

VOLUNTEER NEWSLETTER

September 21, 2021

THANK YOU FOR VOLUNTEERING

NEW CAT CUDDLERS

We are excited to have Julila, Natalie, Barb, Maddie, and Lacey join the Cat Cuddler Team! The cats will be excited to have more attention!



2022 YORK COUNTY SPCA CALENDAR

We've teamed up the photographers from Orendorff Studios and the graphic designers of HoneyBee Studios to bring you the York County SPCA 2022 calendar! Yep - that means 12 months of cute animal photos that you get to see every day. The calendar will feature a different local pet each month along with a local business sponsor. Additionally, community members can spotlight their pet by purchasing a space in honor of their birthday, adoption day, or memorial. You can also pre-order a calendar for only \$25. The calendar will be available in November and makes the perfect Christmas gift for the animal lovers in your life!

Sponsor and Spotlight requests must be submitted by Friday, Sept 24th.



COLLECTING VOLUNTEER HOURS

The end of September means the end of the 3rd Quarter. We will be collecting all Volunteer Hour Sheets from the Sign In & Out Binders. Please check to make sure you have your Sign In Sheet filled out completely, and it is in the Sign In Binder by Sept 29. We will be collecting everyone's sheets on Sept 30. This is extremely helpful, as we provide reports of volunteer hours for grant funding.

On Oct 1, please start a new volunteer sheet. All Sign In Binders should have plenty of blank forms available for everyone.



Link to the online order form https://ycspca.org/get-involved/calendar.html

LOOKING FOR NEW WAYS TO BE INVOLVED?

CLINIC

Starting October 8, we will be looking for volunteers to help in the clinic on Fridays.

- Registration (Friday 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 (Friday 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.

PETCO

We are looking for a new Volunteer Supervisor at Petco.

This person truly helps to run our adoption site at Petco. They lead the volunteers to care for the cats and maintain the communication amongst the group. They also get the fulfilling role of scheduling and hosting adoption visits at Petco.

Although this role does require flexibility and availability, it is quite the rewarding position.

If you are interested please let me know. We will take the time to train you and help transition you into the role.

CAT & KITTEN FOSTERING

Have you ever considered Cat or Kitten Fostering?

It is a rewarding experience. You can help a longer resident cat by providing a break from the shelter, or by taking in a set of kittens who need to be cared for in a home before they are old enough to be adopted out.

When you are a foster, all supplies needed for care are included, not just for kittens.

Fostering helps socialize cats and allows the foster parent to see their true personalities which couldn't completely blossom in the shelter. Foster parents are then able to provide us with valuable information and photos of the cats that help them find better homes quicker.



PAWS FOR A CAUSE

Saturday, September 25 from 1pm-5pm

The Sherwood Inn in New Salem

(4) 3rd Annual PAWS-FOR-A-CAUSE | Facebook

Come attend the 3rd Annual Paws-For-A-Cause event! They will have some great music and fantastic vendors.

This event supports the York County SPCA, and we are truly grateful for their support.



VOLUNTEER APPAREL

As fall approaches, I want to make sure you are all aware that you have the option to purchase Volunteer Sweatshirts, Hoodies, and Long Sleeve Shirts.

We currently have limited sizes in stock, but I do plan to put in another order soon. If you let me know your sizes now, I can be sure we have enough of each size in the upcoming order.

Please keep in mind the color of items may vary slightly.

If you would like to order a shirt, hoodie, or sweatshirt, please email me with which item you would like, size, and quantity.









ADOPTION STORY: HERMAN

We received an update about Herman.

From the adopter:

He is amazing! We did end up changing his name to Drekker (it's the name of one of our favorite breweries out west) and he is responding really well to it! He's such a sweetheart and makes us laugh all the time. We feel so lucky to have him! I have attached some pictures of him (some are with our other dog, Remi - they are getting along great!)

















