

Upcoming Events

- *Shaggy Shuffle Solo – All of Sept., with an end date of Sept. 26*
- *Christmas Critter Bidders – Nov. 25-29*
- *Santa Paws – date TBD – watch our Facebook page for further information*

Focus on all Fours

Summer 2020



A publication for friends of the Central Dakota Humane Society

Animal Lovers Race to the Rescue



You did it! You took up the challenge to Race for Rescues and you succeeded! Some of you followed with the original Race for Rescues format and ran and timed your own 5K.

Others walked, biked, hiked, kayaked, paddled, strolled, and a few of us even lounged.

This year's Race for Rescues took a unique spin when CDHS partnered with Furry Friends Rockin' Rescue and Kitty City and encouraged "racers" to lace up and stride out for the pets. The three rescues invited their supporters and all were able to benefit.

The event captured the hearts of nearly 300 supporters who raised nearly \$4,000 for each rescue. In a new world where we are all supposed to stay apart, animal lovers from all over the U.S. joined together to race to the rescue for the animals. Cheers to all!

Thank you to the Race for Rescues sponsors – Mobile Paw Spa, Bed n Biscuit Ranch, Leingang Home Center, Hometown Moving, Dakota Promotions, Superior Silk Screen, SK Designs, Michelle & Bella Ann Monteiro, Ruby Altringer, Blue Cross Blue Shield of ND, ANCO, Liebig Trucking, Deb Ellison, and Electrical Services.



Tours and Thanks and Things

- 🐾 Thank you to all the donors who donated online during the GivingTuesday Now event. The Giving Tuesday organization promoted a special day for online donations to help nonprofits deal with the challenges involving COVID-19.
- 🐾 Thank you to Dakota Pharmacy. Kevin and the crew will be donating to CDHS for every pet prescription filled during September and October! Yesssss!
- 🐾 Thank you to CDHS supporters who held Facebook birthday fundraisers for the shelter pets – Alicia Marie, Julie Howe, Austin Belisle, Carly Grimm, Tyler Weber, Rae Davison, Emily Wolters, Lindsey Dutton, Darlee Bjerke Sackhoff. Using the power of social media to help the animals is cyber-iffic!
- 🐾 Thank you to Melissa, Riley, and Brock for holding a lemonade stand for the animals! So sweet (not sour)!
- 🐾 Thanks to Texas Roadhouse for holding a donation night and thanks to those who beefed up their giving by eating out at TR! Yee-haw!
- 🐾 Thank you to the Medicine Shoppe! They are giving back to CDHS for every pet prescription or pet CBD oil purchased there. Whoop!
- 🐾 Thank you to KFYZ-TV. They continue to feature a NDToday Adopt-A-Pet every week. Because of the current health concerns, they helped us find a way to visit with them virtually. Watch for CDHS every Wednesday morning at 9:43 a.m.
- 🐾 Vrooomm! Thank you to Brandon Vetter for adding the CDHS logo to his Hobby Stock race car - #28. Helping to spread the word about adoptable pets – Winner!
- 🐾 CDHS alumni Grenadine's and Charlie Brown's mom, Annie Beck, and her fourth graders at River Grove Elementary, Marine in St. Croix, MN, made and sold gift bags and tags to raise money for supplies for shelter pets. The class took a field trip to a pet store to buy supplies, then donated them to CDHS. Thank you for caring about the animals!
- 🐾 Thank you to Katie and Anna for raising money for the animals at CDHS. What a wonderful gift!
- 🐾 Thank you to Taya who made some beautiful face masks for the CDHS staff. Virtual tail wags and purrs were her reward.
- 🐾 Thank you to the Brandenburg Crew Inc. of eXp Realty-Bismarck. They raised funds for CDHS and promoted the shelter through their realty company. Spreading the word and helping animals – we're SOLD!
- 🐾 Thanks to those who answered our call for a used washing machine. A huge shout out to Sharon & Doug Cerkoney for the new machine and to Tony Martin & Diane Leingang, who donated enough cash to get us another machine. The used machines donated (thank you Kate Herzog and Ashley Lynn!) will also be put to good use as we are running our machines nearly all day, every day.
- 🐾 Hats off to the amazing nursing students from BSC who came for a shelter tour and brought blankets (pre-COVID). They brought a \$350 donation from the Student Nurse Association at BSC funded by a grant from the BSC Congress of Student Organizations. Animals do boost our physical and mental health and these nurses know that!
- 🐾 Thank you so much to Target and those who voted for CDHS in the Target Circle promotion. We were honored to be chosen as one of the first North Dakota charities to benefit from this corporate wide promotion.
- 🐾 CDHS was honored to be in the Member Spotlight in the Bismarck-Mandan Chamber EDC's Connection magazine for April. To view the article, go to www.bismarckmandan.com, click News & Media, click Connection, and scroll down to the April 2020 link.



Needs List



- Monetary donations
- Gasoline cards
- HP 952 CMY ink cartridges
- HP 410A – CMY toner
- Cat litter (non-clumping)*
- Booklets of Forever Stamps
- Bleach
- Blankets and towels
- Fleece (Should be new - Will be used to make blankets to sell.)
- Batting for fleece blankets
- White garbage bags (13 gallon)
- HE liquid laundry detergent
- Canned dog and cat food
- Chicken baby food
- Toilet paper
- Black lawn and leaf garbage bags
- Epson 410 Black and CMY ink cartridges
- Frontline flea and tick protection (no generics please)
- Vehicle donations are always welcome!

* Always in short supply.

Membership meetings

Membership meetings are held the third Tuesday of each month at the CDHS shelter 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 701-667-2020 for more info. All interested parties welcome.

Sept. 15, Oct. 20, Nov. 17, Dec. 15
(Meetings may be held online as necessary.)

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 701-667-2020 and talk to Mandy.

- **Saturday, Sept. 12** • **Saturday, Oct. 10**
- **Saturday, Nov. 14** • **Saturday, Dec. 12**



Shelter Report

By Sue Buchholz, Shelter Director

Covid-19 Might Be Here, But Helping The Animals Continues

Kindly forgive my musings, it's my first pandemic. I have to tell you that so far, I am not impressed. It's no secret I am not a fan of change. Just ask Office Manager Carrie what a big baby I am when my cell phone dies and it's time for an upgrade. It's not pretty and I should be ashamed of myself – but we do get through it. Now, I am in no way comparing my minor problems with the global life and death issues that presently affect each and every person on the planet; but in our little corner of the world, it's always been life and death for animals every single day. If that isn't enough, now we worry about the staff's health and well-being more than ever. If we all get sick, who will take care of our 125 residents, and the daily revolving door of new rescues and new adoptions? We are working on the balance of taking precautions to stay healthy, yet still provide our life-saving services to the animals and people who need us.

In the beginning of the pandemic scare, we were closed to the public for a time, but have since reopened our doors and welcome a limited number of volunteers and potential adopters by appointment. For 26 years we have worked hard to make our shelter a feel good, "this is your happy place" destination. Limiting the numbers of visitors has been a difficult modification. It goes against all we have tried to build over the years, but for now it is the responsible thing to do. The good news is that adoptions have remained steady (just slightly under what a "normal" year would bring); when animals do get adopted, we have room to help another; and we have not experienced a huge surge in people needing to surrender their pets. And so it goes – our work continues – just as before COVID-19 reared its ugly head, but with a few new twists.

It seems we likely have a long way to go before our world returns to a safer normal than we are living with right now. We are

working to adjust our expectations in a COVID world. We aim to maximize our pet population, while still leaving a bit of room for more animals that come in every day. It's a daily balancing act.

We fear the owner surrender requests may increase as this drags on (indeed, just hours after I wrote this article, someone asked us to take their dog because they had lost their job due to COVID-19 employment cuts). Stray and abandoned animal numbers are sadly consistently high, and requests for financial assistance come in daily. We do have a modest TLC (Tender Loving Care) budget that helps people in dire financial need with their pets and that was maxed out months ago. We cannot host tried and true fundraising events to gather our friends together as we have done in the past. We literally brainstorm daily on how to raise much needed funds during this time of fear and uncertainty, with no comfort of a light at the end of the tunnel.

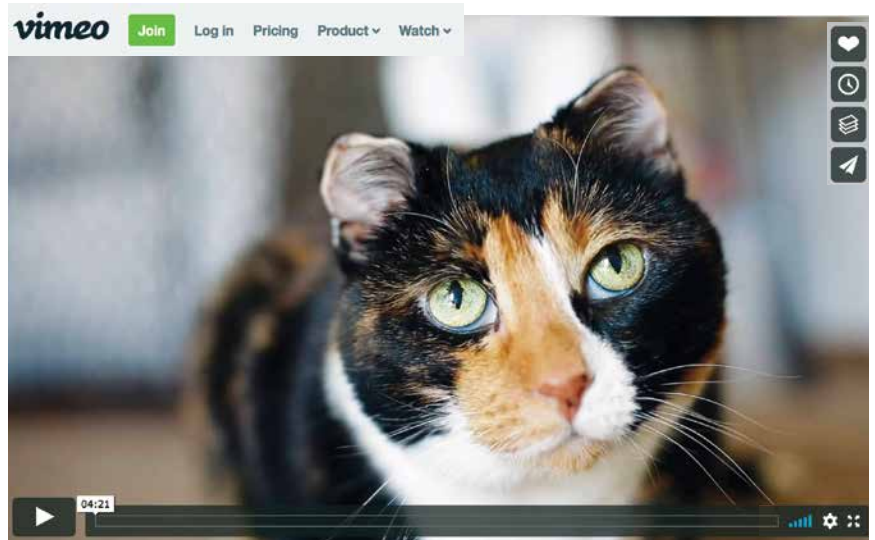
We know we have a ways to go, but never question our determination to help as many animals as we can, for as long as necessary, and to provide whatever medical aid they need. Ours is not a minimum-care facility. When we save them, we save them all the way – as long as it takes to find each one their forever home.

COVID or not, our daily challenges will continue and through it all, we appreciate that our supporters remain faithful and consistent with their financial gifts. We say it often, but we can't say it enough – thank you, thank you, thank you. Your heartfelt support of CDHS's efforts to help the animals continues to bring smiles and tears to the humans at the shelter, and food, medical aid, a soft bed, and love to the shelter pets.

Stay safe and healthy, we need you, and more importantly your pets need you too! Let's all try to come out on the other side of this thing kinder and gentler to animals and people. That would go a long way to creating a better world for all of us. 🐾

Take a look!

Every year at Bene-Pet, a part of the evening involves our Fund-A-Mission fundraiser. We always show a video of some of the great things happening at CDHS and then we ask our supporters to offer a donation if they are able. Since we were not able to share the video this year because our event was canceled, we wanted to share the link with you. Go to <https://vimeo.com/397679668> to view this year's video. It includes a couple wonderful stories about pets adopted from CDHS. Thanks to Sam Sprynczynatyk and Medora Frei for creating this heart-tugging video about a few of our lucky adopted pets. Grab your tissues because it is that great! 🐾





Mandy's Corner

By Mandy Schaaf, Volunteer and Event Coordinator

Be a Hero, Meet a New Friend . . . VOLUNTEER!

Volunteers have always been a huge part of the successful placement of pets here at Central Dakota Humane Society. Our critter companions provide companionship to our cats and dogs while they wait patiently for their forever people. A CDHS volunteer's main job is to help the animals at our shelter learn to trust humans again. I always tell the dog walkers we are the ones that need to be given a second chance, because it was the humans that let the animal down. It's your job to teach the pets in our care that the human hand is capable of producing treats, pets, kindness and love.

Sometimes it just takes that one person that connects with that one critter and a whole new world opens up for both. We have seen amazing bonds develop between our dogs and cats and our volunteers. We know how important volunteers are to CDHS and they have been part of our history for 60 years! Without a group of volunteers sitting down and deciding that Bismarck/Mandan needed an organization to help homeless dogs and cats in our area, we wouldn't be where we are today.

Not only do we count on our volunteers to provide companionship to our shelter pets, but we also count on them to help keep our grounds looking spiffy, assist with events, and help with miscellaneous projects which seem to pop up at all time!

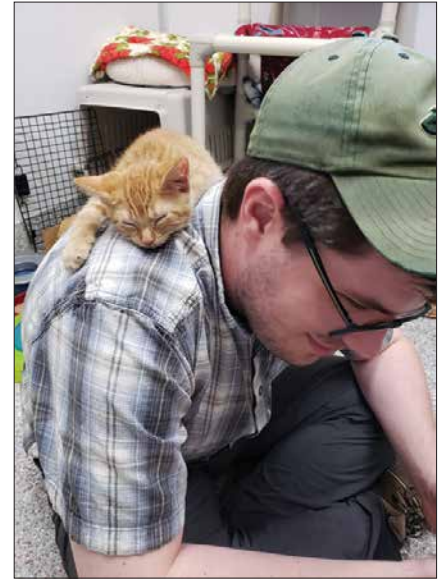
COVID-19 changed our volunteer program in many ways and we had to temporarily put our volunteer program on "paws." The shelter was closed to the public for a period of time and that included most of our volunteers. We did have a small group of our daily dog walkers schedule shifts to walk the dogs. We have gradually opened our volunteer program up to scheduled volunteer visits and every day more volunteers have been

contacting me to walk dogs and to provide companionship to our cats.

We appreciate all our volunteers so much and we need even more! We have lots of room on our schedule for more critter companions. At least a few weeks of summer remain, so please consider calling the shelter and setting up an appointment to go through the cat orientation or take a dog walking class.

We do require our volunteers to be at least 13 years of age, but those age seven and older can volunteer with a parent or guardian present. We ask our volunteers to fill out a volunteer application and go through a scheduled orientation. After that you are welcome to sign up for regular shifts or as your schedule permits.

Now more than ever we need critter companions. While you are here you might just find yourself a new friend, a little peace of mind and spirit, and some happiness in your heart knowing that you helped a pet with their transition to a forever home! Be a hero, meet a friend... VOLUNTEER! 🐾



Volunteer Nate works at socializing some kittens. As you can see, it's a tough job!

Working Together – Apart

As a society, we have been advised to maintain social distance to help preserve the safety and health of our friends and neighbors. Due to these guidelines, CDHS has had to cancel or reimagine some of our longstanding events. We discovered that it was difficult to notify our supporters about these abrupt changes in plans because we didn't have a good means of getting in touch.

We found a real need to bulk up our email database so that we could stay connected about our events and important shelter news. Being able to send online receipts and information would also help reduce our mailing costs and save paper and ink.

If you would like to be added to our online communications list, please send your name, address, email address, and mobile phone number to centralkotahumanesociety@gmail.com. We will continue working together – apart – to help the animals, and we'll keep you notified about everything CDHS. 🐾



Our Volunteers are Paw-some!

Keeping the CDHS shelter grounds looking neat and spiffy takes a tremendous amount of time and effort. Most of our staff is busy caring for the animals, so the yard work mostly falls to our awesome volunteers. Fortunately, we seem to have found the perfect group of volunteers who are up to the task. Dave Keller and his granddaughter, Mallory Henriksen, provide the mowing muscle and are either on the riding lawn mower or pushing the hand mower over the hard-to-reach areas. Dave started early in the summer because he had a little free time. When his granddaughter Mallory, who is off to college this fall, expressed an interest in helping, Dave saw this opportunity to spend a little time with Mallory and help CDHS. Win-win!

Dave encourages others with free time on their hands to volunteer. While attending to the mowing, Dave has spent some time watching the other volunteers walking dogs and socializing the cats. He loves to see people spending time helping the critters. A word of caution from Dave is, "If you decide to volunteer, be careful. You may fall in love with one of the dogs or cats they are caring for." (Um, yeah, Dave, that is THE plan!) We are so appreciative of the work that Dave and Mallory are doing keeping our grounds looking great. Thank you to this dynamic duo!

CDHS has also found a wonderful helper in our new volunteer Jim Bittner. Jim enjoys time outside and does everything from trimming hedges to weed wacking to hand mowing to walking dogs. He also has been a tremendous help with hauling the cans to the recycling center at least once a week. Jim feels if he helps with yard work, the staff can concentrate on the care of the pets and if you are thinking of volunteering, Jim says, "JUST DO IT!"

Jim is also a dog walker, and CDHS is a very lucky recipient of his time and talents. Jim and his wife have been supporters of CDHS for several years and after he retired, he wanted to help a good cause like CDHS. Jim said the staff is always helpful and appreciative and easy to work with. We think Jim is pretty darn helpful and easy to work with as well!

Our Volunteer of the Year pulls weeds and walks dogs! Ruth Borlaug holds the title of Volunteer of the Year for 2019 and continues to take her volunteer job seriously, showing up early most days for her dog walking shift and helps keep our shelter grounds looking great. Ruth has recently taken on the important job of clearing a large patch of scratchy weeds from the center of our yard and it has made a huge difference in the appearance of the shelter grounds. Ruth loves seeing the other staff and visitors who share her passion for critters here at CDHS. She also shares the love of landscaping with other volunteers.

Ruth has been volunteering at CDHS for five years and started walking dogs after she and her husband lost their dog, Annie. Ruth is a joy to work with, loves to chat with visitors, appreciates hanging out with the dogs, and enjoys getting to know the personalities of the pets here at the shelter. Ruth encourages others to try volunteering because, "it is great fun and you meet wonderful people!" We think you are wonderful, Ruth!

We also want to give a shout out to a group of volunteers that showed up to help weed, put down mulch and did a general yard cleanup this past spring. This group really worked hard getting our shelter grounds looking nice and clean.

CDHS is blessed in so many ways and our volunteers fill so many niches that need to be filled. We like to make our shelter welcoming both inside and out, and the yard work that needs to be done each and every week is a big part of creating that environment. Thank you to all who help with these tasks! 🐾



Volunteer team of grandfather, Dave Keller, and granddaughter, Mallory Henriksen, do a great job of mowing the large shelter property.



Volunteer Jim Bittner has spent the summer trimming, pruning, mowing, and knocking down the weeds.



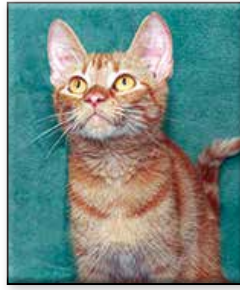
Volunteer of the Year Ruth Borlaug walks dogs AND spends a large part of her time at the shelter doing yardwork.

Adoptable Pets

See more CDHS adoptable pets
at www.cdhs.net



AMBER
Unspayed Female
Short Hair (DSH)
Tortie
Approximate DOB:
June 2019



HILLARY
Unspayed Female
Short Hair (DSH)
Orange Tabby
Approximate DOB:
May 2019



PAT
Spayed Female
Short Hair (DSH)
Black and White
Approximate DOB:
July 2014



AMELIA
Spayed Female
Black Lab/Heeler
Mix
Approximate DOB:
August 2018



LES PAUL
Neutered Male
Brindle Boxer
Approximate DOB:
May 2018



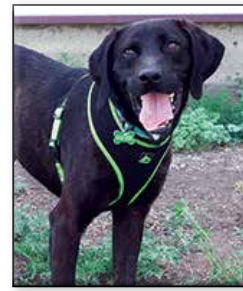
PAULA
Spayed Female
Dachshund Cross
Approximate DOB:
May 2015



BRANFORD
Neutered Male
Mixed Breed
Approximate DOB:
October 2017



MAUER
Unneutered Male
Pitbull Mix
Approximate DOB:
July 2018



PEPE
Neutered Male
Plott Hound - Black
and Brindle
Approximate DOB:
July 2014



DASH
Unneutered Male
Husky/Shepherd
Cross
Approximate DOB:
May 2019



MIDLIN
Spayed Female
Short Hair (DSH)
Gray
Approximate DOB:
October 2018



TEAK
Unspayed Female
Short Hair (DSH)
Calico
DOB: April 25, 2020



HANSEL
Neutered Male
Rottweiler Cross
Approximate DOB:
November 2017



MOSAIC
Unspayed Female
Short Hair (DSH)
Muted Calico
DOB: April 25,
2020



TED BAXTER
Neutered Male
Long Hair (DLH)
Black and White
Tuxedo
Approximate DOB:
July 2019

CDHS Events Update

Dog Days Deals Rummage Sale – With great sadness and frustration, we did make the call to cancel our annual Rummage Sale, which is normally held in mid-August. Many hundreds of people (community members and volunteers alike) attend the event each year and we didn't feel we could offer a sanitized and socially distanced event. This additional loss of income for the shelter is not easy to swallow, but we are working to come up with new options of fundraising, where people can be apart, but still working together to help the animals. If you can, please save your rummage treasures for next year. (We know, our basements are full too. But we do it all to help the animals!)

Shaggy Shuffle Solo – Shaggy Shuffle will go on – it will be a virtual, or solo, event in 2020! Watch our Facebook page and website for more information about registering and raising money for the animals. You will be able to set up your own Facebook Fundraiser, or use the registration form in this newsletter (it will also be on our website) to invite your friends and family to help you support the critters with donations AND the more money you raise, the more prizes you will receive. We will be walking apart, while working together to help the animals!



Christmas CritterBidders

– Our next online auction event will be held Nov. 25-29. Our silent auction items from our cancelled Bene-Pet event will be rolled into this event – allowing us to use our generously donated items to raise money. Our last CritterBidders event was a fun time and we encourage people to jump in on the action for our next auction. You can enjoy the thrill of the winning bid right from your own computer! Registration will be available in late October. Watch our Facebook page for more information!



Santa Paws – We are working on a possible way to have a socially distanced Santa-Less Paws. Shhhh, don't tell the kids, but Santa won't be available this year. His job this year is to help people stay healthy and safe and we do know that is more important than his normal pre-Christmas PR stops. We will be without Santa and Mrs. Claus, but hope to continue with festive family photos for the holiday.

Nonprofits are being told 2020 is the year to rethink events and pivot to a new way of doing things. Be assured, we are working hard on our pirouettes. Watch our Facebook page and website for more information about all our events, and for new opportunities to get involved.

Please support these businesses that display CDHS donation canisters

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| <i>All Pets Veterinary Clinic</i> | <i>Gold Label Feeds</i> | <i>MacKenzie River Pizza, Grill & Pub</i> | <i>Simonson's North</i> |
| <i>Bed 'n' Biscuit Ranch</i> | <i>Gourmet Doggy Diner</i> | <i>Marshall Lumber Company – Mandan</i> | <i>Space Aliens Grill & Bar</i> |
| <i>Bismarck Animal Clinic and Hospital</i> | <i>Groomingdales</i> | <i>Midway Lanes</i> | <i>Stamart – Bismarck</i> |
| <i>Bismarck Sewing & Quilting</i> | <i>Healthy Dog Center</i> | <i>Missouri Valley Vet Clinic: Commerce/Pinehurst/Mandan</i> | <i>Super Pumper – Bismarck</i> |
| <i>Burleigh County Senior Center</i> | <i>Heart River Animal Hospital</i> | <i>Moritz Sport & Marine</i> | <i>Super Pumper – Mandan</i> |
| <i>Butcher Block Meats</i> | <i>Hey Ocean – Bismarck</i> | <i>Norm's Eatery</i> | <i>Taco Del Mar – South</i> |
| <i>Captain Jack's Liquor – Mandan</i> | <i>Horizon Pharmacy</i> | <i>Northwind Home & Garden</i> | <i>Taco John's – Mandan</i> |
| <i>Captain Jack's Liquor – North</i> | <i>In-Dog-Neat-O</i> | <i>Plato's Closet – Bismarck</i> | <i>Taco John's – North</i> |
| <i>Captain Jack's Liquor – South</i> | <i>Interstate Vet Clinic</i> | <i>Plaza Drug</i> | <i>Taco John's – South</i> |
| <i>Cashwise Liquor – North</i> | <i>Jay's Pawn Shop – Bismarck</i> | <i>Polar Package</i> | <i>Taco John's/Good Times – Bismarck</i> |
| <i>Cashwise Liquor – South</i> | <i>Jay's Pawn Shop – Mandan</i> | <i>Pony Express</i> | <i>Top Dog Grooming</i> |
| <i>Clothes Mentor – Bismarck</i> | <i>KT Animal Supply</i> | <i>Pype Hipe</i> | <i>Treasures of the Sea & Earth</i> |
| <i>Cloverdale Country Store</i> | <i>Kroll's – Mandan</i> | <i>Red Trail Petro & Pizza</i> | <i>Uniform Center & Embroidery – Bismarck</i> |
| <i>Crown Butte Kennels</i> | <i>Kroll's – North</i> | <i>Rock'N 50's Café</i> | <i>West Dakota Meats</i> |
| <i>D'Fine Tanning & Hair Salon</i> | <i>Lewis & Clark Animal Hospital</i> | <i>Runnings Farm & Fleet – Bismarck</i> | <i>West River Chiropractic – Mandan</i> |
| <i>Dakota Pharmacy</i> | <i>Little Caesar's Pizza – South</i> | <i>Runnings Farm & Fleet – Mandan</i> | <i>Western Unlimited</i> |
| <i>Dakota Prairie Vet Service</i> | <i>Little Caesars Pizza – North</i> | <i>Scotty's Drive-In</i> | |
| <i>Expressway C-Store</i> | <i>Little Cottage Café</i> | <i>Season's Café</i> | |
| <i>Four Paws Inn</i> | <i>Little Dukes</i> | | |
| <i>Fully Loaded Fitness</i> | <i>(Cashwise gas station)</i> | | |
| <i>Gas Plus</i> | <i>M&H Gas</i> | | |

ITEMS MAY BE PURCHASED AND LEFT FOR PICK UP AT THESE LOCATIONS *Bismarck Donation Bins: Kramer Agency and KT Animal Supply*



**WALKING APART,
BUT UNITED FOR
THE ANIMALS.**

SHAAGGY SHUFFLE S^{PAW}LO

- REGISTER AT WWW.CDHS.NET. WALK ANYTIME, ANYWHERE BY SEPT. 26.
- INVITE FRIENDS AND FAMILY TO DONATE TO YOUR WALK.
- COLLECT MORE DONATIONS - EARN MORE PRIZES - HELP MORE ANIMALS!



For more information, contact:



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Level 1 - \$35

CDHS Socks, Cycle Dog CDHS Key Chain

Level 3 - \$250

Yeti CDHS Tumbler, Cycle Dog CDHS Leash, CDHS Socks, Cycle Dog CDHS Key Chain

Level 5 - \$1000

Camelbak Hydration Pack, JBL Wireless Speaker, Yeti CDHS Tumbler, Cycle Dog CDHS Leash, CDHS Socks, Cycle Dog CDHS Key Chain

Level 2 - \$100

Cycle Dog CDHS Leash, CDHS Socks, Cycle Dog CDHS Key Chain

Level 4 - \$500

JBL Wireless Speaker, Yeti CDHS Tumbler, Cycle Dog CDHS Leash, CDHS Socks, Cycle Dog CDHS Key Chain

Level 6 - \$1500

Bose Wireless Earbuds, Camelbak Hydration Pack, JBL Wireless Speaker, Yeti CDHS Tumbler, Cycle Dog CDHS Leash, CDHS Socks, Cycle Dog CDHS Key Chain

• Prizes will be available at the CDHS shelter by Oct. 6.

• Register online at www.cdhs.net - OR - print, complete, and mail this form to CDHS, 2104 37th St., Mandan, ND 58554.

Shaggy Shuffle Walker's Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone and Email Address: _____

| My Donors | Address | Phone | Amount | Paid |
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| <i>Example: CDHS Supporter</i> | <i>Shaggy Dog St., Mandan, ND 58554</i> | <i>701-667-2020</i> | <i>\$50</i> | <i>X</i> |
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THANK YOU FOR HELPING THE ANIMALS!

Since our Bene-Pet event was canceled and our donors and sponsors did not get the public acknowledgement that they deserve, we wanted to give one more shout out to these wonderful folks for supporting CDHS and helping the animals!

THANK YOU BENE-PET 2020 SPONSORS!

DIAMOND



Dakota Sound
Systems, Inc.



**Wachter
Development,
Inc.**

GOLD

Dakota Community Bank & Trust ♦ Dakota Promotions & Printing
Denise Ziegler & Amy Montgomery, Realtors, Alliance Real Estate
Friends and Family ♦ Furry Friends Rockin' Rescue

SILVER

Argo Sales & Service
Bed & Biscuit Ranch
BNI Energy
Boulder Homes, LLC
Celebration &
Memories
Cocoa's Friends
Coffee Cats
Conlin's Furniture Inc.
Faller Group
Happy Tails with
Love on a Leash
Hermann Group
Hometown Moving
JellyCat (Jeff Berquist
Trucking, LLC)
Kerzman Appraisal
Kosse/Bismarck
Kennel Club
Lewis & Clark Animal
Hospital

Missouri Valley Vet –
Pinehurst
OK Tire Store, Inc.
Reclaim Health
Schumaker Table
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In loving memory of **Fritz**, beloved canine companion of Gerald & Marie Bruning.

In loving memory of **Graham**, beloved canine companion of Milt & Diane Rue.

In loving memory of **Gunner**, beloved canine companion of MiKayla Ell & Family.

In loving memory of **Jackson**, beloved canine companion of Maury & Kay Kamins.

In loving memory of **Jasper**, beloved canine companion of the Labrenz Family.

In loving memory of **Kita**, beloved canine companion of Mac & Abigail Gable.

In loving memory of **Kodi**, beloved canine companion of Gary & Judy Kurtz.

In loving memory of **Macy**,

beloved feline companion of Nicole Mann & Family.

In loving memory of **Maiya**, beloved canine companion of Brad Ziegler & Stephanie Senn.

In loving memory of **Mater**, beloved canine companion of Dan Kraft & Family.

In loving memory of **Peanut**, beloved canine companion of Patti & Steve Snider.

In loving memory of **Rhea**, beloved canine companion of Jeff & Kathy Stromstad.

In loving memory of **Ricky**, beloved feline companion of Ken & Carol Pinks.

In loving memory of **Rootie**, beloved canine companion of Susan Wagner & Family.

In loving memory of **Rowdy**, beloved feline companion of Tim & Kathy Forrest.

In loving memory of **Roxie**, beloved canine companion of the Renner Family.

In loving memory of **Rufus**, beloved canine companion of Yancey & Melissa Kessler.

In loving memory of **Sophie**, beloved canine companion of William & Sherry Masse.

In loving memory of **Sylvester**, beloved feline companion of James Raile.

Memorials from Lunn's Kennel Club:

In loving memory of **Bay**, beloved dog of Ken & Cora Dockter.

In loving memory of **Bebe**, beloved dog of Katie & Tom Hutchens.

In loving memory of **Duffy**, beloved dog of Matt & Becky LaBella.

In loving memory of **George**, beloved dog of Mike & Jessica Zimmerman.

In loving memory of **Gizmo**, beloved dog of Audrey Morman.

In loving memory of **Haney**, beloved dog of Dave & Chelene Nelson.

In loving memory of **Marley**, beloved dog of Ann Andre.

In loving memory of **Tucker**, beloved dog of Becky Larson.

Honors:

In honor of **Virginia & Daryl Kerzman's** birthdays. Happy birthday from Delores Friedt.

In honor of my 1st rescue dog, **Lulu** - my constant companion for 15 years. From Sheila Quick.

In honor of **Gary & Colleen**

Garland's anniversary. Happy anniversary from Daryl & Virginia Kerzman!

In honor of **Dave Gabriel**. From Gary Gabriel.

In memory and in honor of **Elmer & Evelyn Klipstein** from John & Glenda Klipstein Sevcik

In honor of **Rita O'Neill** and all the great work she does for the Central Dakota Humane Society. From Cory Fong.

In honor of **Cynthia Schuch**. From Gavin Fischer.

In honor of my friend, **Fran Joersz's** birthday. Happy birthday from Peggy & Larry Hoge!

In honor of **Ramsey**. From Beverly Everett.

In honor of **Sue Rhor's** birthday. Happy birthday from Randy Burke!

In honor of **Jim Beazley's** birthday and good health. Happy birthday from Daryl & Virginia Kerzman!

In honor of my daughter, **Marie Schaaf Gallagher's** birthday. Happy birthday from Janet & Richard Schaaf!

In honor of **CDHS staff & kitties and Sister Kathleen Atkinson**. From Mike & June Benedict.

In honor of **Al & Carolyn Leingang's** wedding. Congratulations from Dennis & Pam Buchholz!

In honor of my CDHS Alumni **Mollie's** 6th birthday and my co-workers: **Brooke Steffes, Anne Jones, Kadie Beckman, Ryan Engel, Terese Schneider, BrittneyHendricks, Jackie Herning, Maria Frame, Melissa Jorgenson, Carmen Glasser, Amanda Ross, Bonnie Taylor, Kirsti Hourigan, Jim Kaiser, Mindy Steckler**. From Rebecca Dorwart.

In honor of **Tana Pendergast**. Thank you for making masks for the staff and volunteers at CDHS. You rock!

In honor of our 3 CDHS adoptees: **Raven, Oliver & Stella**. From Charles & Julie Eder.

In honor of **Jan Hamilton's** birthday and in remembrance of her beloved companion **Ruby**. From Jennifer Matt.

In loving memory & in honor of four of our wonderful cats; **Dusty, Mara, Jonny & Tux**. From Nancy Albrecht.



Spay/Neuter Assistance Program (SNAP)



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coupon

CDHS offers \$40 coupons to assist with the cost of spay/neuter procedures. A limited number of coupons are available monthly, on a first-come basis. If interested, call 701-667-2020 or visit the CDHS shelter.




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Membership Categories (check one):

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| <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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CDHS SHELTER HOURS

CDHS is currently open for adoption visits by appointment only. Call the shelter to schedule your appointment Tuesday-Friday from 1-6 p.m. or Saturday from 1-4 p.m.

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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Charlie Chaplain Rescued

If you follow our Facebook page, you may know the story. This is a portion of our Facebook post of June 17.

“On May 30, we found this box outside our door with a note attached. Of course, Tux the cat was not in the box and was nowhere to be found. One of our dog walkers spotted a cat a few times in the last week and we had a trap set, but were not successful. We assumed it was the elusive Tux, and figured he was hanging around, fighting the good fight and trying to survive in this scary, uncertain, outdoor environment.

Today this cat was found in the ditch, no longer able to fight. We assume this is Tux. He is very skinny, has a wound on his tail, and many ticks. This cat is declawed on ALL four feet. I'm sure you can imagine how difficult this situation has been for him. We will do our best to bring kitty back to health, get some food and fluid into him, and take care of any injuries he has.

Please understand that there are many options besides dumping your pet, taped inside a box. Abandoning an animal is against the law. There are alternatives. If there are behavioral problems, consult with a vet. Ask friends or family to take your pet. Place a giveaway ad on social media with a small rehoming fee. Call us, or another rescue. None of these options will work out overnight. Be patient and realistic. When you choose to get a pet, you agree to be responsible for it. We simply cannot let them down



like this. We are positive that humans can do better.”

UPDATE FROM JULY 22:

Charlie has done very well at the shelter. His sores have healed and he has returned to a healthy weight. He was recently moved to the adoption hallway, and although a bit timid, he is a sweet boy – now looking for a forever home that will never again throw him away.

