



Planned Pethood, Inc ***E-Newsletter***

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Easy Money

We need someone trustworthy to collect the money out of our donation jars scattered around the area. If you follow the same route and stopping grounds, we could redistribute some of the jars. Money needs to be collected regularly and contact made with the stores to ensure they keep the jars out in front and appreciate all the hard work PPI does. Contact Nikki Morey at morehart@bex.net or 419-243-9787

Pet First Aid Class

Planned Pethood board member, Dr. Kittsen McCumber, DVM is offering a Pet First Aid Class to anyone and all. Dr. McCumber is with the Emergency Animal Clinic, offering care during times of crisis. Emergencies and basic first aid will be covered during this class. As time allows, Dr. McCumber will take your questions about our pets.

Thursday, October 15th
6:30 – 8:30pm

Participants need to sign up in advance so we may purchase the companion handbooks to go with the class. These handbooks are a valuable resource to turn to when you have questions or concerns about your pet's health. It also offers at-home techniques you can use to help your pet and enrich its life. Please indicate if you need a handbook for a cat, dog or both. The cost is \$22 per book. Books will be provided to you at the time of the class. Orders and payment must be received by October 7th. Read a review of the last class by clicking [here](#). Purchases may be made through our website via PayPal by clicking [here](#).

Kroger Cares – Community Rewards Program

There have been plenty of people asking when PPI is going to get involved in the Kroger Cares Program. Our information had been sent in and we patiently waited to be allowed to join the other non-profits benefiting. When we still hadn't heard back from them, Nikki Morey called. They say our proof of being a 501c3 wasn't official enough since our address had changed.

Our application has been RESUBMITTED with our IRS 990 which has the new address on it.

Hope you can hang in there while this gets straightened out.

A Great Program GOT A Great Name

Urban Cat Drive! Thank you Nancy Fisher for putting on your thinking cap.

Website Help Needed

We need someone to help with some of the website updates. You don't need a lot of computer experience. Our software is super easy to use!

What we need is someone able to help with some of the "slower" pages, those that only need changed occasionally. That would free up more time for our volunteers to take on the bigger projects, like the complete change of photos on the site coming soon!

For more information, email us at pets@plannedpethood.org

Vote Daily To Win Planned Pethood \$100,000

This past spring, millions of votes were cast in the second The Animal Rescue Site \$100,000 Shelter+ Challenge -- together with Petfinder.com. Over 70 animal shelters in the U.S. received grants to help them better look after the pets in their care.

NOW and each day through December 20th, you can [cast your vote](#) for your favorite participating Petfinder.com shelter or rescue group. You could help that shelter win one of three big prizes, which include a \$3,000 grant for third place; \$5,000 grant for second place; and a \$20,000 Grand Prize grant.

In addition to those grants, we're offering a pair of \$2,000 judged prizes for the most touching story and photo from a shelter. We know there are plenty of heartwarming tales of rescued animals out there, so if you work at a participating Petfinder.com rescue organization, visit our [story page](#) to share your favorite story and photo today!

The prizes don't end there. There will be weekly \$1,000 grants given, plus \$1,000 prizes given to top vote-getters in each of the 50 states, and Washington D.C., the top two organizations in Canada and one pet shelter or organization located outside North America. Every vote counts so don't hesitate: [Start today!](#) Get the word out and send our [\\$100,000 Shelter+ Challenge e-card](#) to up to 20 of your friends and family members at a time. [Spread the word](#), [cast your vote](#) and help animals in need today!

ed@plannedpethood.org

Who's Ed and why is he emailing me? It's not Edward emailing you. It's E.D. as in Executive Director. Look for more emails to come from that address.

Exclusive Vacation Benefits PPI

Volunteer, Karen Ardner, has a wonderful offer for you. She is offering to anyone interested in vacationing before 12.31.09 a chance to stay at an exclusive Mexican resort for only \$1000.00. Karen just came back from staying there and raved about the resort and the great time she had.

Your accommodations include 2 bed, 2 bath, full kitchen and dining. Sleeps 10 people easily. **The best part is your very own swimming pool off your private deck.**

There is a larger pool exclusive to only those staying at this resort. Shopping and other fabulous amenities abound.

Your purchase of the vacation will result in that money being directly donated back to Planned Pethood. While you are soaking up the sunshine- the animals benefit as well. It's a win-win

Call Karen Ardner for details and to book your trip today. Karen can be reached at 419-841-9538

Are you reading our Blog?

It's usually pretty funny. Always worth the time. We have several people contributing to the blog. Check us out here: <http://www.plannedpethood.blogspot.com/>

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PLANNED PETHOOD
RESCUE DOG REUNION



SUNDAY OCT 11, 2009
POCO'S PLAYHOUSE

Blog Submissions Welcome!

If you're a blogger or just have something to say, we'd love to add it to our blog here! Tell us about your rescue dog or cat, your experiences with rescue, even something rescue related you have an opinion on! You don't have to have a blogger account. We can repost it for you (with you credited, of course.) Email us at pets@plannedpethood.org

What's The Difference Between The Fan Club Card & Pay It Forward Card?



Planned Pethood is offering it our supporters, two opportunities to save money in their daily shopping and household buying needs. One is the Fan Club Card. The other is the Pay It Forward Card.

How they are the same

- Both cards offer discounts to those using the cards at participating vendors.
- Both have an extensive list of business, all local, participating in the program.
- Both have all the businesses listed on their websites.

How they are different

- PPI gets 100% of the Fan Club Card profit. Hence, our money comes up front.
- PPI can sell or give away the Pay It Forward Card. PPI have elected to give away the first 50 cards for our loyal volunteers.
- When shopping with the Fan Club Card, where you shop makes no difference as to how much money PPI gets.
- When shopping with the Pay It Forward Card, vendors have elected what non-profits and how much money will go to the non-profit. As the consumer, you can decide where you shop based on the amount the vendor donates and where it's going to.

Buy Yours By Clicking On These Links

[Fan Club Card](#)

[Pay It Forward](#)



Our Goal

To sell 500 cards by October 9th!!!!!!If we sell 500 cards that's well over \$5000 going directly to Planned Pethood.

FOOD DRIVE [and kitty litter too!]

The cupboards
are bare.
The bank account
is low.
The animals
are hungry.



**We
need
your
help!**

We are in desperate need of food and litter. We need your help.

If you bring a 20 pound bag of food or a 20 pound bag of Clay litter your name will be entered into a drawing to win a gorgeous gift basket. This basket is stuffed with goodies you and your best friend will love and is valued at \$60. For every bag you bring, your name will be entered that many times.

Don't want to drag bags to our events? Cash is gladly accepted as well and will get you entered in the drawing.

Come see the gift basket and make your donation at the Adopt-A-Thon at the Sylvania Vet Hospital on 9.27.09.

Weekly Cat Spread Sheet

We need a volunteer to communicate with Cat Intake Coordinator to assist in maintaining a list of all cats within adoption program. Spread sheet has already been set up. Only need a volunteer to maintain the list, keep it accurate and email it once a week to various PPI members.

Holiday Greetings

You may purchase 25 Planned Pethood Holiday Greeting cards for \$8 on our website, via PayPal.

The cards are blank inside for your personal message.

You are showing your support of Planned Pethood by purchasing the holiday cards. And by promoting an organization that is important to you to your friends and family, our message reaches a wider audience.

Click [here](#) to make your purchase today.



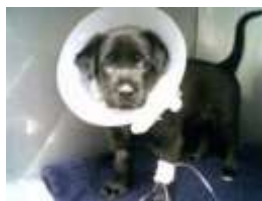
3 Legged Lola

Lola is a 16 week old female kitten. She is black with a white triangular spot on her chest and a white strip on her belly. This sweet kitten had a difficult beginning to life though. Lola was born with a deformed hind leg. It was so badly deformed that it was

that it was necessary for it to be amputated. She gets around very well; in fact, better than with the leg on. It was so crooked that it actually got in her way.

Now Lola is recovering from major surgery and is looking for a permanent home. She has been spayed and is up-to-date on her shots. She is litter-trained and has great indoor manners. Lola is exceptionally friendly and loves to be around people. She likes other cats, but is ok alone. Lola is also DOG FRIENDLY !! She is a wonderful kitten and would make a great addition to a family.

She is a LOVER!!! Super sweet that people notice her personality right away. Lola gets around just fine, it doesn't slow her down. This sweetie is looking for her forever home!



Parvo + Flop

We agree to take litters, fix and vet them all and find them good homes, as well as fix the mama dog and other pets in the household, and still people hand them out to whoever comes along. Out of 7 pups, we saved only 2 in time.

Shortly after, Flop came down with parvovirus, a very serious illness that will kill puppies without treatment. He is at our vet's now but he is a very sick puppy. Treating parvo is expensive but usually successful, Won't you help us continue to treat Flop?