

WHAT'S WAGGIN'

In the Clinton County Humane Society

PET CONNECTIONS! AVAILABLE DOGS...



Toby, one-year-old Boxer, is a friendly fellow. He likes people and other dogs. He has lots of energy and is ready to play. He is responding well to initial training and is good off and on leash. He is crate-trained and housebroken. He has Boxer tendencies to jump and to use his front legs for everything and may be a bit much for small children. Toby 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; **Jezebel**, Coonhound; **Jasmine**, American Bulldog mix; **Toby**, Boxer mix; **Daisy Mae**, Australian Shepherd mix.

AVAILABLE CATS



Sarah, one-year-old brown tabby, is a sweet girl. She loves to be with her people and to be petted. She follows her foster around the house and has to be chased away from the computer because she walks on the keyboard and stands in front of her foster to get attention. She does frighten at noises and runs away, but comes right back. She is vet checked, up-to-date on shots, spayed/neutered, feline leukemia negative and micro-chipped. If you need a love bug, contact 526-4500 for adoption information.

Adoptable cats include **Gylson**, brown tabby; **Sarah**, brown tabby; youngsters **Bourbon**, gray tabby; **Oksana**, Russian Blue mix; kittens, **Cream Cheese**, dilute calico; **Nickel**, white/gray; **Butterscotch**, dilute calico;. 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 the Community Link's 9th Annual Buddy Walk Saturday, May 2 at Breese North Side Park 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 or pick one up at the building. You can call 526-4500 or email ccilhs@ccilhs.org or ccilhs@gmail.com for information or an appointment. Check out our pets on www.petfinder.com or www.adoptapet.com.

BUDDY WALK

The CCHS Meet and Greet will be held in conjunction with the Community Link Ninth Annual Buddy Walk Saturday, May 2, at Breese North Side Park.

CCHS pets will be on hand to meet folks from 10 am until noon, and CCHS merchandise will be available.

Registration and check-in for the 5K race will begin at 8 am, and the race will start at 9.

The Buddy Walk program will start at 10:30 followed by the one-mile walk.

Various vendors will be on hand as well.

Community Link's Buddy Walk is a one-mile walk to raise awareness about Down syndrome and other developmental disabilities and to raise funds to support community inclusion and services for people with special needs.

The Buddy Walk was developed by the National Down Syndrome Society in 1995 to promote acceptance and inclusion of people with Down syndrome.

Community Link is a non-profit organization dedicated to enhancing the lives of individuals with disabilities through a person-centered approach that promotes self-directed living choices and community integration opportunities.

CCHS SPONSORS LOW COST SPAY NEUTER PROGRAM

CCHS will sponsor a low cost Spay/Neuter Program for low income folks in Clinton County beginning May 1.

Spay and neuter procedures will cost only \$50; "pitbulls" will be done for free at the discretion of the veterinarian and CCHS.

Applications will be available at the CCHS office in Breese, Carlyle Animal Hospital, Crooked Creek Animal Hospital on Shattuc Road or Veterinary Services LTD in Breese.

Once the application has been approved the applicant will receive a voucher to take to the veterinarian in order to receive the service.

Applicants must be residents of Clinton County who currently receive low income assistance or have proof of low income.

Veterinary records must be presented at the time of surgery.

Animals must be free of fleas and ticks or will be charged accordingly for any treatment required.

Procedures must be performed at one of the three participating veterinarians previously listed.

Active breeders are NOT eligible for this program.

For more details call CCHS at 526-4500.

MEET GREET



Cole Peppenhorst and his friends from All Saints Academy stopped by the CCHS Meet and Greet to drop off \$50 Cole collected for his 10th birthday. Pictured are CCHS Board Member Shelly Albers, Cole Peppenhorst, Wade Sabo, Zach Rivera, Jacob Hustedde; front Jonathon Holthaus, Seth Winkeler and Braden Revermann. CCHS pets appreciate their generosity!



Laynie Weathers had a hug for puppy Manuele (since adopted) at the CCHS Meet and Greet hosted by Breese Motors Saturday, Apr 4.



Trey Winkler and Wade Sabo spent a little time with pup Manuele (since adopted) at the Meet and Greet.



Handsome Dice waited for visitors with his foster Beth Harpstrite.



Handler Abby Harpstrite and Jasmine watched the action at the CCHS Meet and Greet at Breese Motors.

SHOP CCHS



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

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

Just in time for the storm season Anxiety Wraps are snug vests that feel like a comforting hug during storms, fireworks or other situations that cause your pet to be anxious.

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!

Pet calendars are still available for \$10.

The store at 1301 Apple Lane is open Sunday through Friday 10 a.m. until 2 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m. until noon.

Proceeds from the store are used to help CCHS pets.



Rugby and Boo (both have been adopted) say a little “hello” nose to nose with handler Michael Falconio at Breese Motors.

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 with his name and your phone number may be all it will take to get your lost pet home.

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 if your pet turns up at a vet, a shelter or the police they can track him back to you.

CCHS offers both tags and micro-chipping!

REMINDERS!

As the temperatures warm, so do the pavements! Many pets live more sheltered lives indoors, and their feet aren't as tough as pets' feet were years ago. Before you walk your pet, check to make sure the pavement won't be painful to his paws. Place the back of your hand on the pavement for seven seconds. If it is hot to your hand, it will feel hot to his paws. On warm sunny days walk your pet on the grassy edge along the sidewalk, choose a shady route or go to the park. Avoid long stretches of sunny concrete and blacktop. A walk should be a pleasure for your pup, not a torture.

Always take a poop bag when you walk your pet. If he poops on any property that is not your own, be a responsible pet owner and pick it up!

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. Friend us on Facebook. Email us at ccilhs@ccilhs.org or 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, May 13, 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. The next CCHS Meet and Greet will be in conjunction with the Community Link's 9th Annual Buddy Walk Saturday, May 2 at Breese North Side Park, 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 or at the building at 1301 Apple Lane in Breese.

There is no charge for surrendering your pet.

YOU CAN HELP!

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