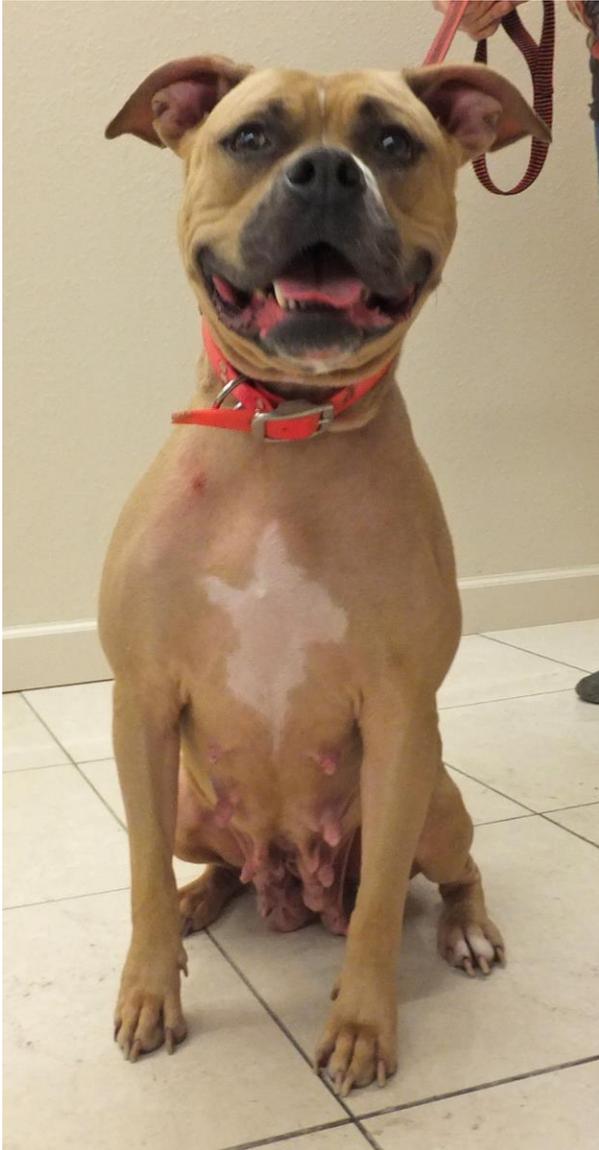


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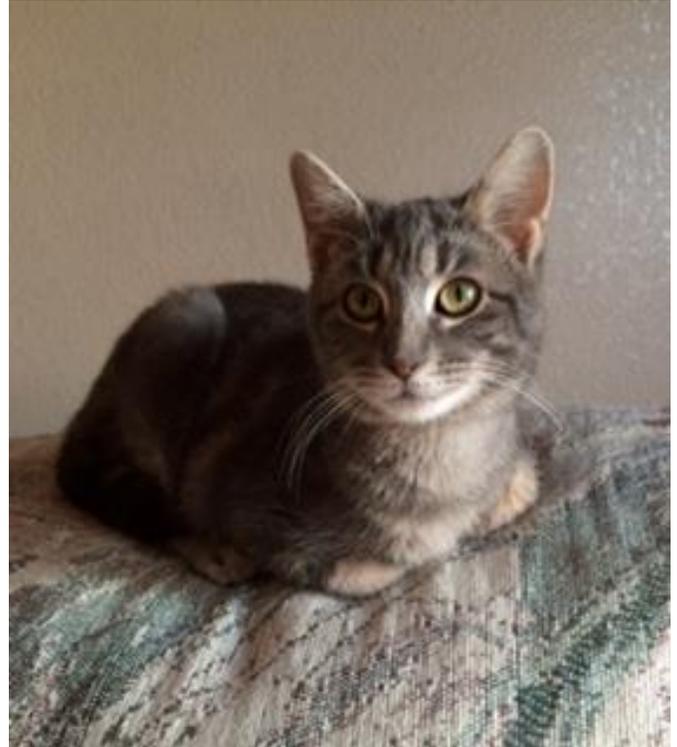
## PET CONNECTIONS! AVAILABLE DOGS...



Jasmine, 2 1/2 -year-old American Bulldog mix, is a sweetheart. She is good with people and loves to be around them. She is okay with most dogs, but definitely not with cats. She likes playing, going on walks and cuddling. She is calm and well-behaved in the house and rides well in a car. She is housebroken and crate-trained. Jasmine would make a great family pet for someone looking for a big baby! She is vet checked, up-to-date on shots, spayed/neutered and micro-chipped. Please call 526-4500 for information about meeting and adopting him.

Other available dogs and puppies include **Dice**, Bearded Collie mix; **Jasmine**, American Bulldog mix; **Rugby**, Terrier mix; **Toby**, Boxer mix; **Daisy Mae**, Australian Shepherd mix.

## AVAILABLE CATS...



Bourbon, 6-month-old, short-haired gray tabby, is playful and sweet. This handsome guy also loves to have his tummy rubbed. He is vet checked, up-to-date on shots, spayed/neutered, feline leukemia free and micro-chipped. Contact 526-4500 for adoption information.

Adoptable cats include **Gylson**, brown tabby; youngsters **Bourbon**, Russian Blue mix; **Barney**, Siamese mix; kittens, **Cream Cheese**, dilute calico; **Butterball**, gray/orange; **Willow**, gray tabby; **Cinnamon**, tan/white. Most of the cats may be visited at the CCHS building during store hours.

Dogs are fostered with families and may be visited by appointment or at the next Meet and Greet at Breese Motors in Breese Saturday, Apr 18, from 10 am until noon.

All CCHS pets are vet checked, up-to-date on shots, spayed/neutered and micro-chipped. Dogs are heartworm checked, and cats are also feline leukemia negative and litter box trained. If you are interested in adopting a CCHS pet, fill out an application online at [www.ccilhs.org](http://www.ccilhs.org) or pick one up at the building. You can call 526-4500 or email [ccilhs@ccilhs.org](mailto:ccilhs@ccilhs.org) or [ccilhs@gmail.com](mailto:ccilhs@gmail.com) for information or an appointment. Check out our pets on [www.petfinder.com](http://www.petfinder.com) or [www.adoptapet.com](http://www.adoptapet.com).

## BE PREPARED FOR EMERGENCIES

You never know when fire, a tornado or another emergency situation may strike your home, so it is important to have emergency procedures planned for your family, including your pets!

Make sure your pet is micro-chipped or always wears a collar with up-to-date ID tags with his name, your phone number and any urgent medical alerts.

At the first sign of bad weather, bring your pet inside so he won't get panicky and run away.

When you make emergency plans, remember that you may need shelter for a few minutes, a few days or even for months.

For your pets, make sure you post emergency stickers to let rescue workers know how many pets are inside, your vet's name and your vet's phone number.

Plan the safest place for you and your pets inside your home.

Plan where you will go for longer periods outside your home. Make a list of kennels and facilities both nearby and some distance away where your pets could stay should it be necessary

List hotels/motels both close and further away that would accept you and your pets.

List family, friends and neighbors that might care for your pets temporarily and even permanently if something should happen to you.

Prepare an emergency kit for your pets and keep it near the exit.

The kit should contain food, water and medications for each pet for one week, and those items should be replaced every two months.

In a waterproof container, put a photo of your pet and copies of proof of ownership, vaccinations and medical records, as well as phone numbers of your vet, the nearest emergency clinic, and pet poison control hotline.

The emergency kit should contain first aid items, including at least gauze and gauze pads, self cling wrap, antiseptic wipes, gloves, blunt tip scissors, tweezers and hydrogen peroxide.

You should pack an extra collar, leash, harness and ID tag for each pet. You should also pack a muzzle and pillowcase or cat wrap in case your pet will be uneasy in any new circumstances.

For cats you will need disposable litter and litter trays. Aluminum roasting pans work well.

You may also want to include blankets, towels, paper towels, bleach and cleaners, food dishes, garbage bags, flashlight and batteries, crates and carriers for each pet.

If you have room, include some comfort items for your pet such as a favorite bed, toy or treats.

If you have birds, reptiles, hamsters and other pets, you may want to check online for appropriate preparation for their needs.

## HELP CCHS BY SHOPPING ON AMAZON SMILE

You can help CCHS by simply shopping on AmazonSmile. Yay!

When you shop Amazon, use [amazonsmile.com](https://www.amazon.com/amazonsmile).

Everything is the same—same products, same prices.

By simply selecting Clinton County Humane Society at checkout, a portion of your purchase amount will be sent To CCHS. How easy is that?

It won't cost you a thing, but will mean a lot to CCHS pets.

## PET TAG/ MICRO-CHIP MAY BRING YOUR LOST PET HOME QUICKLY

An ID tag is one way to improve the chances of your getting your pet back if he gets lost.

If your pet wanders off and is wearing a tag with his name and your phone number, all it will take to get him home is a phone call.

His collar and tags could be lost, so an even better way to get him home is to micro-chip him.

This tiny implant carries a number to identify your pet so the company where the chip is registered will contact you if your pet turns up at a vet, shelter or the police.

CCHS offers both tags and micro-chipping!

## APRIL SPECIAL—ANXIETY WRAPS 20% OFF

Just in time for the storm season Anxiety Wraps will be marked down 20% for the April Special.

For nervous dogs, Anxiety Wraps are snug vests that feel like a comforting hug during storms, fireworks or other situations that cause your pet to be anxious.



New CCHS tees “You’ve cat to be kitten...” shirts in bright neon pink, yellow, orange and gold have arrived and cost only \$20!

Other CCHS short-sleeved tees are only \$10, so you can stock up.

For dogs we carry treats, leashes, collars, beds, toys, anxiety wraps and bowls, as well as treats, collars and toys for cats.

Pet ID tags engraved on one side can be purchased for \$6 or on both sides for \$7.

For people we have caps, tees and hoodies.

The CCHS cookbook Wags, Whiskers & Wecipes costs only \$12! The cookbook contains recipes for appetizers, soups, veggies, entrees, breads, desserts, as well as treats for dogs and cats, and more!

The store at 1301 Apple Lane is open Sunday through Friday 10 a.m. until 2 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m. until noon, and Monday through Friday 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Proceeds from the store are used to help CCHS pets.

#### REMINDER!

Report abused or neglected pets in your neighborhood to the police, Crimestoppers, Animal Control or CCHS. Don’t let them suffer.

#### CONNECTIONS

Keep informed at our blog at <http://cchsil.wordpress.com> which is filled with tons of helpful information for pet owners.

Keep up with us at our website [ccilhs.org](http://ccilhs.org).

Friend us on Facebook.

Email us at [ccilhs@ccilhs.org](mailto:ccilhs@ccilhs.org) or [ccilhs@gmail.com](mailto:ccilhs@gmail.com).

Phone us at 618-526-4500.

Contact us at our snail mail address Clinton County Humane Society, 1301 Apple Lane, Breese, IL 62230.

#### MEETING

The next regular CCHS meeting will be held Wednesday, April 8, at 7 p.m. at the Bartelso Bowling Alley.

#### MEET AND GREET

Meet and Greets are held every first and third Saturday of each month. Breese Motors will sponsor a Meet and Greet Saturday, Apr 18, from 10 a.m. until noon. Pet nail trims and micro-chipping will be available.

#### SURRENDERING YOUR PET

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

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.

The surrender form is available online at [www.ccilhs.org](http://www.ccilhs.org) or at the building at 1301 Apple Lane in Breese.

There is no charge for surrendering your pet.