



Danville - Boyle County Humane Society

In partnership with Boyle County Animal Control

# ANNUAL REPORT

## Change & Growth in 2020-2021



Reduction in  
LENGTH OF STAY



Spay/Neuter  
Efforts



Reduction in  
EUTHANASIA



## PROVIDING SAFETY NETS FOR PETS IN NEED

RESEARCH REVEALS THE IMMENSE STRESS PETS EXPERIENCE IN THE NOVEL ENVIRONMENT OF A KENNEL SETTING. SERVING SAFE AND HEALTHY PETS WHERE THEY ARE RESERVES THE SHELTER FOR VICTIMS OF CRUELTY, NEGLECT, ABANDONMENT, OR THOSE WITH NO OTHER ALTERNATIVE.

### PROGRAMS THAT SERVE PETS AND THEIR PEOPLE, INSIDE AND OUT OF SHELTER WALLS



**MUTTS WITH MANNERS**  
Inmate training program for dogs in need of further training.



**HAPPY PAWS SPAY/NEUTER CLINIC**  
Providing low cost surgeries to low income pet owners



**PET FOOD PANTRY**  
Feeding pets in need



**30% RETURNED TO HOME**  
Reuniting dogs with their people



**DOGS PLAYING FOR LIFE**  
In-shelter dog enrichment.



# 1498 Pets positively impacted





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BEST PRACTICES

We've embraced policies and procedures recommended by leading animal welfare organizations and animal care experts. This ensures we are caring for each animal in a species-specific manner and increasing our live outcomes.

Healthy outdoor cats are no longer impounded, instead they are spayed/neutered, vaccinated and returned; reducing shelter crowding, illness, and euthanasia. It stabilizes the local cat population, reduces spread of disease, and reduces nuisance complaints.



COMMUNITY CAT PROGRAM



HAPPY PAWS  
SPAY/NEUTER CLINIC

Our volunteer-driven clinic strives to curb pet over-population by making spay/neuter surgery affordable for low-income pet owners. They altered 665 cats and 299 dogs, for a total of 16,700 surgeries since 2007. Funded through donations, grants, and clinic co-pays.

A unique, direct-to-adopter program for pet owners looking to re-home their animals. With our help pets can find a loving new home without ever stepping a paw inside the shelter. In the first 5 months of the program 60 pets were successfully rehomed.



HOME TO HOME



PET FOOD PANTRY

An ASPCA study says that 8 out of 10 owner surrenders are due to a short-term lack of resources. In the last year, DBCHS supplied thousands of pounds of food to pet owners to help keep people and their pets together.

25 adult dogs found homes through our Mutts with Manners prison training program at North Point Training Center. This all-volunteer run program enables some of our more difficult-to-place dogs to have a paw up on getting a great home.



MUTTS WITH MANNERS



DOGS PLAYING FOR LIFE

Every dog, every day is exercised and enriched. Through carefully organized playgroups we maximize enrichment, socialization, and training; seeing immediate benefits. This reduces stress in a kennel environment and increases adoption success.

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The Danville-Boyle County Humane Society promotes the humane treatment of animals through compassionate care, engagement, and support.