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SHELTER NEWS

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JULY IS CAT ADOPTION MONTH!

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All cat adoption fees have been reduced to \$100 from \$160. All cats have been spayed or neutered prior to adoption and have received a basic vaccine. On the day of adoption, new owners are also required to purchase a license for their new pet at a cost of \$15 per tag.



Maverick (4610-x) DOB: January 2006 Admission Date: January 2008

WHAT WE ARE ABOUT:

The Timmins & District Humane Society is a volunteer organization and Registered Charity (Number 87246 6198 RR0001). It provides services for domesticated pets, wildlife and farm animals and their owners or care-givers in the District of Cochrane.

OSPCA Services: This includes adoptions, spay and neutering and general health care of in house animals and cruelty investigations, which is funded strictly from fundraising activities.

Animal Control: On June 28/2005 we were awarded the animal control contract for the City Of Timmins and we now oversee animal control for the City. Animal control activities include attending to stray dogs and cats and enforcing the City of Timmins animal control bylaws .

The Society is governed by a volunteer Board of Directors, and assisted committees, such as Fundraising and Adoptions. We welcome new members.

FUNDRAISING:

The Timmins and District Humane Society is a non-profit charity that relies heavily on community support, local fund raising, donations and volunteers to support its activities.

The Society receives *no funding* from the Ontario Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, as it only has the status of an affiliate branch, and no government funding.

Shelter Address:
620 Mahoney Road
Timmins, Ontario
P4N 7C3

Phone: 705-264-1816
Fax: 705-264-3870
E-mail: adoptions@ntl.sympatico.ca

REGULAR HOURS
9:30am - 5:30pm
Mon - Fri
Closed 12 to 1pm for lunch.
Adoption viewing hours are
10am - 12pm
and 1pm - 5pm

STILL SEARCHING FOR THEIR FOREVER HOME

Flash (2242-x) - Adoption Fee \$100

DOB: September 2006
Admission Date: March 2007



Flash

Flash has been a resident of the shelter for over one year! He is a gorgeous, male cat who is white with black markings. Starting a new fashion trend, and trying to live up to his name, this kitty sports a flashy half moustache, which makes him quite dashing to look at. Flash is a friendly, easy going feline who hopes a fashion conscious forever family will fall in love with him and take him home real soon.

Sabrina (2240-x) - Adoption Fee \$100

DOB: September 2006
Admission Date: March 2007 - *Currently at Pet Valu, Hollinger Court*



Sabrina

Sabrina has also been a resident of the shelter for over one year! She is a beautiful, long haired white and black female cat. Sabrina lost the tips of her ears to frostbite, but that doesn't take away from her beauty. This feline is very sweet, adoring and affectionately known as our "lover dover", because she loves to cuddle so much. Sabrina would make an easy addition to any home.

Roxy (5177-x) - Adoption Fee \$180

DOB: April 1996
Admission Date: April 2008



Roxy

Roxy is a big old girl with a big old heart. She knows that she is old but she is still hopeful that someone would be willing to take her into their hearts and home. If you're looking for an older dog, feel free to stop by to spend some time with her.

Theses animals need a forever home where they can receive all the love and attention they deserve.

WAG-A-TAIL-ATHON 2008

The 2008 Wag-A-Tail-Athon was held Sunday June 8th at Gilles Lake Park and it was a huge success again this year thanks to event organizer, Tina Wilson and the many volunteers who helped make this event so memorable. Many people turned out to take part in the activities, such as the Silent Auction, 50/50 Draw, Contests, plus much more. Pet Valu, Hollinger Court, provided a large variety of doggie treats for our canine participants to try.

The Wag-A-Tail-Athon is an annual fundraiser. Pledges are collected and the participants walk around the lake with their canine companions. The rest of the day is spent in various activities.

Thank you also to our many sponsors:

A Ray of Beauty
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D'Amours Specialty Cakes
Davidson De Laplante Insurance
Days Inn and Conference Centre
Flondra Jewellers Ltd.
Fortier Beverages Ltd.
George Stratman

Giant Tiger
Gold Corp Canada Ltd.
K-9 Beauty Clips
Kamiskotia Snow Resort
Krazy Krazy Audiotonics
Levis' Foodland
McDonald's Restaurant
Miron-Wilson Funeral Home
Nails Plus by Nicole
Panels and Pipes Inc.
Pet Valu – Hollinger Court
Pick of the Crop

Porcupine Air Tool Repair
Renee Lafleur
Shopper's Drug Mart, Algonquin Blvd.
Socks Third Avenue
Talbot Eng Surveys
Timmins Flower Shop
Timmins Police K-9 Unit Dave Wert
Tweed and Hickory
Wendy's Restaurant
Whole Body Wellness Center
William Drew Florists Ltd.
Yolande Michaud



Participating was Mandy & one of her dogs, London (adopted Nov 07)

RESCUE SERVICES:

All Animals: If you think an animal is in distress or neglected (lacks food, water or shelter, or is being abused) please call the Humane Society at 264-1816.

For Birds: If you have or find an injured pet bird and need help, please call Annie Lalande, a Volunteer Pet Bird Rescuer with Bird World of Canada. She will rescue any pet bird in the Timmins area. You can call her at (705) 264-2723, or you can send her an e-mail at lalande@ntl.sympatico.ca.

WISH LIST

WANT TO HELP?

The Society is a non-profit charity that relies heavily on community support and donations. In addition to much needed monetary donations, we are always in need of the following items:

- * clean blankets/sheets
- * dish soap
- * laundry detergent
- * bleach (5.25%)
- * paper towels
- * Industrial garbage bags

Anyone wishing to donate can stop by our shelter or leave donations at the Pet Valu in the Hollinger Court



Visit our website to view our pets available for adoption.

If you have lost your pet, check our "Recent Stray Arrivals" photos.



SPONSORS:

The Timmins Humane Society has a number of Community Partners that support its efforts through donations in kind or in cash, special discounts, volunteer hours, and even maintaining the donation banks. Watch for them in our next newsletter!

ADOPTIONS:

Every year, hundreds of thousands of dogs and cats are needlessly euthanized because of neglect, abandonment, or overpopulation. Please consider adopting a pet from your local shelter. All our pets are vaccinated and spayed or neutered as a condition of permanent placement.



The fee for the adoption of a cat/kitten is normally \$160, but the fee has been reduced for this month to \$100 for cats only. The fee for the adoption of a dog/puppy is \$180. City tags are also mandatory at \$15 .

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DONATIONS:

Timmins & District Humane Society, 620 Mahoney Road, Timmins, On P4N 7C3
REG.CHARITY Number 87246 6198 RR0001

Here is my gift of \$_____ OR I would like to begin monthly donations on the first of each month starting on: _____ in the amount of \$ _____.
Enclosed: Cheque OR Credit Card Info below.

Name: _____ Address: _____

City: _____ Prov: ___ Postal Code: _____ Tel.No. _____

CREDIT CARD AUTHORIZATION: Visa MasterCard

Credit Card No: _____ Expiry ____/____

Name on card: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____