



of York County
A New Leash on Life

VOLUNTEER NEWSLETTER

July 13, 2021

THANK YOU FOR VOLUNTEERING

Clinic

Stephanie, one of our current Cat Cuddlers, is now joining us over at the Clinic.

Thank you for helping!



KITTEN PARTY

Did you catch the kitten party last week on our facebook page? Clove, Chili, Chive, Cinnamon, and Cayenne– the sweetest, silliest, siblings and babies of the beautiful Spice, were celebrating the end of the week. They set up a kitten cam in their kitten condo. Check out the fun [here!](#)



Although these kittens have already received adoption applications, there are several kittens available for adoption on our website. [TAKE A LOOK!](#)

LIMITED HOURS FOR DOG WALKING JULY 15

Dog Walking will finish early on July 15 at 2pm. The staff are attending a First Aid Training, so they will not be able to assist around the kennels at that time.

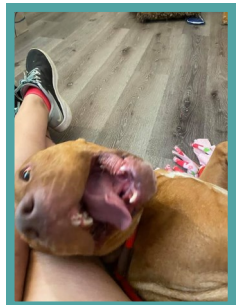
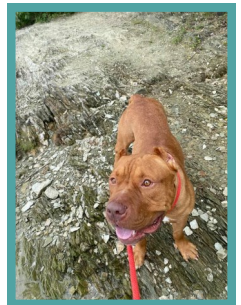
This is noted in Sign Up Genius.

DOG'S DAY OUT ADVENTURE: GRIZZ!

Grizz had a blast on his recent adventure with one of our PAWsome volunteers! This handsome guy got to hike around Codorus State Park and thoroughly enjoyed investigating the trails. While not a fan of swimming, he was just happy to be out of the kennel and experiencing some real world fun!

Grizz also visited Home Depot where he got tons of attention and was a perfect gentleman. After some snacks, Grizz cuddled up on the couch with our volunteer's 11 and 12 year old daughters for some rest and relaxation time.

If you think Grizz is the boy for you, please consider opening your heart to him. Dogs are on a case by case basis for Grizz, but he seems to do best with dogs about his own size. Grizz would also prefer a cat free furever home.



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

If you are looking for more ways to be involved at the York County SPCA, I will continue to share different opportunities that become available.

HIGH NEED FOR HELP IN THE CLINIC

Clinic-

- **Registration (Tuesday 7am-9am):**
The clinic is looking for volunteers who would be interested in helping in the morning for the registration process.
- **End of the Day Help (Mon, Thurs, and Fri 2pm-4pm):**
The clinic is looking for volunteers who can help with clean up and check-out at the end of the day. This will include scrubbing surgical instruments, bringing laundry to the laundry room, and cleaning the areas. You may also be helping with bringing animals out to their owners.

Satellite Sites-

- **PetCo:** We are looking for volunteers who can help consistently at this satellite site at the following times.
 - ◇ Morning Shift:
1-2 hours between 9am-12pm
Friday
 - ◇ Mid-day Shift:
1-2 hours between 11am-3pm
Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs, and Fri
 - ◇ Afternoon/Evening Shift:
1-2 hours between 12pm-8pm
Friday

Golf Event-

- **Day of Volunteers:** We are hosting a Golf Tournament this year, and we would love to have volunteers there to help out. If you are interested, save the date for Aug 27. I will be in touch with more details as we get closer.
- **Silent Auction/Raffle:** We are looking to form a committee for those who are interested in asking the community to donate items to a silent auction or raffle. If interested, please let me, Brandi, know.



If you are interested in any opportunity listed above, email me at bbisch@ycspca.org for more information.

SEEKING DOG CRATES

We are currently asking for donations of large and extra-large dog crates at the York County SPCA. We use these crates to transport dogs, offer to YCSPCA fosters, and help with training. If you are trying to rehome a used crate or in the position to donate, please consider our shelter. We are tremendously grateful for all donations and the generous support of our community.

View our Amazon Wish List [HERE](#) to see what we're looking for:

Thank you!

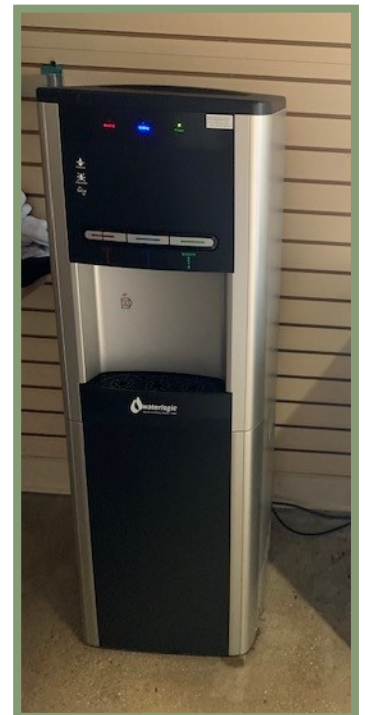


WATER COOLERS

We want everyone to stay cool and hydrated, so we install two water dispensers in the building.

One is located in the lobby. You can find it in the gift shop, next to the front desk.

The other is in the clinic. You will see it right outside Dr Mann's and Amy's office.



ADOPTION STORY: TWAIN

We received an adoption update about Twain. Twain was the mom to four black and white kittens: Shelley, Hemingway, Fitzgerald, and Sylvia.

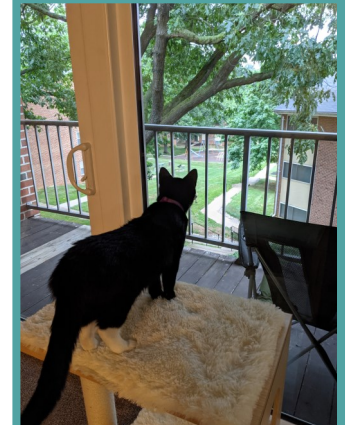
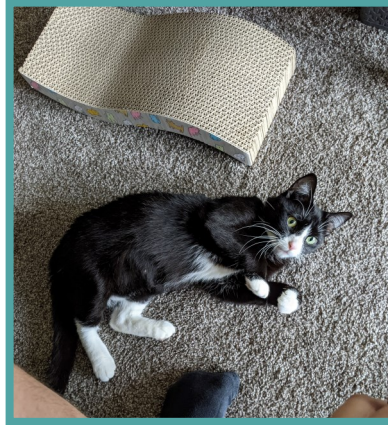
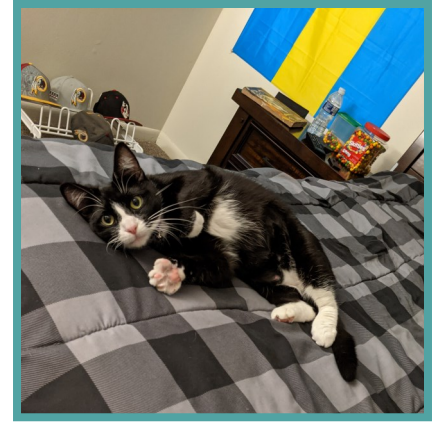
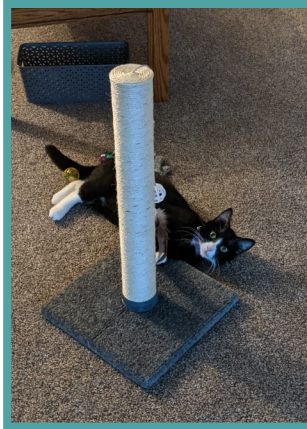
From the adopter:

She's been doing very well, I did change her name to Eevee and she seems to be responding to that well. She wasted no time getting used to the place, she spent maybe an hour under a side table, and she's been out running around since.

She has no problem running up to me for attention, going as far as to act more like a dog when I get home from being out, running up to the door and greeting me.

Things with me and her have been great! No concerns whatsoever there. This weekend I am having family over for dinner, so we'll see how things go there. Other than that she has been great being home for half a day, not scratching anything but her toys. I haven't had any bathroom related issues which is great!

I added a few pictures for you to see! Thanks so much for all your help and helping me find her!



VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT: IVY

Ivy has been volunteering since February, and has already been involved in many ways at the York County SPCA. She has helped in walking dogs, taking dogs for Dog's Day Out trips, and attending the Hanover Pride Event.

She started helping because Ivy and her husband adopted a hiking trail at Rocky Ridge Park- it's the yellow trail, if you want to check it out. She saw on our website an opportunity for Dogs Day Out and thought other pups would enjoy the hike as much as their dog Max. After attending training, Mila was the first pup she took for a hike. It has been a great opportunity for them to get exposed to the outdoors and enjoy time out of the shelter.



Before coming to volunteer here, Ivy used to foster dogs at another rescue. Over the course of two years, they fostered over 40 dogs- from bichons and boxers, to poodles and pits. Their dog Max was the perfect foster brother with his happy go lucky and playful nature. They only "foster-failed" twice- when they adopted their two other dogs, Layla and Peanut.

Max is a ten year old Springer Spaniel and is an avid hiker and snuggler. Layla is about seven years old and is a chihuahua mix who closely resembles an unsliced loaf of bread. She does not much care for strangers, children, other dogs, or fireworks. Peanut is the princess of the bunch. You can follow her on Instagram @princesspeacthechi) and is a chi-mix who is about 10 years old. Her favorite hobbies include following Ivy everywhere and laying in the sun.

Keep an eye in your email for When it is your turn to be shown in the Volunteer Spotlight.