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WINTER 2023

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WASHINGTON AREA HUMANE SOCIETY



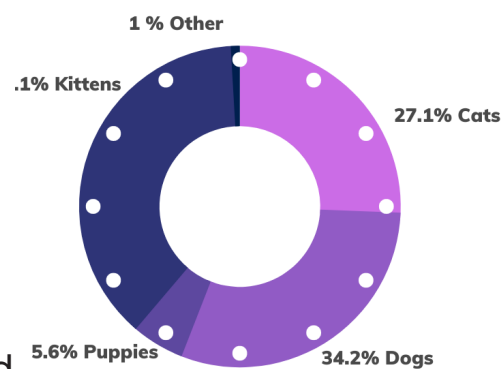
VOICE FOR THE VOICELESS SINCE 1906





LIFESAVING WORK

Our lifesaving mission continued to grow in 2022, and over 2,000 animals were supported through adoptions, foster placements, humane investigations, low-cost vet clinics, spay/neuter surgeries, and a community pet food bank.



95%
OF INTAKES
WERE SAVED

191
PETS
FOSTERED
IN HOMES

500
ADOPTIONS

457
COMMUNITY
PET SPAY AND
NEUTER
SURGERIES



PETS FOR U.S. VETS

Our Pets for U.S. Vets Program is off to a GREAT start for 2023! Our FIRST Service Dog in Training, Gunner formerly known as Chad, was paired with his Navy Vietnam Veteran that served two tours. Gunner is going to assist his veteran with his PTSD and mobility due to combat. Both Gunner and his veteran will continue to work with our Kennel Manager to train more specific behaviors geared to his veteran's needs. Throughout 2023 the WAHS plans on expanding this program by identifying & training four more service dogs to place with veterans.

Veterans are also able to adopt a WAHS shelter animal for free as a thank you for their service to our country through our Pets for U.S. Vets Program.



For more information, visit www.washingtonpashelter.org/communityprograms

MARCH MUTTNESS

The WAHS is dribbling down court and heading for a slam dunk as March Muttiness tips-off on March 1st! The WAHS will be participating in March Muttiness, an online fundraising challenge, alongside 127 nonprofit animal shelters across the country in a bracket-style tournament. You can help the WAHS advance rounds throughout the tournament by making a gift to our team. Every donation made to the WAHS team will directly support our animals. Are you ready to score the game-winning buzzer-beater for the WAHS?

Learn more at: washingtonpashelter.org/march-muttiness

IMPROVED CARE

Over 59 animals received x-rays in 2022 which resulted in better outcomes and quality of care.

LOW-COST SERVICES

The veterinary team provided over 1,200 exams to community pets resulting in over 2,400 vaccinations 1200 microchips, and 457 spay/neuter surgeries.

STRAYS

Over 50% of the animals brought into the WAHS are strays who need immediate shelter.

HUMANE CASES

Over 97 animals were brought into the WAHS through humane investigations of neglect, abuse and abandonment.



417
ACTIVE
VOLUNTEERS



IMPACT REPORT

To learn more about the lifesaving work visit: www.washingtonpashelter.org/in-the-numbers

Volunteer Program Corporate Sponsor



PRINCESS



Dear Friends,

I am proud to report that the Washington Area Humane Society had another successful year serving its mission while in the third year at the new shelter. This past year, we continued to see growth in the low-cost veterinary services offered to the public which include spay and neuter surgeries and vaccination clinics. This page features just a few of the 80 adoptable pets we care for onsite at any time. I am very grateful for all you do to give each animal a chance at a happy home. The staff, volunteers, and board of directors are looking forward to a new year and more lifesaving work at the Washington Area Humane Society. Come visit us in 2023!

Kelly Proudfit

Kelly Proudfit, Executive Director

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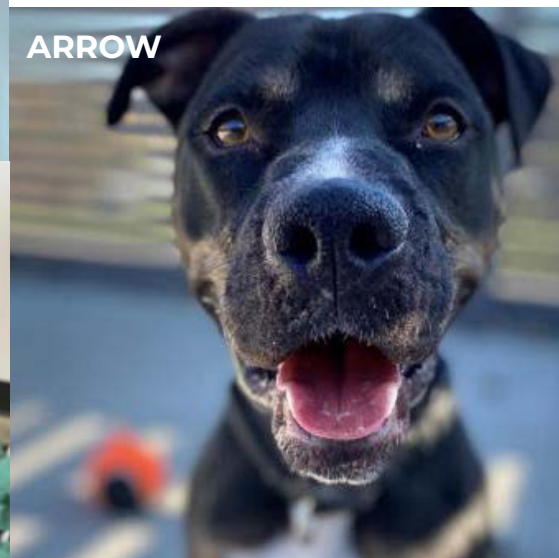
SHELTER

ANIMAL VIEWING HOURS

TUE 1-7 | THU 1-4

FRI 1-4 | SAT 1-4

ARROW



BRUCE



FOZZIE



JERRY



PRINTER



ANNABELLE



MILES



JASON



CAT YOGA, THE MEWEST TREND IN EXERCISE

Every month, our lobby transforms into a studio for the newest, challenging exercise fad - yoga with cats. Participants can join us for a 1-hour long soothing flow yoga session with the adoptable cats at the WAHS led by a certified yoga instructor. Every class is suitable for all experience levels.

The \$20 class participation fee is a donation to help support the animals of the WAHS.

- Cat Yoga: Kids Session (9 years+)
- Cat Yoga: Adult Session (14-16 years with guardian, 17 years+)

View class schedules at: washingtonpashelter.org/events

SPONSOR LITTER OF KITTENS

On average, the Washington Area Humane Society cares for more than 200 kittens (newborn – 6 months) each year. Neonate and young kittens are some of the most vulnerable pets in need in shelters as they require around the clock care for the first few weeks of their lives. You can be a part of this life-changing experience by sponsoring a litter of kittens at the WAHS this kitten season!

Basic Kitten Litter Sponsorship | \$250

- Choose a name for each kitten and mom
- A thank you post on our FB page displaying your business name/logo

Complete Kitten Litter Sponsorship | \$500

- Choose a name for each kitten and mom
- A thank you post on our FB page displaying your business name/logo
- Receive updates and photo of the litter exclusive to you
- Visit the kittens before they are placed up for adoption

*We cannot guarantee how many kittens will be in your litter. Please choose 3-5 names.

For more information visit: washingtonpashelter.org/kitten-season

JUNIOR AMBASSADOR MEMBERSHIP

Do you have a child that loves animals and wants to support the Washington Area Humane Society? This membership is a great opportunity for children to learn about proper animal care, safe handling, respect for animals, and more! As a WAHS Junior Ambassador, your child will help promote kindness, compassion, and empathy for all animals.

\$50 Membership Fee. Membership is valid for one-year from sign-up

- WAHS Junior Ambassador certificate
- Educational Content & Events
- Meet & greet with an Adoptable Animal
- Members' only Summer Picnic
- WAHS T-shirt
- First Cat Yoga Class – Free (available to children 9 years & older)
- Discounted WAHS Birthday Party
- Private Facebook Group

To join, visit: washingtonpashelter.org/childrenprograms

CORPORATE GIVING

We are excited to introduce our NEW Corporate Partner Program! This program was designed to create relationships between our mission and the businesses in our community dedicated to providing loving, forever homes to over 650 animals each year. This partnership opportunity will blend your company's advertising, marketing, and philanthropic dollars to provide year-long benefits for your company as you support Washington County's most vulnerable animals. Interested in becoming a corporate partner?

Visit: washingtonpashelter.org/corporate-giving for more information

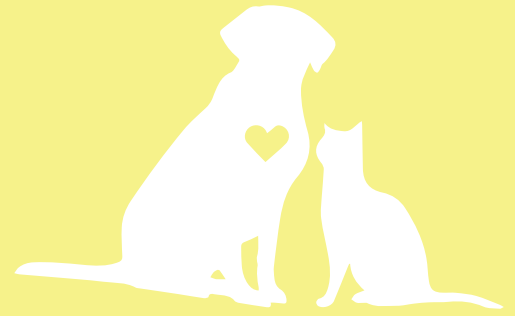




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HUMANE SOCIETY

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EIGHTY FOUR, PA 15330

MAIL TO



JOIN TODAY!



1906
SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP

COMMIT TO A YEARLY MEMBERSHIP & SAVE MORE LIVES!



This event is right up your alley! WAHS presents Strikes for Strays sponsored by Bonnie Loya & Jett and Coldwell Banker Realty on Sunday, April 30th at Meadows Lanes. Tickets include bowling, shoes, pizza, pop, and a good time led by WDVE's Val Porter! Guests will enjoy raffles, 50/50, and bowling contests.

To purchase tickets or become a sponsor, visit washingtontpashelter.org/strikes-for-strays

Catch the WAHS on these media channels!

- Observer Reporter
- Pittsburgh Post-Gazette
- Pittsburgh Today Live (PTL)
- WJPA



EXCLUSIVE BENEFITS

1906 Society members receive exclusive benefits throughout the year.



ONE-TIME GIFT

Your one-time gift secures your membership from January - December.



LIFESAVING IMPACT

By becoming a 1906 Society member, you are saving the lives of nearly 750 pets in 2023.

JOIN NOW AT

WWW.WASHINGTONPASHELTER.ORG/MEMBERSHIP