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#### **Mission Statement:**

To reduce the overpopulation and suffering of dogs and cats through education and low-cost spay/neuter programs and to rescue, vet and place adoptable dogs and cats into good permanent homes.

### **Amazon Smile**

AmazonSmile is a simple and automatic way for you to

supportPlanned Pethoodev ery time you shop, at no cost to you. When you shop atsmile.amazon.com,



### Double Your Donation!

Please mark your calendar and plan to make a donation

PPI saved this teeny, tiny kitten (and many others like her) from death by getting her off the streets, bottle feeding her and then finding her a forever home.

toPlanned Pethood on #GivingTuesday. The day after Thanksgiving is known as Black Friday. The following Monday is known as Cyber Monday. #GivingTuesday is a day when people across the globe make donations to their favorite charity.

Last year we had a matching grant from the Toledo Community Foundation. We are somewhat doubtful this will be offered to Planned Pethood again. Since we are unsure of that offer this year, PlannedPethood has independently secured an anonymous matching grant for \$5,000 if you make your donation toPlanned Pethood on #GivingTuesday, **Tuesday**, **December 1**, **2015**.

All donations must be made on our <u>website</u> by midnight or as a check dated 12.1.15. Would you like your donation to count as twice as much? Our goal is to make \$10,000 in one day. Together, we can make this a reality by please doing the following:

- 1. Make your donation on #GivingTuesday, December 1, 2015
- 2. Ask your friends and family to help spread the

you'll find the exact same low prices, vast selection and convenient shopping experience as Amazon.com, with the added bonus that Amazon will donate a portion of the purchase price to your PPI.

# You & United Way Can Save Lives

As you are filling out your commitment for your annual United Way pledge, please consider marking PlannedPethood a s the charity you wish your donations to be given. You can designate your company's United Way contribution go to PlannedPethood by writing our name on the third section of your pledge form.

# Earn Money through Wooftrax

Sometimes donating easier (and more fun) than you think!

Don't just take your dog for a walk... Take your Walk for a Dog! Go to WoofTrax.com, download the app, and supportPlanned Pethoodev ery time you walk your dog or any other dogs.

It's that simple!

word on the good work PPI is doing and the desperate help we need

3. Remember all the success stories we have shared throughout the year and the lives we all have saved together.

Make your donation **HERE**! Make sure to wait until 12.1.15 to make your money count.

#### **Check Your Mail Box**

Keep your eyes peeled for our annual Holiday Appeal coming to your mailbox soon. Funds raised with the holiday appeal are how we see our way through months thorugh the lean months. Donations made during #GivingTuesday and through the holiday appeal will be posted on our website as a Virtual Adoption. You can share your donation with friends or make it a tribute to those in your thoughts.

### **Craft for PPI - or- Shop Our Craft Show**

Please Donate Your Crafts! Anyone can donate homemade crafts. Here are some of the items that have been donated so far: doggie treats, human treats (must be labeled with ingredients), homemade bath salts, greeting cards, picture frames, Christmas wreaths, dog collars and leashes, dog and cat beds, and catnip cat toys. You can drop them off at dog adoption events. Or leave a message at 419.826.FIXX and the volunteer in charge will get in touch with you.

#### You Can Shop For PPI Crafts!

WHERE: Sylvania Moose Lodge 6072 Main St.

Sylvania.

WHEN: Saturday, December 12, 2015

TIME: 10am-3pm



### 2015 Holiday Photos at Toledo Country Club

Looking for a family photo to share over the holidays? Select from one of our decorated photo settings for your Holiday greetings or to chronicle another year.

Bring the pets. You, the kids (two legged and four legged) and the rest of the family can be photographed in our of the elegant settings at the Toledo Country Club.

**COST:** \$25 for your first grouping. \$5 for each new grouping thereafter. For instance: Mom, Dad the kids, Spot and Fluffy is grouping one for \$25. Then one of just the kids for \$5. Then one with the kids, Spot and Fluffy for \$5. So on and so forth.

WHERE: Toledo Country Club - 3949 River Rd, Toledo. OH 43614

**WHEN:** Saturday,12-5-15 from 10am to 2pm in the Living Room

Sunday, 12-13-15 from 10am to 2pm in the Fireside Room

**HOW DO YOU GET YOUR PHOTOS:** Your photos will be placed on a Flicker account online for you to print off the photos you like and however many you want from the comfort of your own home. **OR** you can bring your own memory card and take them home with you.

By appointment only. You can make yours today by clicking **HERE**.



#### **Clothes Donation Drive**

November - December - January

We will be paid by the pound for goods collected. Items we take include clothing, shoes, accessories, linens, bath items, toys and small household items. Sorry, no books or furniture.

#### TWO DROP OFF LOCATIONS

### Saint Petri Lutheran Church - 3120 S. Byrne Rd 43614

- Sunday, 11.22.15 : 2-4pm
- Thursday, 12.3.15 : 4:30- 6:30pm
- Sunday, 12.6.15 : 2-4pm
- Thursday, 12.10.15 : 4:30- 6:30pm
- Thursday, 1.14.16: 4:30-6:30pm
- Sunday, 11.17.16 : 2-4pm
- Thursday, 1.28.16 : 4:30- 6:30pm
- Sunday, 1.31.16 : 2-4pm

## **First Federal Bank** - 11077 Louisiana Ave Perrysburg 43551

- Bring your donations inside
- Any time during regular business hours
- November 2015, December 2015 and January 2016



# Molly & Diane

In April of 2014, Molly, a shih tzu, was surrendered

toPlanned Pethood. Molly had been surrendered because her owner, a single woman, had passed away. Molly had been with her adoptive mom since she was a puppy, and was nearly 7 years old. It was obvious that Molly was well-loved and had received excellent care. The stress of losing her mom had taken a toll on Molly, and she arrived at her foster home with an emptiness in her eyes and she was extremely frightened. She hid from her foster family at first, but her sweet, loving personality emerged slowly.

Meanwhile, an application arrived in Planned Pethood's inbox. The applicant, Diana, who had recently lost her beloved dog. Diana adored her dog and was still grieving. Although she could not replace her dog, she hoped to find a new one to love. There was one obstacle; Diana is allergic to most dogs.

Nevertheless, Planned Pethood's matchmaker set out to find a dog that matched Diana's criteria. She was looking for a non-shedding or low-shedding dog between the ages of 5-7. Because Diana's retired parents always provided doggie day care for her dog, she needed a pooch that would warm up to her parents.

Molly became a candidate to meet Diana, but it all depended on whether or not Diana would have an allergic reaction to Molly. Molly's foster took her to Diana's home. It was clear that Diana was still emotional over the loss of her previous dog. An hour later, it was determined that Molly had not caused an allergic reaction. Molly explored Diana's home, enjoying the doggie beds and toys. Diana's parents arrived to meet Molly. All went well and adoption took place.

Diana provides regular updates to Molly's former foster mom, and the updates are always heartwarming. The timing was perfect for Diana and Molly, and a match was made that continues to fill a void for both Diana and her sweet girl, Molly. Little Molly has also been a great source of joy for her grandparents and enjoys taking walks with them every day while her mom is at work.

Although helping animals is the focus of rescue work, we know that the animals pay it forward by enriching the lives of their people.

# **Special Adoption Event & Adoption Tree** at Yark

WHEN: Thursday, December 10, 2015

**TIME:** 5pm to 8pm

WHERE: Yark Subaru located at 6141 W. Central

Ave 43615

WHAT: Come meet your new best friend. And help us kick off the holiday gift giving season as Yark shows off their Adoption Tree. This is a special tree with ornaments showcasing animals in our care looking for their forever home and their wish list to Santa. Customers can bring in their donations and Yark turns them over to PlannedPethood.



Cat & Dog Wash In Time For The Holidays!

**WHAT:** Planned Pethood volunteers and "quasipros" will be there with shampoo, conditioner, blow dryers, hair bows and kerchiefs. We want your gang to be sassy and sweet smelling for the holidays and we aim to make that happen.

WHEN: Sunday, December 20, 2015

**TIME:** 10am to 2pm

WHERE: Perrysburg Animal Care located at 29098

Hufford Rd, Perrysburg, OH 43551

**COST:** "Free Will" donations for every dog and cat

we wash.

Toe nail trims: \$5.00

Anal gland expressions: \$10.00

**CATS:** Because we are inside for this event we would love to see your cats too. Please bring them

in a carrier.

100% of process will benefit Planned Pethood \$5 Recycling Fundraiser Saturday 1.2.16 Donate your Sunday unwanted 1.3.16 electrical 9am to 1pm equipment for Petco 5027 Monroe St. a \$5 donation Toledo, OH 43623 and we will take Bring Us Your Electrical Equipment care of the rest! like: FLAT SCREEN MONITORS -Sorry, NO CRT CABLES - KEYBOARDS - MICE Monitors or PRINTERS - HDTV- VIDEO GAME CONSOLES - DISH NETWORK - SMALL tube TVs! KITCHEN APPLIANCES - RADIOS-PHONE BATTERIES - FAX MACHINES -STEREO EQUIPMENT - COMPUTERS -SERVERS - CURCUIT BREAKERS - DVD & VHS PLAYERS Planned Pethood, Inc | www.plannedpethood.org | 419.826.F00

Will You Get New "Toys" For The Holidays? Recycle Your

#### **OldElectronics With Us!**

**WHAT:** \$5 Recycling Fundraiser. Give us your old electronic items for \$5 and we will take care of your recycle hassles.

WHEN: Saturday, January 2, 2016 and Sunday,

January 3, 2016

WHERE: Petco located at 5027 Monroe St. Toledo,

OH 43623

Bring Us Your Electrical Equipment like: FLAT SCREEN MONITORS – CABLES – KEYBOARDS – MICE - PRINTERS – HDTV- VIDEO GAME CONSOLES – DISH NETWORK – SMALL KITCHEN APPLIANCES – RADIOS- PHONE BATTERIES – FAX MACHINES –STEREO EQUIPMENT - COMPUTERS – SERVERS - CURCUIT BREAKERS – DVD & VHS PLAYERS.

Sorry, we can't take CRT monitors or tube TVs.

# November is Adopt a Senior Pet Month

To celebrate, Planned Pethood is offering reduced adoption fees for senior dogs. Now thru November 30th, adoption fees for senior dogs are only

\$25.



To view all of our adoptable dogs visit www.plannedpethood.org



# Celebrate Senior Dogs With PlannedPethood

To celebrate National Senior Dog Month PPI is extending our special offer until December 25, 2015. UntilDecember 25, 2015 senior dogs are \$25. Also, active-duty service people and veterans will receive \$25 off any dog adoption fee this month. Our senior dogs are clearly marked on our website. Some top reasons senior dogs make great new family members:

- 1. Housebroken! An older dog can "hold it" much more reliably for longer periods.
- 2. No chewing! Older dogs are not teething puppies, and won't chew your shoes and furniture while growing up.
- 3. What You See Is What You Get! Unlike puppies, older dogs have grown into their shape and personality. Puppies can grow up to be quite different from what they seemed at first.

4. A good night's sleep! Older dogs are accustomed to human schedules and don't generally need nighttime feedings, comforting, or bathroom breaks.

You can view all our dogs available for adoption, including our senior dogs, by clicking **HERE**.

>>>>> We are extending this special offer

until December 25, 2015!!!!!!

### **Thank You Carpenters!**

Thank you to Mark McGriff and Dan Morey of the Indiana/Kentucky/Ohio Regional Council of Carpenters for allowingPlanned Pethood to use their space for the Mike Sevi Trivia night and our upcoming Wedding dress sale.

### Thank You Trivia Players!

Thank you to all of those who joined us for the Mike Sevi Trivia night. We raised over \$900 that evening.

# Make Your 2016 New Year's Resolution Involve Dogs & Cats

- 1. Get myself and the dog more fit with a walk around the neighborhood more often.
- 2. Catnip! Toys for the cat for fun and exercise. Let's all get
- 3. Volunteer with Planned Pethood. Maybe I'll do a bake sale? Maybe I'll offer respite care over a holiday weekend? Maybe I'll help set up at adoption events? All I know is I want to do more and I'm going to figure out how.



### New Shirts In Time For Gift Giving Season

Check them

out<u>HERE!</u> Shortly after your complete your order, a volunteer will contact you to make delivery/pick up arrangements.



Changes to Adoption Event Schedule Due to Holidays

Dog Adoption

#### **Events**

Saturday, 11.28.15 - By appointment only

Saturday, 12.26.15 - Cancelled

Saturday, 1.2.16 - Regular hours from 11am to 2pm

#### Cat Adoption Events

Friday, 12.25.15 - Cancelled

Saturday, 12.26.15 - Cancelled

Sunday, 12.27.15 - Regular hours at our two

locations

Friday, 1.1.16 - Cancelled

Saturday, 1.2.16 - Regular hours from 12:30pm to 3:30pm



# Wedding Dress Sale



OASIS Restaurants donation

to PlannedPethood - - LAST CHANCE!
DECEMBER 4th

On the 4th of December at any participating Oasis Restaurant, 10% of your order will be donated toPlanned Pethood. The success of this fundraiser will be through getting as many people as possible to eat or place an order at OASIS. Share the invitation with others.

- \* Order lunch
- \* Schedule a meeting on the 4th at Oasis
- \* Get take-out for the family dinner
- \* Dine-in
- \* Carry- Out
- \* Catering
- \* Many locations to order from

Thank you to our partners for remembering the animals in our care.

\* \* Mark your calendars for the next Oasis Fundraiser \* \*

It's always a pleasure to hear from you. Feel free to drop us a line with news on your pets and your spay/neuter successes. You can also share our news by sharing our newsletter or sharing our events on Facebook.