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No Rest For The Weary

We need volunteers. We aren't asking you to foster. We are asking you to simply volunteer a little of your time to help with our fundraisers and set up at adoption events. Our core of volunteers suffer from burn out

Holiday Photo Fundraiser

How It Works:

1. Bring yourself, your kids (2 and 4 legged), your family, your friends- anyone you want for your photos. Everyone, including pets, will be photographed in one of our beautiful settings.
2. The cost is \$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. Move to the fireplace for \$5. So on and so forth.
3. Book your appointment time on our website [here](#).
4. A pre-paid \$25 is required at the time you make your appointment. By prepaying for the initial setting, you are helping to insure that we make money for our animals.
5. Your photos will be placed on a Flickr account online for you to print off the photos you like and however many you want from the comfort of your own home.

Virtual Adoption This Holiday Season

Please help us continue to rescue dogs and cats from horrible situations like these. Your donation allows Planned Pethood the opportunity to change a bad beginning into a happily ever after story. This holiday season, when you make a donation, you will "virtually adopt" a cat and/or dog. You or PPI will select an animal in our program as your adoptee and post your gift on our website.

[Thank you for helping us rewrite their stories.](#)

You can make your donation [here](#). You can view your Virtual Adoption donation [here](#).

Fun & Food At Volunteer Appreciation Party

Volunteers gathered to eat, meet people in person they only knew from email conversations, eat some more, review finances, review the work preformed in 2014 and hear about

from time to time. Fresh smiling faces, who are there to help, really are a breath of fresh air. Your willingness to help is like a shot in the arm to many.

If you, you and some friends, you and your family, you and your smiling face could lend a few hours of your time to help make Planned Pethood a smooth sailing ship it would be appreciated. We can always use help with fundraisers. We often have great ideas we would love to execute, people who have experience in leading events to raise funds, but not enough people to help put it all together.

There are lots of ways you can help throughout the year. Make 2015 a year you give to the animals by

plans for 2015. Volunteers also had a chance to win over 30 donated raffle prizes. The Planned Pethood Board of Directors donated the food and raffle prizes. The location was free as well. Thanks to Frickers, Pam's Corner and Meijer for their donations to the party.

Thank you everyone who was there on the 18th and to those who were unable to attend. Your time, talent and passion saves lives.

Dog Food, Cat Food and Kitty Litter

Recently the IAMS Company donated 20 pallets of dog food to PPI. Wow! It was disappointing that there was no cat food in the donation but we were still over the moon to have such a bounty. With this abundance, we were able to share pallets of food with other rescues as well.

Foster families have made space in their homes to warehouse the food while our foster dogs and cats eat our way through it. Thank you to Jane Holman for remaining in touch with our contact at IAMS and Sherry Jaquay for finding a company to donate the truck, trailer, gasoline and time to pick up and deliver the food back to Toledo. This company also donate the trailer to hold the food for 7 days while PPI volunteers transferred the food into their houses. Thank you to Tom & Lynn McNutt for allowing PPI to park the trailer on their property during those 7 days and loaning us a pallet jack. That pallet jack was worth it's weight in gold. Thanks to Toledo Police Officer Amy Wise for arranging overnight visits from TPD. Thank you to Barb & Sylvia Costilla, Carol Dunn, Mary Bennett and Mona Guinaugh for meeting volunteers to help unload the truck of food. And thank you to the volunteers (Amy Criag, Phil Stanley, Missy Jarrett, Jessice Reibe and Cheryl Kubista) who are storing food for other fosters to come and take a supply from on an ongoing basis.

We still are in dire need of dry cat food and kitty litter. Whatever you select would be wonderful. Please consider the needs of the cat program when you are at the grocery store next time.

putting in some elbow grease.

Sincerely,

Planned
Pethood, Inc

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.

\$5 Recycling Fundraiser

When: Saturday, January 3, 2015

Time: 1pm to 4pm

Where: Yark Subaru parking lot, 6141 W. Central Ave Toledo 43615

What: Donate your unwanted electrical equipment for a \$5 donation and we will take care of the rest.

Safety: DASRcovery will have a Hard Drive Crusher on site to protect your information.

All of your donation will go to the animals with PPI.

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

CB EQUIPMENT

STEREO EQUIPMENT

COMPUTERS

SERVER EQUIPMENT

CURCUIT BREAKERS

DVD & VHS PLAYERS

Sorry, We can NOT take: CRT monitors or tube TVs.

Welcome New Board Members

Planned Pethood welcomes our two new board members; Bob Oates and Kelly Dimmer. They bring with them a rich knowledge base. Your Board of Directors are:

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Parvo Hits Again, Takes One Life So Far, Raising Vet Bills

Life was looking promising for the R pups when they were accepted into Planned Pethood's foster program. Within days of going to their foster homes, they started developing some very concerning symptoms. One by one, they were admitted to the hospital. Tests confirmed that several of them had parvo. Ruby was our first pup to be admitted and diagnosed. Shortly after, her sister Raven was admitted. While Ruby became stronger, Raven grew weaker. Raven eventually lost her battle with the virus. Rocko, Ricky, Remy, and Rita were also admitted to the hospital. As of today, Rita remains hospitalized. Reece and Rajah have not been diagnosed, but they are under close watch for this terrible virus. With a combined 21 days (and counting) of inpatient care for the R pups, we are asking for your help with vet bills, totally \$2500.00. Our commitment to these pups remains, but we need your help.

Please make your donation by clicking [here](#).

Kroger Donates \$1,413.20 To PPI This Quarter

In this time of giving and thanks, we are incredibly thankful for the businesses and corporations who choose to support us and our cause. Many are local to Toledo, others are national. We must thank one in particular, the Kroger Corporation. They not only support us through their Kroger Community Rewards Incentive but other worthy charities of a person's choosing. They exemplify what it means to give back to the community!

If you've not already done so, we humbly ask that you consider making Planned Pethood, Inc as your charity of choice in this wonderful program. It's so easy to do. If you have a Kroger card (and, really....who doesn't?), you simply go to Kroger.com, to the Community link, then to Community Rewards. They make it very easy to sign up.

After you've done so, you will help our animals year round, every single time you shop at Kroger and use your card. Spending equals giving. And really, is there anything better than that?

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.