

PAW PRINTS

A Carteret County Humane Society Publication



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Upcoming Events

- **ADOPTATHON**
December 7 from 1-3 pm
Nacho Brewery
2900-6 Arendell St.
Morehead City
- **ADOPTATHON**
December 8, 2024
Carolina Home and Gardens
4778 Highway 24
Newport
- **ADOPTATHON**
December 21, 2024
Carolina Home and Gardens
4778 Highway 24
Newport
- **OTHER EVENTS**
Visit www.cchsshelter.com

2024: A Year of Reconnection

As the year comes to an end, the Carteret County Humane Society reflects on a transformative 2024--a year marked by reconnection, growth, and renewed commitment to the animals and the community it serves. Through the dedicated efforts of the Board of Directors, staff, volunteers, and countless supporters, the shelter has reached new heights, proving the incredible power of community collaboration.

One of the year's most impactful achievements are the significant upgrades to the shelter's facility. Thanks to the generosity of local donors and business partners, the CCHS was able to renovate and enhance spaces to provide a safer,

more welcoming place for animals in need.

Through the launch of an updated website, expanded social media efforts, and a vibrant digital billboard, the Humane Society found innovative ways to connect with the community and promote adoptions.

The newly forged partnerships between the Shelter and its community allies, resulted in bringing adoptathons to unique venues ranging from a fire department to an alpaca farm!

Looking ahead to 2025, the goal is clear: to continue the upward trajectory, further strengthening connections to continue the quest to create brighter futures for the shelter animals.

CCHS Board of Directors

President: Laura Ball
Vice-President: Rob Arthur
Secretary: Dana Green
Treasurer: Michele Kelly

Michelle Stone, Tim Bowen, Phil Smith, Linda Staab,
Adrienne Forbes, Diane Lipscomb, Bonnie Westbrook,
Patsy Godwin, Dave Jasper, Steve Gunn

Veterinarian: Dr. Sara Austin
Shelter Manager: Rachel Hardin



FEATURED ADOPTABLES

KRUGER

A wonderful dog, 1 year 2 months, full of happiness and love to give! Very affectionate, friendly and playful who is smart, funny and handsome. Loves to play fetch and will retrieve the ball/toy as many times as you can throw it. Sweet and silly. Can you resist my smile?

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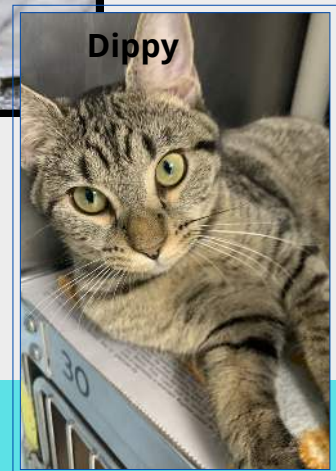
Gentle and friendly 8 year old senior with a mellow soul who loves a good cuddle. Looking for a peaceful home to spend m golden years. Because I am older, I am selective of my dog friends. If your looking for a calm, houstrained, devoted friend, I am your guy!

STAPLES

Brought to the shelter after being hit by a car on Sept. 20, 2023, this handsome fella needed emergency surgery to repair his hip. Thanks to the generosity of the community, funds were raised for his care. At 2 years, 7 months he is a sweet and loving dog who is neutered and potty trained. A staff and volunteer favorite.

DIPPY

Are you looking for the purrfect blend of sweet and independent? A 6 month old feline who loves a good cuddle. An FIV-positive kitty who can still live a fulfilling life who can live with other friendly cats. Ask the Staff how.



Clips

*It
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Adopt-a-Kennel Sponsors

FUNDRAISING

Taking care of the homeless and unwanted animals of Carteret County requires money. Carteret County Humane Society hosts many fundraisers throughout the year.

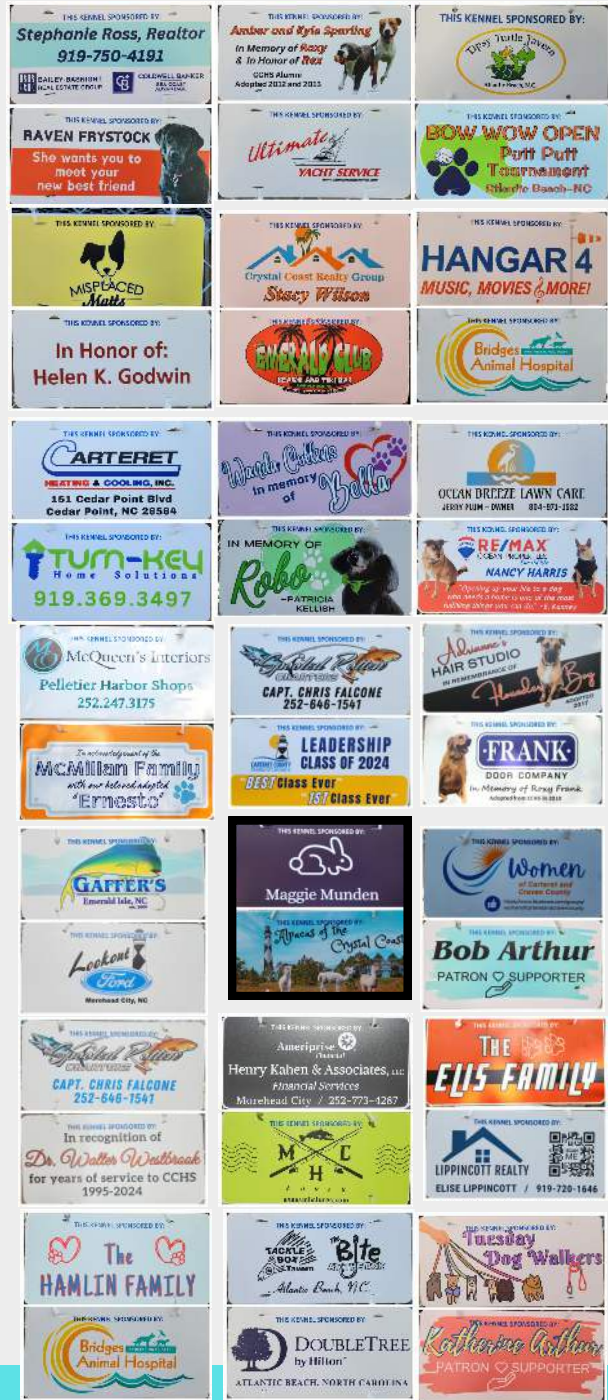
ADOPT A KENNEL UPDATE

All the kennels were adopted in 2024. Looking forward... the new round of kennel adoptions will start in February. Money collected is used to help with food costs for the shelter animals.

INTERESTED IN HOSTING A FUNDRAISER/EVENT TO BENEFIT THE CARTERET COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY?

If you are interested in hosting a fundraiser and uses our name, Carteret County Humane Society or logo, please know that you need to complete a "Third Party Fundraising Agreement". The purpose of the document is to assure donors that the event is sanctioned by the Carteret County Humane Society and the money and goods collected will be distributed accordingly. The application can be found at: www.cchsshelter.com.

ON BEHALF OF SHELTER ANIMALS, THE CCHS BOARD OF DIRECTORS THANKS ALL THE COMMUNITY PARTNERS FOR YOUR SUPPORT



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SCOOBY

VOLUNTEER

HAPPENINGS

Recognizing the importance of volunteers and their contributions to the Carteret County Humane Society, the board hosted a meeting with our wonderful volunteers on Nov 7, 2024. Its purpose was to thank them and provide information on all of the new and exciting improvements at the shelter. These meetings will be help quarterly at different locations around the county.

OPPORTUNITIES

Are you interested in getting more involved with your Animal Shelter? If so, visit www.cchsshelter.com. Under the Get Active tab, you will find opportunities which include: adoptathons, cleaning, bottle feed/fostering kittens, cat socialization, clerical help, dog walking, fundraising, transport and run sitting. Explanations on each activity are available on VicNet, the Carteret County Humane Society volunteer app.

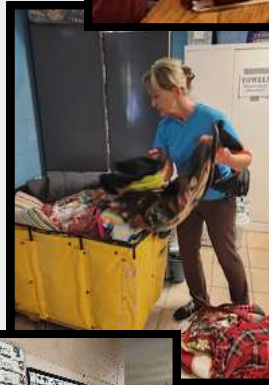
DONATE

CCHS accepts all types of donations on-site, including but not limited to: money, dog and cat toys, dog and cat food/treats, bedding (not pillows) and cleaning supplies. For a complete list of needs, please visit www.cchsshelter.com.

Online donations can be made via:

Venmo: @cchsshelter

Mighty Cause: Scan Code



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