

# WHAT'S WAGGIN'

In the Clinton County Humane Society

## PET CONNECTIONS Meet Macie!



Macie is a lovely long-haired white cat. She is approximately 1 year old and would love to have a family of her own. If your home has a place for Macie, please contact CCHS or stop by at meet her at 1301 Apple Lane in Breese.

CCHS has wonderful pets. We currently have **Pickles**, black tabby/wt; **Felix**, orange tabby; **Shasta**, buff; **Blaire**, black; **Ices**, gray/wt; **Macie**, white; **Mark**, white.

Available dogs include **Bugsy**, Puggle; **Trinity** and **Boone**, Staffordshires; **Annie**, Redbone Coonhound; and puppy **Reeta**, Chihuahua/Terrier;. Dogs are fostered with families and can be visited by appointment or at the next Meet and Greet Saturday, July 19, at the Breese North Side Park from 10 a.m. 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).

## LUCKY DOG FAMILY REUNION

Come join the fun at Lucky Dog Band Family Reunion #8 – Farewell Show benefiting the CCHS on Sunday, Aug 31, at Breese North Side Park.

The event honors the memory of former band members Les Laux, Marvin Markus, Vern Philips and Joe Vander Pluym.

The Lucky Dog Band organized the first reunion in 2007 and invited the CCHS to join in 2009.

The annual Pet Parade will kick off the event. CCHS pets will be available for adoption until 5 p.m.

The kids area will open at 2:30 p.m.

The featured entertainment will be Lucky Dog Band members and friends, as well as Phil and Gayle, The Broken Hipsters and The Bad Larrys.

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

## ADOPTIONS...



*Aries's new pal is Joe Demarest.*



*Hera will have lots of fun with the Jeff Eaker family.*



*Juno's new playmates are Blake and Jillian Usselmann.*



*Justine Pranaitis and JT Eckert will give Zeus a good home.*



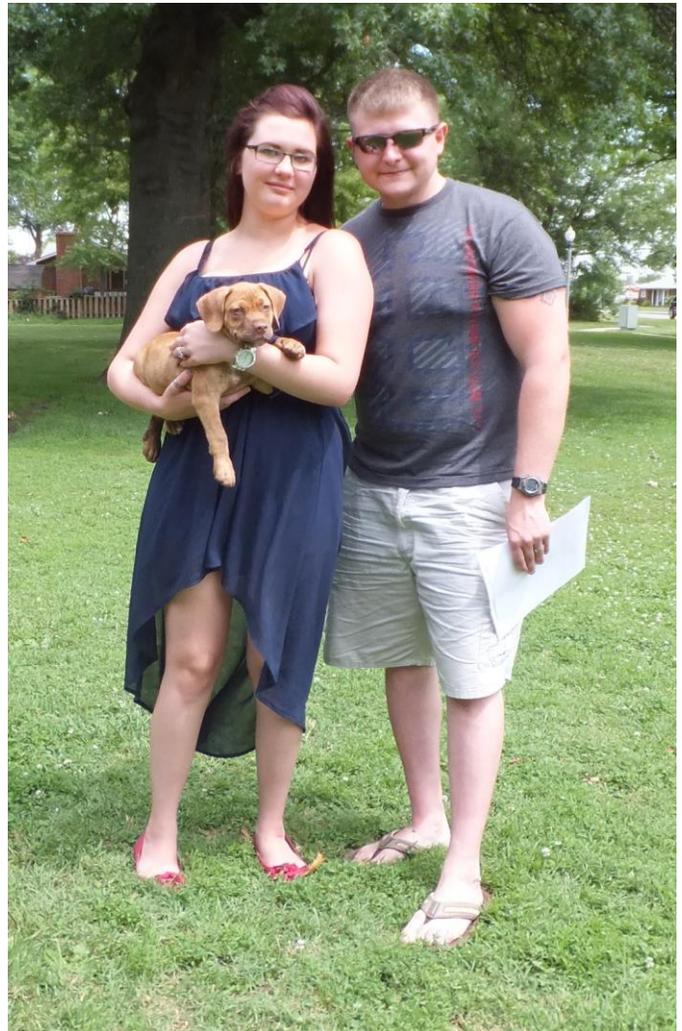
*Apollo was adopted by Shawn Lewis.*



*Prim will make her home with Nancy Lilley.*



*The Racheal Whitlow family will give Zurie the German Shepherd Dog a loving home.*



*Lacey and David Zotz fell in love with little Triton.*

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



*Miles, now Henry, headed home with Kim McCauley.*

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.

Remember “A tag in time saves your canine” or feline for that matter.

Another good way to improve your pet’s chances of getting home is to microchip 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.

## WE NEED YOUR HELP!

CCHS is entirely run by volunteers. We hope you will find a little time each month to volunteer at CCHS and make it possible for us to keep our building open and to care for our cats that live there or our dogs that visit. Be a part of the process!

Check your calendars and contact [ccilhsvolunteer@gmail.com](mailto:ccilhsvolunteer@gmail.com) or call 526-4500 if you find a little time available, especially weekends 10-2 and evenings from 5:30 until 7:30 pm.

Feel free to stop by anytime and ask what you can do to help.

## VOLUNTEERS ALSO NEEDED...

CCHS needs volunteers for other services besides the building.

Extra handlers and helpers are always welcome at Meet and Greets, parades and other CCHS events.

## CONSIDER FOSTERING

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

If you have room in your home and your heart, volunteer to foster and see how good it feels to help a homeless animal get a second chance.

## SHOP AT CCHS

Stop by the CCHS facility at 1301 Apple Lane in Breese for CCHS apparel and pet items.

The CCHS July Special is 20% off dog and cat collars and leashes.

NEW at CCHS engraved pet tags! Pet tags made possible by a grant from the ASPCA are available in various shapes, colors and sizes and will be engraved while you wait. Stop by and have one made for your pet for \$6 or print on both sides for only \$7.

Dog Gone Smart lounge beds are available in five sizes at specially discounted prices.

The store is open from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. every day and 5:30-7:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. The store will be closed Saturday and Sunday evenings.

All proceeds from the store are used to help CCHS pets.

## NOTICES

Regulations prevent the CCHS from accepting strays or drop offs. It is illegal to dump animals.

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. Tweet us on Twitter @ cchs\_il. Check out our pins at Pinterest. 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.

CCHS holds Meet and Greets the first and third Saturdays of each month. Folks can stop by and meet the CCHS adoptable pets at Breese North Side Park from 10 a.m. until noon Saturday, July 19. Micro-chipping for your pet will also be available for \$25, including registration.

The next regular CCHS meeting will be held Wednesday, Aug 13, at 7 p.m. at Knotty Pine. The group is currently making plans for the Lucky Dog Band Family Reunion #8—Farewell Show and will need volunteers to help. Meetings are open to the public and new members are always welcome.

If your health, finances or housing makes 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.

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

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.