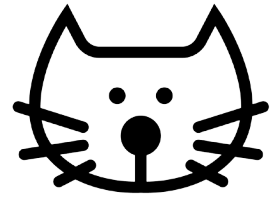


Dunn County Humane Society



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July - Sept. 2020



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Join us virtually for a fun filled weekend as we raise money for the Dunn County Humane Society!

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We would love to see pictures of everyone's Mutt Strut...send us your candid pictures from the weekend, and we will have a DCHS celebrity judge pick a winner from all entries that are sent in!



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(see other side for details)



\$500 Sam's Club Gift Card

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\$250 Charter Bank Visa Card



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(value over \$100)

Mission Statement

The Dunn County Humane Society (DCHS) is dedicated to improving the lives of companion animals in our community and finding permanent and loving adoptive homes for the animals in our care. DCHS promotes the humane treatment of animals and operates as a no-kill facility, a philosophy that has been with the organization from the beginning. We do not forfeit the life of one animal to make space for another. All incoming animals are evaluated, medically treated and rehabilitated when possible. DCHS is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that relies on the good will and generosity of individuals and corporations.

Summer Sun and Silver Linings



The Director's Desk
Judy Schindler

Summer has finally arrived and with it a few more animal residents for DCHS. Our abnormally low numbers are seeing a slight uptick with kitten season upon us, and a number of incoming abandoned and surrendered cats and dogs. Demand for pets remains high as many adopters travel to Menomonie from Minnesota—so much that we have joked about starting a “Minnesota Chapter” for DCHS! We are glad for all the interest and the many, many adoptions over the past months. Hearing from adopters about how quickly their new pets become beloved family members is the best motivation for Shelter People.

We are continuing to operate on an “appointment only” basis, and so far this has worked very well. Appointments are readily available and we are able to review customers’ applications before they arrive and give them more individual attention when they are here. As yet, we have not returned to conducting training sessions for volunteers or to having many volunteers at the shelter. We are looking forward to the time when we can be more “open”, but for now it’s safety first.

Difficult as the pandemic has been, we have found many silver linings - the outstanding number of adoptions has been exciting; staff has had time to get extra tasks done around the shelter and to complete continuing education modules; our event coordinator has been exploring a whole new world of virtual fund-raising; and many of you have checked in on us and offered help. Our most pressing concern is income with so many of our regular fund-raisers on hold and we hope many of you will want to be part of the Virtual Mutt Strut n’ Tabby Trot. Not only can you do the walk when and where you wish—but you’ll be part of the latest trend!

We often think about our members and how you are all doing in this challenging time. We hope you, too, are finding some silver linings. Do keep in touch on our website and Facebook page, or drop us an email at info@dunncountyhumanesociety.org.

Memberships & Renewals 3/16/20 to 6/15/20

We have been busy adding to our member benefits listing - find the complete list on page 3!

**34 Membership Renewals &
28 New Members**

WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS:

THANK YOU
“Top Dog/Cat” Members:
Deann and Russ Radtke

Jennifer Ahlstrom, Christine Bohlinger, Dave Bryan, Lynnette Bryant-Thompson, Cubbie Tails, Karlyn Davis, Linda Fremouw, RD-LD-CD and Taylor Gawlik, Kenneth Gettler, David Godfredsen, Blaine & Nichole Halverson, Jessica L Hansen, Darren & Kelly Hoyland, Celayne Jones, Heidi Kile, Lester & Tammy Larson, Susan Leschke, Julia Lorenz, Mark Mielke, Gerald & Rebecca Morris, Melissa Rapply, Pamela Severson, Dennis & Elizabeth Spader, Kim Cornelius Vanlangen, Jessie Weinberger, Robyn Whitwam, Mary & Stephen Williams, Andrew Wypij, and Steven Young

If you received this newsletter, but are not currently a member, please use the membership form on page 3 to join the DCHS team.

Please pass the word on to family and friends and encourage them to become members as well.














Members, please note: you will be sent a membership renewal notice in the mail to notify you when your membership is due



Thank you for being a member and giving your continued support. We can't do this without you!

DCHS Membership Benefits

Have you ever wondered what comes with a membership to DCHS?
Check out all of the great benefits below!

-  Showing your support for the homeless animals in our community
-  3 shareable coupons, each good for 1 dog/cat nail trim or dog bath
-  Grooming services are members only unless an official coupon is presented
-  One complimentary pet tag coupon for you or a friend
-  \$5 pet tags at DCHS
-  10% off Pet Stop merchandise at DCHS
-  Quarterly newsletter
-  Personalized membership card
-  Half price pet microchips (only at shelter, not low-cost events)
-  5 free raffle basket tickets at events holding basket drawings (membership card must be presented, not valid on large raffles)
-  \$15 off each private training session with Sharon Wuolett at Leerburg
-  \$5 new client coupon to Sunspot Grooming
-  Discounts/benefits at local businesses:
 - Waterfront-2nd entree 1/2 price
 - Gin Mill-2nd Sunday brunch 1/2 price
 - Ted's Pizza-\$3 off XL
 - Duke and Dagger-10% off
 - Marion's Legacy Chocolates-10% off

DCHS Shelter
Statistics Mar '20-June '20

		Cats		Dogs	
		Current	%	Current	%
I n t a k e	Strays	89	59%	17	40%
	Returned	8	5%	6	14%
	Surrendered	17	11%	15	36%
	Transferred In	33	22%	4	10%
	Born	5	3%	0	0%
O u t c o m e s	Onsite Adopted	62	49%	31	100%
	Offsite Adopted	64	51%	0	0%
	Total Adopted	126	84%	31	62%
	Claimed	2	1%	12	24%
	Euthanized	4	3%	0	0%
	Transferred	1	1%	6	12%
	Released (Ferals)	13	9%		
	Died in Care	3	2%	0	0%
	Dead on Arrival	1	1%	1	2%

Join or Renew Today!

**Dunn County Humane Society
Membership/Donation Form**
302 Brickyard Road, Menomonie, WI 54751

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Are you a new or renewing member? _____

Would you like a receipt? _____

Membership Levels

- ☐ \$15 Senior (62+)
- ☐ \$25 Senior Couple (62+)
- ☐ \$30 Individual
- ☐ \$50 Family
- ☐ \$75 Animal Lover
- ☐ \$100 Sustainer
- ☐ \$100 Business (non-voting)
- ☐ \$250 Pick of the Litter
- ☐ \$500 Top Dog/Cat
- ☐ \$1000 Guardian Angel

Additional Donations

- \$_____ Spay/Neuter Fund
- \$_____ Lizzie Fund (for injured pets)
- \$_____ General Operating Fund
- \$_____ Building Maintenance/Repair Fund
- \$_____ Safe Harbor Fund (at-risk pets)
- \$_____ Pet Dental Fund
- \$_____ In honor of _____
- \$_____ In memory of _____

Total amount enclosed: \$ _____

*Your membership card and shareable coupons will
be mailed to you at the address provided.
Thank you for being a member!!*



Cash & Other Donations (3/16/20 - 6/15/20)

3M Foundation
Amazon Smile
Tammy Anderson
Anonymous
John Backhaus
Sandra Bambenek
Charles Barnard
James Bastman
Benevity Causes
Amy Berres
Julie Biedrzycki
Marsha Biggs
Thomas Bonnett
John Bowman
Billie Bridges
Mary Buckley
Jim & Nancy Burritt
Mary Campbell
Jerry & Mary Cinker
Jennifer Clark
Bonnie Clough
Steve & Vicki Cole
Chase Cummings
Jean Davis
Karlyn Davis
Lorri Dehnhoff
Nancy Dimberio
Sydney Dumond
Christine Dye
Curtiss Eng
Facebook Payment
Jamie Fenton
Margaret Ford
Suzanne Gaines
David Godfredsen
Barb Gort
Dennis & Jane Griffiths
Amanda Gutsh
Sandy Haesly
Ray Hayes
Steve Haynes
Sebastian Hearne
Kristen Hedge
Vicki Hermann
Hoof & Paw Clinic
Christara Hormann
A.J. & Edward Howells
Heather Hradel
Jacqueline Hunt
Brent & Sharon Husby
Mark Hustedde
Doug Hyde

Independence State Bank
Janice Jacobs
Shelly Jacobson
Roxanne D Johnson
M & S Joles
Kat Jones
Vicki Kapaun
Paul Keller
Judith Kelly
Heidi Kile
Jacqueline Klemme
Susan & Don Knaack
Knapp Community Projects
Lori Koehler
Carolyn & Tom
Aarrestad Kuether
Dana Lahti
Lee Lappin
Georgia Larsen
Arthur Lauer
Heather Lehman
Kay & Donald Lentz
Bruce & Judith Loehle-Conger
Emily Long
Jason Long
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Sandra Meier
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Menomonie Food Co-op
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Stacy Mork
Timothy Morris
Christine Ness
Jo Neverdahl-Hayes
LLC Nisco
Leslie Odden
Christine Oest
Mary Louise Olson
Connie Olson-Yang

Ellen Osterhaus &
Nathan Schleuder
PayPal Giving Fund
Tony Pelke
Michael Pershern
Matt Peterson
Melanie Peterson
Danielle Potokar
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Michele & John Register
Kristin Rogers-Schober
Julie Rondeau
Mikhail Ronnander
Jean Savage
Judy Schindler
Kate Schindler
Travis Schlafke
Lois Schultz
Margea Schultz
David Schwartz
Susan Sehley
Melanie Sikveland
Aaron Smith
David & Amy Sonnabend
Carol Sorsoleil
Patricia Spinosa
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Kory Stuemke
Sun Spot Pet Grooming
GA Synergy Cooperative
Kristie Tabbert
Thomas Terando
Tricia Thompson
Tricia & Pete Thompson
Thrivent Choice Dollars
Amy Thurston
Stacey L Tschumperlin
Jeff & Wendy Tucker
Lynde B Uihlein
United Way of Central OH
United Way of Greater
Twin Cities

Gretta Van Bree
Ken and Christine Oest
Vanderwerker
Martha Wallen
Nancy Weber
Michael Weiland
Meridith Wentz
Allen Wojcik
Christy Woodford
Joe Woodford & Torri Clark
LLC YourCause
Susan Ystenes
Ashley Zeitz
LaMoine & Ethel Zielieke
Susan Zuberbuehler

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we have
received from
adopters!**

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an update on a
dog or cat that
you adopted
from us please
send pictures
and updates to
[info@dunncounty-
humanesociety.org](mailto:info@dunncounty-humanesociety.org)
We love to see
how everyone
is doing!**



Dunn County Humane Society Annual Meeting Notice

Our semi-annual meeting will be held July 14, 2020 at the Shirley Doane Senior Center (1412 6th St. E, Menomonie WI 54751) at 6:00 pm.

The regular board meeting will immediately follow.

Upon reasonable notice, efforts will be made to accomodate the needs of individuals with disabilities.

To request this service please contact the shelter at 715-232-9790.

If you would like to join the meeting virtually there are two options:

go to bit.ly/dchszom7-2020 to join via Zoom

or call in to 1-312-626-6799 and use the meeting ID 814 2416 8935 and password 415180.



Board Blog



Prudy Shay
DCHS Treasurer

May I introduce you to the most precious, little English Bulldog named Lucy? I adopted her from the Dunn County Humane Society 5.5 years ago and it was one of the best decisions I have ever made. She is such a sweetie pie until she decides she is tired of walking and just lays down in typical bulldog fashion. I have been known to carry all 44 pounds of her the rest of our walk - surprisingly

enough she has absolutely no problem with that!

Lucy and I have been enjoying the warmer temperatures lately, and I hope you have as well. We need to keep in mind that with warmer weather comes sunburn (yep, dogs can get sunburn!) and hot pavement that can be damaging to your pup's paws. An easy test for the pavement is to simply touch the pavement with the back of your hand for 7 seconds, and if it's too hot for your hand then it's too hot for your dog's paws as well. Finding a grassy area to walk in or waiting until the temperatures have dropped are your best bet in that case.

Did you know that, like people dogs can develop skin cancer if exposed to too much sun? Being a bulldog, Lucy has delicate skin and is prone to skin issues ~ often times hereditary with her breed. She will actually sunburn, so her naps in the sun (and boy does she love them) need to be closely timed. If she has been in the sun too long, her skin will look more pink than normal and she can actually bleed (which can be very uncomfortable for her and harmful). Any time sunburn is visible you should move your dog inside or into the shade and place cool compresses and/or ointments on the affected area. I carry Aloe with me, which soothes the sunburned area and seems to assist in the healing but I would advise that you have a discussion with your Veterinarian for your dog.



Summer sun is awesome in moderation for humans AND dogs.
Be safe and enjoy your summer!

Get to Know the DCHS Staff!

A fun questionnaire was recently given to our staff members and we will be highlighting one or two staff members in each newsletter. This quarter we are featuring Tianna Cebulla, who has been with us for one year and is heading off to Rochester to finish her schooling this fall. Thank you for all of your hard work and we wish you all the best in your new adventures!

What is your favorite part of working at DCHS?

Using my passion for animals to care for dogs and cats and find homes for them. I love seeing them everyday because I love them all.

If you were an animal, what would you be and why?

A dog - My dog Jax (adopted from DCHS!) fits my personality to a T. Dogs are amazing creatures that are loyal and loving

Favorite color? *Blue/red*

Favorite food? *Easy Cheesy Potatoes*

And does pineapple belong on pizza? *No*

What type of book do you enjoy reading most?

Fiction/drama/romance

What is your favorite movie of all time and why?

Pirates of the Caribbean At Worlds End. I like the action, storyline and romance

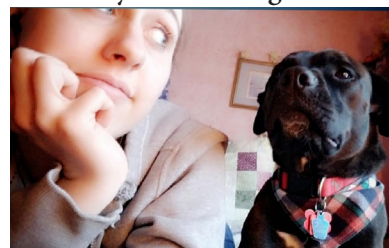
How do you spend your down time?

Watch Netflix, shoot my bow and doing crafts

Favorite type of music, Favorite group/singer, Favorite song? *Country! I like most singers and groups, don't really have a favorite. I also don't have a favorite song, it changes all the time!*

Favorite childhood TV show? *Spongebob Square Pants*

Favorite TV series you have binge watched? *New Girl*



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Dunn County Humane Society's Virtual Mutt Strut N' Tabby Trot 2020 Pledge Form

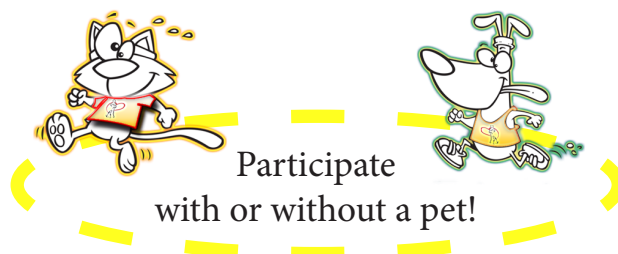
Start your very own Mutt Strut n' Tabby Trot fundraising page this year! Go to bit.ly/mstt2020 to create your page and start collecting donations. For every \$50 in pledges that you collect we will enter your name into a drawing for 3 great prizes - a \$500 Sam's Club gift card, a \$250 Charter Bank Visa card, and a Mall of America package! (Pledge deadline: July 18 @noon)

Participant's Name _____

Pet's Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____



Get the fundraising ball rolling with a donation of your own!

For every \$50 you raise, your name will be entered into the drawing for 3 fabulous prizes (see other side for details)!

Important notice: I, intending to legally bind myself, my pet(s), my children, administrators, personal representatives or assignees, or any party holding a durable power of attorney for my actions, do hereby release Dunn County Humane Society (DCHS), it's employees, affiliates, Board, or volunteers from responsibility for injury or damages to wither myself, my pet(s), or my children as a result of my participation in this event. I grant permission for use for publicity or promotional purposes my name, my or my children's pictures, or my pet's photo without liability or obligation to me. Entries from minors will be accepted with a parent or legal guardian signature.

Signature of Participant _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian (if participant under 18) _____ Date _____

Name of Pledger	Pledger's Address	Pledge Amount	Paid (Y/N)



(This form may be duplicated)

Total Pledges Raised: _____

Questions? Email Lisad@dunncountyhumanesociety.org

Memorials & Honorariums (3/16/20 - 6/15/20)

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Sharron Anderson Erickson
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Alan & Debra Benoit
Alan & Debra Benoit
Bill & Rita Christoffersen
Bonnie & Bill DeHoff

James Draeger
Sally Dresdow

Judy Evenson
Judy Ferguson
Jennifer & Storm Harmon
Barry & Emily Hines
Becky Iverson
Roxanne D Johnson
Betty L Johnson

Tammy Johnson
Judy Kernan
Mildred & Roland Kistner
Mildred & Roland Kistner
Theresa Krizan

Elisabeth's Birthday Fundraiser
Amy's Birthday Fundraiser
In Memory of Sophia
In memory of TyTan
In Memory of Eva
In Memory of Rex
In Memory of Kola
In Memory of Serena
In Memory of Bella
In memory of Nala
In Memory of Merry Christmas
In Memory of Roxy
In Memory of Miles
In Memory of Freida
In Memory of Rylee
In Memory of Sky
In Memory of Dozer
In memory of Stubby
In Memory of Chester
In Memory of Rex
In Memory of Beauty
In Memory of Kandi
In Memory of Rascal
In Memory of Alex
In Memory of Dorthy Benoit
In Memory of Joan Svendsen
In Memory of Polly
In memory of Hugo,
beloved Labrador of the Kelli/
Kenton Miller Family
Porch Project
Thank you to DCHS for
helping Honey Do Ranch
In Memory of Ken
In Memory of Bob Potter
Porch Project
In memory of Martha Haltinner
In memory of Mike Murphy
In Honor of Hundley - Scooby
In honor of Andrea Wieland's
birthday
Sarah's Birthday Fundraiser
In Memory of Tiki
In Memory of Nancy Weber
In honor of Gizmo
Dan Drenckhahn's Birthday
Fundraiser

John & Linda Lenz
John & Linda Lenz
Barbara Lindberg
Sharon Nordstrom
Mary Louise Olson
Mary & Bernie Orfield

Bambi Penning
Joan Polasky
Karol Reykjavik
Laurie Rud

Doug Safar

Dorothy Sanders
Siri Benrud Photography
Darla Sorensen
Diane & John Strey
John Vandenberg
Jamie Wagner
Adam & Amy Wamboldt
Rosalie & Dick Werner
Jen Wilson
Aaron & Diana Wold
Steven Young

In memory of Noal Harshman
In memory of Ticki's Benji
In Memory of Parker
In memory of JinJin
In Memory of the dog - Sugar
In honor of John Perri -the
gentleman that created plaques
for DCHS

In memory of Jean Oasumn
In Memory of Jeanne Polasky
Amy's Birthday Fundraiser
Dan Drenckhahn's Birthday
Fundraiser
Dan Drenckhahn's Birthday
Fundraiser
In Memory of Melvin L Sanders
Porch Project

In memory of Kenny Drout
Jesali's Birthday Fundraiser
Sarah's Birthday Fundraiser
Porch Project
In memory of Duchess
Amy's Birthday Fundraiser
Porch Project
In memory of Carolyn Ohnstad



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Special Note:

Thank you everyone who has given so generously! We do our absolute best to share the names of all those who do so, but it is increasingly complex to do so given the numerous different donation sources. If we missed you or someone you know, please understand that it is completely unintentional. If you wish to confirm receipt of a donation, please contact us.





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Upcoming Events

July 14:- DCHS Annual Meeting and Board Meeting, Location TBD - 6:00 pm

July 17-19: Virtual Mutt Strut n' Tabby Trot

August 28-29: Back to School Rummage Sale, Fanetti Community Center

September 19: Furkin Fest, Jake's Supper Club 1 - 5 pm

*We will also be doing a fundraiser with Main Street Cafe and Fudgeraiser soon..
keep an eye out on our website and Facebook page for more information!*



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