#### **Summer 2022**

The Fallbrook Animal Sanctuary is a no-kill, non-profit, safe haven for animals, staffed entirely by volunteers.

FAS receives no government funds, relying on donations from the public.

Since 2002, FAS has saved and re-homed over 4,500 lost and abandoned pets.



Adoptions are by appointment only. Send an email to info@fallbrook animalsanctuary.org or contact us through social media.







### A Note from FAS President, Dr. John Daly

In my first newsletter as president of Fallbrook Animal Sanctuary, I want to thank Janet for her many years of service as the previous board president and as the sanctuary founder. FAS celebrated its 20th anniversary in June, a milestone of hard work, dedication and growth, and a testament to Janet's vision and commitment. Most fittingly, also in June, the sanctuary was selected as a California non-profit of the year by Representative Marie Waldron. Janet and I traveled to Sacramento to receive the award. This is an honor shared by all FAS volunteers, staff, foster families and donors, and I express my deepest gratitude to you all for making this possible. I am humbled by the dedication of the FAS family to the mission of saving as many abandoned and lost animals as possible.

We have many challenges to face. Due to problems with the supply chain, it has become difficult to obtain basic supplies, such as cat litter. Surplus food is less available from pet-food suppliers, and we are having to purchase more food and supplies than ever before. Veterinarian expenses are rising and it is becoming increasingly costly to provide medical care for the many kittens and puppies coming into the sanctuary. The current economic environment has had a negative impact on donations at a time when we need them the most. We are in difficult times, and our dog and cat community needs the help of our FAS family more than ever. Working together we can make it through this, but the need for donations has never been greater.

I would like to express my gratitude for the opportunity to serve as FAS board president and give thanks to all of the dedicated volunteers who keep the sanctuary up and running every day.



# PAW PRINTS

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"Pets are humanizing. They remind us we have an obligation and responsibility to preserve and nurture and care for all life."

James Cromwell





Puppies and kittens can be spayed/neutered as young as 8 weeks old. Don't delay.

### Advantages

- Spayed females won't experience the physical and behavioral issues associated with going into heat.
- Neutered males are generally better behaved and less likely to roam away from home.
- The risk of certain cancers is lowered and, in some cases, eliminated.
- Over 32,000 kittens can potentially be born from one unspayed female cat and her offspring in seven years. Spaying significantly reduces pet overpopulation.

## **Nonprofit of the Year Award**

What an honor! Thank you to State Assemblymember Marie Waldron for selecting the Fallbrook Animal Sanctuary as the Nonprofit of the Year for District 75. FAS President Dr. John Daly and FAS Founder Janet LuCore attended the celebratory luncheon on the capitol lawn in Sacramento with representatives from many other organizations throughout the state who are all making a difference in their communities.

The Fallbrook Animal Sanctuary is celebrating its 20th year. The FAS Board of Directors and all of the dedicated volunteers look forward to 20 more.



## **Dog-Friendly Homeowners Insurance**

Because dogs are responsible for so many personal liability claims, many home insurance companies won't cover your dog if they're categorized as a so-called dangerous breed or have a history of biting. Others might refuse to extend you coverage altogether. Here are some of the best home insurance companies for dog owners:





The Fallbrook Animal Sanctuary can only fulfill its mission with the support of our community. In addition to the many individuals who have given generously to keep the doors open, FAS would like to give special thanks to the following business sponsors for their ongoing partnerships:











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**Foster Spotlight** 

Laura Cherevchenko has been fostering cats and kittens for FAS for years. On June 12, 2021, Laura took on her biggest challenge without batting an eye. She took in Pancake, a tiny kitten who is paralyzed in his rear legs and incontinent, along with his brother Waffle so that they could stay together. A year later and Pancake is doing wonderfully, getting regular checkups at our vet and living his best life, all thanks to Laura.

Pancake is just one of many medical cases we have in foster homes. Gamma, Victoria, Daffodil, Monkey, Opal (FeLV+), Opal's kittens (FeLV+), Sammi, and Fabio, just to name a few. They are all thriving because someone offered to foster them and because of the donations made to our Winslow's Warriors Emergency Medical Fund. Without your donations we would not be able to provide the life saving medical care they need to live happy, long lives. Having an illness, disease, injury or any special needs should not be a death sentence for any animal.

Please consider making a donation to the FAS Winslow's Warriors Emergency Medical Fund so that we can continue to help animals like Pancake. If you are interested in fostering a special needs animal, please send us an email at info@fallbrookanimalsanctuary.org. You provide the love, FAS provides everything else.













We have many great volunteers at FAS and our Marcy Truman is one of them. We start our Mondays with the cheer — "It's a Marcy Monday!!!" Marcy has been with us a few years now and helps with our dogs and also helps with our Christmas Store each year. We are very grateful she shares her time and talents to benefit our rescue efforts.



The sound frequencies produced during storms can actually be painful to your dogs' ears. Also, the static electricity that accumulates in their fur due to changes in air pressure can be unpleasant. So when dogs are freaking out during storms, they're not just unsure of what's happening-they may be experiencing a painful physical reaction.







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As a non-profit, volunteer-run sanctuary, we rely entirely on donations to meet our financial needs. Your support allows us to give the best possible care to every animal that finds their way to FAS. Please consider donating to the sanctuary through one of the following means. Every dollar makes a difference.

- Click on the "Donate" button on the FAS web site home page to make a one-time or monthly recurring donation through PayPal.
- Register FAS as your charity of choice on Amazon Smile. A percentage of each qualifying purchase you make will be donated to the sanctuary.

When you shop at smile.amazon.com Amazon donates to us. amazon smile You shop. Amazon gives.

- Visit the "Wish List" page on the FAS web site to find links to specialty Amazon lists for adult dogs and cats, puppies, kittens, and general supplies. You can also place orders through our Chewy.com wish list. Online purchases can be shipped directly to the sanctuary.
- Speak with your financial adviser for more information on how to add the Fallbrook Animal Sanctuary to your estate plan. You can specify a percentage or a dollar amount that will be donated to our organization.

