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# The MCFA News

Monroe County Friends of Animals

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When the shelter is full and we don't have enough fosters to care for every animal brought in, the only option is to send them to other shelters that have more space. We work with several partners across the country to accomplish this.

Last week, Tim of Grateful Doggies drove the Canine Freedom Transport van 750 miles from Staten Island, NY, to our shelter to pick up 21 dogs and 6 cats. He then turned straight around and brought them back to New York, to be delivered to pre-selected, vetted foster homes organized by a collaborative effort between the Monroe County Animal Shelter (Jenn), MCFA (Liz), and Louie's Legacy Animal Rescue.

Louie's Legacy is a foster-based rescue we have worked with in the past at their Ohio location. This was the first time we sent animals to their other location in New York.

Upon request, the animals were spayed/neutered prior transport, which was paid for by Louie's Legacy.

> We are so grateful for their partnership and look forward to our next transport!













Remember, Echo, one of our beloved tripaws? She was adopted out a while ago but returned shortly after. She has finally found his furever home. We are so excited!



### **Highlights**



- Transport
- Adoption
- **Event**
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Monroe County Friends of Animals Thrift Store is a major source of revenue supporting our mission

Thrift Store Special 6/29-7/2 1/2 Off Luggage &

> MCFA Thrift Store is open Wednesday - Saturday IOam - 4pm

423-420-3423 3949 Highway 4II, Madisonville, TN

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



Vational Talk





Fore the Animals Golf Classic September 19 @ Rarity Bay 7:30 am-2:00 pm

> CONTESTS Individual

Hole-in-One on the Course Longest Drive Men & Women Closest to the Pin - Par 3s Men & Women Pirate Dress Off



1:00-2:00pm: Lunch, Awards, Door Prizes

**Shelter Needs** 

Interested in Becoming a Sponsor or a Committee Member? For more information, email:

tunderwood@monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org



### **Meet Our Volunteers**



Brenda has been an active MCFA member and volunteer since 2008. was one of our transporters for several years (both to distant partner shelters and local vet runs) and has assisted in many other ways, including:

- Fosters dogs
- Provides medical care to the animals at the shelter
- PetSmart Adopt-a-thons
- Community Events

Brenda and her husband also do volunteer trail work for the National Forest, and they love to Thank you travel!

## **Volunteers Always Needed**

Volunteers are a crucial part of the work we do and allow us to keep administrative costs low so more of our donations go to animal care.

Ways You Can Help At the Shelter **Transporting Animals Adoption Events** Administration Thrift Store

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### **Temporary Foster Needed** 7/12-7/30

For Gracie, a 9-year-old Second Chance Pals dog. She is a wonderful dog, but does need to be the only one.

For more information: info@MonroeCountyFriendsofAnimals.org

### **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

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## Quotes from the Executive Director

"Once you have had a wonderful dog, a life without one is a life diminished." —Dean Koontz

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