

The MCFA News

Monroe County Friends of Animals

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MCFA Patron Party

A huge thank you to Glenn Edwards and Jim Combs for hosting MCFA's first Patron Party at their home last week. Special guests Margie Fox and Lorene Steffes joined us to talk about why they chose to support the building of a new Animal Center. We are grateful to all who made time to attend and consider how you too can support. Thank you to our Capital Campaign Steering Committee for presenting at this event. The purpose of this party is to educate you about the how and why there is a need to build and support Eastbourne Animal Center and answer questions in an intimate and friendly atmosphere. If you are interested in hosting a Patron Party at your home, please email tunderwood@monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org for more details.



Farewell Dave and Diane!

Dave Gallelli & Diane Spitz are two energetic & dedicated volunteers who will be greatly missed from the MCFA Spay & Neuter Assistance Program (SNAP). They have worked tirelessly supporting SNAP for 15+ years to create an environment which has reduced the unplanned & uncontrolled number of stray cats & dogs! This undertaking involved getting volunteers to staff phones at the SNAP sessions, arranging for negotiated S/N rates with participating vets, scheduling meeting space for sessions, & maintaining voucher procedures & documentation. If that isn't enough, he also submits volunteers SNAP hours to MCFA & worked directly with local animal control officers in Madisonville & Sweetwater on special S/N situations!

With gratitude for all your efforts, we are sorrow to see you step away, but we wish you continued good health & success in all your next endeavors.



MCFA Thrift Store
3949 Hwy 411
Madisonville, TN

Hours

**Wednesday -
Saturday**
10am-4pm

Weekly Specials

May 17-20
1/2 off Handbags

To learn more about sales & volunteering at the Thrift Store, visit the [Our Programs](#) page of our website.

Events



SAVE THE DATE!

JUNE 3, 2023
10AM - 3PM

MCFA BARK IN THE PARK

ADOPTIONS
VENDORS
FOOD TRUCKS
STRUT YOUR MUT
PARADE
FUN ACTIVITIES FOR
DOGS AND
HUMANS!

SPECIAL GUEST
BILL LANDRY
FROM THE
"HEARTLAND
SERIES"

MEET THE PAW
PATROL

KEFAUVER PARK
MADISONVILLE TN

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Bark in the Park has a few openings for Vendors & Sponsors

We are also selling Superhero signs which commemorate your pet to display on the day of the event. \$150 each and you get to keep your sign! We will also have a memorial area.

**For more information, contact:
tunderwood@monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org**

On May 13, 2023 we had a PetSmart Turkey Creek adopt-a-thon event! Thank you to everyone who helped make this possible and to all of those who attended.

And special thanks to Esther Nunley and Kathy Bartz!!



Nala with her new fur-ever family!



Mr. and Mrs. Bark Contest

Will your fur baby be "Dogue" enough to be our first ever Mr. or Mrs. Bark in the Park? To enter, write a few short paragraphs describing why you think your fur baby is "Dogue" enough to earn the title. Visit our website at <https://mcfa.kindful.com/e/mcfa-first-annual-bark-in-the-park> and pick the Mr. and Mrs. Bark contest to pay your \$50 fee and reserve your spot. Email tunderwood@monroecountyfriendsofanimals.com with your story and photo. We are limited to 20 entries.

Volunteers Needed Now

Urgent! Dog Walkers Needed

For other volunteer options, please complete our online application or email: info@MonroeCountyFriendsOfAnimals.org

Shelter Needs

Donations Needed Now

Laundry Soap, Bleach & Blankets

*Ship direct to the shelter or drop off
Tue/Wed/Fri 11am-4:30pm or Sat
11am-2pm*

Quotes from the Executive Director

"Time spent with cats is never wasted." - Sigmund Freud