

Upcoming Events

- *Ride for Rover – September 9*
- *Shaggy Shuffle – September 17*
- *Dachshund Dash
– September 30*
- *Santa Paws
– November 4 and 5*

Summer 2017

Focus on all Fours



A publication for friends of the Central Dakota Humane Society

PEKOE UPDATE: FROM SURGERY TO SUCCESS



By Sue Buchholz
Photos by Jolene Podoll

On the back cover of our last publication we featured Pekoe, a yellow eyed beauty that entered life with a hurdle or two. She had a swallowing issue that required surgery, but thankfully we were able to get her the medical help she needed.

We thought that the only special requirement she would need would be to have her food dish elevated to help her

swallow her food. Well, Pekoe decided differently and over time I am delighted to report that she appears to be 100% recovered. She is not on special food, does not require softened food, and does not even need her food dish elevated to eat her dinner!

We have a completely happy, healthy, and rambunctious sleek black beauty that



is waiting for her destined people to come pluck her up. Please consider giving Pekoe a look if you are considering adopting a cat that matches EVERYTHING! She just might be your cup of tea!



The Central Dakota Humane Society is the lucky recipient of a snazzy new (to us) ride! Our 2001 Suburban was showing its age and needed repairs, so we talked to our good friends at Kupper Automotive, and Bob Kupper himself once again took us under his wing. He found us this classy 2008 ride, and then he did even one better. He traded us EVEN UP!! Thanks to Bob Kupper and his staff, we can now transport animals in safety and comfort for years to come! Next time you are at Kupper Automotive be sure to thank them for helping us help more animals.

Needs List

- Monetary Donations
- Gasoline Cards
- HP 950 black ink cartridges
- HP 951 color Ink cartridges
- HP 305A - Black and CMYK toner
- Cat Litter (non-clumping)*
- Booklets of Forever Stamps
- Bleach
- Paper Towels
- Fleece (Should be new - Will be used to make blankets to sell.)
- Batting for fleece blankets
- Wild Bird Food
- HE Liquid Laundry Detergent
- Canned dog and cat food
- Chicken baby food
- Toilet paper
- Black lawn and leaf garbage bags
- Vehicle donations are always welcome!

* Always in short supply.

SANTA PAWS

Photos for a Cause

Nov. 4 & 5, 2017
1 to 4 p.m.

Plantperfect
4615 Ottawa St.,
N. Bismarck • Just off Hwy 83

Get your Christmas pictures taken this year while helping shelter pets! Starting at just \$25, you get professional quality shots of your family with a holiday-themed backdrop.

- Photos will be available on your choice of CD or online gallery.
- You can pose with or without pets and with or without Santa.
- Enjoy refreshments and browse Plantperfect's holiday decorations and displays while you wait.
- \$25 for first pet or person, \$5 for each additional, \$40 maximum.

Sponsored by In-Dog-Neat-O.

Central Dakota Humane Society

Dog walking classes

Dog walking classes are held once a month - on the second Saturday at 1:30 p.m. Classes require pre-registration. If you plan to attend, please call the shelter at 667-2020 and leave a message for Mandy.

- September 2 • September 30
- October 14 • November 11

Membership meetings

Membership meetings are held at the ND Association of Counties, 1661 Capitol Way, Bismarck, ND at 6 p.m. Please join us and give your input as the future of the Central Dakota Humane Society is discussed and planned. Call 667-2020 for more info. All interested parties welcome.

- September 18
- October 16
- November 20

Our Volunteers are Paw-some!

By Emilie Hillman
Photos by Jolene Podoll



Sharon Cerkey has been dedicating her time to CDHS for about eight years. You may have seen her recently helping out with our annual rummage sale, which is her favorite event. "I love helping at the rummage sale. It's a lot of work, but it's fun to watch people come and find treasures that they just can't live without." Sharon also enjoys helping out with

other fundraisers including the Sports Show and Bene-Pet. She knows that helping with these events supports the dogs and cats housed at CDHS.

According to Sharon, CDHS is a great place to spend her time. She loves that there are many things to be involved in like dog walking and helping with fundraising events. She tells us that it is a good feeling knowing that any contribution a person makes, no matter how small, is helping out. Sharon quotes Seabiscuit, one of her favorite animal related movies, when she said, "one of my favorite lines from that movie is 'You don't throw away a whole life just because it's banged up a little.' That's how I see CDHS – helping animals that may be banged up a little – giving them a second chance."

Sharon even has a dog of her own; a West Highland white terrier named Bailey, but would have more if she could! Sharon also explained, "I'm grateful that we have a place like CDHS. There are so many animals in need, and they are good at finding new forever homes for these pets. I would encourage people to get involved so that the good work that is done at CDHS can continue."

Cindy Schafer has been a part of CDHS for 12 years. She is very dedicated to recycling and reusing products, so the rummage sale is the perfect event for her! You may have seen her hard at work collecting and stacking donations for the rummage sale. When she is not sorting and organizing items for one of CDHS' largest events, she enjoys spending time with all of the dogs and cats. According to Cindy, "You realize something so small, like spending time with them, can bring them joy while waiting for their forever home."



There is no particular shelter animal that Cindy considers her favorite; she says many have won her heart. She loves knowing that by volunteering with the animals she has helped them get a little bit closer to finding their forever family. "It feels good coming out to the shelter knowing that any time spent with the animals can make a difference. Helping it to become more social, trusting and happier," says Cindy.

Cindy has two dogs of her own at home. Zoe is a 7-year-old Maltese cross and Bogi is a 5-year-old Chihuahua cross. Both are rescues, and Bogi was even adopted from CDHS! To top it off, Cindy cares for three batches of feral cats she discovered during the 2011 flood. Her husband builds them insulated outdoor homes for the North Dakota winters. With help from Doc's Vet, she was able to spay and neuter them all, which is something that makes all of us at CDHS very happy.

President's Report Building Update

By Cameo Skager
CDHS Board President



Our new building on our property is moving ahead! We are so excited to soon make the move from our original shelter building into a sparkling new space. Personally, I am very excited to see our animals in their new digs, but also exceptionally thankful that our staff will have a new space in which to work. They work extremely hard every day and really deserve a comfortable (air conditioning – yea!!!) and safe environment.

The building that will house our administrative offices, cats, and a few dogs is about 85 percent complete. It has been painted. Next comes the flooring, then the doors and trim work. The outside cement work, kennel runs, and outside cat enclosures will wrap up the project.

We still have some fundraising to get done to pay for the following items:

- Large outside play areas for dogs
- Cat kennels
- Chairs in the lobby, cat areas, and visitation areas
- Outside seating
- Cabinetry for medication storage (locked)
- Exam room
- New washer and dryer (2 sets)

If you would like to sponsor any of these items or have new or gently used items that could be donated, please don't hesitate to give us a call. We will gladly acknowledge your gifts!

Thank you for continuing to support CDHS. It's because of your care and compassion that we are able to continue doing great things for pets and people!



Mandy's Corner

By Mandy Schaaf, Volunteer and Event Coordinator

A big thank you to our kitty volunteers!

As summer draws to a close, I want to take this opportunity to thank all the volunteers that spent time with our cats in our administrative building these past months and for some of you, years. As we have mentioned time after time, our building has outlived its usefulness, and we are excited to be on the brink of moving into our new building on the south end of the property.

Our administrative/cat building is less than ideal, and still, you show up day after day; even on the warmest of days, when our air conditioning was not

working and it was uncomfortable to be in this building. Our cats and kittens have benefitted from your ongoing pets, quiet talks, treats, and brushings until they went to loving forever homes. Just like you, they didn't fuss if the air wasn't working. You were here to do what you signed up to do, regardless of the working conditions. You have been in the back of the shelter where some of our cats and kittens and special needs cats are located, and again this area is not ideal for visiting our pets. The humidity is usually high, and the fans are loud, and you didn't care if your volunteer time resulted in having a bad hairdo the rest of the day.

Our orientation, which starts in the lobby area, includes asking you to be cautious because we are in the lobby next to the front door which is just a quick jump from the cat kennels. Many of you

have also been the victim of our bird Papagayo's screams and the sometimes overwhelming commotion in the lobby. I promise you will think you are in kitty heaven when you come out to our new space. While it isn't extravagant, it is new and efficient, with private areas for visiting. The cats will have more windows and outdoor space to move around and more community rooms where multiple cats will be housed. We do have separate air systems for our quarantine areas, so we will no longer have to worry about our cats sharing more than space.

As I write this article, we are hopeful to be in our new building within the next two months. When that move is complete, I invite you to seek me out so that I can show you around and explain the new and improved space and get you feeling comfortable immediately so you can spend even more time with our purring felines. Thank you for your enduring, consistent care of our kittens and cats despite the conditions.

Ride for Rover

Motorcycle ride for Central Dakota Humane Society

Saturday
September 9, 2017

Ride starts at 11 a.m. at the shelter. Ride begins and ends at CDHS.

Cost: \$25 per bike/\$10 per rider.
Snacks and lunch provided

Sponsors:



2104 37th Street • Mandan, ND
(701) 667-2020 • cdhs.net
Tues. - Fri. 1-6 • Sat. 1-4

SHAGGY SHUFFLE

Take a walk and help us raise money for the CDHS shelter animals.

Sunday, September 17, 2017

North Dakota State Capitol

Registration - 12:00 p.m. • Walk - 1:00 p.m.

Thank You to our sponsors *Dakota Sound Systems and Kurgo Products*

Four Routes:

- 1) Short Walk-around the capitol Mall - .5 miles
- 2) Blvd. to Washington Street and back to the Capitol - 2 miles
- 3) Blvd. To Washington Street-around the Tom O'Leary Golf Course
Back to 4th Street on Divide-4th Street to Capitol - 3.5 miles
- 4) Virtual Option-Walk your own route on your own time.

See the website for more information.

See the website at www.cdhs.net to register online for the Shaggy Shuffle or to download a registration form. List of prizes you can earn are on the web.

All dogs must be current on shots, leashed and under responsible supervision. All young children must be accompanied by an adult.

For more info contact:



Central Dakota Humane Society

2104 37th St. • Mandan • 667-2020

www.cdhs.net

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Thanks to our generous sponsors.

You can walk with or without a furry friend.

Fun for the whole family!

You can donate online at cdhs.net/shuffle/

Tails of Success

Cleopatra and Zahra

Since coming to their forever home in mid-March, Cleopatra and Zahra (formerly Ink and Thorn) have made themselves right at home. They are treated like the Egyptian goddesses they are named after. Zahra tends to be full of mischief. We couldn't find her one day and were extremely upset that she might have gotten out, only to find her later in a grandson's dresser drawer. Just one of the multiple antics these two can come up with. Our family loves them, and they love to be around all of us – they even tolerate our Newfoundland puppy – Benson. Thank you for letting us give a home to these two delightful kittens!



- Diana Masser and Briana Dugenske

Lycus & Yuna

I adopted them in August. We live in a house in Mandan. They're doing well! Yuna was very overweight but has lost weight and has much more mobility. She loves to hunt her toys and proudly display them. Lycus is happy too. He's a little mischievous at times, but we love him anyway! He is quite the talker, it turns out.



- Ellie

Kowalski (Bug)

Kowalski aka "Bug" has joined into our family with ease. Remi named him Bug, and he seems to like that name, as he comes when called.

Remi and Bug have a great bond and even sleep together.

And when Remi isn't around Bug does like to snuggle up with me as well.

Thank you for letting us add him to our little family. I think he was a puuurrrfect addition.



- Trista

Zander & Monica

Hi! Just a quick 'kid' update for you.

Zander, of course, is doing great. He is his daddy's shadow & very vocal about it.

Monica – now known as "Sweet Girl" or "Squirrel." She is OK with dad but loves her mommy!

She is not afraid to jump up for attention (Zander taught her this), she gives mom kisses & even snuggles. Oh, and she even helps mom do crossword puzzles.

We knew once she was settled & comfortable we would see a different puppy, but Oh-My-Gosh is she so much more! She is not afraid to hop up and start smacking me when she is ready to play, she sleeps cuddled up on me at night and is very protective of her family, house & yard.

Thank you so much for our two beautiful gifts – they are loved to the moon and back!



- Shelly

Noel

Noel is doing very well. She's still a bit jumpy but loves to cuddle in the evenings. She and Paris are getting along for the most part. The only squabbles I see are over toys and the cat perch. They are sharing the same food and water dishes and sometimes even the same litter box. Noel let me start a nail trim (was badly needed). She's super sweet with my son and me and has been walking up to Paris too and rubbing on her.

Thank you for the new addition to our family.

- Meagan, Vinny, Paris, and Noel



To read more Tails of Success and view pictures of CDHS pets in their forever homes, go to www.cdhs.net and click the Success Stories link.

Bourguignon

Hi, everyone at Central Dakota!

Bourguignon is doing just fine after his trip home to Dickinson. Here he is in what will be his bedroom for a few days. He's playing with a mouse toy. And I've included photos of the rest of the family – cats Guinan and Ro Laren and Pomeranian mix Jack Sparrow.



Guinan is from CDHS too – Her name used to be Pippa. :)

Thank you again for all the good you do – and for our new family member. And we'll keep you in touch with how everybody's doing.

We're going to name Bourguignon "Arnold" (ahr - NOLD) after famous Russian mathematician Vladimir Arnold, who created the "cat map" within chaos theory. I have no idea what that means, but my spouse, a math teacher, does.

- Best, Michelle

Copper

Dear CDHS,
I love my new humans Trish and Joe. They took me to the doctor, and he said I needed some medicine to help with my anxiety. I had no idea peanut butter was medicine!

I love my adopted brother Oscar Cat Smith, and I think he likes me more now a year and a half later.

I've lost 10 pounds because I enjoy walks, and I love the dog park! I smell all the things! I still don't get why the others chase after those balls. I have better things to do, like smell things! Sometimes try to drive the car when we are done at the park, but mom always makes me go back in the other seat.

Thanks for helping me find my forever humans!

- Love Copper



Dillinger

Hi! I wanted to share some photos from Dilly (Dillinger) and his new life with me. He is a sweet, happy pup and has a lot of other dog friends, no aggression issues at all. Thanks for taking care of him until I could find him!

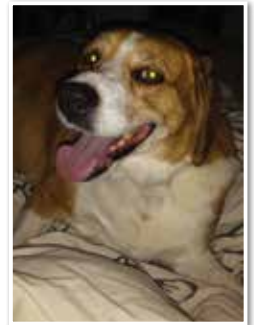
- Emily



Annette

Thank you very much for saving me and finding me a good home. It's been eight years already!

- Donna and Tom



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A Buck or So
All Pets Veterinary Clinic
Barney's Tesoro – Mandan
Bismarck Animal Clinic
Brea – Mandan
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Butcher Block Meats
Cappuccino on Collins
Captain Jack's Liquor – Mandan
Captain Jack's Liquor – North
Captain Jack's Liquor – South
Cashman Nursery
Cashwise Liquor
Cenex – Mandan
Cenex Convenience Store/Hot Stuff
Pizza – Wilton
Clothes Mentor – Bismarck
Cloverdale Country Store
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Creative Clay
Crown Butte Kennels
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Expressway C-Store
Fiesta Villa
Five Nations Arts
Four Paws Inn
Fully Loaded Fitness
Gas Plus
Gold Label Feeds – Bismarck
Gourmet Doggy Diner
Groomingdales
Hair 2000
Healthy Dog Center
Heart River Animal Hospital
Hey Ocean – Bismarck
Home Run C-Store
In-Dog-Neat-O
Interstate Vet Clinic
Jay's Pawn Shop – Bismarck
Jay's Pawn Shop – Mandan
KT Animal Supply
Katherine's Consignment & More
Kirkwood Tesoro
Kroll's – North
Lander's Interstate Conoco
Latitudes Gallery & Gifts

Lewis & Clark Animal Hospital
Little Caesar's Pizza
Little Caesars Pizza – North
Little Cottage Café
Little Dukes (Cashwise gas station)
Lucky Duck's Deli
M&H Gas
M&M Sausage and Meats
Mackenzie River Pizza, Grill & Pub
Magnolias
Mandan Public Library
Marshall Lumber Company – Mandan
Midway Lanes
Midway Liquor
Missouri Valley Vet Clinic
Mocha Momma's – Mandan
Norleen Conitz – State Farm
Insurance – Mandan
Northwind Home & Garden
Pinehurst Veterinary Clinic
Plato's Closet – Bismarck
Plaza Drug
Polar Package
Red Trail Petro & Pizza

Rock 'N 50's Café
Rolling Hills Restaurant – Mandan
Runnings Farm & Fleet – Bismarck
Runnings Farm & Fleet – Mandan
Schwartz Chiropractic Center – Mandan
Scotty's Drive-In
Season's Café
Simonson's North
Space Aliens Grill & Bar
Stamart – Bismarck
Super Pumper
Sweet Beginnings Bakery – Mandan
Taco Del Mar – South
Taco John's – Mandan
Taco John's – North
Taco John's – South
Taco John's/Good Times – Bismarck
The Purse Store – Mandan
Treasures of the Sea & Earth
Uniform Center & Embroidery – Bismarck
West Dakota Meats
Western Unlimited

Adoptable Pets

See more CDHS adoptable pets on the web at www.cdhs.net/adoptablepets.htm



Anne Burrell
*Unspayed Female
 Short Hair (DSH)
 Tortoiseshell
 Approximate
 of birth:
 January 2016
 Origin: Stray*



Delgada
*Unspayed Female
 Short Hair (DSH)
 Gray Tabby
 Approximate
 of birth:
 November 2015
 Origin: Stray*



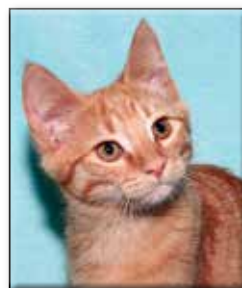
Henry
*Neutered Male
 Terrier Cross
 Approximate
 of birth:
 May 2016
 Origin: Rescue*



Arlo
*Neutered Male
 Black Lab Mix
 Approximate
 of birth:
 January 2012
 Origin: Stray*



Gertrude
*Unspayed Female
 Short Hair (DSH)
 Tortie
 Approximate
 of birth:
 May 2, 2017
 Origin: Stray*



Hildegard
*Unspayed Female
 Short Hair (DSH)
 Orange Tabby
 Approximate
 of birth:
 May 2, 2017
 Origin: Stray*



Benedict
*Unneutered Male
 Short Hair (DSH)
 Orange Tabby
 Approximate
 date of birth:
 May 2, 2017
 Origin: Stray*



Groot
*Unneutered Male
 Short Hair (DSH)
 Gray Tabby
 Approximate
 of birth:
 May 2017
 Origin: Stray*



Howard
*Neutered Male
 Short Hair (DSH)
 Orange Tabby
 Approximate
 of birth:
 April 2010
 Origin: Owner
 Surrender*



Billy
*Unneutered Male
 Border Collie
 Cross
 Approximate
 of birth:
 June 2015
 Origin: Stray*



Hambone
*Neutered Male
 Terrier Cross
 Approximate
 of birth:
 October 2014
 Origin: Rescue*



Kobalt
*Neutered Male
 Pit Bull Mix
 Approximate
 of birth:
 November 2015
 Origin: Injured Stray*



Darcie
*Spayed Female
 Long Hair (DLH)
 Calico
 Approximate
 of birth:
 April 2010
 Origin: Owner
 Surrender*



Hasbro
*Neutered Male
 Terrier Cross
 Approximate
 of birth:
 June 2015
 Origin: Rescue*



Lazlo
*Neutered Male
 Short Hair (DSH)
 Orange Tabby
 Approximate
 of birth:
 March 2016
 Origin: Stray*



Maisy
Spayed Female
Terrier Cross
Approximate
of birth:
November 2013
Origin: Rescue



Pekoe
Spayed Female
Short Hair (DSH)
Black
Approximate
of birth:
August 2016
Origin: Stray



Sonora
Unspayed Female
Short Hair (DSH)
Tortie
Approximate
of birth: May 2017
Origin: Stray



Mave
Unspayed Female
Pit Bull Cross
Approximate
of birth:
May 2014
Origin: Stray



Pistachio
Neutered Male
Short Hair (DSH)
Orange Tabby
Approximate
of birth:
April 2014
Origin: Owner
Surrender



Sterling
Neutered Male
Short Hair
Siamese Mix
Approximate
of birth: May 2012
Origin: Stray



Maximillion
Neutered Male
Shepherd Cross
Approximate
of birth:
September 2015
Origin: Unclaimed
Impound



Pugsy
Spayed Female
Red Heeler
Approximate
of birth:
June 2013
Origin: Rescue



Tank
Neutered Male
Shepherd/
Rottweiler Cross
Approximate
of birth: April 2014
Origin: Owner
Surrender



Mechtild
Unneutered Male
Short Hair (DSH)
Black
Approximate
of birth:
May 2, 2017
Origin: Stray



Ron Burgundy
Unneutered Male
Shiba Inu Cross
Approximate
of birth:
June 2016
Origin: Stray



Teva
Neutered Male
Short Hair Black
Approximate
of birth: June 2016
Origin: Stray



Mrs. Beasley
Spayed Female
Short Hair (DSH)
Tabby and White
Approximate
of birth:
January 2016
Origin: Stray



Sanuk
Unspayed Female
Short Hair Gray
Approximate
of birth:
June 2016
Origin: Stray



Thelma
Unspayed Female
Short Hair (DSH)
Orange and White
Approximate
of birth:
March 2014
Origin: Owner
Surrender



Olukai
Unspayed Female
Short Hair (DSH)
Tortie
Approximate
of birth:
May 15, 2017
Origin: Stray



Scholastica
Unneutered Male
Short Hair (DSH)
Orange Tabby
Approximate
of birth:
May 2, 2017
Origin: Stray



Tip
Unspayed Female
Australian
Shepherd
Approximate
of birth:
October 2014
Origin: Owner
Surrender



Peaches
Unspayed Female
Chihuahua Cross
Approximate
of birth:
April 2015
Origin: Stray



Shady
Neutered Male
Pit Bull
Approximate
of birth:
April 2015
Origin: Stray



Throk
Unneutered Male
Border Collie Cross
Approximate
of birth: June 2016
Origin: Stray

CDHS New Members, Generous Donors, Memorials and Honors

PLEASE NOTE:

Listings reflect memberships, adoptions and donations from 3-16-17 to 6-15-17 ONLY

New Members & Generous Donations

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 Aaron's Sales and Lease
 Valerie & Keith Abrahamson
 Aetna Foundation
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 David & Peggy Anderson
 Debra Anderson
 Elaine Anderson
 Sherry & Craig Anderson
 Susan Anderson
 Yvonne Anderson
 Cynthia Anhorn
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 Apple Creek School
 Gwen Niksic & Lou Babiarz
 Jody Bachmeier
 Sandra Baertsch
 Marvel Bailey
 Laura Balliet
 Mort & Michelle Bank
 Bartlett & West
 Basin Electric Power Cooperative
 Sandi Bates
 John Baumgartner
 Lacie Baumgartner
 Tom & Donna Baumgartner
 Frank & Joann Bavendick
 Todd & Tammy Becker
 Wade & DeAndra Becker
 Diane & Bruce Beelman
 Carol & Lynn Beiswanger
 Marlinda Bender
 Aanen Bergrud
 Gloria Bernardy
 Kathleen Big Eagle
 Matthew Binder
 Annette Bjornstad
 Susan Blaney
 William Bleth
 CJ Bloomquist
 John & Mary Bluemle
 Jeff & Kristi Bohl
 Kelly & Michael Bohrer
 Ruth & David Borlaug
 Darrel & Patty Bosch
 Gwen Bosworth
 Fred & Judy Bott
 Allen & Linda Boushee
 Michael & Terra Miller-Bowley
 Carma Branch
 Avis Breeding
 Jo Brekke
 Laiken Bren
 Heather Brinkman
 June Brinkman
 Walter & Melissa McDaniel - Brooks
 Ardis Zietlow & Elaine Brown
 Chris & Jodi Brown
 Denise Brown
 Alena Broxmeyer
 Carol & Lynn Bryntesen
 Kjerstin Buboltz
 Kathleen & Thomas Burgess
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 Rebecca Busch
 Robin Carlson
 Linda Carman
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 Lorraine Dopson
 Mike & Stephanie Dora
 Rebecca Dorwart
 Tre Dozier
 Jeffrey & Dawn Ebel
 Charles & Julie Eder
 Mary Eggebo
 Elizabeth Ellefson
 Colleen Engel
 Diane "Franky" & Ward Enger
 Madison England
 Donald & Christa Erickson
 Dr. Barb Espe
 Diane Ferree
 Bonny Fetch
 Joyce Fetch
 Pete & Kathy Fettig
 Perry & Michelle Finck
 David Fischer
 Neal & Lyn Fischer
 Dave & Luanna Fisketjon
 Bonnie Fix
 Dale Fleck
 Fern & Richard Fleck
 Arlene & Brad Flemmer
 Florence L Knoell Estate
 Tim Forsch
 Fort Abraham Lincoln Foundation
 Fort Lincoln Student Council
 Jaime Fox
 Jason Frank
 Martin & Mary Ellen Fritz
 Ryan & Erica Fugere
 Lori Furitto
 Darryl & Carol Galt
 Leanne Gardner
 Gary & Colleen Garland
 T. Neal & Momoie Garland
 Allen & Debbie Geisen
 Rod & Victoria Gilmore
 Girl Scout Brownie Troop #83036
 Geraldine Glade
 Cheryl Glasser
 Joel & Fran Glasser
 Dona Glick
 Michael & Jennifer Goetzfried
 Marci Goldade
 Elijah Goodhouse
 Daniel & Mindy Gaulty
 Barbara Grauman
 Jennifer Grinolds
 Groomingdales - Jolene Clemmons
 Chad Gross
 Jane Gross
 Robert & Patricia Grossman
 Don & Shirlee Grosulak
 Dana & Madonna Guenther
 Dolly Gugel

Sandra Gugel
 Carol & Robert Guler
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 Amanda Hahn
 Alice & Stan Halling
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 Edward & Virginia Henning
 Brad Rinas & Connie Herman
 Jody Hermann
 Bailey Herrera
 Brandon Hicks
 Nada Hieb
 Jim Hildebrand
 Dennis Hill
 Lisa Hillman
 Kathy & Everett Hinnenkamp
 Darcy & Terry Hochhalter
 Michele Hoff
 Andrea Hoffman
 Rick & Julie Hohbein
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 Virginia Jestnes
 Matthew & Kristine Monson-Jobe
 William & Karen Johner
 Jean A. Johnson
 Marilyn Johnson
 Rachelle Johnson
 Ruth Johnson
 Anne Jones
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In loving memory of **Viola Anderson**. From daughter; Elaine Anderson, niece & nephew; Susan & David Weaver and other friends and relatives. In loving memory of our aunt, **Viola Anderson**. From Jerry, Sally, Bonnie, Sandy & Pat.
 In loving memory of **Brad Bavendick**. From Frank & Joanne Bavendick.
 In loving memory of my husband, **Jack Branch**. From Carma Branch.
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 In memory of **Gregory Krugh**. From David & Ruth Borlaug.

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 In loving memory of our dear friend, **Eran Severn**. She was an avid animal lover and will be missed by many. From Henry & Mabel Reichert.
 In loving memory of **Frederic Smith**. From Dennis Toepke.
 In memory of **Laura Tokach**. From Christine Kujawa & Eric Stroshane
 In memory of **Adrienne Trhlik**. From Pam Link.
 In loving memory of **Donald Ulrich**. From Doug & Bonnie McCombs, Diane Lillis & Andy Heinle, Brett & Amy Miller, the ND Supreme Court employees, Gerald VandeWalle, Kathleen Wood, William & Karen Johner, Troy & Twila Leingang, family & friends.
 In loving memory of **KB Zarndd**. From Wayne & Diane Ferree.

Pets to Remember:
 In memory of **Abigail "Abby" Volkert**, the beloved dog of Scott, Tami, Ruthie & Theo Volkert. From JP, Leslie, Lindy, Lexus, & Lace Moszer. In memory of **Abigail (Abbie) Sibley Volkert**. From Robin Carlson.
 In memory of **Ben & Sami Rage's** much loved pets, **Bella & Kaia**. From Don & Fran Laschkewitsch.
 In loving memory of my pal, **Bogey**. From Pat Grossman.
 In memory of **Cookie**, loving canine companion of Diana Schneider. From LaVilla Opp.
 In memory of my loving dog, **Cuddles**, who gave me love and joy for 17 1/2 years. From Kay Stepanek.
 In memory of my beloved feline, **Dido**. From Neil Souther.
 In memory of **Dillon**, beloved canine companion of Darel & Deb Hertz. From Bev Satnan.
 In memory of **Jen & Brent Veil's** beloved cat, **Evander**. From Lauri & Maggie Hanson, John & Brenda Miller.
 In loving memory of **Hector**. From Carma Branch.
 In memory of our dog, **Iggy**, who passed away in January. He was the perfect friend, dog and

companion. RIP Iggy. From Thomas & Kathleen Burgess.
 In memory of **Libby Girl**, the sweetest dumb dog. From Kelly Rixen.
 In loving memory of **Lucy & Felix**. From Eric Iverson.
 In loving memory of Marj Smith's cat, **Malichi**.
 In memory of **Moses**, the Great Escape Artist and beloved Shih Tzu of the Zottnick family. He never found a fence that could keep him in. From Virginia Jestnes.
 In memory of **Murphy**, Baret's very first friend. From Dawn Tucker.
 In loving memory of **Pixie**, beloved cat of Maudie Stoller. From Rose Stoller, Sheldon & Mary Loftsgard.
 In memory of **Saku Koivu**, very beloved but sometimes very bad dog of Mary & Jari. From friends of CDHS.
 In memory of **Sarah and Dor Dor**, beloved cats of Laurie & Phillip. From friends of CDHS.
 In memory of **Spicer**, deeply loved and greatly missed by his family. From Fred & Judy Bott.
 In memory of **Spike**, beloved dog of Tanya & Ryan Nelson. From Daryl & Virginia Kerzman.
 In memory of **Tess**, beloved cat of Donna & Ken. From friends of CDHS.

Memorials from Dr. Barb Espe:

In loving memory of **Alf**, beloved feline companion of Paul & Patty Sandness.
 In loving memory of **Bruce**, beloved canine companion of Paul Rusch.
 In loving memory of **Bullet**, beloved canine companion of Eileen & John Walsh.
 In loving memory of **Dodger**, beloved canine companion of Ashley Klingenstein.
 In loving memory of **Evander**, beloved feline companion of Brent & Jennifer Veil.
 In loving memory of **Honey**, beloved feline companion of Rayleen & John Heritage.
 In loving memory of **Malichi**, beloved feline companion of Marj Smith.
 In loving memory of **Mama Kitty**, beloved feline companion of Don & Diane Rose.
 In loving memory of **Maxwell**, beloved feline companion of Terry Howe.
 In loving memory of **Mikey**, beloved feline companion of Evy Flemmer.
 In loving memory of **Mistie**, beloved canine companion of Glennis Spier.
 In loving memory of **Oscar**, beloved canine companion of Chandra Hans.
 In loving memory of **Peaches**, beloved canine companion of Sally Lubrich.
 In loving memory of **Sunny**, beloved canine companion of Sarah Palecek.
 In loving memory of **Tar Baby**, beloved feline companion of Delores & Chester James.

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Donors

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In loving memory of **Torii**, beloved canine companion of Kevin & Ann Gilchrist.
In loving memory of **Zorro**, beloved feline companion of Jane Bjugstad.

Memorials from Lunn's Kennel Club:

In loving memory of **Abby**, beloved dog of Mike & Karen O'Brien.
In loving memory of **Abby**, beloved dog of Scott & Tami Volkert.
In loving memory of **Cocoa**, beloved dog of Shelly & Matt Reichert.
In loving memory of **Harley**, beloved dog of Heidi Ensz.
In loving memory of **McCreevy**, beloved dog of Lindsey & Luke Deeter.
In loving memory of **Milo**, beloved dog of Greg Knudtson.
In loving memory of **Reagan**, beloved dog of Leanne & Ralph Dunnigan.
In loving memory of **Red**, beloved dog of Deb Shanaver.
In loving memory of **Sadie**, beloved dog of Amy & Craig Heuer.
In loving memory of **Sophie**, beloved dog of Steve Herman.
In loving memory of **Tootsie**, beloved dog of Dawn & Bob Brown.

Honors:

In honor of **Jody Smith & Greg Freeman** marriage on 3-25-17. From Paige & Roger Mattson.
In honor of **Ken Roysse's** 33 years of dedicated service to Bartlett & West. Happy Retirement Ken!
In honor of our friend, **Joyce Robinson's** birthday. Happy Birthday from Michael & Judy Donahue.
In honor of **Eileen** for taking such loving care of me. From Balto.
In honor of my precious **Coulee Rose** on her 6th birthday. From Signy & Terry Leischner.
In honor of my 4 year adoption anniversary! From **Emma Lou Gardner & Leanne Gardner**.
In honor of **Gary Garland's** birthday. Happy Birthday from Daryl & Virginia Kerzman.
In memory and in honor of **Elmer & Evelyn Klipstein** from John & Glenda Klipstein Sevcik
In honor and in memory of **Darrell Williams**. From Leah Coghlan.
In honor of **Elijah Goodhouse's** birthday. Happy Birthday Elijah!
In honor of **Jan Hamilton's** birthday. From Bruiser & Ellie & humans.
In honor of all my furry friends at CDHS. From Balto.
In honor of **Suzan Mills**. From Karter H.
In honor of our puppy, **Bentley**. From Geri McIntee & Larry Boeck.
In honor of **Ruby's** 8th birthday. Happy Birthday from Jill Suess.
In honor of **Abbie Volkert**, daughter of Scott & Tami. From Faith Colbrunn.
In honor of **Cameo Skager**. From Carrie Power.

2016/2017 Homes for Hope Project

Verity Homes, one of North Dakota's most prominent home builders, teamed up with HOPE International to fight poverty around the world, while also supporting locally-operated charities here in North Dakota. The Central Dakota Humane Society (CDHS) was one of the chosen charities. Through Hope International's "Homes for Hope" program, Verity recently completed the construction and sale of two new homes. A portion of the proceeds from the Bismarck home sale was donated to CDHS.

"We are honored to have Verity Homes support our lifesaving mission," CDHS shelter manager Sue Buchholz said. "It is only with community support we can continue to provide love, shelter and a second chance to homeless cats and dogs from the Bismarck/Mandan area and surrounding communities. Verity's community involvement and civic-minded spirit is an excellent example of what a caring community can accomplish when we work together. Many thanks Verity!"

Verity wanted to give back to local charities that are dedicated to helping those that can't help themselves, and dog rescue fit that mission well. Additionally, partnering with HOPE International since 2015, Verity alone has empowered more than 1,380 entrepreneurs with funding to get their small business off the ground.



Tours & Thanks & Things

🐾 Girl Scout troop #83197 donated \$255 in cash, along with paper towels, bleach wipes, dog treats, dog beds, and stuffed animals. Thanks so much, Girl Scouts!



🐾 Thank you to our tremendous volunteers Ruth Borlaug, Tana Pendergast, Theresa Burns, Cindy Rohrick and Tami Charvat for your help sprucing up the shelter grounds. We really appreciate your help keeping CDHS looking good!

🐾 Central Dakota held its first Paddle for Paws fundraiser Wednesday, July 26. The weather was beautiful, and everyone enjoyed the evening. Thank you to all who supported CDHS on our maiden voyage on the Lewis & Clark Riverboat.



🐾 Annie Lindseth and Erin Reidman participated in the Women's Leadership Program with the Bismarck/Mandan Center for Technology & Business. They did a special fundraising project for CDHS to help cover the cost of medical care for Kobalt the pitbull. Kobalt had been injured and came to CDHS for recovery and care. These two young ladies used their "seed money" to hire a videographer and raised \$2801! Thank you so much, Annie and Erin!

🐾 Girl Scout Troop #83037 donated a portion of their cookie sales, totaling over \$300! They also donated laundry soap, bleach, disinfecting wipes, Febreze, laundry bags, litter, and fleece blankets. Thank you so much for the thoughtful donation, Girl Scouts!

🐾 Nicole Steele with Chalky Gal held a Facebook fundraiser for CDHS and raised \$40. Thank you, Nicole!

🐾 North Dakota Leadership Seminar made a million tie toys for the dogs.

🐾 Jeanette Myhre 4th and 5th-grade classes raised \$92.60 for CDHS with a fundraiser. Thank you, kids!

🐾 Central Dakota Humane Society Bismarck-Mandan was the top vote-getter among nonprofits during Starion Bank's Kindness Cash project in April and received a donation of \$250 from Starion. Thank you to everyone who voted!

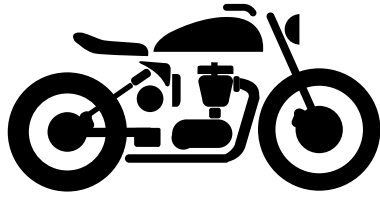
🐾 Tahya, Jalychia, and Kymani set up a lemonade stand to help their neighbors cool off in the summer heat. And they donated the proceeds and some supplies to CDHS. We appreciate your entrepreneurial and giving spirit. Thank you!

🐾 Elijah gathered donations for his birthday and dropped off trash bags, litter, Clorox, and birdseed, along with cash. Thank you for thinking of us on your special day, Elijah!

Harvest Brazilian Grill and Signature Events

Many thanks to Edgar at Harvest Brazilian Grill and Renee Murrish with Signature Events for inviting CDHS to be their special guest at the first Pre-Wedding Expo! Many items were donated from our needs list, and the \$250.00 cash donations were very much appreciated! Ratchet and Domino had a great time and were very well behaved furry guests. Thanks so much to everyone who attended!





RAFFLE

Central Dakota Humane Society holding a raffle on November 18

Buy your ticket soon for a chance to win a 2009 Honda Silverwing motorcycle!
The ticket drawing is at 4pm. You do not have to be present to win
(but you do need a valid drivers license).

Become a Facebook Fan

The CDHS fan page is a great way to stay informed about all our upcoming events, get a peek at our furry shelter residents and find out about the success stories of adopted pets. If you have adopted from us, be sure to post a picture and an update. Seeing those happy pets in loving homes is one of our favorite things!!



BECOME A CDHS MEMBER TODAY!



Memberships include a newsletter subscription. You will receive a complimentary one-year membership if you adopt a pet from the CDHS shelter. Memberships are tax-deductible to the extent of the law.

Membership Categories (check one):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> \$10 - Junior (under 18) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$150 - Pet Fanatic |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$20 - Individual (1) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500 - CDHS Builder |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$30 - Family (2+) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1000-\$1999 - Lifetime Member |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> \$100 - Business | <input type="checkbox"/> Hush Puppy (Anonymous) |

Tax-Deductible Donation Categories:

- \$12.50/month - kennel sponsor (one-year commitment)
- \$25 - Adopt-A-Pet ad, published monthly in the Bismarck Tribune
- \$ _____ - monthly donation (CDHS will send an authorization form for your signature.)
- \$ _____ - additional donation amount

Name: _____

Address: _____

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CDHS Mission Statement

Purpose: The purposes for which the Corporation is organized are:

1. To provide for, house, rehabilitate, and relocate lost, strayed or homeless animals.
2. To provide appropriate medical services.
3. To foster and promote humane treatment for all animals.
4. To encourage proper responsibility by owners of animals in their care, training or control.
5. To cooperate in the enforcement of laws that protect animals from cruelty or neglect.
6. To promote spaying and neutering of companion animals to avoid unwanted litters.
7. To help bring about a time when no more abused and/or abandoned animals will be destroyed anywhere.
8. To do such acts and exercise such powers - within the law - as may be necessary, desirable or incidental to the carrying out of the purposes specified above.



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Bonus

**By Sue Buchholz
Photos by Jolene Podoll**

We get lots of great feedback and encouraging notes in the mail, but this one really touched our hearts.

An unexpected kitty came our way, so we named him "Bonus." Well, he was a honey pie that was soon adopted, and I think the real bonus is the love he gets from his new best friend, Quinn. This artwork came with her donation to help other strays still waiting for their forever home. Thanks so much Quinn, you make us proud- and give Bonus a hug from all of his shelter friends!

