

Featured Pet - Trisha. Spayed, 6 mo.



old Tabby, beautiful, all shots.

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Pulaski County Humane Society
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SHELTER 99% FINISHED

We have delayed sending you our newsletter for several months, hoping to announce our Grand Opening Celebration for the new Animal Shelter. It looks like moving will begin next month, and shelter pets will be tenants in early 2005. We will announce our BIG celebration as soon as a date is nailed down.



ACCO, Joyce Crowder in cat condo!

We are entering into that "urgent" phase of fundraising for this important project. To date we have raised nearly \$150,000. In other words, over 4,000 donations from individuals, businesses, and grants have funded 60% of our \$250,000 goal. We have been told that

this is a remarkable achievement. However, you can see that we still have considerably more funds to raise. The shelter building is nearly complete, but we do not have enough money to buy most of the dog and cat cages that the shelter needs.

We thank so many of you who have given to this cause. It seems as if we have been raising funds for a decade. However, it certainly will be worth the wait to have one of the best county Animal Shelters in the State of Virginia! It is unusual for a Humane Society and a County Animal Control Facility to unite under one roof but we believe this cooperative effort will help save both the lives of Pulaski County animals and the tax dollars that support the shelter.

We need each of you to consider making a donation to our glorious NEW Animal

Shelter! Call 980-8077 if you have questions concerning charitable giving. Contributions are tax exempt, as allowed by the IRS.



Social a Success

Many thanks to Randy Vaughn and Fred Fox for allowing us to invade their lovely home for our *Autumn Aid for the Animals Social*, sponsored by *Bower Funeral Chapels*. Over 50 silent auction items were donated by local businesses and we thank each of them for their participation. It was a beautiful fall day and lovely event! Thanks to our coordinator, Holly Shannon and other volunteers; Walt, Lisa, Anthony, Leslie, Barb, Bill, David, Bob, Sandy, Deno, and Megan. Awards were given for dedication to the cause: *Volunteer of the Year* - Barb and Bill Bryant, *Business Donor of the Year* - Tipton Ridge Veterinary Medical Center.

WANTED... HAVE YOU SEEN THESE MUTTS WANDERING AROUND PULASKI COUNTY?



ANIMAL CONTROL WILL PICK THEM UP DURING OUR GRAND OPENING "LOCKUP BENEFIT".
WE'RE LOOKING FOR MORE STRAYS TO LOCK UP.

HELP FINISH OUR SHELTER - REPORT COWORKERS, FRIENDS AND FAMILY - 980-8077, PCHS@PSKNET.COM

Kennels & Cages Needed in Shelter

Buy your very own Pulaski County Animal Shelter kennel or cage to be engraved with your special message!
Recognize your business, or remember or honor a pet or person. Please help today.

Mail this completed form and a check:

AMOUNT DONATED (please check):
___ Cat Cage - \$250.00 ___ Puppy Holding Cage - \$350.00
___ Dog Kennel - \$500.00
___ In memory ___ In honor ___ Sponsored by
MESSAGE TO BE ON TAG (4 line max - 12 characters per line)
LINE 1: _____ LINE 2: _____
LINE 3: _____ LINE 4: _____
Your NAME & PHONE: _____

Many thanks to Dailey's Trophy for their generosity and love of animals.

Current Shelter Holding - 9 Cat Cages, 12 Dog/Puppy Kennels
NEW Shelter Holding - 36 Cat Cages, 11 Puppy Pens, 36 Dog Kennels



Oh how exciting!

2 FREE Ways to Give

1. Register your MVP card
www.foodlion.com
"In the Community"
We're listed under "Dublin", VA
2. Cash for Critters
Bring in or call us about recycling
your ink/laser cartridges, and
digital cell phones.

WRITE CHECKS TO PCHS, MAIL TO PO BOX 1046, DUBLIN, VA 24084

TO DIRECT FUNDS TO A SPECIFIC PROJECT, WRITE IT IN THE MEMO LINE ON YOUR CHECK.

MANY, MANY THANKS TO OUR DONORS



**Mary found
a great home.**

*Donations can be made for the shelter construction project,
or for animal care, welfare, and Spay/Neutering.*

Mary was missing from a volunteers home and was discovered a few days later at the Pulaski Shelter. She was adopted permanently by a couple living in North Carolina. She is spoiled rotten and very happy!

In Memory and In Honor

Mary Walker - In Memory of Dr. Walter J. Walker.
Harold & Joey Ward, & "Shep" - In Memory of Douglas Wayne Farmer who passed away on June 16, 2004.
Manson B. Tate - In Memory of Dr. Bill Walker.
May Howard - In Memory of Taylor Martin.
Debra Kincaid - In Memory of Blossom, "The" Beagle.
Linda Suthers - In Memory of Jackie Clifford Beavers, Jr.
Robert and Don Henderson - In Memory of Taylor Martin.
Martha Harris & Lee Finks - In Memory of and loving tribute to Evelyn Finks Hall.
Judy Flemming & Rebecca English - In Memory of Clint and Judy Isont's baby, "Dolly".
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Patricia Reid - In Memory of her brother, Dr. Bill Walker.
PCHS Board of Directors and Office Staff - In Memory of Dr. Vaughn's sweet mother, Hilda Vaughn.
Rebecca Hilton - In Memory of Dr. Vaughn's mother.
Jeanne Whitman - In Memory of Dr. Vaughn's mother.
Lydia and Bill Hickam - In Memory of Dr. Vaughn's mother and in thanksgiving and appreciation for the wonderful work Dr. Vaughn does w/our animals!
TRW-CSS - Plant Staff - In Memory of Jane Dehart.
Rebecca English & Anthony Amstorg - In Memory of The Randy Frye Family dog, Duches.
Judy Flemmons - In Honor of Mollie's foster mother, Carolyn Kingea.
Pauline Gilbert - In Honor of Sharon and David Fennaraccio.



Individual Donors

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Your donations help!

Every month, the PCHS receives an average of 200 inquiries and approximately 50 pets receive medical care or spay/neuter services. Costs to cover these services easily reach \$1,000.00. Ten shelter animals are saved monthly by transporting into Rescue groups (animals doomed for death because of space constraints and over breeding). On top of animal care, we also have a commitment to raise \$250,000.00. It takes a large volunteer effort to provide this level of aid to the pets and citizens of Pulaski. In a typical month, 20 volunteers will give 2,000 hours of their time to help our animals and WE applaud each of them!



New 2004-2005 Board Elected

Officers: President – David Hill, Vice President – Holly Shannon, Secretary – Judy Flemming, Treasurer – Imogene Sediff. **At-Large Board Members:** Bill Bryant, David Hope, Bob Small, Jennifer Smart, Sandy Tuck. **Director:** Rebecca English

Be part of the shelter

The new shelter is going to have lots of places where wonderful things will happen every day. Reach into your pocket and endow one or more of them and have it named after you, someone you'd like to honor or memorialize, or a pet you love.



Give the

Puppies and Kitties

A Food Prep Room – Just \$5,000
Sallyport – Just \$5,000
Reception – Only \$7,500
Education/Adoption Room – \$10,000
Animal Control Arena – Only \$10,000
Grooming Room – Only \$10,000
Puppy Adoption Room – Just \$15,000
Main entrance Lobby – Only \$25,000
Cattery – **SOLD**
Humane Society Headquarters – \$45,000
Canine Adoption Room – **SOLD**
Canine New Arrival Room – \$50,000
Spay Neuter Clinic – **PENDING**
Name The New Shelter
Only - \$150,000
Call 980-8077 if you can help.

VISIT our PET GIFT SHOP

This Holiday Season, visit our Pet Gift Shop
T-TH 1-5, on the right hand side of
Tipton Ridge Veterinary Medical Center
980-8077



Pick out a new leash collar, or stuffed animal.
NEW - Handmade mice toys.
NEW "I Love my Pulaski County Pet" dog collars.
Colorful stretchy kitty collars.
Plenty of stocking stuffers.

Each purchase helps build our new shelter.

Joey, 2 years old, flat coated retriever/border collie mix.

I NEED A HOME!

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THANKS TO Bob Small and RSVP for helping with this newsletter!

Pulaski County Animal Shelter construction project - www.funds4pets.org Looking for a pet - www.dogsaver.org/pchs