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Pet Patter

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How Spaghetti Noodled His Way into a New Home

Often when looking for a new addition to the family, the pet chooses you. That was the case with Spaghetti and his family!

A little over a year ago, three-year-old Spaghetti was just a skinny little pup. He had been rescued by our Humane Investigations team from a terrible living situation. He received all the medical care he needed and soon he was on the adoption floor ready to find his new family.

It was Spaghetti's first day on the adoption floor. He was still underweight and understandably a bit nervous. His name was David Bowie then, and he was just waiting for someone to recognize him for the rock star he is. Lucky for him, Gabriela and Vinny had just started looking for a new addition to their family. They figured they would come to the Cleveland APL and look around, but they were willing to wait for just the right fit. They both had wonderful dogs in the past and did not want to force anything.

Then Bowie saw them—and he just knew. Every time they walked by, he worked his puppy magic. He stared adoringly at the folks he knew would become his new parents and followed them as far as his kennel would allow. But every time they passed, they were meeting with another dog. Until finally—it worked! They decided to meet the dog with the adoring eyes. Once he got them into the meet-and-greet room, Bowie went straight to his new mom and gave her a hug, and it was all over for Gabriela and Vinny—they had fallen for him just as hard as he had fallen for them.

He was renamed Spaghetti, and this saucy boy immediately noodled his way into their hearts. Under their loving care, he went from a skinny little orzo who could barely walk up

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Spaghetti celebrating the holidays with his family.

the stairs without stopping to rest, to the healthy, happy ravioli he was meant to be! He loves to go hiking and running with his new family, but after an active day, he especially loves to snuggle! He is extremely in tune with his parents' emotions, and, as Gabriela says, he can make a bad day good, and a good day great! Everyone he meets falls head over heels in love with this big meatball. He is insanely gentle and playful, and looks at everyone with so much love that it's brought numerous people to tears. Even friends who are afraid of dogs can't help but fall for Spaghetti's charm—earning him the title of "designated Best Boy."

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Bennie's Blurb

Letter from the President and CEO

Sharon Harvey
and Bennie



Those of us who work in animal welfare say, "no day is ever the same." That's certainly the case here at the Cleveland APL. Let me share with you just a few statistics that show what 2019 has been like for the amazing team that lives our mission of fostering compassion and ending animal suffering every day.

As of the end of September, our humane investigations team ("Animal Cops") had brought in nearly 1,650 animal victims of abuse or neglect, which surpassed the total number of animals they brought in during all of 2018! That's a 113% year to date increase over last year at the same time. There were 200 more dogs, including 84 Chihuahuas from a hoarding case; 500 more cats, including 104 that were found living in filth in a small trailer; and 170 more birds, including 130 parakeets from one home. We've even brought in 33 fish. Yes, fish! Just when we think we can't find a worse situation or absorb one more hoarding case, we do, we do it well—and we must. That's why we're here.

As you can imagine, with every large-scale case, our resources are stretched and our costs skyrocket. These poor animals don't come to us ready to go up for adoption. Quite the opposite, in fact, as evidenced by a 48% increase in diagnostic testing that was required to guide our veterinary team's treatment of these animals. That, in turn, meant an increase in costly medical care and surgery that was required to save these innocent, sick, scared, and injured victims of

cruelty. And, of course, they also need plenty of time for their sick or broken bodies and spirits to heal. But that's why we're here—to be their voice, give them justice, and give them another chance at being loved. While we're already doing incredible work, we know we can do more and we can do better.

In the past few issues of Pet Patter, we've been hinting, albeit loudly, about our dream to renovate and improve our facility to better support our lifesaving programs, the needs of our animals, and the quality of life of pets in underserved neighborhoods in our city. That dream will become a reality as we move into the final stages of our \$13.5 million Unleash the Dream Capital Campaign. By the time you read this, we will have raised approximately 75% of that amount and plan to begin construction during the first quarter of 2020.

A main focus of this critical project is to improve our ability to provide enriched, fear-free housing and care to all of our animals and advanced medical care and treatment to our special-needs animals. Our current veterinary clinic consists of two surgery rooms that were designed for high-volume, high-quality spay/neuter, an office that doubles as an exam room, and a room that "triples" as a lab, laundry room and X-ray suite! Our talented and passionate veterinary team has made the most of every inch of space and have managed to deliver excellent care under challenging conditions, but it's time to take things to the next level. We need to provide

our team with the proper space and tools they need to do their lifesaving work and the healing environment that these wonderful animals deserve. Our new clinic will have an induction area to prepare animals for surgery, larger surgery rooms, a dedicated X-ray suite, a dedicated dental suite, monitoring cages, more recovery space, and an actual medical treatment area! It will also have private exam and consultation rooms that will allow our team to offer lower-cost, basic wellness and veterinary care to low-income pet owners in our city and keep those families together.

I hope you will consider joining us in Unleashing the Dream for the animals the Cleveland APL serves. Together, we can make a difference for the thousands of animals who come to us for care and/or a second chance each year—many with significant medical needs.

If you're interested in learning more about our Unleash the Dream Capital Campaign, please email Judy Hunter at jhunter@clevelandapl.org or call 216.344.1353. You can help us to make their dreams come true.

Sabah Bhat and Connie Cutietta, APL Volunteers, assisted in the writing of this issue's happy tales.



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



A Letter from Our Capital Campaign Spokesdog

Dear Fur-iends and Sup-paw-ters,

When I first came to the Cleveland APL two years ago, I had been hit by a car and then beaten with sticks and bricks while I laid in the street broken and scared. I was covered in cuts and scrapes, and they told me I had lots of broken bones—all I know is it sure hurt! Lucky for me, and thanks to the Cleveland APL's Second Chance Program, I was given a chance at a new, healthy life. The place where they treated me was kind of small and designed only as a spay/neuter clinic—whatever that is. Despite that, the wonderful people at the Cleveland APL gave me all of the extensive medical and surgical care and therapy I needed to make me better. They said if I had the will to fight, they would fight for me, and they did! Now I'm happy and healthy and loved by a most wonderful family—and, boy oh boy, do I ever love them, too!

For over 100 years—that's thousands in dog years—my friends at the Cleveland APL have been dedicated to fostering compassion and ending animal suffering. They rescue abused and neglected animals, give shelter to homeless animals like me, teach people about compassionate and responsible pet care, and work every day to make sure people know that animals matter, too. They think me and my other animal friends are really, really important—and we are! And, as you know, there are no time limits at the APL. Friendly, healthy animals, and animals who can be safely and humanely treated, will stay in their care until they find their new home.

Every day at the Cleveland APL is different, just like the day I came in. But the people at the APL just keep adapting—they go with the flow and keep helping more animals! What the APL has done for animals like me is unbelievable, especially since they're doing it in a building that was designed in the late 1990s, when the needs of the animals who came in were very different than today. And they want to do even more—they told me so. With your support, they will be able to accomplish all of the amazing things on my paw print to the right! They will continue to do great things to help animals like me who need a new home, and they will be able to help more animals stay with the families they love when times are hard.

I, for one, know first-paw what the Cleveland APL has accomplished, and I can't wait to see what more they'll do to help animals like me in the future! I hope that you will join me and my friends at the APL for the next



Indiana Bones wants every one of his friends to get the care they need so that they can find their forever homes, too!

chapter in their amazing history of helping animals and the people who love them.

Oh, and did I mention that I'm going to play a big part in this upcoming adventure? I can't wait to share more wonderful updates and an op-purr-tunity for you to get involved soon. Stay tuned to this column for the inside scoop!

Woof woof,

Indiana Bones

P.S. Thank you to everyone who donated to the Second Chance Program to save me. You're my heroes and I love you!



Pucks and Paws SAVE THE DATE

It's back again! The Cleveland Monsters invite all four-legged friends and their "people" to the 12th Annual Pucks & Paws event at Quicken Loans Arena on Sunday, March 29, 2020. The Monsters will be playing the Lehigh Valley Phantoms, and faceoff is at 3 p.m.

The APL has always been the beneficiary of the dog tickets, and again this year we will also receive a portion of the "human" tickets that are bought through this special offer. In order for the APL to receive the additional fundraised portion of the human tickets, please download the flyer on our website, mention the



APL when you order your tickets over the phone, or use the pass code "apl" when purchasing online to buy your tickets to this fun event for you and your pooch! Visit www.ClevelandAPL.org for more details or call Jessica Kelly at 216-420-2143.

Spaghetti

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Someone else who has become a victim of wiggly wiles is his little feline sister, Merlin. She doesn't just tolerate her doggy brother; she loves him so much she will even mimic his behavior! You can tell from the big smiles on everyone's faces how much love this loving noodle has brought into their lives.

Here's to the best life for the Best Boy!



Spaghetti is loved by many.



2020 Calendar is Here!

We are excited to announce the arrival of the Cleveland APL's 2020 Annual Calendar! Again this year, we let you pick the final "Pet of the Month" in the calendar. After the voting of the top 10 runners-up took place, we were happy to announce that Flynn's beautiful photo received the most votes, and is featured in the calendar as "Pet of the Month" in November. Overall, more than \$2,295 was raised for the Cleveland APL during the fifth year of this fun addition to our calendar contest!

The calendar makes a great gift, especially for the holidays! To order your copy, visit our website, call 216-771-4616 ext. 111 or stop down to the Cleveland

APL. To preview the calendar, visit www.ClevelandAPL.org.

Don't miss the chance for your pet to be featured in the 2021 calendar!

Enter online at www.ClevelandAPL.org or call 216-771-4616 ext.111 for more information. Also, look for the calendar contest voting again next year on our website!



Thank You to Fox 8 for Hosting Dick Goddard's APL Telethon

The fifth annual Dick Goddard's APL Telethon aired on Fox 8 on Thursday, September 12. This fantastic event was hosted by Fox 8 personalities Todd Meany, Kenny Crumpton, and Natalie Herbick—with a special appearance by Dick Goddard. Between 6 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., Fox 8 viewers saw vignettes that featured some of the amazing animals who were in our care. The segments also showcased the meaningful and life-saving work that takes place at the Cleveland APL every day.

The event brought together the community and inspired viewers to make a donation to help the nearly 14,000 animals who are served by the Cleveland APL every year.

We are happy to report that more than \$142,000 was raised to support our mission and important work. A total of 185 people gave their time as volunteers, including 146 phone bank workers who spoke to the animal-loving viewers who called to make a donation. In addition, a special Fox 8 adoption promotion for dogs, cats and kittens—a \$50 adoption fee for bully breed dogs and an \$8 adoption fee for cats—resulted in 34 animals finding new homes that day!

We are so grateful to Fox 8, Dick Goddard, Natalie Herbick, Todd Meany, Kenny Crumpton and the sponsors who made this event possible. A special thank you to our Presenting Sponsor, Embrace Pet Insurance. We would also like to thank Panera Bread, who made the APL the beneficiary of its canister campaign at its Northeast Ohio locations during the months of July and August!

Tune in next year for Dick Goddard's APL Telethon on September 17, 2020!



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Cleveland APL President and CEO, Sharon Harvey, poses with Fox 8's Natalie Herbick and Dick Goddard

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Right: Fox 8's Kenny Crumpton kickin' it in the play yard with Cleveland APL's Ayse Dunlap



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Pawvana Nights FUR BALL 2019

The Cleveland APL's Annual Gala Was One, Hot Night!

More than 440 guests helped us to raise more than \$267,000 to benefit the APL's Second Chance Program during the Cleveland Animal Protective League's annual gala on Saturday, November 2, at the InterContinental Hotel in Cleveland.

Guests had a great time and enjoyed "paws-ing" at the many food stations as well as bidding on fabulous items in our live and silent auctions. They also learned about some very special animals whose lives were saved because of the medical care and expertise the Second Chance Program allows us to provide.

Phoenix, a sweet puppy who was brought to the APL with burns on close to 60% of her body that we suspect were caused by scalding hot water, was the night's VIP (Very Important Pooch). For nearly two months, Phoenix received therapeutic laser treatments, bandage changes

and daily ointment applications. Thanks to generous donors to the Second Chance Program, we were able to provide Phoenix with the medical care she needed to make her happily-ever-after possible. Also featured in videos at the event were Pablo, a poor puppy who was found lying in the bushes with cable ties wrapped tightly around his back legs; Sugar, a 2-year-old cat who received two surgeries to help repair a cleft palate; and Frankie, an injured kitten who was unable to walk and was suffering from injuries to three of his legs.

A committed group of APL volunteers works on the gala all year long. Committee chairs Angela DeMuesy, Patti De Rosa, Jeff Eisenberg, Olivia Houck, Barbara Reitzloff, Ginny Russ and Christine Snyder donated their time to this event. Without their

hard work, and the hard work of the many other volunteers who helped during the gala, Fur Ball would not be possible!

Save the date and join us again next year for Fur Ball 2020—Saturday, November 7, at the InterContinental Hotel Cleveland!



Photo by: Dan Sandy
Fur Ball's VIP, Very Important Pooch, Phoenix.



Photo by: Dan Sandy

A guest bids on one of the many wonderful auction items.



Photo by: Karen Kritzer

A Cleveland APL Volunteer helps guests measure raffle tickets for the Mixed Breed Raffle!



Photo by: Karen Kritzer

Two of the many adorable pet beds up for auction at Fur Ball!

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For donating proceeds from their event at Urban Farmer.

Wild Eagle Steak and Saloon

For hosting a 50/50 raffle to fundraise for the Cleveland APL.

Meowmaste Cat Yoga

For hosting cat yoga at the APL every month, allowing yogis to practice yoga in a room full of feline participants.



SnowBerry Fresh Market

For their monthly donation to the Cleveland APL.

Moe's Southwest Grill

For donating a portion of their proceeds to help fundraise for the Cleveland APL.

Thanks to the generosity and efforts of everyone involved in these events, more than \$3,800 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.



Ralph and Frank: A Happy Tale of Two Cats

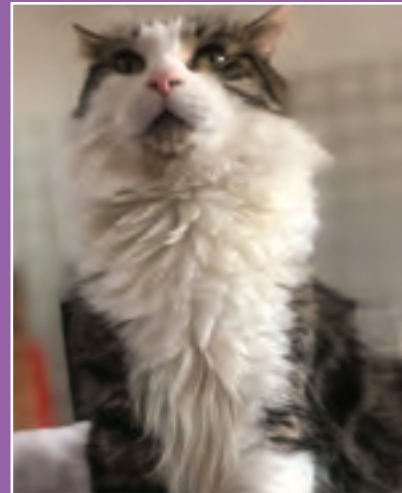
Ralph had a rough start in life. This sweet, three-year-old cat was abandoned, with no food or water, in an apartment building. Luckily a Good Samaritan took him in and cared for him until he was able to come to the Cleveland Animal Protective League to find a new home.

They say that cats choose their people, and when he was ready for adoption, Ralph did just that! Enter Hannah, who loves cats deeply, and regularly brings donations to the APL. She then always walks through the Cat Adoption room to say “hello” to all of the felines on the adoption floor. She and her boyfriend, Cuyler, had been looking for an orange cat, and somehow Ralph knew he fit the bill. When he saw Hannah, Ralph came right up to the front of his cage and reached his paw out to her. Hannah was enchanted. Could this be the cat they had been looking for? She immediately called Cuyler and told him to come visit this adorable boy. They agreed Ralph was just the cat for them and immediately adopted him and took him home to join the family and meet his new feline siblings, Nala and Sammi.

But even with the three cats in their home, Hannah—and Ralph—felt that there was still someone missing. Less than a year later, fate stepped in once more.

Nutella was a very sick cat when he first arrived at the APL. Sadly, this handsome five-year-old boy had been

Right: Frank poses proudly
for a photo.

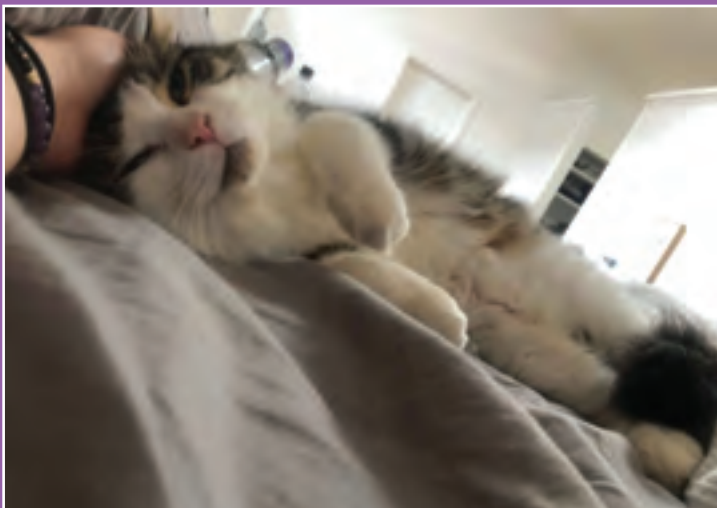


and volunteers while dreaming of his purr-fect family.

When he finally was made available for adoption, it wasn't long until Nutella met Hannah. Hannah was once again at the shelter bringing in donations, and as she always did, she visited the cats. And—just like that time months ago—when she passed his cage, Nutella came right up to the front of the cage and reached his paw out to her! Hannah, enchanted again, stopped in her tracks and took time to visit with Nutella. Once she heard everything this charming cat had gone through, she knew he, too, had to come home with her and join their growing family.

Nutella was given a new name to match this new chapter in his life—Frank. Ralph immediately stepped into his role as big brother and welcomed Frank into the family. At first Frank was so frightened he hid under the bed. Luckily for Frank he had Ralph, who was determined to be the best brother. Ralph crawled right under the bed with him, assuring Frank that he had found his home and had nothing to fear. In no time at all, the two boys were happily playing together and exploring their new world, as best friends and brothers do. Today, their mom Hannah reports, “They ADORE each other!”

Sometimes, the road to finding a best friend, brother and loving family is a winding one. Sometimes it takes time. But at the end of the day, for Ralph and Frank, all it took was two outstretched paws and a patient friend to find the purr-fect home.



living with too many other cats in overcrowded and unsanitary conditions. Nutella, like many of the cats he came in with, had major medical problems, but our team brought Nutella and the others to the shelter where they could all get the care they needed. Nutella had ringworm and spent four months being treated by our wonderful veterinary team, all the while receiving love from our staff



Above: Frank and Ralphie are the best of friends, cuddling up at the end of the day.

Left: Frank has become very comfortable with his mom showing him love and attention.

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Top: Admin office cat, Ozzie, examines packages before they go to the departments that need them most.

Bottom: APL Alum, Amelia is grateful for the donations!



Thank you to our Corporate Champions!

A portion of the proceeds at Calvetta Brothers Floor Show is donated to support the animals at the Cleveland APL.

Other Ways to Give

Many generous individuals choose to donate to the Cleveland APL in lieu of giving gifts for birthdays, weddings, anniversaries, Bat Mitzvahs, Bar Mitzvahs, etc. Their thoughtfulness is a wonderful tribute to their love for animals. Call 216-344-1353 if you would like to learn more about how your celebration can help the APL's homeless animals.

In addition, many individuals choose to give through a workplace giving program.

The Cleveland Animal Protective League is a member of Greater Cleveland Community Shares. Community Shares supports local nonprofit organizations working for long-term, sustainable solutions to build a stronger Cleveland. Learn more about Community Shares at

www.communityshares.org, and please consider supporting the APL through workplace giving.

Federal employees also have the opportunity to give to the APL through the Combined Federal Campaign (CFC). The mission of the CFC is to promote and support philanthropy through a program that is employee focused, cost-efficient, and effective in providing all federal employees the opportunity to improve the quality of life for all. The Cleveland APL Combined Federal Campaign Number is 29857.

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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.



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Sunday Noon to 4 p.m.
Phone Number: 216-771-4616

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Sunday Closed
Phone Number: 216-771-8825

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Phone Number: 440-941-5130

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

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The following tribute gifts were received between June 2019 and September 2019.

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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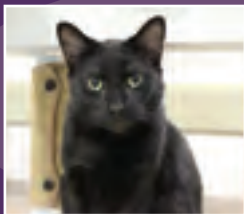
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