

WHAT'S WAGGIN'

In the Clinton County Humane Society

PET CONNECTION—Meet Muff!



Muff is a 1 ½ year old Yorkie mix, weighing in at about 12 lbs. Muff is missing half of his right ear. He came in to the pound with the injury, but is healing nicely, and it causes him no problems. Muff is a sweet fellow who loves to sit on your lap. He is friendly and is doing well in his foster home with children and other dogs. He is crate trained. Muff is up to date on shots, spayed/neutered and micro-chipped. If you are looking for sweet little addition to your family, call 526-4500 to arrange a meeting or apply for adoption online at ccilhs.org.

CCHS has other wonderful pets available including cats **Riley**, **Amelia**, gray/wt; **Tux**, black/white; and kittens **Pippy**, gray; **Tossy**, white/orange; **Phoebe**, gray tabby; **Pooter** and **Mosley**, gray/wt; **Petunia**, buff/white. 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 **Cole**, Lab/Terrier mix; **Penny**, Chihuahua mix; **Pistol**, Terrier; **Bella** and **Lee**, Staffie; **Muff**, Yorkie/Terrier; **Flash**, Staffie mix; **Charley**, Lab; and puppies **Lux**, Lab mix; **Trinket**, Terrier; “**Carp**”enter, **Freese**, **Lynn**, **Molina**, **Coarlosbeltran**, **Kozma**, and **Jonjay**, Shepherd mix.

Dogs are fostered with families and can be visited at the next Meet and Greet at Breese North Side Park on Saturday, Sept 7, from 10 a.m. until noon, or you can call 526-4500 for an appointment or for information or email ccilhs@ccilhs.org for information on available pets, or check out our pets on www.petfinder.com or www.adoptapet.com.

LUCKY DOG FAMILY REUNION

Come join the fun at the 7th Annual Lucky Dog Family Reunion Sunday, Sept 1, at Breese North Side Park.

The annual Pet Parade will kick off the event at 2 p.m. CCHS adoptable pets will lead the parade followed by CCHS alumni and friends. Line up is at 1:30 p.m.

Lori Langenhorst and her crew will trim pet nails for only \$5 after the parade, and CCHS pets will be available for adoption until 5 p.m.

Beginning at 2:30, kids can enjoy pony rides, bounce houses, face painting, games and toy stand.

Babaloo, award-winning kids’ entertainer, will entertain from 3-4 p.m. with “carefully controlled kid chaos” including music, songs, dancing and magic.

Roland Kreke’s music will begin at 2.

The featured entertainment will be Lucky Dog Band and friends providing music from 4 until 8 p.m.

The Lucky Dog Band organized the family reunion in 2007 in memory of Les Laux, Marvin Markus and Vern Phillips.

CCHS was invited to join the event in 2009.

CCHS will sell merchandise, food and drinks throughout the day.

Raffle tickets are on sale now for the grand prize, a 47” LG LED Smart TV; 2nd prize, a hand stitched quilt; and 3 third place prizes of \$100 each.

Raffle tickets cost \$5 or 3 for \$10. Raffle tickets and Babaloo/kid area tickets are available at the CCHS building.

CCHS is still taking donations for the silent auction. If businesses or individuals have items for the auction, please call 526-4500 or drop the items at the building at 1301 Apple Lane.

Anyone who wants to help is invited to the meetings Wednesday, Aug 28, at 7 p.m. to finalize

work on the fundraiser. Lots of workers are needed to man the booths on the day of the fundraiser. If you can take a shift, call the office at 526-4500 or stop by to sign up.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, CCHS!

The Clinton County Humane Society recently reached their 5th year anniversary.

The CCHS has placed over 565 pets in new homes since they were licensed in Aug 2008 and incorporated in Sept 2008.

A non-profit 501(c)3, all volunteer organization depends on the generosity of its supporters and the two major fundraisers held each year.

Starting with just the idea that people needed to do more to help pets in our area, Deb Wesselmann gathered like-minded folks to set up an organization.

After months of preparation and research, a board was set up, protocols were established and the CCHS went to work to rescue pets.

Pets are selected from area animal controls, rescue groups or owner surrenders.

Pets go directly to Breese Services Ltd, Carlyle Animal Hospital, Crooked Creek or other local veterinarian where they are checked and treated for injuries or parasites. They receive shots, are spayed or neutered and are micro-chipped before they are made available for adoption. Cats must also be feline leukemia negative.

Available pets are listed on Petfinder and can be visited at Meet and Greets or area events like parades and picnics.

The adoption fee for a dog is \$225 and cats \$150 with donations and fundraiser monies picking up any additional vet costs.

The CCHS holds two major fundraisers each year—one in March and the Lucky Dog Family Reunion on Labor Day.

Monetary donations are always welcome, as well as new or gently used pet items.

In 2012 the CCHS opened their building at 1301 Apple Lane.

The building houses adoptable cats and merchandise, as well as the office, board room and storage.

One hundred percent of the profit from the sale of merchandise goes directly back into CCHS funds for pet care.

The building is open 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. daily and from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

ADOPTIONS...



Ryan and Randy Oros head home with their new puppy Wilson.



Gloria's new family includes Handon, Kevin, Megan and Harper Donjon.



Louie makes his new home with Doyle and Toby Hucker.



Brenda, Kenny and Jennifer Leitner will share their home with Bailey.



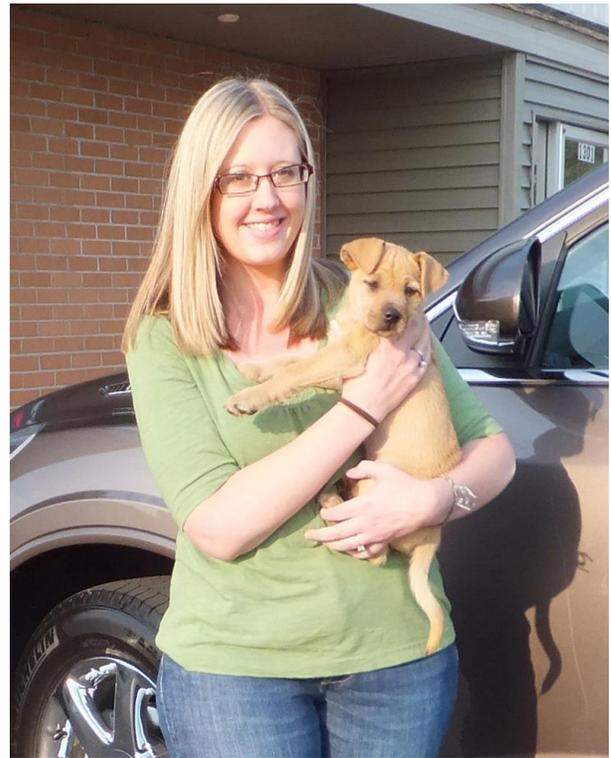
Khia has moved in with Carrie and Tommy Bach.



Truman's new family is Donna and Jim Goetz.



Java joins the family of John Bellegant



Juliet will make her home with Nicole Launhardt.



Ryan Wuebbles adopted his new little buddy Romeo.

CCHS PET COOKBOOK

CCHS is putting together a pet treat cookbook. Anyone who has recipes for healthy pet treats or pet-themed human treats can email them to ccilhs@gmail.com for inclusion.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

CCHS 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 help at CCHS 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. The next Meet and Greet will be held at Breese North Side Park Saturday, Sept 7, from 10 until noon. Micro-chipping will be available for \$25, including registration.

The next regular CCHS meeting will be held Wednesday, Sept 11, at 7 p.m. at the CCHS facility at 1301 Apple Lane. 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.