

WHAT'S WAGGIN'

In the Clinton County Humane Society

PET CONNECTION—Meet Laddie



Laddie, 4-month-old Collie/Lab mix, is awesome, according to her foster. He is good in a crate and walks well on leash. He likes the company of other dogs, but is also perfectly content sitting by your side and being petted. Laddie is also good off leash when he visits a farm for a nice run. Well-behaved and friendly, Laddie will make a great family pet. He is up-to-date on shots, spayed/neutered, parasite free and micro-chipped. If Laddie sounds like your kind of guy, call 526-4500 to arrange a meeting or adoption.

CCHS has other wonderful pets available including long-haired cats **Sassy**, tan/gray; **Joli**, gray/tan/white; and short-haired cats **Riley**, **Amelia**, gray/wt; **Tux**, black/white; kittens **Silver** and **Pippy**, gray; **Cosmo** and **Astro**, black tabby; **Tossy**, white/orange; **Memphis**, black/white; and **Ramone**, black. Most of the cats reside at the CCHS building at 1301 Apple Lane where folks can visit them daily from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. and weekdays from 5:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.

Available dogs include **Missy**, Terrier mix; **Gilda**, Cattle Dog mix; **Cole**, Lab/Terrier mix; **Ruby**, Staffordshire mix; **Nakita**, Boxer mix; **Dori**, Shepherd mix; **Boris**, Boxer; **Lukie**, collie mix pup; and **Mabel**, Shepherd/Collie mix pup.

Dogs are fostered with families and can be visited at the next Meet and Greet at Breese North Side Park May 18, from 10 a.m. until noon or you can call 526-4500 to set up an appointment.

Call 526-4500 or email ccilhs@ccilhs.org for information on available pets, or check out our pets on www.petfinder.com or www.adoptapet.com.

2014 PET CALENDAR CCHS DEADLINE NEARS

The deadline is coming up to buy a spot for your pet in the 2014 Pet Calendar included!

You can purchase a date on the calendar to honor your pet for \$10 and then submit a photo of your pet with his/her name to CCHS for inclusion in the calendar by June 1.

One pet per date, please.

For further information or questions or to secure a date for your pet, contact Melissa at ccilhscalendar@yahoo.com or call 618-910-9597.

The cover and the monthly feature pages were purchased earlier this year at the CCHS Purrfect Pawty fundraiser auction.

When completed, the CCHS Pet Calendar will be sold to the public for \$20.

AVISTON FAB 5 VISIT CCHS



Shelley Kenow's Fab Five students from Aviston Elementary stopped by the CCHS building to learn about and play with cats on a field trip Wednesday, May 15. The group included Aide Vicki Pittmann, Renee Thole, Abby Tune, Madison Meyer, Dillon Stockmann, Aide Geri Hilmes, Deisy Sixtos and Teacher Shelley Kenow

VILLAS DONATION



Amanda Kampwerth of the Villas at St. James presented a donation of \$150 earned from a bake sale to CCHS's Treasurer Ellen Huegen. Thanks!

AVISTON BROWNIES AND DAISIES DONATION



Brownies and Daisies from Troop #8434 of Aviston collected change at monthly meetings for 3 months to earn over \$100 in the "Pennies for Charity" campaign and chose to donate it to CCHS.

The girls presented the check to CCHS volunteer Mary Becker Thursday, May 16, when they stopped to pet cats and tour the facility.

The CCHS pets appreciate their support.

MEET AND GREET MAY 18



Camden, Jaxson, Sara and Haley Boulware presented CCHS's Laura Beckmann with a much-appreciated donation from the Boulware family in Memory of Lee Boulware.



Little guys Lukie and Bella (lap pup) relaxed with CCHS's Ellen Huegen at the Meet and Greet.



Lori Langenhorst, assisted by Kathy Scott, trimmed Beethoven's nails for owner Ken Kreitner at Breese North Side Park.



Nakita got up close and cozy to say a big hello to Dave Hummert at the CCHS Meet and Greet.



Cosmo, Astro and Memphis were anxious to see what was going on at the CCHS Meet and Greet at Breese North Side Park



Memphis got plenty of attention from Jim Bowers at the Meet and Greet.



Ruby lounged on her perch a little above the crowd at the Meet and Greet.

REMINDER

Fleas and ticks are already on the hunt for your pet. Make sure you have treated pets for the parasites these insects carry.

DONATIONS

The CCHS can always use donations besides cash.

We can also use cat care supplies including Scoop Away cat litter, Eukanuba kitten or cat food, bleach, Tide, latex gloves, window and floor cleaners.

We accept other brands of cat food and litter, pet toys, collars, leashes, dog beds, dog houses,

kennels and crates, towels, blankets and almost anything for pets or cleaning.

Sinbad the Scarlet Macaw likes big bird toys, nuts and fruit.

The CCHS is also collecting new or gently used backpacks.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

CCHS really needs volunteers to help at the building.

If you have a couple of hours once a week or even once a month, please contact ccilhsvolunteer@gmail.com or call 526-4500 and specify when you would like to get on the schedule to work at the office/store/cat care 10 a.m-2 p.m. every day or 5:30 -7:30 p.m. Mon thru Fri.

There is always a need for extra dog handlers at meet and greets and other events.

Fostering is a big commitment, but worth the effort. CCHS can always use good fosters. The more fosters we have, the more dogs we can help.

Call 526-4500 or stop by the building at 1301 Apple Lane for more information about volunteering.

Volunteer and see how good it feels to be part of an organization helping pets find loving homes.

CCHS BUILDING

Stop by the CCHS facility at 1301 Apple Lane in Breese to check out the merchandise, including pet collars, leashes, toys and much more, as well as CCHS logo apparel for people from onesies to 3X.

The store is open from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. every day and 5:30-7:30 p.m. Mon through Friday. The store will be closed Saturday and Sunday evenings, except by appointment. The phone number is 526-4500.

Proceeds from the store go toward helping CCHS pets.

Regulations prevent the CCHS from accepting strays or drop offs. If you want to surrender your own pet, please call for information on the proper procedure. It is illegal to dump animals.

NOTICES

Check us out on our website, friend us on Facebook and tweet us on Twitter! Contact us at our snail mail address Clinton County Humane Society, 1301 Apple Lane, Breese, IL 62230 or by phone at 526-4500.

Summer CCHS Meet and Greets are held on the first and third Saturdays of every month from 10 a.m. until noon at Breese North Side Park so folks can meet adoptable pets. Microchipping is available for \$25. Nail trimming is available every third Saturday Meet and Greet. See you there Saturday, June 1.

The next regular CCHS meeting will be held Wednesday, June 5, at 7 p.m. at the CCHS facility at 1301 Apple Lane. It's time to start planning the fall fundraiser, so we need lots of help from volunteers. Meetings are open to the public and new members are always welcome.

If your health, finances or housing make it necessary for you to surrender your pet, CCHS may be able to help.

Call the CCHS at 526-4500 to start the process.

You must provide your pet's medical history from your vet, a photo and a completed surrender application with information about your pet's personality and training, and your pet will be tested for adoptability.

If all goes well, he will be added to the CCHS roster, and the search for his new family will begin.

There is no charge for surrendering your pet.

You can support the work of the CCHS by joining, fostering, donating, volunteering, purchasing CCHS merchandise, supporting fundraising events or sponsoring a pet.

Donations can be made to the CCHS -at CCHS Meet and Greets and events -online at www.ccilhs.org through Paypal -by mail or in person at Clinton County Humane Society, 1301 Apple Lane, Breese, IL 62230

Consider making an automatic monthly donation.

The CCHS is a volunteer, non-profit organization, not affiliated with any other Humane Society or organization.