

WHAT'S WAGGIN'

In the Clinton County Humane Society

PET CONNECTION—New puppies!



CCHS introduces a litter of seven-week-old Shepherd mix pups, as well as their mom, that are now available. Black or tan, males or females, fluffy or shorter haired—CCHS has them all. The pups are vet checked, up to date on shots for their age, spayed/neutered, and micro-chipped. If you are looking for a fun little addition to your family, call CCHS at 526-4500 to set up an appointment to meet them. Pups will be adopted on a first-come, first-served basis, so you can fill out an adoption application online at www.ccilhs.org and email it to get your name in first or pick up an application at the building. If you later decide not to adopt, you are not obligated.

CCHS has other wonderful pets available including cat **Amelia**, gray/wt; and kittens **Pippy**, gray; **Tossy**, white/orange; **Cosmo**, 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 **Bella**, Staffie; **Muff**, Yorkie/Terrier; **Flash**, Staffie mix; **Charley** and **Harley**, Black Labs; **Krakatoa** and **Skip**, Shepherd mixes; **Blake**, Maltese mix; **Frank**, Australian Shepherd mix.

Dogs are fostered with families and can be visited at the next Meet and Greet Saturday, Oct 5, from 10 a.m. until noon at the Carlyle Healthcare Center; or you can call 526-4500 or email ccilhs@ccilhs.org for information or an appointment; or check out our pets on www.petfinder.com or www.adoptapet.com.

GIRLS SCOUTS VISIT CCHS

Girl Scout Cadet Troop 8441 toured the CCHS building and visited with pets at the Meet and Greet Saturday, Sept 21.

Tessa Beckmann, Samantha Eversgerd, Morgan Huelsmann, Jessica Jansen, Molly Nordhaus and Hannah Timmermann learned about the CCHS prior to their upcoming rummage sale Saturday, Oct 19, to earn money to buy pet supplies for CCHS.

Shelly Albers guided the group around the facility and explained the work of the CCHS.

Laura Beckmann spoke to the girls about the adoption process and answered questions at the Meet and Greet.

CCHS MEET AND GREET SEPT 7



Bella takes an interesting position as she waits with handler Josh Winkeler at the CCHS Meet and Greet.



Flash's name seems less appropriate as he naps at the CCHS Meet and Greet Saturday, Sept 7, at Breese North Side Park.



Flash, Skippy and Krakatoa get a chance to socialize, while handlers Sophia Kennett, Collette Kennett and Deb Wesselmann visit at the Meet and Greet.



Girl Scout Cadet Troop 8441 from Germantown stopped by the CCHS Meet and Greet to meet the pets Saturday, Sept 21, at Breese North Side Park.



It seems that neither Lux nor Krakatoa were sure about their meeting, but you can't make new friends if you don't stick your neck out sometimes.

TRENTONFEST PARADE



CCHS pets, volunteers and friends took part in the Trentonfest Parade Saturday, Sept 7.

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Missy, owned by Sharon Maxwell, was not thrilled to have her nails trimmed by Laura Beckmann, assisted by Shelly Albers.



Frank with foster Melissa Poelker attended his first CCHS Meet and Greet Saturday.



Steve and Michael Lane met Krakatoa at the CCHS Meet and Greet Saturday, Sept 21, at Breese North Side Park.

STOCK 4 PETS

Stock4pets.com is a new and growing website that offers discounts on pet items for shoppers and donations for CCHS.

Stock4pets.com carries pet food, treats, toys and more at a 10% discount for shoppers and will return 10% to the CCHS if shoppers just fill in CCHS's customer #22570 when they check out.

Take a minute to look over the items at www.stock4pets.com and see if there is a bargain for you, and you can help CCHS at the same time.

VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE NOW ONLINE

Volunteers! You can now conveniently check the CCHS building work schedule online.

Just go to ccilhs.org. Click on the calendar just under the events calendar list. It will show if anyone has signed up to work. If someone is listed for that time, feel free to join them. The work is easier if you share it.

The calendar is not up to date yet, but should be up by October.

If you find yourself with a little extra time, schedule a shift for yourself by emailing ccilhsvolunteer@gmail.com or ccilhs@gmail.com or calling the office at 526-4500 or just stop by!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

CCHS needs volunteers to help at the building.

There is always a need for help at CCHS events. Stop by and ask for a job.

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 come 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.

SALE!

Stop by the CCHS facility at 1301 Apple Lane in Breese to check out the sale merchandise. Adult tees cost only \$12; youth tees, \$8; 2012 Lucky Dog Family Reunion tees, \$5; and adult hoodies, \$15, just in time for fall.

The store also carries pet collars, leashes, toys and much more, as well as other 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. 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.

REMINDER

Folks love their pets so much that they take them wherever they go, and the pets love to go for a ride with their people. Terrific! However, pets in the front seat of vehicles are not safe. Airbags are not designed for pets and may cause injury or death in an accident. Pets in the driver's lap are happy, but they are a hazard to a driver trying to control his car in an emergency. Just as we love our children and put them in the back seat where they are safe, we should put our pets in the back as well. Be safe and enjoy the ride!

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.

Meet and Greets are held the first and third Saturdays each month. The next Meet and Greet will be Saturday, Oct 5, at the Carlyle Healthcare Center from 10 a.m. until noon. Micro-chipping for your pet will be available for \$25, including registration.

The next regular CCHS meeting will be held Wednesday, Oct 9, 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.

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