



## Planned Pethood, Inc.

eNewsletter January 10, 2011

Thank you for helping us accomplish so much in 2010. We hope 2011 is just as great. It's been a wild ride these last 31 years Planned Pethood has been around. The last few years have probably been the most interesting. Your support has made it all possible. Happy 2011 to you and your family!

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## Save On Your Pet Supplies

### Saving for PPI Supporters and Volunteers

Lambertville Hardware has generously offered an aggressive discount program on all pet related items to all PPI supporters and volunteers with a special PPI membership card. Stop by any adoption event, *after January 16*, and ask for your PPI discount card. For each purchase made, Planned Pethood will get reward points we can use to purchase needed supplies. You will get a percentage discount on all pet products.

pet stores in Toledo, Lambertville was always less expensive, without the additional discount. When you present your PPI membership card, you will get the additional discounts Lambertville Hardware has especially set up for Planned Pethood.

On your first visit, you will need to stop at the service counter to complete the information needed for the rewards card. This will trigger your savings to begin automatically. On your first visit your savings will be rung up manually.

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New Information On Our Website

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## 3rd Annual Rescue Reunion

Come. Stay. Play. Good Dog.

Dear Adopters, Volunteers, Supporters and Friends,

How has the long, cold, windy, snowy Ohio winter been treating you so far? Are your family and your dog(s) ready for something fun to do?

WANNA PLAY?

It's time for our 3rd Annual Rescue Reunion!!

SUNDAY, JANUARY 23

12:00 TO 4:00

PARK AVENUE DOG DAY CARE, INC.

**\$5.00 admission per dog with no limit on the accompanying humans.**

Your dog(s) can enjoy indoor and secured outside off-leash play time with other dogs while you visit and eat. A buffet of food will be available for \$5.00 for adults and \$2.50 for kids 10 and under. There will also be a bake sale, craft sale, raffle and more fun things.

Pre-order your event t-shirt on our website for \$8.00.

**Prizes for the foster family with the highest attendance of adopted dogs.**

Purchase your tickets and t-shirts [here](#). Image of the t-shirt can be viewed at this link too.

## New Dog Intake Coordinator

### The good work continues

Our current Dog Intake Coordinator, Jennifer Herbert, has left this position in January. Jennifer has accepted new and exciting duties at her "real, 9-5" job that requires a great deal of travel. There is a possibility these new duties will only last 8-9 months and Jennifer may return to her Dog Intake position.

Jennifer and her husband, Scott, will continue to foster and screen potential applicants for the dog program. Planned Pethood wishes to thank Jennifer for the fabulous job she has been doing in the role of Dog Intake Coordinator since late 2008. It's an extremely stressful position and is unrelenting.

Since late November, Mary Torio has been training to take over this position. Mary Torio has been with Planned Pethood since 2006. She is a dog foster and is one of the resources PPI uses to train dogs and the humans with their dogs. Mary was also our ED for a year. Additionally, she developed and runs PPI's

Mary will inherit the capable and well honed team of volunteers it takes to successfully run the dog adoption program. When Jennifer is in town, she says she will be available to help and cover for vacations as well.

Thank you to Jennifer for her volunteer work. It is what makes saving dogs a reality. Thank you to Mary for stepping into the role.

### **Save your plastic and paper bags!**

We are collecting bags to use at the rummage sale and the book sale at the 577 Foundation.

### **Save your wire hangers!**

We need them to hang clothing donations at the rummage sale.

### **Save your Used Books!**

We will be hosting a book re-sale at the 577 Foundation.

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You can drop these items off at special events like the Rescue Reunion or the Rummage Sale. Or contact us and we will come get your items!

Your donation will be posted on our website. You can make it in honor of someone or in memory of someone. Make it for someone in your family, your pets or no one in

donation is what sees us through the rest of the year. Your donation makes it possible for us to pay the bills and save more lives. Click [here](#) to donate.

## Donation Boxes

### Every little bit counts

Our donation boxes located throughout Toledo and surrounding areas have supported our mission once again. People have donated **\$1042.87** as of mid-December. Thanks for supporting those businesses that support us.

## Events Planned for 2011

### Mark your calendars

January 23	Rescue Reunion
April 15-16	Prom For Paws
April 30	Paw Hoorah
April 24- May 4	Set up for Rummage Sale
May 5-7	Rummage Sale
September 17	Dog Days of September
September 17	Book Sale at the 577 Foundation

## PPI Auction On Ebay

### View the first of many items

Ever waited in line to use the bathroom? If so, you'll relate to this line of adorable canines waiting to use THEIR restroom... the fire hydrant! "Waiting My Turn" is a whimsical design, lovingly created and donated by cross-stitch artist **Judy Waddington** to benefit the animals served by NorthWest Ohio's leading no-kill, spay/neuter organization... Planned Pethood.

The oak frame is 15.5 inches wide by 19.5 inches high. The cross stitched art is professionally matted and framed.

would make a nice gift for any animal lover!

The auction ends on Sunday, January 16th. 100% of your purchase price will go directly to Planned Pethood.

Thank you to Liz Gladieux for setting a PPI account on Ebay and Mission Fish.

Photos and the auction can be viewed here: [http://cgi.ebay.com/Dogs-Fire-Hydrant-Framed-Counted-Cross-Stitch-/320640936652?pt=LH\\_DefaultDomain\\_0&hash=item4aa7b06acc](http://cgi.ebay.com/Dogs-Fire-Hydrant-Framed-Counted-Cross-Stitch-/320640936652?pt=LH_DefaultDomain_0&hash=item4aa7b06acc)

## Volunteer Endures The Icy Weather To Save A Dog

### Lynn Henderman works with others to create a Christmas miracle

Lynn Henderman was called by her co-workers about a dog out on the icy Maumee River. The dog was stuck. One wrong move and he was in danger of going into the icy water.

Lynn left her shopping and high tailed it over to the downtown area. If it were not for Lynn's quick action and repeated calls to officials, the dog, later named River, might have drowned

Washington Township police brought their hovercraft. Lucas County Dog Warden deputy was able to catch the dog. Toledo Area Humane Society Executive Director, John Dinon, arrived on scene to ensure the dog's safety.

People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals (PETA) has honored Lynn and the others that played a role in saving River from the ice.

Sadly, the Toledo Area Humane Society discovered River had a neurological problem and showed aggression. She has been

Lynn, you make rescue work look easy. You know rescue work is in the core of your heart- even when it's heartbreaking. Planned Pethood is lucky to have volunteers like Lynn Henderman.

## Holiday Gifts

### Two young men save their change for our animals

Many thanks to Tanner and Trevor for their generous donation of \$49.50. They save their money all year long to make an annual gift to Planned Pethood. They contributed \$5.76 more this year than last year. It is so nice to know these youths are resolved to make a difference in our community. THANK YOU guys!

### Two young men lend their muscles to adoption events

Many thanks to Patrick and Timothy for their generous donation of time almost every Saturday. They come many Saturdays to help unload the truck, get dogs into kennels, take them for walks and assist customers with questions. They have been helping long enough that they just know what to do without being told. THANK YOU guys!

### One young man cares for cats with mom

Many thanks to Zachary for his donation of time. Zachary has been working along side his mother, Wendy, since September, 2009. Zachary spends time taking care of cats kept at the Petsmart on Airport Hwy. Along with Wendy, they clean cages and litter boxes, provide fresh food and water, rotate toys, change out bedding, and (just as importantly) provide lots of love and playtime. THANK YOU Zach!

### One woman honored at work

Lindsay Ash, Licensed Social Worker for University of Toledo Medical Team was recently honored with the iCare Shining Star Award. The iCare Shining Star Award recognizes UT Medical Center and UTP faculty, staff and/or students for their outstanding contributions that exemplify and support the mission of UTMC and the principles of the iCARE program. Lindsay recently helped to coordinate the efforts of

and making sure they were all properly placed.

## Thanks for spay & neuter

Hello,

I would like to thank you once again for all you do. I have been a member at various times and always spay and neuter our pets. You have helped me so much with the costs, I can't express how grateful I am. I have told several friends of your services and know that they spayed and/or neutered with your help also, which they were contemplating due to costs. I always let people know about your wonderful services and am so glad I can pass that information on to them. So once again, thank you, thank you!!!! :) Sincerely, Kim Diefenthaler

***Do you know of someone who should be honored here for their outstanding work with PPI? Submit their name and a short story. Thanks.***

**\$678.84**

Thank you to all the people who helped bring in \$678.84 to Planned Pethood for the third quarter. It's money in the bank. You earned it just because our supporters registered their Kroger card (or re-registered as the case may be) with Planned Pethood and then went shopping like they usually do. In second quarter Planned Pethood made \$678.73. That's not a typo- we made nearly the same amount as last quarter. YAHOO!

Details about the Kroger card & how you can contribute without costing you a dime can be found [here](#).