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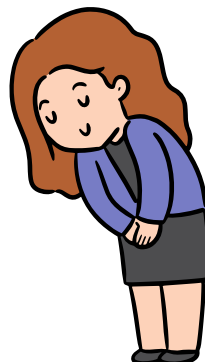
# The MCFA News

Monroe County Friends of Animals

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## Thank You!



### Volunteers

On behalf of Monroe County Friends of Animals and the Shelter Staff, we would like to extend a heartfelt thanks to all those who volunteered at the shelter to care for the animals when we were without Trustees. The Trustees are back, and we are truly grateful to them for what they do each day. Along with our regular volunteers, we had over 50 additional people volunteer to help during this time. We hope that they will continue to volunteer at the shelter in the future. We appreciate all of you!

### Donors

Thanks to all you Giving Tuesday donors, we raised \$2,400 and were awarded a \$2,500 prize from East Tennessee Foundation for being the Regional Rockstar!



Thrift Store Specials  
12/7-10

DVDs, CDs & Books  
Buy One Get One Free!

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

423-420-3423  
3949 Highway 411, Madisonville, TN

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



Thank You!



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International Day of  
Veterinary Medicine  
DECEMBER 9



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





# Bark in the Park



## Breaking News!

We will be replacing our annual golf tournament with "Bark in the Park" next Spring. **WOOHOO!**

This week, the Madisonville City Council voted to allow MCFA to host our first annual "Bark in the Park" event at Kefauver Park in May 2023 (date TBD). Stay tuned for details about this super fun, family friendly, community event, where you can enjoy:



Adoptions  
Dog Activities  
Food Trucks  
Vendors



# Spay/Neuter Vouchers



Saturday, December 10, 10:00am-12:00pm

Free spay/neuter vouchers for dogs & cats

\*\*\*Low-Income Monroe County Residents Only\*\*\*

### HOW DOES IT WORK?

Call one of these numbers on the date and times listed ONLY.  
423-836-2041 / 865-297-3363 / 865-268-9730

If the lines are busy, keep trying. DO NOT leave a message.  
Messages will NOT be returned.

To learn more or to donate to this program, visit our website:  
[monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org/our-programs/spay-neuter/](http://monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org/our-programs/spay-neuter/)

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THIS WEEKEND

## Meet Our Volunteers



Jilaine

Jilaine started volunteering at both the shelter and the Thrift Store this summer.

Every Friday morning at the shelter, she cleans cat cages, gives the kitties food and water, and helps socialize them.

She started out at the Thrift Store as a cart runner and is now the afternoon cashier on Saturdays.

FUN FACTS: Jilaine loves to ride motorcycles and used to be a daily newspaper reporter.

Thank you



## Shelter Needs



### Volunteers

We are very short on fosters and volunteers of all types right now but especially need people to walk dogs, play with them, and give them some attention. If you can help, please reach out directly to the shelter: 423.442.1015.

### Donations

- Paper Towels
- Laundry Detergent
- Bleach



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

## Quotes from the Executive Director

"Cats are connoisseurs of comfort."  
-Veterinarian & Writer James Herriot

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National Cat Lovers' Month



John Wayne

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