



# EUCLID PET PALS NEWSLETTER

## DECEMBER, 2023

### Shelter Hours

Tuesday through Saturday  
Noon – 4:00 p.m.

We are **CLOSED**

Sunday, Monday & Holidays

### Phone Hours

216-289-2057

Tuesday-Friday

9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Saturday

11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

### Licenses

Dog - \$20.75 (1 yr. County)

Cat - \$6.00 (3 yr. City of Euclid)

### Adoption Fees

Dogs/Puppies \$80

Cats/Kittens \$70

*Includes spay/neuter*

*Worming & 1 Vaccination*

*FIV & Leukemia Test*

### E-MAIL

[Euclidpetpals@yahoo.com](mailto:Euclidpetpals@yahoo.com)

### Website

[www.euclidpetpals.net](http://www.euclidpetpals.net)

**ADULT**

**VOLUNTEERS!**  
**NEEDED!**

Happy  
Holidays

### GREETINGS FROM CHAIRMAN, FAY MILLER

As we come to the end of 2023, I'd like to thank you for all your generosity throughout the year. It has been an extremely busy and trying year and our volunteers and staff appreciate all the effort and donations our community has provided. Wonderful things can happen when you rescue an animal.

Meet Denali who was discovered and rescued by police 11/11/23 and brought to the shelter. He was emaciated, had severe Demodex Mange and dehydration so he was in dire need of immediate attention. Weighing only 29 lbs., Denali, estimated to be 5 years old, was hospitalized for intensive treatments at Metropolitan Animal Hospital. Despite his poor condition, his response to IV treatments, medicated baths and medication was surprisingly positive. Discharged 4 days later, Denali transitioned to a nurturing foster home, where his inspiring recovery journey is unfolding.

His story went viral, evoking both sorrow and joy among thousands. Denali's resilience aptly reflected his name and captured hearts. Despite the initial heart-wrenching sight of his suffering, Denali's progress has brought tears of happiness. The fighter in him emerged and everyday it shows. He is gaining weight and strength and improved skin condition. Although his recovery will be gradual, Denali is surrounded by love and support and will never experience pain, hunger, cold or neglect again. Please check his Facebook page "Denali's Journey".



The outpouring of donations, prayers, thoughts and shared stories is deeply appreciated. Your collective support ensures that Denali, and all the other forgotten animals we take care of each day, will have newfound strength and happiness, will overcome their situations and stand tall, wagging their tails in gratitude. We will tell the story of another "wonder dog" in our next newsletter so keep reading.

Please consider becoming a Euclid Pet Pals member or renewing your membership for 2024. The membership dues are used to pay for the spaying or neutering the animals, providing medical care and purchasing supplies. When an animal is adopted, all fees go to the city, so we count on our membership and contributions to meet our expenses. You can help out by sending in the membership form found with this newsletter.

From all of us at the shelter we thank you for your continued support and wish you a very Happy New Year!

## SPECIAL DONATIONS

We have four special funds described below. If you want to support a specific fund, please note it on your check.

### MILLIE'S FUND

Pay for medical/surgical expenses above & beyond usual needs, as in emergencies & complicated medical procedures.

### FRED'S FUND

Pays for testing for feline leukemia and FIV for every cat before it is adopted.

### BENTLEY TRAXX HAPPY HEARTS FUND

Pays for heartworm testing.

### FIND US ON FACEBOOK

Euclid Pet Pals has its own page. Our page is the best place to see the latest animals up for adoption. Volunteer Kyrie Brickman does an excellent job of posting videos of the animals and information about upcoming events. You do not have to be a Facebook member to view our page. Just enter [facebook.com/euclidpetpals](https://www.facebook.com/euclidpetpals) in your browser.



## NEED ADULT VOLUNTEERS

There are many kinds of jobs to do and we need adults who can help clean dog kennels or cat rooms in the mornings. We also need adults from Noon to 4p.m. who can greet visitors and escort them to see the cats and dogs available for adoption. Consider volunteering with an evening crew who come in to make sure every pet has food, water and a clean environment. Volunteer applications are available at the shelter or download it from our website [www.euclidpetpals.net](http://www.euclidpetpals.net).

## Our Purpose

The purpose of this citizen advisory commission is to develop and plan programs and to enhance the Euclid Animal Shelter by our efforts in pursuing grants and coordinating fundraising activities.

## Our Mission

The mission is to protect and foster an environment that will give respect and compassion to all animals under the care of the Euclid Animal Shelter. This can be achieved through educational programs and sound leadership. Euclid Pet Pals is a volunteer organization committed to keeping the shelter open by raising funds and recruiting dedicated, reliable volunteers.

### PET PALS 2023 BOARD

Fay Miller, Chairman	Secretary, Pat Barnes
Patti Burlingham, Treasurer	Chuck Ventura
Sandy Payne, Cage Sponsorships	Helen Vladic
Web Site/Photos	Adrienne Yarborough
Facebook	Kyrie Brickman
Newsletter	Gerri Sadar
Adopt-A-Thons	Ann Marie Bell

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### PLEASE SUPPORT OUR BUSINESS MEMBERS

You can link to their sites from ours.

**Richmand Animal Clinic**  
Scott Pawling, DVM  
26909 Chardon Road  
Richmond Hts., OH 44143  
440-585-3600

**Lakeland Animal Clinic**  
Bogdan Klinkosz, DVM  
20690 Lakeland Blvd.  
Euclid, OH 44119  
216-289-5600

**Beachland Animal Hospital**  
Susan Gulzeth, DVM  
635 East 200 Street  
Euclid, OH 44119  
216-531-4711

**Corrigan Deighton Funeral Home**  
21900 Euclid Avenue  
Euclid, OH 44117  
216-481-5277  
[www.corrigan-deighton.com](http://www.corrigan-deighton.com)

**Daugherty Construction**  
22460 Lakeland Blvd.  
Euclid, OH 44132

**Salon Luxe, Inc.**  
37812 Vine Street  
Willoughby, OH 44094  
440-951-4247

**Power Alarm Security**  
25086 Lakeland Blvd.  
Euclid, OH 44132  
216-289-5600

**Parkwood Inc. Draperiesbyspringcrest.com**  
758 East 222 Street  
Euclid, OH 44123  
216-261-8003

**Trade Winds Lounge**  
319 East 200<sup>th</sup> Street  
Cleveland, OH 44119  
216-481-8228

**Brickman Bros. Funeral Home**  
37433 Euclid Avenue  
Willoughby, OH 44094  
440-951-7800

**Keener Printing**  
401 East 200 Street  
Euclid, OH 44119  
216-531-7595

## OUR WISH LIST

Adult Volunteers  
Liquid Laundry Detergent & Bleach  
Fabric Softener Sheets  
Garbage Bags, 13 & 33 gal.  
Paper Towels  
Dawn Dish Soap  
Clorox Clean-Up  
Liquid Hand Soap  
Hand Sanitizer  
Tissues  
Washable, Non-Skid Rugs  
Animal Beds  
Disposable Pee Pads  
Washable Cat/Dog Toys  
Cat & Dog Food & Treats  
Cat Litter (non-clumping)  
#10 Envelopes  
Cat & Dog Collars  
1" Slip Leashes  
IAMS Kitten Chow  
KMR (Kitten Milk Replacer)  
Office Supplies

Donated items may be dropped off during business hours. **We also recycle:**  
**Aluminum Cans**  
(Drop off at the entrance to shelter.)

**Paper (not cardboard)**  
(Deposit in the green & yellow bins just east of the parking lot.)

**We also appreciate gift cards from Pet Supplies Plus, PetSmart, Target, Walmart, places that sell animal supplies.**

**We no longer recycle Printer Cartridges.**

We appreciate all anonymous and misc. donations made in support of our mission.

Thank you

**THANKS TO OUR GENEROUS DONORS WHO HELP US PROVIDE FOOD, VETERINARY CARE, MEDICINES, TREATS AND OTHER COMFORTS TO THE ANIMALS IN OUR CARE.**

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## DONATIONS JUNE, 2023

Joel Baron  
William Bloor  
June Brougher  
Christa Just  
Joshua Marsh  
Joanne Miller  
Ryan Roach  
Michael Roussel

Laura Rowan  
Trina Smith  
Denise Ventura  
Jim Wojtila  
Vashon Williams  
Martin Zingales  
Pay Pal Giving Fund

## DOG KENNEL SPONSOR

M. Yasenchack/V. Manno (Renewal)

## TRIBUTES/MEMORIALS

1. To Bentley Traxx Heartworm testing fund for Diane's dog, Watson, from Gloria Skripko
2. In Thanksgiving to Church of Epiphany volunteers from Joseph Butler
3. In Memory of David Sheehan, longtime member from Euclid Citizens Police Academy
4. In Memory of Mickey, bird of Kathy & Andrew Polensek from Victorino Manno
5. In Honor of Prasad's Birthday from Fran Fitzsimmons
6. In Honor of Susan Janney's special birthday from Toni Sambula
7. In Memory of Sharon Jensen's cat from Richard & Jeanne Ferrel
8. In Memory of Ken Bollan from David & Diane Fawcett, Colleen Durkin, Denise Deserio. From Michele Vojtush, Michael & Missy Fimiani, Jan Delaney, Pete & Mia Pietrangelo, Ray & Mary Buzanski, Maribeth Joeright.
9. For "Winnie", dog that needed ear surgery, from Tracy Ball, Alexandra Morgan, Ija Atanaskovic, Hannah Knesebeck,. From Beth Madorsky, Cindy Kriynovich, Susan Valentino, William Hogan, Susan Calhoun Ganaway, Sheila Maio, June Brougher, Josh Marsh, and all those who donated through Network for Good (Facebook).



Happy Holidays

*Dogs are not our whole life, but they make our lives whole.*

*- Roger Caras*

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**DONATIONS JULY, 2023**

William Bloor  
 Joshua Marsh  
 Ryan Roach  
 Trina Smith  
 Delta Sigma Phi Foundation  
 5<sup>th</sup> Floor and ICU of Euclid Hospital collected items from our  
 Wishlist  
 Network for Good (Facebook donations)  
 Pay Pal Giving Fund  
 Yard on 3<sup>rd</sup> (fundraiser event)

**DOG KENNEL SPONSOR**

Tom & Eileen Fallon (Renewal)

**CAT CAGE SPONSOR**

Patti Burlingham

**TRIBUTES/MEMORIALS**

**To Bentley Traxx Heartworm Testing Fund**

1. In Honor of Fay Miller's 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday from Jean & Don Canestraro
2. For their kitten from Angelina DePalma
3. For Laura Rowan from Karen Knaus & Joann Amato
4. In Honor of Christine Gibbons from Pat Monroe
5. For the dog needing surgery, Tripod Charley, From all the Facebook donations (marked anonymous), Patti Becker, June Brougher, Penny Bilinski, Mary Daugert, Joel & Jill Kerrett, Joshua Marsh, Maria Faraci

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**DONATIONS AUGUST, 2023**

Patti Becker	Joshua Marsh
Carmen Becker	Ryan Roach
William Bloor	Trina Smith
Timothy Bowman	Helen Vladic
Kim Cerullo	Denise Ventura
Jodie DiFranco	Martin Zingales
Cynthia Gamiere	
Chardon Hills Stem School	
Cleveland Institute of Art	
Lincoln Electric Foundation	
LaVera Express Catering	
Pay Pal Giving Fund	
Network for Good (Facebook)	

**DOG KENNEL SPONSOR**

Dave & Adrienne Yarborough (Renewal)  
 Chuck & Sue Ventura (Renewal)  
 Fay Miller (Renewal)

**TRIBUTES/MEMORIALS**

**To Bentley Traxx Heartworm Testing Fund**

1. In Memory of Katey & Lisa's dog, Liam, from Stacy & Chris Haddon
2. Thank You for what you do for our animal friends from Vince Adamis
3. In Memory of her dog, Tessie, from Judy Duleba
4. For dogs needing surgery, Charley & Butch, from all the Facebook donations (marked anonymous). From Dorothy Keough, Karen Thorne, Karen Aiken, Rachel Cirino, Mary Dindia, Meaghan Beech, Kristen Coyne, Jennifer Brancae, Paterniti Heating, Angela Ferrito, June Brougher, Susan Katakos, Donna Luksich, Jamie Clark & Mid-West Forge Corp.

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**DONATIONS SEPTEMBER, 2023**

Dan & Carolyn Beears	L. Maso
William Bloor	Joshua Marsh
Carmen & Bob DiSanto	Ryan Boach
Nancy Glinski	Jackie Smith
Karin Grinsead	Denise Ventura
David Hudak (supplies)	David Williams
Beatrice Kaufman	Martin Zingales
Network for Good (Facebook)	Pledging Foundation
Pay Pal Giving Fund	

**DOG KENNEL SPONSOR**

Sandy Payne (Renew)

**CAT CAGE SPONSOR**

Adrienne Paonsha (Renew)

**TRIBUTES/MEMORIALS**

**To Bentley Traxx Heartworm Testing Fund**

1. In Memory of James Grinstead from Sandy Payne
2. In Memory of her dog, Barney, from Betty Rossmann
3. In Memory of Mark Chapman from Debbie & Julian Lewis
4. In Memory of Debbie Kraft, dear friend of Helen Vladic, from Sue & Chuck Ventura
5. In Memory of Meso, teacup Yorkie of the Mills Family, from Sue & Chuck Ventura
6. In Memory of cat, Gucci, from Cindy Gamiere
7. In Memory of Frank Poremba from the Highsmith's, Lashunda Washington, Mr & Mrs. Owens, Sandra Sakenes, Jan Mannariino, Diane Skalsky, Rene Merriweather
8. For Butch, dog needing jaw surgery, from Patti Becker, Josette Faras, Karin McKenna, Noelle Ivaskovic, Molly Dindia, K. Kaiser, Beth Madorsky, Ricco Lett, Theresa Parey, Jeanne & Richard Ferrel, Jean Krupa, Joanna Miller, Beatgrice Kaufman, Jeanne Howard, Jan Mannarino, Sheila Maioj, June Brougher, Kelly Sharaba, Corrigan Deighton Funeral Home

## DONATIONS OCTOBER, 2023

Gloria Aspinwall  
Bree Happy Designs  
William Bloor  
Denise Eustace  
Mary Cervello  
Linda Koeth  
Joshua Marsh  
Patricia May  
Church of the Epiphany/Animal Blessing  
Key Bank Foundation (Match gift)  
Network for Good (Facebook)  
Pay Pal Giving Fund  
National Financial Services

William & Reilly Mohner  
Allison Powell  
Ryan Roach  
Barbara Savage  
Jewel Sray  
Denise Ventura  
Martin Zingales

### DOG KENNEL SPONSOR

Victorina Manno (Renewal)

### TRIBUTES/MEMORIALS

#### To Bentley Traxx Heartworm Testing Fund

1. In Honor of Ciane Maver from Kay Gilbert
2. Thanks to Fran Fitzsimons for the new Kuranda dog beds
3. In Memory of my cat, Bonnie, adopted from EAS from Betty Mabel
4. In Memory of my grandmother, Marie Christopher, from Allison Powell
5. In Memory of my son, Wuanyae Dozier, from Breanne Dozier
6. In Honor of cat, Chad, from Christine Cirino
7. In Memory of dog, Rex, owned by Will Anderson from Chris Haddock
8. In Honor of Karen Knaus, dedicated dog foster from Laura Rowan
9. In Memory of cat, Fonzie Boy, from Caroline Warner
10. In Memory of Hans from Larry & Nancy Parella
11. In Memory of dog, Prince, from Janene & Ken Yokayama
12. Thank you for this important work from Preeti Pachaury
13. In Memory of Lillian Frechette from Jim Lawson & Laura Strator, Al Linder, Sally & Jay Kaufman, Terri Mervo & Hovencamp Family, Donald & Pat Humphrey, Greg Sulak, Kent State University Foundation, Vic & Sue Hilair, Dr. Gerald & Connie Herman
14. In Memory of Frank Poremba from Pam Popik, Theresa & John Major, Patty Fuerst, Bill & Carol Halloren, Sharon Hoppert, Marge Tarach, Nancy Vuchinich, Michelle Dupay, Chris & Hans Gwinn

## 4 WAYS TO PROTECT PETS IN WINTER

### 1. **Keep Pets Sheltered**

Keep your pets inside. Under no circumstances should pet cats or dogs be left outdoors when the temperature drops. Dogs are happiest when taken out frequently for walks and exercise, but kept inside the rest of the time. Don't leave pets outdoors when the temperature drops.

### 2. **Bundle Up, Wipe Down**

No matter when the temperature is, windchill can threaten a pet's life. Exposed skin on noses, ears and paw pads are at risk for frostbite and hypothermia during extreme cold snaps. For this reason, short-haired dogs often feel more comfortable wearing a sweater—even during short walks.

Rock salt and other chemicals used to melt snow and ice can irritate the pads of your pet's feet. Wipe all paws with a damp towel before your pet licks them and irritates their mouth. If your dog ingests rock salt, call a veterinarian immediately.

### 3. **Remove Common Poisons**

Antifreeze is a deadly poison. Wipe up any antifreeze spills immediately and keep it, like all household chemicals, out of reach. Coolants and antifreeze made with **propylene glycol** are less toxic to pets, wildlife and family.

### 4. **Protect Outdoor Animals**

If there are outdoor cats, either owned pets or community cats in your area, they need protection from the elements as well as food and water. It's easy to give them a hand. You can make a cat shelter quickly and easily with a plastic tub.

Cars are one of many hazards to small animals—warm engines in parked cars attract cats and wildlife, who may crawl up under the hood. To avoid injuring any hidden animals, bang on your car's hood to scare them away before starting your engine.





2024 Membership Form

Embrace the holiday spirit by gifting a Euclid Pet Pals membership to a loved one or joining for yourself. Your membership not only supports essential programs at the Euclid Animal Shelter but also offers a unique opportunity for a cage sponsorship. A cage sponsorship earns you a personalized plaque on a cat or dog kennel, leaving a lasting mark of compassion. Experience the joy of giving this season and stay connected through our festive newsletter three times a year. Explore events and find lovable animals ready for adoption at [www.euclidpetpals.net](http://www.euclidpetpals.net).

Please complete the form below and return it, along with your check, made payable to Euclid Pet Pals, to Patti Burlingham, Treasurer, 25100 Lakeland Blvd., Euclid, OH 44132.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
EMAIL Address \_\_\_\_\_

2024 Membership Dues: \_\_\_ Renewal \_\_\_ New Member \$ 20.00

Additional Donation: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Tribute or Memorial Donation \$ \_\_\_\_\_

( ) In memory of / ( ) In honor of (select one): \_\_\_\_\_ (name)

\_\_\_ Cat \_\_\_ Dog \_\_\_ Human \_\_\_ Other

Please send notification of this gift to: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Cage Sponsorship \$200.00/year \_\_\_ Dog Kennel \_\_\_ Cat Cage

NEW \_\_\_\_\_ RENEWAL \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor's name to appear on plaque \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ in honor of \_\_\_ in memory of (check one) \_\_\_\_\_ (name)

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Check Number \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you. We appreciate your support!

Present your membership card at our June car wash fundraiser and receive a FREE car wash.