

WINTER 2011

Dogwood Animal Shelter

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SPAY DAY USA



Dogwood Animal Shelter does everything **within our means to get dogs and cats “fixed”!** **It's part of our mission, it makes for healthier, happier pets, and it reduces suffering.**

For the past two years, Dogwood Animal Shelter has participated in SPAY DAY USA, an annual campaign to inspire people to save

animals' lives by spaying and neutering pets and feral cats. Spay Day is held on the last Tuesday of February and, at Dogwood, our goal is to spay and neuter up to 50 stray and feral cats in our low cost clinic on that day. Our involvement in this campaign has resulted in the prevention of thousands of unwanted litters at the Lake of the Ozarks and surrounding areas.

For the last two years, prior to the actual Spay Day, we've held a SPAY-ghetti Dinner to raise funds for our Spay/Neuter Assistance Fund. This fund helps folks who could not otherwise afford to spay or neuter the strays that show up at their doorsteps. Many times, even \$10 in assistance can make the difference between an animal getting fixed or not!

This year, the **SPAY-ghetti Dinner will be held at Li'l Rizzo's in Osage Beach on Tuesday, Feb. 8th from 5-8pm.** (Bad weather date is **Feb. 15.**) **Last year's SPAY-ghetti Dinner** proceeds helped about 100 **needy pets get “fixed”!**

We sure appreciate Li'l Rizzo's help with this important fundraiser!

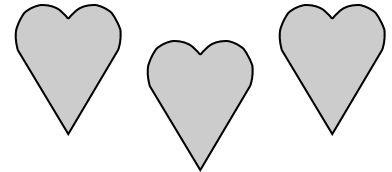
(Tax deductible donations can be made to this fund anytime by sending a check to 1075 Runabout Drive, Osage Beach, MO 65065. Please note S/N Assis. on the memo line.)



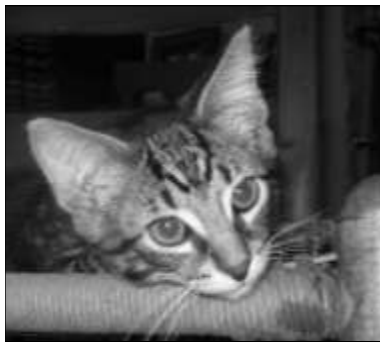
These two lovely young ladies are shown here presenting gifts for homeless pets at DAS. For their birthdays, they asked for pet toys and goodies in lieu of gifts for themselves!



Gifts like these help make our little (and not so little!) charges feel happy and loved at the shelter while they wait for their new "fur-ever" homes!



WHY DOGWOOD LOVES KIDS...



Mrs. Selby's 3rd graders at Camdenton School held a bake sale for Dogwood Animal Shelter, raising \$90, and were rewarded by a visit from Dogwood's biggest resident, Marmaduke! The class was informed that their contribution would buy enough dog food to feed one middle sized dog at the shelter for about 3 months.

Office Hours:
Mon-Fri 8:30-5:00
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In memory of Ann Long by James Gosnell
In memory of Bandit, by Gerald Gardetta
In memory of Ginger Bartley, by Margarie Krivos
In memory of Bailey, by Kathleen Qualy
In honor of Dr. & Mrs. John Reinhold, by Annie Lee

UPCOMING EVENTS...

3/19, 3/20 Camdenton Chamber's Products & Services Show at Country Club Hotel in Lake Ozark (booth #S-21)
3/26 Oldies-But-Goodies Antique Sale at Dogwood Thrift Shop
April—Big Black Dog Awareness month!
4/2 Every Day is I.D. Tag Day/Super Saturday at Dogwood Thrift Shop
4/14-4.17 Dogwood Festival (dogs on parade!!)



I got a bad rep here and I guess I deserve it. Everyone calls me a bully, but how else ya gonna get what ya want and deserve? **But, oh, that Miz. Mo. Now there's a woman. No bullying her, cause she's got my number. I like being on *her* good side! She says I should really try to be nicer, but I don't see why. Oh, maybe - just for her - I'll try to behave better this year.**
 Maybe.

Groucho

Dogwood Animal Shelter's new walking trail was dedicated to "Ozzie" a favorite pet of Board Member, Dennis Wright and his wife, Jane. Dennis made the trail at the shelter so our volunteers and potential adopters could take our dogs out for a pleasant walk in the wooded area by the shelter. (We invite everyone to come give it a try!) The dedication took place at Dogwood's Fall Festival last October. This was a fun event, attended by lots of wonderfully costumed pets and people! There were games, contests, delicious food—and weather couldn't have been better! The Coyote radio station (and their pets!) added to the fun by donating their services for a live remote! Other donations that helped make the day a success were given by JJ's Copper Pot, HyVee, Ozarks Bottling Co, Jackie Newton the Clown, *Dale Griffin's cooking friend*, Wright Photography, Andy's Frozen Custard, the Farley family, Target's volunteer staff, Memory Wax Creations, and Dogwood Animal Shelter's Fundraising Committee. Plans for an even bigger, better Fall Festival in 2011 are already underway!



Low cost basic and advanced dog obedience classes are held in 6-week sessions several times each year. Pictured at left is one of the recent graduating advanced obedience classes. The class schedule for 2011 is: Jan. 27-Mar. 3, Mar. 24-Apr. 28, May 12-June 16, Aug. 25-Sept. 29, Oct.13-Nov. 17. To register for class or for more information, call the shelter at 573-348-4411.

WISH LIST

- Postage stamps
- 10x10 Easy-Up
- Gazebo
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- Bleach
- "Purina One Sensitive Systems for Cats"
- Items for Dogwood Thrift Shop!
- Monetary donations are always appreciated!

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DOGWOOD THRIFT SHOP

Income from Dogwood Thrift Shop is crucial to the work of the shelter, providing over 60% of its operating revenue. We're so grateful for the many wonderful donations making that income possible! We're also very thankful for the workers who turn that merchandise into dollars! Our dedicated workers (mostly volunteers) sort, clean, price and display thousands of items every day—a task which has been more difficult these past several months because of a broken freight elevator! Our donated pick up truck has come in extra handy, taking the place of the elevator lately! While we need and appreciate donated items, we do ask that they be delivered clean and ready for pricing—it makes our work go so much faster! Questions about donating? We'd love to help; call us at 573-346-7932. The shop is located at 311 S. Bus. Rte. 5 in Camdenton.



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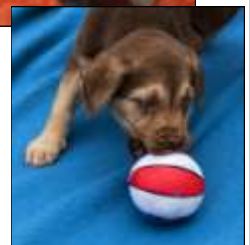
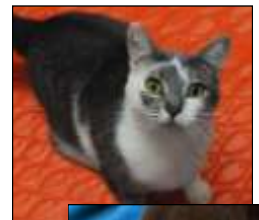
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Dogwood Animal Shelter's Mission:

To provide care and shelter to the homeless pets of our community, to reduce their numbers through spay and neuter, to promote humane treatment of all animals, and to enhance the human-animal bond.

Board of Directors:

Dr. John Reinhold DVM, President; Pat Peters, VP/Secretary; Dr. Kenneth Derrington MD; Harold Hudson; Dr. Dale McElwee DDS;
Lisa Mollerus, Ken Schaeffer, Dennis Wright

Dogwood Animal Shelter is open Monday-Saturday. 1075 Runabout Drive, Osage Beach, MO 65065; 573-348-4411
Low Cost Spay/Neuter Clinic is located at the back entrance of the shelter. Call shelter for appt.
Dogwood Thrift Shop is open Monday-Saturday; 311 S. Business Hwy. 5, Camdenton, MO 65020; 573-346-7932

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