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# The MCFA News

Monroe County Friends of Animals

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### Awareness



It's HOT out there! Just like people, animals can suffer heatstroke, which is a serious condition that requires immediate emergency veterinary attention. Dogs and cats have few sweat glands and cannot cool off by sweating like humans, so they overheat even more easily. Below are some signs that your pet may be overheating and ways to prevent it.





### SHADE & WATER

Protect your pets from the sun's rays and keep them hydrated.



#### NO CARS

Never leave a pet in the car, not even with the window cracked.



#### NO ASPHALT

If it's too hot for bare feet, it's too hot for bare paws.



### LIMIT EXERCISE

Don't let playful pets over exert themselves in the heat.



#### **HEAT STROKE**

Excessive panting, discolored gums, and mobility problems are signs. Seek veterinary attention immediately!





### **Highlights**

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National Animal Rights Awareness Week



Monroe County Friends of Animals Thrift Store is a major source of revenue supporting our mission.

Thrift Store Special 6/15-18 1/2 Off All Furniture



MCFA Thrift Store is open Wednesday – Saturday 10am – 4pm

423-420-3423

3949 Highway 4II, Madisonville, TN

o learn more about sales & volunteering at the Thrifi Store, visit the <u>Our Program</u>s page of our website.

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## Event

#### Fore the Animals Golf Classic

September 19 @ Rarity Bay 7:30 am-2:00 pm

Individual Contest
Hole-in-One on the Course
Longest Drive Men & Women
Closest to the Pin - Par 3s Men &Women





For more information, email: tunderwood@ monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org



2:30-4:00pm

Come hear about what's happening at the shelter, the thrift store, and our plans for new shelter!

RSVP for location info@monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org

Open only to members in good standing

Are you free in the afternoons?

**WE NEED** 

**VOLUNTEERS** 

We need DOG WALKERS! Bring the whole family for an hour or two, walk some dogs, enjoy the beautiful scenery, and make a huge difference! For more information: info@MonroeCountyFriendsofAnimals.org



### Current Shelter Needs



### We need collars...Help!

We would love to give every dog that comes to our shelter their own brand new collar, and it's time for us to stock up. We need about 150 collars. Canis Gear has very good quality Martingale Collars, which make it much harder for a dog to back out of a collar and get loose. They cost about \$4.50 each and come in multiple pack sizes and colors. We prefer red, blue, purple, black, or green. Our greatest need for size is MEDIUM, but we could also use some Small and Large.



Please copy this link and paste into a web browser: https://canisgear.com/collections/martingale-collars

FOR FREE SHIPPING, ENTER CODE 2020 AT CHECKOUT

On the order form, please use our Shipping Address:

Monroe County Animal Shelter 170 Kefauver Lane Madisonville, TN 37354

### **Donations Always Needed**

- Garbage Bags (13/30/55 gallon)
- Ziplock Bags (all sizes)
- · Laundry Soap & Bleach
- Paper Towels
- Dawn Dish Soap (blue formula)
- Dog Treats & Toys
- Odoban & Pine-Sol/Fabuloso
- Copy Paper, Pens, & Black sharpies

Drop off at the shelter or ship directly. Thank you!



# Inspiration from the Executive Director

"Love me, feed me, never leave me." -Garfield

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