

Euclid Pet Pals



October, 2017

Euclid Animal Shelter 25100 Lakeland Blvd. 44132 (216)289-2057

SHELTER HOURS

**Tuesday through Saturday
Noon – 4 p.m.**

We are CLOSED

Sunday
Monday
Holidays

Phone Hours

(216) 289-2057

Tues. – Fri.

9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Saturday

11 a.m. – 4 p.m.

LICENSES

Dog \$20.75

(1 yr. County)

Cat \$6.00

(3 yr. City of Euclid)

ADOPTION FEES

Dogs/Puppies \$80

Cats/Kittens \$70

Includes spay/neuter

1st vaccination

Worming

FIV & Leukemia Test

Heartworm Test

\$10 Senior Discount

\$10 Discount

if animal has already
been spayed or neutered
upon entry

E-MAIL

euclidpetpals@yahoo.com

WEBSITE

www.euclidpetpals.net



GREETINGS FROM CHAIRMAN, FAY MILLER

Everyone who lives in Euclid should know how fortunate we are to have a city shelter. It is a real asset for our city. Although surrounding suburbs may have a department or person in charge of animal control, very few of them have a bricks-and-mortar haven for animals who have been picked up, abandoned, at risk, or surrendered. We are fortunate to have the support of our Mayor and City Council members.

When an animal is adopted, the adoption fee goes to the City. Proceeds from these fees are used to maintain the shelter. Just this past fall, we got a new roof, and two years ago the entire shelter got a fresh coat of paint. Donations made to Euclid Pet Pals are used solely to care for the animals at the shelter. Pet Pals pays for spaying or neutering plus all medications and veterinary care, provides food for the animals, and purchases supplies, such as laundry detergent, office supplies, cat litter, etc. We are thankful for the people who drop off items on our wish list. Money we don't have to spend on things like cleaning supplies, envelopes, and stamps can be used for more important things our "residents" need. Our biggest expense is veterinary bills, and that's where most of the money goes. We take good care of the animals who are with us and thank you for the donations you send to help us with that.

Speaking of money, we are gearing up for our next fundraiser. I hope to see many of you at the 4 Paws Boo Bash and Clam Jam, on Friday, October 27th. We'll enjoy some delicious food and good fellowship. You can order your tickets by using the form in this issue. Better yet, come to the shelter to buy them and say hello to our furry friends. You just may find the love of your life.



Thanks to everyone who came to our July car wash and to the volunteers who did the washing. **Special thanks to Pat Ortman**, who provided hot dogs, chips, and soft drinks. She donated

ALL the money from the sales to Pet Pals. The Cuddle Zone, brain child of Judy Matthews, was a big success and resulted in two adoptions. You can see some of Judy's great photos of the event on our Facebook page. facebook.com/euclidpetpals

The Legacy of a Little Dog Aptly Named Promise

OUR WISH LIST

(Bold items needed most)

ADULT VOLUNTEERS

**Liquid Laundry Detergent
Bleach**

Fabric Softener Sheets

Garbage Bags

(33 gal. or larger and 13 gal.)

Paper Towels

Dish Soap

Clorox Clean-Up

Liquid Hand Soap

Hand Sanitizer

Kleenex

Disposable Pee Pads

Washable Non-Skid Rugs

Blankets

Cat & Dog Treats

Washable Cat & Dog Toys

Canned Cat & Dog Food

IAMS Kitten Chow

KMR (kitten milk replacer)

Cat Litter

(non-clumping and clumping)

Cat and Dog Collars

1" Slip Leashes

Postage Stamps

Avery Mailing Labels

Printer Cartridges

(HP 96 & 97)

We also appreciate gift cards from PetSmart, Pet Supplies Plus, PETCO, Target, WalMart, and other places that sell animal supplies.

Donated items may be dropped off during business hours

We also recycle

Aluminum Cans

Used Printer Cartridges

(NO Toner Cartridges, tho')

Cell Phones

Paper

thank you!

Those of us at Lakeland Animal Clinic pride ourselves on being veterinary care givers to three generations of clients and their pets. With over 15,000 pets to care for, we are often allowed to be part of our clients' personal lives and feel almost part of the family. We love them all, but there are a few pets and their owners who make a huge impression on our hearts. Such is the case of Promise, a little Shih Tzu Maltese mix.

We met Promise as a cute and happy puppy in 2003. She was part of a family of four who adored her. There was nothing unusual about Promise and her family until she damaged her cruciate ligament. We discussed all the available options for treatment at last choosing the lateral suture technique. After I performed the surgery, Promise's owners were committed to providing the necessary therapy to insure her full recovery. They exercised her leg religiously, and after a few weeks no one would ever guess she had suffered an ACL injury.

For many years Promise was a regular patient. Then in 2013 she developed swelling of her belly. Routine blood work suggested a liver issue. I referred her to specialists at the Veterinary College at The Ohio State University. Despite many tests a definitive diagnosis was unclear. The family decided to stop more invasive tests and brought Promise home. The specter of liver cancer loomed before us all. Promise's owners decided to forego the usual route of aggressive chemotherapy since the chance for a full recovery was poor at best.

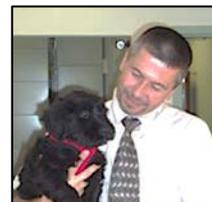
About this time, I attended an American Veterinary Medicine Assn. meeting. I talked with a microbiologist who had started a new company that produced fermented goat's milk inoculated with bacteria to nourish healthy gut flora that help pets with cancer. Promise was placed on ANSWERS goat milk and fared amazingly well. Her liver values improved. Meanwhile her owner was busy researching alternative treatments to help a sick liver. Soon Promise was on medicinal mushrooms, antioxidants, and multiple metabolites that literally took over the liver's function while providing good nutrition. Again Promise did very well for two whole years. The only thing we could not control was the slow but steady enlargement of her liver. It just kept getting bigger. Finally, in March her belly was so large that Promise stopped eating, and her family made the hard decision to say good-bye rather than see her suffer.

When I performed the necropsy, we were all amazed to find that the enlarged liver was huge but healthy. It had filled 95% of the abdominal cavity. There was no space left for her gut to function. The results from the pathology lab were even more astounding. Promise had cholangiocarcinoma. The bile ducts were involved, but the cancer had never spread to the liver! I believe this was in large part because Promise's owners were dedicated to giving her the best life possible. All her meals were prepared at home. All medicinal mixes were analytically measured to balance ingredients to be sure her diet did not involve the liver.

Months after saying their sad good-bye, Promise's owners started commercial production of fermented goat's milk to help other pets. We are writing a book together to share the wonder of Promise's incredible journey. Her name had more meaning than we ever could have imagined when first we met in 2003.

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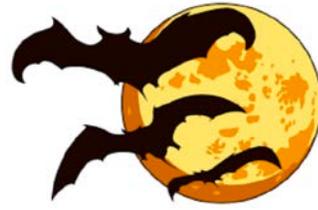


**PET PALS ANNUAL
4 PAWS CLAM JAM & BOO BASH**

Friday, October 27, 2017

6:30 – 11:00

Tizzano's Party Center - 1361 East 260th Street, Euclid, Ohio



Open Bar 6:30

Dinner 7:30



Music & Dancing until 11 p.m.

Music provided by Ben Ricci, Ultimate Entertainment

Clam Chowder, 1 dozen clams, ½ Roasted Chicken, Sweet Potato, Corn-on-the-Cob, Rolls, Dessert, Beverage

Note: A vegetarian meal (eggplant parmigiana) is available but must be ordered in advance.

50/50 Raffle * Chinese Auction *** Side Boards**

Cost: \$42 per person

Costumes are optional, but there will be cash prizes for the best three.

Make checks payable to Euclid Pet Pals, and mail this form to Patti Burlingham, Treasurer, 25100 Lakeland Blvd., Euclid, OH 44132. NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR. **Deadline Tues. 10/24**

Please send me _____ tickets @ \$40 each _____ extra clams \$10/doz.

I am requesting _____ vegetarian meal(s)

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Total Enclosed \$ _____ Check No. _____



If you are part of a group, please print the name here _____

THANKS TO OUR DONORS

SPECIAL DONATIONS

We have three special funds described below. If you want to support a specific fund, please note it on your check.

EMERGENCY FUND

This money is set aside to be used for emergencies and complicated medical procedures we could not otherwise pay for.

FRED'S FUND

Money from Fred's Fund is used to pay for testing cats for FIV, heartworm, and feline leukemia. Screening incoming cats helps protect the cats in our shelter. We also want to be certain that the cats who are adopted are healthy and will not transmit a disease to other pets in their new homes.

BENTLEY TRAXX HAPPY HEARTS FUND

To honor Diane Maver's 80th birthday, her friends and family set up a fund to pay for heartworm testing for our shelter dogs.



PET PALS BOARD

Chairman – Fay Miller
Treasurer – Patti Burlingham
Secretary – Pat Barnes
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ADOPT-A-THONS

Ann Marie Bell

In memory of Sirius, beloved dog of Kay Gilbert and Roger Kohn, from Joyce Hlad, Diane Maver, and the Maver family, to the Bentley Traxx Happy Hearts Fund

To honor Shelly McDonough and Andy Selesnik from Chris Bauer

In memory of my beloved dog Olivia from Catherine Miller

In memory of Bo, beloved dog of the Leggett family, from the Maver family

In memory of her brother Neal Scoville from Kay Bukovec

Best wishes and appreciation to all the volunteers and supporters from Mayor Kirsten Holzheimer-Gail

To honor Sandy Ridhiphinyo and Kay Gilbert from Diane Maver

In memory of Richard Wa from Fay Miller

In memory of Lois McGee from Roberta Matty

To honor Patrolman Olszewski from Aggcorp

In memory of rabbits Scooter and Skeeter from Eric Condon

In memory of Carol Paxton from Fay Miller

In memory of Doc Mancini from Betty Mancini

In memory of Shirley Steigman from Diane Skalsky and Jeff Luecht

In memory of dog Kanoon from Tongchan Boonyapatakko

In memory of Dave Lawrence from Fay Miller

In memory of Josephine Wilma Montana from Fay Miller

To honor Andy Selesnik from Linda Koch and Peg Golick

In memory of Roger Sheppard, brother of Sandy Payne, from Fay Miller, from Patti Burlingham, from Sharon Jensen

In memory of Mary Boyle from Linda Koeth, Harvey Hutter, and the Continental Ski Club

In memory of Albert Frate from Diane Maver, the Maver Family, and Joyce Hlad and **in memory of Cisco & Sammie** from the Mavers (to Bentley Traxx Fund)

In memory of Jerry Kuehne, best of friends, loyal, with a big heart from Richard Vicchiarelli

In memory of Halo, beloved dog of Alecia & Len Nosse from Dad and Jody

Happy Birthday Stephanie Maver from Diane Maver (Bentley Traxx Fund)

Patricia Barnes
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Linda Koeth
Rodney & Joan Naro
Andy Selesnik
Hlelen Vladic



Thank you **Lydia Funk**. To celebrate her 9th birthday, guests brought several items on our wish list along with very generous cash donations.

We also want to thank **Sedona Stankis**. Guests at her 9th birthday party donated supplies and money.

Residents of the Slovene Home donated their Bingo money.

Our Lady of the Lake School had a lemonade stand and donated all the proceeds.

For their birthday party, **Kyndra and Lanae Flagg** requested that guests bring items and funds for the animals at our shelter.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints donated needed supplies.

*** Donations received after August 31st will appear in our next newsletter.***

Are you using the Wooftrax Walk for a Dog smart phone app to help us raise funds for Euclid Animal Shelter? We would appreciate your help! Just download it, choose Euclid Animal Shelter as your charity of choice, and remember to turn it on when walking outdoors to help increase our donation level from Wooftrax. You only need to use it for a .25 mile walk each week to be considered an "active walker."



We hope you are following and sharing Euclid Pet Pals on Facebook. Volunteer Judy Matthews does an excellent job of posting up-to-date information, happy adoption stories, upcoming events, and short videos of animals waiting to be adopted, PLUS LOTS MORE GREAT STUFF.

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR BUSINESS MEMBERS. You can link to their sites from ours.

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If you're an online shopper, please start with www.smile.amazon.com
If you designate Euclid Pet Pals as your charity, Amazon will donate 0.5% of your purchase to EPP.

Our Purpose

The purpose of this citizen advisory commission is to develop and plan programs and to enhance the Euclid Animal Shelter by our efforts in pursuing grants and coordinating fundraising activities.

Our Mission

The mission is to protect and foster an environment that will give respect and compassion to all animals under the care of the Euclid Animal Shelter. This can be achieved through educational programs and sound leadership. Euclid Pet Pals is a volunteer organization committed to keeping the shelter open by raising funds and recruiting dedicated, reliable volunteers.



Share your love for pets. The Ohio Pet License Plates raise funds for education, spay/neuter of pets for low-income families, and for dogs and cats adopted from qualifying shelters. Even if you've already renewed your plates, you can still buy them for just \$25 at your deputy registrar's office or call 1-800-TAGS. Visit www.petsohio.com to learn more. Pet Pals received a \$1,000 grant from the Ohio Pet Fund last year to help pay for spays and neuters.



Thanks to the almost two hundred of you who attended our annual Bark BQ, on May 12th. We raised over \$6,000 to help care for the animals at the shelter. Special thanks to all the generous supporters who donated auction items or door prizes. We couldn't have done it without the support of everyone who attended. Tails are wagging in your honor.

FAY MILLER was honored at the June 19th Council Meeting for her dedication and outstanding service to the City of Euclid. That includes her work to get our shelter built and her continuing leadership. Her hours of service to the city add up to more than 100 years--so far!! Mayor Gail presented Fay with a commendation, and she received a standing ovation from everyone in the room. Congratulations, Chairman Miller.



You know you love your cat too much if—

- You learn to type with one hand so the other is free to massage your cat.
- You use a cat's paw stamp to sign interoffice memos.
- You blow-dry your hair in the garage because your cat doesn't like the noise.
- You call 911 when your cat throws up a hairball.
- You bring your cat to "take our daughters to work" day.
- You call in sick because your cat won't play with his toys.



From the book, Women Who Love Cats Too Much, by Allia Zobel



Our Rummage Sale, on July 29th, was a big hit. Thanks to everyone who came to shop, those who donated such great items, and to all the volunteers who worked so hard. CONGRATULATIONS to Joan Holmes, the lucky winner of the V.I.P. pass to African Safari Wildlife Park. We hope you enjoy your visit.