and other animals are always available for adoption at the APL adoption center in Tremont, at our Everyday Adoption Center in the Parma PetSmart® store, and to give even more people an opportunity to meet them, we also take cats and dogs "on tour" to offsite events. Counselor Troi was chosen to go to an offsite event at the West Creek Metropark, and that's where her new life began!

On that summer Saturday, Matt and his wife were at the Metroparks for a Parma Police K-9 event when they saw her at the APL table—the next member of their family. Matt remembers noticing those pointy ears and her "perky attitude." Matt and his family had to say goodbye to both of their dogs the year before, and they weren't sure they were ready for another dog so soon. But, he says, they saw Counselor Troi and, "we were hooked." He and his wife Sandy stepped away to talk briefly and decided they weren't letting their dog get away. They left the park, bought a bed, toys and food, then headed for the APL where they met back up with Counselor Troi and adopted her that day. Counselor Troi became Foxy Lady, shortened to Foxy—a fitting name for this sparkly, energetic girl.

In her new home, Foxy has lost no time making up for her "lost" puppyhood. She spends her time doing the things all children—both human and canine—love to do. She runs in her backyard, learns new tricks, and plays on the tire swing (though she's only gotten her front two paws on the swing—so far). She is even invited to the tea parties that Matt's granddaughters, 5 and 2 years old, hold. Any tea biscuits that hit the floor are hers!

Still, it's not all fun and games—there's school, too! Though she just celebrated her first birthday in May,



Foxy enjoying her back yard.

Foxy already has graduated from K-9 U with her Canine Good Citizen certificate. Because of her sunny nature and her ability to learn quickly, Matt says therapy dog training is in her future as well, after she has matured a bit.

Smart, sweet and comical, Matt describes Foxy as a "once-in-a-lifetime dog." He expressed his thanks to the APL staff and volunteers: "I have to commend each and every one of you for being so caring, compassionate, friendly and loving toward these animals who so need it and toward the people who soften their hearts and adopt these animals for wonderful pets." Looking at the photographs of Foxy, happy, healthy and well-loved, it's clear that we are the ones who owe the thanks to Matt and his family, for giving one of "our" dogs a wonderful home.



1-year-old Foxy posing for the camera.

#### Making a Difference

# Thank You Cleveland Indians ...

for hosting the 5th Annual Puppypalooza at Progressive Field to benefit the Cleveland APL.

It was a tail-wagging party at the baseball game on Tuesday, June 17, when the Cleveland Indians took on the Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim at Progressive Field. Just before the game, the pooches and their people paraded around the warning track on the field and then enjoyed the game from the Party Deck—280 dogs in all—and it sure was a blast.

Despite the Indians loss to the Angels, everyone, humans and pooches alike, had a doggone good time! The event raised \$2,100. And making the game even more special, APL Alum Kenny G and his loving mom, Julie, threw out the first pitch.



#### The Cleveland APL's Special Visitor: Instagram Sensation Tuna Melts My Heart

Instagram Sensation and a rescue himself, @tunameltsmyheart came to our adoption center in Tremont on Monday, April 21, for a special visit. Tuna and his mom Courtney, a Cleveland native, teamed up with dog enthusiasts at Barkbox for a Tuna Tour around the eastern and southern United States, stopping in 8 cities for meet-and-greets that will raise awareness and funds for the hosting organizations. More than 120 people attended Tuna's meet-and-greet, which raised more than \$550 for the Cleveland APL. Thanks for stopping by, Tuna!

Photos by: Greg Murray



Above: Tuna with his loving mom, Courtney. Top right: Tuna with Faith Nezovich, an adoring fan. Right: Tuna posing with Cleveland APL staff and volunteers.





## Another Happy Tale

# An Alumna writes to her Friends at the APL

Hi Guys,

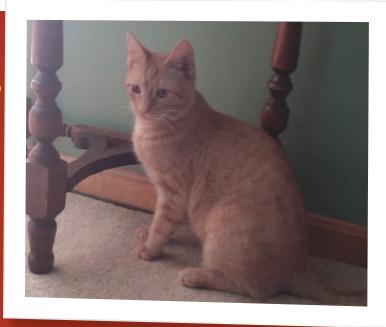
This is The Master, well, it's really Dexter now. Not sure why, but my humans thought I looked like a Dexter ... don't they know I'm a little girl? Tell everyone I'm doing well.

I have to tell you, though, the first two days home were rough. I was soooo scared and the lady human just wanted to hold me. I purred a little, hoping that would make her feel better. When I kept hiding under the bed, that's when she finally got the message that I would be doing things on my own time. So she put me in this nice back room with plenty of space to roam. I had my own litter box, my own bowl of food and water. I spent the first day behind the desk until I found the opening of the flap in the back of this chair. That turned out to be the best safe place ever!

The lady human came in on Sunday night and just sat on the floor for hours, watching TV, beading, and talking to me. The next morning she came in and sat with me for an hour before she went to work. You should have seen her face when I came out from under the chair, let her pet me and purred! I think I over did it...I purred for 30 minutes straight! Monday night she did the same thing. This time I came right out and purred some more and that seemed to make her very happy.

Tuesday was a big, big day! She opened the door so I could meet the old man (yeah, they have this sixteen-year-old, big cat—he seems ok so far). We kept our distance. I did find out I can go from 0 to 60 in about a minute! I'll always be able to outrun the old guy!

I think Wednesday was the day I discovered I really like the lady human. She sat with me for another hour before going to work. I purred the whole time we were together. She thinks I have the loudest purr of any kitten she's ever had. Is there an award for that?



Here I am in my new home!

Wednesday night was awesome! The whole house was mine to explore. The old man scared me and I ended up under a bed upstairs. There's an upstairs! The old man and I touched noses and didn't have a bad word to say to each other. He was a little upset that my kitty food had been picked up, but didn't take it out on me.

So happy! I get to keep my front claws! I overheard the lady human say she was going to get a scratching post! Yay! Oh, and did I tell you about the shiny pom-poms? They have, like, 100 of them! They must have had a lot of kittens before me. Well, as soon as she throws them to me, I pick each one up, when no one is looking of course, and take them to the back of the chair. I have 22 there now.

Tell everyone I miss them and to all of you humans who took care of me, many, many thanks. I know I was pretty sick. I'm so glad you saved me for these humans. I found out the lady human lost two of her cats (seven and eight years old) to cancer and kidney failure—both last year. So, it may take a while, but I think I'll be able to make her happy. I know she's trying very hard to make me happy! Remind everyone that there is life beyond the cage and that your forever family is just a day away!

With love,

Dexter

#### 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 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. (Tax ID: 34-0714644)

## Happenings

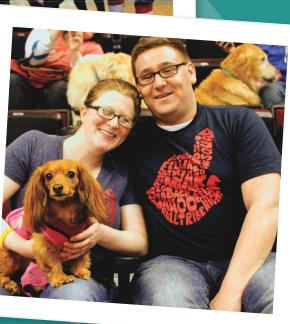
## Thank You Monsters Lake Erie Monsters

...for welcoming dogs and their owners to the 6th annual Pucks & Paws event at Quicken Loans Arena. The APL was the beneficiary of the dog tickets as well as a portion of the human tickets sold for the Monsters hockey game on Sunday, April 13. The Monsters also helped the APL raise additional funds by donating a portion of the proceeds from a 50/50 raffle to the APL. In all the APL received \$3,750 from the event!









Photos by: Scott Theus

#### Cleveland Animal Protective League's free Adoption App available in the App Store and Google Play

The Cleveland Animal Protective League's free adoption app is now available for iOS and Android devices.

The app lets users view dogs, cats and small mammals who are currently available for adoption at the Cleveland APL's Tremont location, our PetSmart Charities® Everyday Adoption Center in Parma, and our other offsite adoption locations. The mobile app will benefit anyone looking to adopt an animal now or in the future or to help friends, family, and others to find their new best friend. The app allows users to also save their favorite animals, learn about the APL and its programs and services, and offers ways you can support the APL and its mission to foster compassion and end animal suffering.

To download the iOS version of the adoption app, search for "Cleveland APL" in the App Store or visit https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/cleveland-apl/id728659401?mt=8.

To download the Android version of the app, search for "Cleveland APL" in Google Play or visit https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=org.apache.cordova.cleveland.

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#### Making a Difference

## Radiothon and Rockin' Rescue

Fee's Kompany, Q104's morning show team, had plenty of company as we celebrated the

9th Annual Pledge for Pets Radiothon May 2 and 3 at the Cleveland APL. Allan Fee, Carley McCord and Glenn Anderson hosted the 18-hour live broadcast, which raised more than \$84,000 to help homeless animals.

For the fourth consecutive year, we held a Rockin' Rescue adoption promotion in conjunction with Radiothon. This year's promo resulted the adoption of 69 animals—52 cats, 15 dogs, one rabbit and one ferret.

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.

Over the past nine years, the Pledge for Pets Radiothon has raised more than \$1.1 million for the animals at the Cleveland APL. We are so grateful to Allan, Carley, 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) and the top Q Cash Captain was Marcie Lambrix. 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.

Our top fund-raising school was Messiah Lutheran School in Fairview Park, where Ms. Moennich's 4th grade class collected \$1,045 for the APL. To celebrate their fund-raising efforts, the students won an assembly at their school with Joe Thomas and Fee's Kompany.

Save the date! Next year's event will take place on Friday, May 8, and Saturday, May 9, so stay tuned for more information.

Thank you to all of our sponsors, our many volunteers and everyone else who made the 9th Annual Q104 Cleveland APL Pledge for Pets Radiothon such a fantastic success!



Photo by: Greg Murray

Carley McCord and Allan Fee spend some time with an adorable kitten.

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Photo by: Scott Theus

Q104 and the APL celebrate the 9th Annual Pledge for Pets Radiothon in which more than \$84,000 was raised!



Photo by: Dan Sandy
Snuggling
with a cute
kitty during
the event!

Photo by: Q104

Top Q Cash School students enjoy a fun assembly with Cleveland Browns Offensive Lineman Joe Thomas, Cleveland APL President & CEO Sharon Harvey, and Q104's Allan Fee.

Thank You to Our Sponsors:





















## Making a Difference

## Cold Moses, 10)arm Hearts **FUR BALL 2014**

#### The Cleveland APL's Annual Gala -**Celebrate With Us!**

Celebrating 101 Years—and we have so many things to celebrate at the APL—especially the thousands of happy endings we have all made possible for animals and their families. We hope you'll join us at this year's gala so we can share the joy!

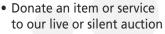
This sensationally casual event will be held Saturday, November 1, 2014, at 5:30 p.m. at the InterContinental Hotel Cleveland. Enjoy wonderful food stations, fabulous live and silent auction items and a surprise guest appearance from a VIP (Very Important Pooch)—or two!

Proceeds from this event will benefit the Cleveland APL's Second Chance Program.

There are many opportunities to participate:

 Purchase tickets and invite friends, family, colleagues or clients

 Consider corporate sponsorship opportunities that range from \$500 to \$10,000



Popular items from past auctions include artwork, loge or box tickets to sporting events, gift certificates, vacation packages, behind-the-scenes tours and experiences.

To learn more about the event and the ways you can get involved, please call 216-771-8823.

To learn more about our Second Chance Program, please visit www.ClevelandAPL.org/donate/ second-chance-program.



#### Community News

### Thank You So Much!

#### **Levin Furniture & Fox 8**

For partnering for a pet photo contest on Facebook and for donating the entry fees from its Facebook fan page contest to the Cleveland APL. The pet photo contest winner will be featured in one of Levin's print ads in Ohio.

#### **Carhop's Burger Sauce**

For donating \$1 to the Cleveland APL from every jar sold from its website and also at the Downtown Cleveland Farmer's Market every Friday from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

#### **Cleveland Animals Bar Crawl**

Thanks to Morgan Whitely and Stephen Wojtila for coordinating this fundraiser that benefitted the Cleveland APL and was held across six different animalnamed bars, starting in the Tremont neighborhood, traveling to the Gateway District, and ending on West 6th Street in Cleveland.

Thanks to the generosity and efforts of everyone involved in these events. more than \$4,000 was raised to help the Cleveland APL and our animals.

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

**Shelter Adoption Center Hours** 

**Monday - Friday** 11 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Saturday

Sunday

10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Noon to 4 p.m.

**Animal Surrender Hours (Intake)** 

**Monday - Friday** 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Sunday Closed

**PetSmart Charities® Everyday Adoption Center Hours** 

**Monday - Saturday** 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Sunday 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

#### 2015 Annual Pet Calendar

The Cleveland APL's 2015 Pet Calendar will be available for sale beginning on November 3rd. The photo shoot for the cover is done by Pulitzer Prize winning Associated Press Photographer Amy Sancetta and 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 3rd, the calendar can be previewed online at www.ClevelandAPL.org. It will be available for sale at the APL's adoption center in Tremont or you can purchase it online at www.ClevelandAPL.org or by calling 216-377-1628.

Don't miss the chance for your furry friend to be featured in the 2016 calendar. Enter online at www.ClevelandAPL.org or call 216-377-1628 for more information.







## Support the Cleveland APL While You Shop!

Did you know that you can support the Cleveland APL while you shop by making your purchases through AmazonSmile? When you shop at AmazonSmile, you will find the same shopping experience you would on Amazon, with the wonderful bonus that the AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of your purchase price to the APL! Simply visit smile.amazon.com and search for "Cleveland Animal Protective League" and start shopping!

Note: Please make sure you are selecting our organization by verifying our address. It's 1729 Willey Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.





The Cleveland APL's animals are fed Hill's<sup>®</sup> Science Diet<sup>®</sup> pet food.

#### Offsite Adoptions

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



The following tribute gifts were received between March 2014 and May 2014.

A tribute 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.

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Leo Dawn and Dennis Swit
Lily, Tutoro, and Edith Susan Becker
Lucky William B. Deblaey
Maudlin Nassim Behi
Merlin Laura Martin
Missy Woo Susan Woo-Schaffer
Mo Michael and Rita Mitch
Molly Edward Stribula
Morrie Faith McAllister
Murphy Roger and Mary Black, Mary

Madden
Nate Barry and Cheryl deBock
Oliver Marge Cantlin
Paws Rachel Costanzo and Leonard

Pooh Straka Sharon Straka



**Prince Bubba** Sue Ellen Utley **Princess** Sharon Harvey, Don and Joan Kimmel

Rainey Kimberly Bell Rocky and Bijou Bob and Cindy Hazelton

Roxy Abigail Maliza

My dog, Sadie Stephanie Dallos Seth Jordan Sherry Davies Sunspot and Top Cat Lillian Voik Tilly Steve Casselman, KeyBank Foundation

**Trooper** Nicholas Lukaszewicz **Tye** Cathleen Soprano

**Tyler, Duece III and Sassy** Ken and Carol Bakos

**Tyler Hager** Jason and Melissa Hager **Winnie** Robin Wick

Woody Donna Heath and Casey

#### In Honor of Animal

**Archie and Friends** Karren Warren **Bailey and Leo** Greg Murray and Kristen Perusek

Chewy and Olive Amy and Chip Kullik Coco and Winston Jeff Ritter and Joseph Pedro

**Cosmo** Oracle Corporation, Marc and Allison Solomon

**Desmond and Penny** Ross and Catherine Miller

**Edel and Schatzy** Monica Sako **Hootch** Kathy Guido

Lucci Karen Beeler Maddie Joy and Larry Kent Miss Bear Kara Downing Mr. Mojo Risin Anonymous Ozzy Sharon Harvey

Rhett Francesca Cappara Robert Earl Vogle Becky Vogle Scrappy Kelly and David Harris Tubbs Susan Betts

Wags Agnes Kincaid Willow Kimberly Roach



#### Correction:

We apologize for not listing the following In Memory of Individual in our last Pet Patter:

**Michael Dohanos** Susan and Kevin Paterak

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## Our Centennial

### Making Happily Ever Afters Since 1913



The year 2013 marked 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.

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 on our Centennial Wall, you may include a photo of your best friend and tell his or her

story. This sponsorship is renewable every year.

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.

#### Cleveland Animal Protective League Centennial Wall Sponsorship Program

- ( ) Yes, I would like to honor my beloved pet(s) 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.

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

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 #	3 Digit Security Code 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.

#### CLEVELAND ANIMAL PROTECTIVE LEAGUE ANNUAL CAGE SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

<b>Dog Cage Sponsorship:</b> □ \$1,500 per cage per year. <b>Cat Cage Sponsorship:</b> □ \$1,200 per cage per year.	
Small Mammal Cage Sponsorship: □ \$1,000 per cage   Please print all information.	per year.
	Address
City	State ZIP
Phone: Home ( )	Work ( )
Cell ( ) E-mail Address	s:
☐ I am enclosing a check for \$ made payable	to the Cleveland APL.
☐ Please charge \$ to my ☐ Visa ☐ N	MasterCard 🗖 Discover
Account # 3	Digit Security Code 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
Pledge payment options are available. If interested, please	e call Judy Hunter, Director of Development, at 216-344-135

#### **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



Kifli was with us 3 months and 7 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—



Hutch was with us 1 year, 2 months and 19 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



Katherine was with us 5 months and 8 days. Adopted!

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

For cage sponsorship opportunities please see above.