

President's Letter

Hello Everyone!

This June officially marks our 20th anniversary! As I reflect on the past 20 years, I am reminded of all that we have accomplished together. With your help, we have saved over 62,000 lives! I am so proud of the impact we have had together, however, the need feels greater now more than ever to expand our facility and the ability to save twice the amount of lives each year. We are hoping to break ground with the expansion to our facility next month and we need your help.

There are still so many ways to donate towards the expansion from naming rights, purchasing bricks, trees or benches in a loved one's name, in your own name, in honor of a cherished pet, or as a birthday or holiday present! There's no better gift you can give than one that makes a difference in someone

Together, we can make a difference in the lives of animals in need.

Thank you for all that you have helped us accomplished over these last 20 years. We couldn't have done it without you.

Sincerely Yours,

Lesley Arwin

Lesley Irwin
President & Founder
Animal House Shelter, Inc

Cheers to 20 years!

In honor of our 20th anniversary, please consider becoming a Guardian Angel for animals today!

Become a Guardian Angel by signing up to make monthly donations. You'll be providing gifts that can be used by animals in their hours of need. Guardian Angels are special members because their gifts are continuous and steady. Help animals all year round by making a monthly gift today.

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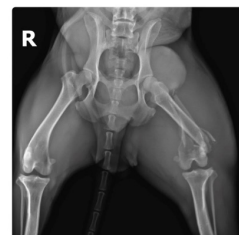
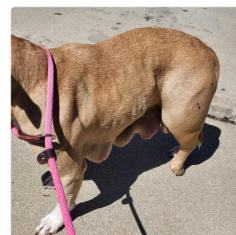
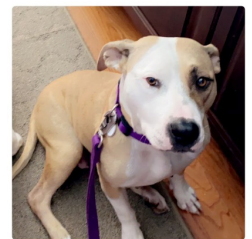
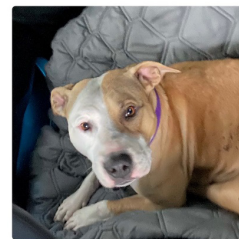
Bear Bear

Bear Bear came to AHS from Southern Illinois back in October. During a routine wellness check, Bear Bear was diagnosed with a grade 4/5 heart murmur. She was sent to a cardiac specialist who took x-rays, bloodwork, and an echocardiogram to diagnose the cause of her heart murmur. The specialist concluded that Bear Bear had severe pulmonic stenosis (thickening of the heart valve causing poor blood flow) with right-sided chamber enlargement. Bear Bear was referred to the University of Illinois where she underwent a balloon valvuloplasty procedure. This procedure inserts a balloon into the right side of the heart and inflates it, stretching the valve opening to a more appropriate diameter. The goal of this surgery was to increase blood flow, allowing Bear Bear to have better quality/quantity of life and preventing the likelihood of congestive heart failure. Bear Bear's surgery was a huge success! She was adopted into a loving family where she is recovering well. Bear Bear's surgery totaled \$3,700. Please consider donating for this sweet girl's care.



Harmony

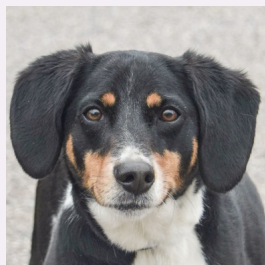
Harmony came to AHS from a high-kill shelter in southern Illinois. She was found full of milk but sadly no puppies were located. She appeared to have been hit by a car. When this sweet girl arrived to AHS, her back left leg was extremely swollen and she was not able to bear any weight on it. Sweet Harmony's leg was shattered and the best course of action was to amputate the leg. Harmony has now undergone surgery and is healing well in foster care. She is out of surgery and healing well in foster care. Please consider contributing to this surgery that will allow Harmony to walk and run pain free! Her surgery totaled \$3,500. Can you help?



Foster a furry friend today!

We are always looking for new fosters! We always have puppies, kittens, dogs, and cats looking for temporary homes. Please consider joining our team and helping us to save more lives!

Foster application: <https://www.animalhouseshelter.com/.../foster-application/>



Foster Me!

Hi! My name is Sparty. I am a 4-year-old Beagle/Spaniel mix who enjoys the company of other dogs. I am a very loving dog and I give hugs! I'm extremely loyal and enjoy being outdoors. I'm housetrained, great for taking baths and going on walks. I am also a good boy at the vet.

Foster Me!

Hi! My name is Darby and I am a 6-year-old tortoiseshell. I am a very good girl going to the vet, being brushed and love meeting new people. I enjoy playing with pipe cleaners.



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In honor of our 20th anniversary, AHS is set to break ground on the new building this summer!

We have not yet raised enough funds to cover the entire project but will be able to start phase 1. If we are able to raise the funds before we break ground we will be able to move forward with the entire project.

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Interested in Donating Materials?

Let us know at info@animalhouseshelter.com

We will gladly accept donations of building materials to help us expand the shelter. Some materials specifically needed are:

- Artificial turf
- Windows and Doors
- Stone Bricks
- Trees
- Benches
- Commercial Kennel Equipment
- Veterinary Equipment
- Building Materials
- Fencing
- Industrial Washers and Dryers
- Bath Tubs for Grooming Dogs
- Flat Screen TVs
- Computers



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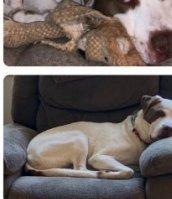
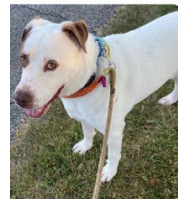
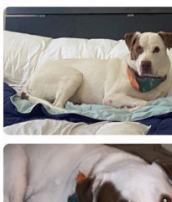
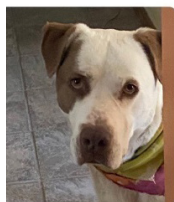
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Frank

Meet Frank! This handsome fella is a 6-year-old Great Pyrenees/ Boxer mix. Frank loves to be outside and enjoys going for long walks. He is also very smart. He is fully housebroken, knows the commands sit and paw, and loves to catch treats in his mouth. He enjoys tug-o-war and never loses! Frank has done well with some dogs primarily females close to his size. He would do best in a family with children 13 + and no cats. If you are looking for a walking buddy Frank is your guy.

Diva

Meet Diva! She is a 7-year-old Tabby/DSH who is a very sweet and calm girl. She loves laps and pets. When she came to us, her fur was extremely matted so she has a bit of a silly hair cut (it will grow back). Diva can't wait to find a family who will love and snuggle her.

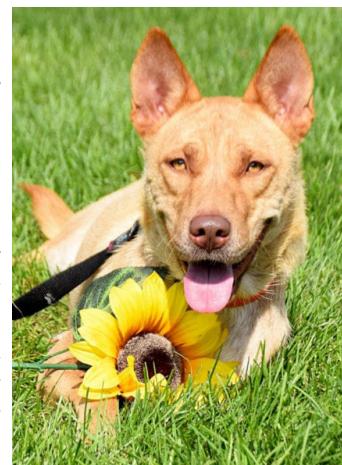


Fluffy

Meet Fluffy! Fluffy is a 13-year-old domestic medium hair. This super sweet senior has had a rough life. He is FIV+ and has a mangled ear due to an old injury. He loves to be petted and brushed. This quiet affectionate fellow is ready to find a comfortable home where he can relax and snuggle.

Meet Suzie!

This adorable girl is approximately 6 years old and guessed to be a Shepherd/ Collie mix. She absolutely loves to play but also knows how to simmer down and snuggle up on the couch and give kisses! Sweet Suzie is housebroken and so loving. She's also great with other dogs! She was given up to the shelter when her owner was no longer able to physically care for her and since then Suzie has been patiently waiting for her new family to find her and bring her home. She will be such a good girl!



AHS thanks all the foster families & volunteers who work tirelessly to make a better life for homeless animals!