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HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

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Happy Thanksgiving everyone! I hope you enjoy a wonderful day with family and friends. In the last 7 days, we have had 76 adoptions (46 cats, 28 dogs, and 2 small animals)! A lot of this is a testament to how much work each and every employee puts in. Although we feel this way everyday, we will say it again today, the SPCA Cincinnati is grateful for YOU and all that you do!

Today we ask that you take time to celebrate, laugh, eat delicious food and most importantly, live in the moment! Life can be fleeting, so when given the opportunity, spend time with the people you love!

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Upcoming Events

December 3rd: Chow Now
Pantry Distribution at Tikkun
Farm

December 9th - Staff Holiday
Celebration - Top Golf in West
Chester - 12pm - 3pm

December 10th: Santa Paws
Event with Braxton Brewing

December 11th: New Volunteer
Orientation; 9am - 12pm

December 15th: Holiday
Barkestra 1pm - 2pm

December 17th: Chow Now
Pantry Distribution at VA
Medical Center

DAISY AWARD WINNER!



What brought you to the SPCA?

My love for animals. I enjoy getting to create a unique bond with each one before they get adopted.

If you could travel to any place, where to and why?

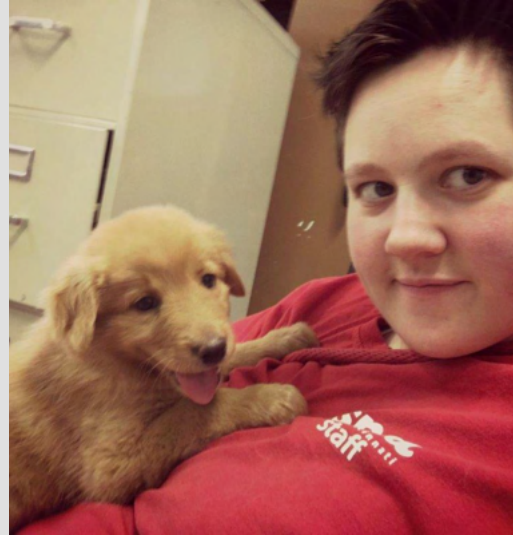
Japan again! The food was amazing and everyone was so friendly. There was fresh sushi everywhere,

If you were granted one wish that could positively change the world, what would it be?

My wish would be for everyone to have the wisdom to do what is right.



Congratulations!



This edition's recipient is the amazing Kristina Holtzclaw!

Favorite animal and why?

Dogs because they show unconditional love and loyalty.

What inspires/motivates you the most?

"These things I have spoken unto you, that in we ye might have peace. In the word ye shall have tribulation: but be good of cheer; I have overcome the world." John 16:33

Best advice?

Everyone you meet is fighting a battle you know nothing about. Be kind. Always.

HUMAN RESOURCES CORNER

Anniversaries

December 4th: Ashley Lehmann

December 16th: Jennifer Smith

December 28th: Ben Coffey

January 3rd: Erin Lawson



Birthdays

December 12th: Tracy Buckmeier

December 27th: Maria Miller

January 8th: Kristen Wilson



FOOD INSECURITY

VISIT [ANTHEMEAP.COM](https://www.anthem.com) FOR MORE INFO!

Chances are you or someone you care about has had a hard time getting enough food. Food insecurity is defined as “a lack of consistent access to enough food for every person in a household to live an active, healthy life.” It is the most reported unmet social need in the United States. It can also be temporary or last a long time. Feeding America projects that this year, over 42 million people across the nation, including more than 13 million children, may experience food insecurity.

If you, or someone that you know, is struggling with food insecurity, please visit <https://www.anthem.com/> for help and resources near you.

IN THE KNOW: RECENT EVENTS, CELEBRATIONS AND FUN TIMES!

Our FIRST Veterans Day Ceremony was a huge success! Special thanks to Denise Jones for putting together something so beautiful. Our Veterans left feeling honored, appreciated and loved! What more could we ask for?!



Thank you to all who came out to help at this year's mobile adoption unit at Sharon Woods Holiday in Lights 5k! We had a lot of fun, the dogs enjoyed all the attention, and we had one dog go to their forever home (King the Shih-Tzu).



THANKSGIVING DOG PHOTOS

In preparation for Thanksgiving, Bob Solimeno was gracious enough to take pictures of some of our adoptable dogs in adorable costumes! The following dogs have since been adopted: Mimosa, Lisa and Duke!



Pongo, Cabin and Faith are still looking for forever homes! They will be featured soon on Social Media in hopes of finding their perfect matches.

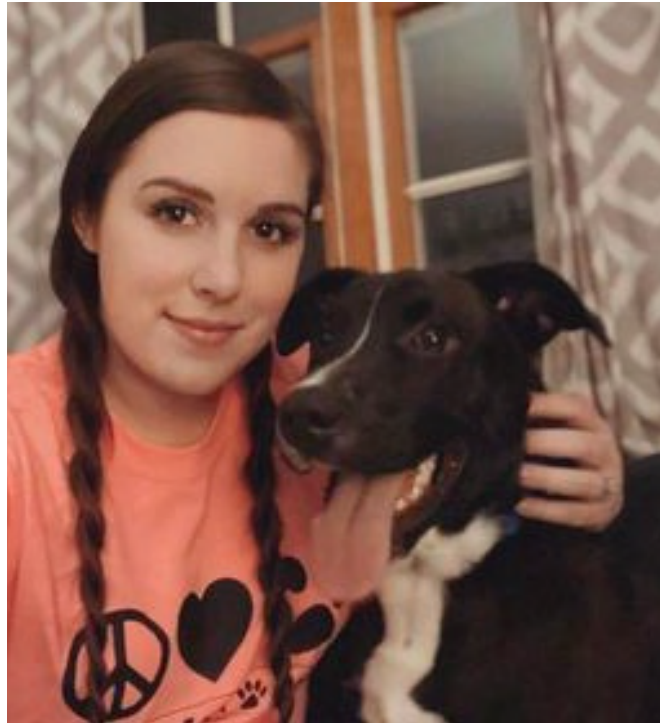


HAPPY TAILS

THE STORY OF GREEN BEAN!

Green Bean was a young dog that had a personality of GOLD! We knew he would spark a lot of interest- but we were floored at how PERFECT his adopters ended up being!

His new mom Taryn contacted us just 24 hours after he went home and wrote, "We adopted Green Bean today and he surprised us by settling in right away and becoming the biggest baby. We renamed him Diesel. He seems so much happier since bringing him home. and we are much happier as well! Our house finally feels like a **HOME!** Thank you guys for all that you do! We wouldn't have met Green Bean/Diesel without you."



THE STORY OF ROXIE!

Roxie was a Doberman Pinscher that came into our care and quickly captured many hearts. On Tuesday October 19th of 2021 she was officially adopted. She is now living her best life on Instagram (@roxiethedobermann) and is a brand ambassador for a company called "Pack Leashes!"

Roxie's mom reached out on her one-year adoptiversary and wrote: "We adore **everything** about Roxie. She gets along with everything dogs, cats, rabbits and kids! She goes everywhere with us and we can't picture our lives without her. She has a special place in our hearts and always will be. She is the BEST! Thank you SPCA Cincinnati for helping us find the perfect dog!"



ONGOING CAMPAIGNS

The public health crisis has placed a financial strain on families. One of the most critical resources for every community is access to food. We are looking to fill in the gap for pet parents who need assistance.

The **SPCA Cincinnati** will reach the community through our **Chow Now Pantry Food Truck**. Join us for to distribute food at the **Cincinnati VA Medical Center** on the following dates:

- Friday November 19th (9AM - 11AM)
- Friday December 17th (9AM - 11AM)
- Friday January 21st (9AM - 11AM)
- Friday February 18th (9AM - 11AM)



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Fur Ball 2021 is approaching quicker than we can imagine!

This year, we are desperately in need of baskets! We have over 200 Silent Auction packages and each will require at least one basket! Any shape, size and/or color that can be donated would be appreciated as the donation of baskets help to elevate costs for our annual Gala.

Basket donations can be dropped off at the front desk and/or placed outside of Trent's office door!



ONGOING CAMPAIGNS

Paw it Forward! **BY SPONSORING
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1. Visit our adoptable animals online here and select a pet you'd like to sponsor.

2. You can sponsor more than one pet or donate more to help other animals. Click here to make a donation at \$70 for a dog or \$10 for a cat to cover the adoption fees of the pet you select. Be sure to put the pet's name(s) in the "special notes" section & write: "Paw it Forward!"

3. Enjoy a free donut, courtesy of Dunkin'! A coupon will be mailed to you.

