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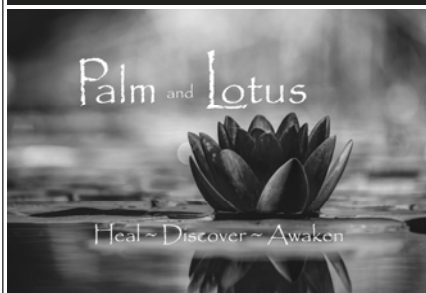
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is the NC State dog! I learned sit, shake and high-five very quickly and have learned to fit in with a pack of four dogs and one cat almost immediately. Although my foster humans don't have children, I have kindly greeted neighborhood kids and am always passive/submissive. In fact, I love all humans. I enjoy going to dog-friendly restaurants and am better behaved than most patrons! My favorite restaurants are Keg & Egg and Poes Tavern. I do very well on a leash and am house-trained. I rarely bark, but I give a little whine when I play with a squeaky toy because I am worried the toy is being harmed (even though my Mom reassures me and tries not to laugh at my concern). Please call my foster Mom, Grace, at 910-352-6256 if you want to meet a very special guy.



My name is **Bathsheba** (quite a royal name, don't you think?), but my foster family has started calling me Daisy. I am a beautiful Basset Hound who is fully potty trained. I was an outdoor dog when I came in, but I love the good life indoors. I am very energetic and might be even younger than my estimated age of 7, according to the vet. I currently prefer women, but I am starting to be more comfortable around my gentle foster family

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at the shelter but, unfortunately, I've been troubled by multiple ear infections and will soon be going to NC State Veterinary Hospital for evaluation, diagnosis and treatment. The shelter will take care of the costs, and I would love to enter a foster-to-adopt situation where I can be in a cozy home environment while on the road to recovery. If you'd like to be part of my journey, call Pender County Humane Society at 910-259-7022 and let's plan a day to meet! You can also apply for my adoption online at www.penderhumane.org.

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so I'd prefer someone who will help me refine my leash manners because all I want is to be outdoors with you! Do you like to hike? Or go on long walks on the beach? Or maybe just run around the yard? I am obsessed with playing fetch, so maybe we can play fetch together. You throw and I'll run! So what do you say? I really am a great catch! Paws Place is open Tuesday through Saturday from 10am to 2pm, and no appointment is necessary. You can also call 910-845-7297 or email info@pawsplace.org to find out more.

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I just don't understand why no one has come to meet me or even asked about me! I'm just the sweetest dog and if you give me a toy, I'll be content and play for hours. My name is **Hazel** and I'm a small Pit Bull mix who weighs 35 pounds. I'm a real sweetheart on a quest for a good home. I do well with bigger dogs and I'm fine with felines. I was at a rural

shelter with not much time to spare when Hamilton's Healing Hearts took me in. I am around 8-years of age and have no teeth but that doesn't stop me from loving toys, rawhides and kibble. I'm ready to celebrate life with you. I've been spayed and vaccinated. To adopt, call 910-271-5170 or email hamiltonshealinghearts@gmail.com! ♥



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Hi, I am **Ryder**, a beautiful Siamese kitty and this is my brother, **Reggie**, who is a handsome black kitty with white on his chest. We are almost 1-year-old and even though we were a little shy



when first rescued, we now very much love our foster mom! We may need some time to adjust to a new family, but once we do - we will purr and seek attention and love. We are a bonded pair so we're look-

ing for a home together. Please fill out an application at www.rescueconnectnc.com and contact our foster mom at 910-352-5150 if you are interested in making us family. ♥

Hi, my name is **Big Foot** or, as my foster mom calls me, Big! I lost my dad a few months ago. I am a sweet and loving boy but I can take a little time to settle in to a new environment. I love to run around the yard and get loved on. I am about 6-years-old and I tend to hang pretty close to my foster mom. I am house-trained and learning to walk on a leash. If I were to have any other canine siblings, ones my size are what I feel most comfortable with. I have come a long way and will continue my progress with a loving family. I sure do miss my dad but I'm ready to find my next adventure. To be my forever family, call 910-302-7290 or visit www.rescueconnectnc.com. ♥



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loving and smart. I will do just about anything for a treat or a ball. Just imagine the possibilities! After playtime, I will lay next to you while you are working or watching TV. I am spayed, house-trained, and vaccinated. I am the complete companion, ready to move in and begin our life together. Call or text Sean 910-918-5118 to learn more about me and how we can meet. ♥

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I'm **Beni**, a Lab/Pit puppy who is 6-months-old, neutered, and up to date all shots. I am an active, sweet and playful boy who loves attention. I listen and behave myself most of the time, and want someone who will continue to lovingly train me in the right behaviors. I love non-aggressive dogs who love to run, play and wrestle. I am going to be a fairly big

fellow when I grow up, so please keep that in mind. I would prefer to have a fenced yard. Are you someone who is active, responsible, loving and familiar with my breed? If so, you meet my qualifications! Please call Tina at 910-625-9715 and let's arrange a meet up. ♥

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My name is **Duchess** and I'm a sweet girl who is just 5-years-old. I can be shy, but often times I love being the star of the show and will crawl all over you to get some loving pets.

I am curious and welcoming to other cats and I'm familiar with small dogs. I'm perfectly content sitting alongside or on top of my people and making biscuits. I would do well as an only cat or as an additional cat in a household. For more info or to adopt me, please call 910-455-9682, email capsrescue@yahoo.com or visit www.capsrescue.com. ♥



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My name is **Belle** and I am a sweet Chihuahua.

I weigh around 12 pounds and I am heartworm negative. I am a little nervous at first but warm up quickly. I am crate-trained and good with other dogs. I may have an accident in the house until I get used to

your routine but once I know your schedule, I will be good to go. To adopt, call 910-579-0407. Fill out an adoption application at www.raceshelter.org/forms-and-resources. ♥

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Hi there! I'm a 30-pound sweetheart named **Remi** and they tell me I'm an adorable Basenji mix. At just 1-year-old, I'm an energetic boy who loves running and playing in the exercise yard, so a fenced yard in my new home is a must. I'm house-trained, vaccinated, microchipped and I seem to like other dogs, but I can be possessive of toys and food. If you currently have a dog in your

household, bring him or her along for a get-together. I love people and am very smart and eager to learn. Can't wait to meet you! I'm at the New Hanover Humane Society in Wilmington. They are open Monday - Friday from 10am to 2pm. You can also call 910-763-6692 with any questions!

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► ▼ Hi, **Chaco** here, pictured on the right. I want to tell you a little about me and my brother, **Wolfie**. We are 4-years-old and we are Husky/Lab/Shepherd mixes. I'm the gorgeous copper colored one and Wolfie looks like a Husky with his black and cream colored markings. We are neutered and



vaccinated and have microchips. My brother and I do everything together. We go potty together, we eat together and we sleep together. We don't mind being in a crate but we are mature enough to not tear things up like puppies do so you don't need to crate us. Whoever wants to adopt us has to accept us both. I can't live without my best pal.

Why don't you come and meet us? ♥



◀ I'm **Gloria** and this is **Hyacinth** pictured to the right of me. We're 4 to 5-months-old and loving life! Everyone says that I am a sweet little chunker.

Hyacinth loves a good cuddle or run around the yard. We are looking for families of our own and we would love to have furry siblings to play with. We have been fixed, microchipped and vaccinated. We are used to a crate and don't mind being in one while you are at work. Please call, text or email if you are interested in meeting one of us. ♥

► My name is **Hope** and I am a sweet girl who loves to give hugs. I was a hunting dog before I came to rescue and I still get a little excited when I hear hunters nearby. I have an amazing voice and I love to hear myself - especially when I want to eat. I know my name and I always go to my foster mom when she calls me. I'm pretty good walking on a leash, I don't tear things up but I do like to drag my blankies out of my bed and lay on them.



Running and playing with other dogs are my absolute favorite. I need someone to make me a part of their family. I'm fixed, vaccinated, microchipped and about 2-years-old. I'm a Treeing Walker Hound and I'd love to be your gal. ♥



◀ My name is **Grace**, and I am a Malamute, Husky, Gray Wolf (17%), and German Shepherd mix. I am estimated to be around 3-years-old, and I am big (weighing close to 90 pounds), so the family who wants me should have plenty of space. I need a family who is experienced with Malamutes and Wolfdogs. I am vaccinated, microchipped, spayed, crate-trained, leash-trained, house-trained, and heartworm negative. I love my swimming pool and I love to play fetch but my favorite thing is riding in the car! I will need to be your only pet as I'm not good with cats or dogs. I do love kids of ALL ages. My home must have a 6-foot, securely fenced-in

yard, as I will jump over anything smaller. I am a very affectionate gal and would love to run around and cuddle with you on the couch. Due to hybrid laws, I am not able to live in certain counties, so Roseys Rescue will have to look into your county laws before you adopt me. ♥

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I went to the vet and was neutered, vaccinated and tested negative for FeLV/FIV/Heartworm. I also had an ear treatment, and am on flea, tick, worm, and ear mite protection. I am super cuddly and extremely

well-behaved. At a recent follow-up vet visit, they found I have a grade 2 out of 6 heart murmur. I do not think I will need special care or medication, but I am going to have an echocardiogram just to make sure I am in great health. I love to play and am super affectionate. Cuddling next to you or on your lap is my favorite spot! Please contact Thundering Paws Pet Adoption at 910-224-8068 or email thunderingpawsinc@icloud.com. You may also visit us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/thunderingpawsinc.

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◄ Hi, I'm **Pumpkin**! I'm a medium-haired, neutered Tabby who was rescued from being a neighborhood outdoor cat. I received all my vaccinations, deworming, flea prevention and tested negative for FIV/FeLV, and tested negative for heartworms. My foster family has cats, a dog and very young children and I get along with everyone! I'm still a little shy but I'm coming out of my shell. I am looking for my loving forever home! ♥



▲ I am a very handsome long-haired boy named **Simba**. I am neutered, 3-years-old, tested negative for FIV/FeLV, and tested negative for heartworms. I got all my shots and treatment for an ear infection. I will go back for booster shots and another checkup soon. I am very gentle and have a kind personality, but get spooked by loud noises. I'd love to find a quieter home and I get along with cats! ♥



▲ Hi, we are a bonded pair of girls named **Luna and Zara**. I'm the lovely Luna. I'm 1½-years-old and I'm white with Tabby markings. This is the beautiful Zara and she's a 1-year-old Tortie. We're small, sweet girls who are spayed and vaccinated. We enjoy playing together with our feline buddies and humans. We'd love to go to a quiet forever home with no dogs and no kids. We'll bring lots of love! ♥

► Hi, I'm **Roxanne**, a 9-month-old Calico girl. Silly me scraped my nose when I was wearing my cone after my spay. I am very friendly and love to play. I was the only surviving kitten of my litter and sadly, my mom was killed. Thankfully, my rescuer took me to the vet for all my shots, spay, flea protection and deworming! I tested negative for FIV/FeLV, and tested negative for heartworms. I am ready to bring love to your family. If you already have a feline, I get along with cats. ♥



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matter the name, I'll be happy as long as I'm with you! ♥



◀I'm a pretty 4-month-old kitten girl who is soaking up all the love and attention that the staff has been giving

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◀I'm just the sweetest boy there is, so no one can understand how someone could have dumped me from a truck. Luckily, my finder saw what happened and brought me here for a do-over! I'm a 1½-year-old boy who is playful and

loves attention - the staff say I am just so happy and absolutely sweet, a real gem! I'm already neutered and my ID number is **A463385**. Let's enjoy a new life together! ♥

▶If you're looking for a sweet and affectionate friend, one who will purr beside you and lighten your heart, I hope you'll come visit me! My name is **Keke** (A462788) and I'm a 1-year-old brown Tabby girl who has made a great impression on the shelter staff here. I am easy-going,



quiet, and I will happily give you head bumps, especially when I see that you are preparing my food dish!

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◀I'm **Sophie** (A461527), a lovely spayed girl who has been very sweet with all the shelter's staff members. Won't you come visit so I can show you how sweet I'll be with you? I can be shy at first, but a little time and patience is all I'll need. I'm quiet in my kennel and very

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◀I'm a happy-go-lucky girl who just wants a loving home with kind folks who are active because I do like to play. At 1-year-old, I'm a Black Mouth Cur mix who is already spayed and

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► My name is **Yuki** and I am a 2-year-old Tuxedo girl. I'm very affectionate and I crave human interaction. Though I am a bit bashful at first, once I blossom, I am so loving and affectionate and always want to be around you. I do well with dogs and cats, but I would be ok by myself, too. If you have some mice toys and some love to give, I am your



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► Hi there, my name is **Monky**. I am a cuddly little 6-month-old "house panther". I love to be around you, and I find great joy in hiding under blankets. I get along great with people and other cats. I'm a bit nervous in the beginning, and may be a little hissy at first, but in no time, I'll warm up and show you the little sweetheart I am.



I would do best with a companion cat (around my age) that I can play, zoom around with, and groom. If you're looking for a little shadow to bring light into your life, contact me! I do not go to adoption events so I must be visited in my foster home. ♥

► My name is **Frannie** and I am a strikingly beautiful, 1-year-old girl with a bubbly personality. I am very playful, adventurous, curious, and love a good cuddle. I have mild CH (cerebellar hypoplasia), which means the part of my brain that controls motor functions isn't fully developed. CH is not progressive, and I have a normal life expectancy with no special needs. It just means I'm wobbly at times and my balance isn't great, but my condition is mild. I've been told it's quite endearing, actually. I am social and get along with other cats with a proper introduction. If you're interested in meeting me, send us a message or fill out an application today! ♥



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► Hello! My name is **Miss Fabulous** and I am 2-years-old, spayed, FeLV negative, microchipped, and vaccinated. I LOVE attention and always want to be loved on. I do great with children and other cats, too! I haven't been around dogs, but I think I can be friends with a doggo as long as I'm introduced slowly. I am on a special diet and need portion control. ♥



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I am affectionate, loyal, and oh-so-

loveable. I walk well on a leash and once we are done exploring, I love to cuddle up with my blankets and snuggle. I love adventure and when I get excited to explore, I can look like a bull in a China shop, but I know some basic commands ('sit' and 'paw'), so when I get the zoomies around my humans, they tell me to 'sit' and I listen because I love those things called treats. I could play with my toys all day, but only if you'll play with me because, did I mention, your love and affection is all I want! All in all, I'm the best of both worlds: an adventure seeker and a snuggle bug. Are you ready to be best friends? Paws Place is open Tuesday through Saturday from 10am to 2pm, and no appointment is necessary. You can also call 910-845-7297 or email info@pawsplace.org.

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◀Hi! I'm **Rex**! I am an affectionate 37 pound growing boy who enjoys snuggling humans and I'm always excited to show my toy collection to visitors. I am a lovebug, but don't let that fool you, I am still a very active 1-year-old pup! I am learning leash manners and hope my forever family can teach me commands because I am one smart cookie! So, when are you coming out to visit? ♥



▲I'm the sweet and loveable **Rocco**, a Bulldog mix boy whose hobbies include cuddling, giving kisses and showing everyone my toys! At 50 pounds and 4-years-old, I am a quick learner who is eager to please my humans, especially for treats. Please come out for a visit with me. My adorable face and personality will steal your heart away! ♥



◀Hi, I'm **Gavin**! I'm an energetic, 40 pound bubbly boy who is out-going, smart, and a social butterfly. I'm your typical 1-year-old who is curious about the world and I'd love to go on adventures. I'd enjoy a confident leader who helps me learn commands and refine my leash walking skills...for those tasty things called treats, of course! My hobbies are hanging out with my friends, giving kisses, and showing everyone my precious toys. Come meet me! ♥



◀I'm **Flapjack** and there's just one thing I'd like to know about you: the size of your heart! Yep, that's right, because I'm a lover who wants someone with a huge heart like me. Speaking of hearts, I just found out I have those things called heartworms, but the Paws Place folks have already started me on my treatment. WOO HOO! I'm a fun, 4-year-old, sweet

and playful guy whose favorite activities consist of giving kisses, cuddling, being a lap dog, and getting lots of loving. So, if there's room in your home for a handsome dog, then your heart is just the right size for me. ♥



◀Since you're reading this, you're obviously looking for a new best friend - hey, so am I! I'm **Annabelle**, a 3-year-old cutie! Oh, how I dream about playing with my forever human in our very own backyard. Do you like sunbathing and going on adventures? Because I love the

outdoors and hanging with my human friends. I walk well on a leash and know 'sit', 'shake' and 'down', too. I'm quite the catch! All in all, I'm a gentle, happy-go-lucky, 63 pound girl who likes to have fun. Wanna be besties? ♥

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especially my gorgeous tail. At 1-year-old, I'm one of many orange cats who have been rescued recently. Please call or text 910-599-2755 to foster or adopt me along with one of my friends! ♥

▶ I'm handsome **Diego** (on top) and this is my beautiful sister **Dora**!

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◀ I was just going about my day, lounging in the cat tree, up high away from that rascal of a puppy in my foster home, when I was told I'll be in the very next issue of PawPrints! I perked right up and started dreaming about my very own home where I can play all day with my very own people.

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Louis

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I am the sweetest big boy ever. I look like a Maine Coon mix. I was attacked by a coyote and almost lost my front leg, but luckily FURR rescued me and I am all healed up and back to normal. I'm still a little shy, but I love everybody and I get along with ALL the FURR rescue cats, too.



LUCY

I cannot believe I am STILL without a forever home. I am a tiny girl and other cats outweigh and outnumber me. I need someone to hold me and love me because I feel secure being close to someone. I get along great with other kitties and the volunteers think that I am super special. If you are looking for the sweetest little girl, you should come visit me. I am very soft and just don't have a mean bone in my little body. I am only a little over a year old, but I won't get much bigger. I am petite with a huge, gentle heart. Take me home with you.



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boy, do we love to cuddle. All of our vet work is included with our adoption fees! Don't wait too long because we're eager to love you. Adopt one or both of us.

PUFFER

I am VERY unusual and beautiful with my long soft black hair and stunning SILVER mane! I was just recently rescued by FURR and I'm learning to trust that people are good and can be nice. I just need a quiet household and plenty of snuggle

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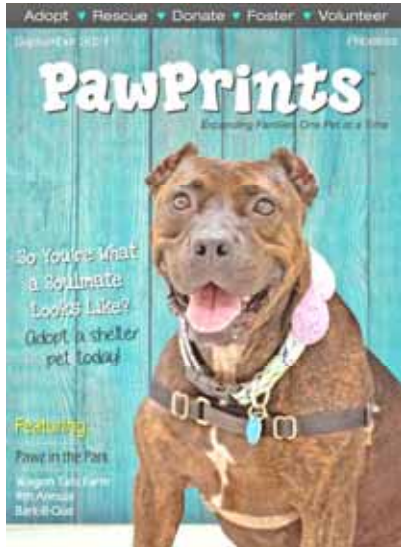
Catching Up With PawPrints Magazine's September 2021 Cover Girl

When Brooklyn arrived at Paws Place Dog Rescue in November 2017, the 2-year-old girl was abandoned, emaciated and frightened. Caring staff fed her, loved her and got her back to optimum health but, 4-years later, Brooklyn was still waiting to be adopted, still waiting for someone to see the loving companion hidden within her shy and nervous exterior.

Enter Kennedy-Marie Warren. It was the winter of 2021, and Kennedy-Marie was searching through pictures of adoptable dogs after losing her previous dog to cancer. "I passed through a couple of pages of pups but none stood out...until I got to Brooklyn!" she says. "I knew she was perfect! I potentially wanted an older pup because my first and last pup that I rescued from the shelter was an older one, and I had no prior experience with a puppy or younger dog. Brooklyn also was one of the oldest residents at Paw's Place, which meant she was ready to accept all of the love I had to give! I went to visit her the very next day and the rest is history."

Now, a little over one year later, Kennedy-Marie shares details of that history in her own words - from those first tentative meetings with Brooklyn to the tight bond of love and friendship that they share today:

When I first met Brooklyn, the team mentioned she didn't prefer to meet new people in her personal space (her kennel) so Lisa, the shelter manager, brought her out to the field for us to meet. Most of the time during our first meeting she was occupied with monitoring the whereabouts of another pup across the field. We didn't get to interact much, but she was drawn to the relaxing feeling of my acrylic nail extensions stroking her fur. I came to visit just about every day following which progressed to her sitting in my lap in the play room and in her kennel soaking up all the love I could give during the entire duration of my visit. My first impressions were "Wow! She's so



Brooklyn appealed for a home on the September 2021 PawPrints cover.

quiet!" as my other pup had been quite vocal! And I also loved how she just wanted to cuddle and be close! I couldn't ask for more in a pup!

When I first brought her home, there were just a few adjustments. One-way

spaces (aka spaces that have one way in and only one way out) were a no-go, so we moved her food bowls out of the kitchen to more of the central area. She prefers it there, and that's okay. She also refused to go upstairs (another one-way space) just about the whole first month, and decided to sleep downstairs with my mother, her Grandma. I was heartbroken at first; but was open to whatever it took to get her adjusted. Now, she can't wait to get in bed and cuddle with Mommy before we go to sleep! It also took a minute for us to get the walking and feeding schedule down, which resulted in a new living room rug. We moved to taking walks before we eat, and we walk EVERY. DAY. because the yard just doesn't seem fitting for us to do our business. We adjusted and that's okay! I also love it, too, because the daily walks are a huge benefit to my mental and physical health. There are no other pets in the home because we're a one-woman-show, and that's okay! More love for her!!



Scrambled eggs atop kibble are one of the perks of life in the Warren household.



Tenderly wrapped in a blanket on her mom's bed, Brooklyn no doubt has the sweetest of dreams.

My favorite first memory was witnessing her enjoy the amazing feeling of everything that is a belly rub! It took her a minute to fully trust, relax, and submit to Mom rolling her over for better access; but once she realized the amazing reward, she begins the rolls when she sees me approaching her, wiggling my fingers. This is the sign for “belly rubs to come” and she can’t wait! I also shed a tear the first time she fell asleep in my arms; it’s such an amazing feeling to have a pup that has been sheltered feel so safe and at peace with you that they completely let their guard down to rest and fall asleep. It felt good to know I was doing something right.



Brooklyn enjoys the view from her comfortable perch on the family’s deck.

Brooklyn may be the funniest pup I know! One of her favorite things to do is roll in the grass any chance she gets; it always reminds me to stop and take a pause when needed, and enjoy the things I have around me. Her side eyes are serious when she’d rather not discuss the topic you’re referring to. She antagonizes any pup that’s inside while we’re outside walking, and will make direct eye contact with them as she does her business while they bark at her to leave. She loves assisting with whatever you’re doing even if what’s she’s doing doesn’t help at all; she has to help!!

No stray piece of paper or cardboard is safe around her!

Brooklyn has brought so much joy to my life! At the end of the day, I may have needed her more than she needed me; but we’ve found each



“She’s living her best life,” says Kennedy-Marie, playing outdoors with Brooklyn.

other and...I love it! She had a pretty rocky life during her first few years, but thanks to the folks at Paws Place, her next chapter will be everything she deserves and more. 🐾

Brooklyn’s Happy Ending Began at Paws Place Dog Rescue



Upon arrival in November 2017, Brooklyn could barely stand at a mere 24 pounds.



After careful feeding, Brooklyn was a healthy 48 pounds in January 2018.

To help Paws Place continue its life-saving efforts, please visit www.pawsplace.org or facebook.com/pawsplace and make a secure donation online. Your contribution is tax-deductible.



Forever Grateful: “Brooklyn has brought life, love, and laughter back into my home. Thank you Paws Place for taking such awesome care of my bestie and allowing me to be her Mom,” says Kennedy-Marie.

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◀ I'm little **Cora**, a 4½-month-old kitten who has beautiful markings. I'm a little shy upon meeting but I do warm up and enjoy purring while you pet me. I am vaccinated, spayed and litterbox-trained. I'll be waiting for you in the playroom! ♥

date on vaccines, litterbox-trained and microchipped. I think you and I could have a happy and loving life together, but first you must make a plan to come meet me, okay? ♥

► Please look into my eyes and fall in love!

My name is **Jasper** and I'm a 10-month-old Tabby boy who is ready to be part of a loving family, so all I need you to do is hop in the car and drive over here to meet me!

I have a sweet and gentle personality and am already neutered, microchipped, up to date on vaccines and litterbox-trained. The shelter has a nice play area where we can get acquainted! ♥



◀ I'm a gorgeous Tabby girl named **Jojo**, just 7-months of age and waiting for someone to love me. I'm timid when I meet new people, but all I need is a little time to trust you. Once I've learned that you're not scary and want to love me, I will rub all over you and purr like a champ! I am already spayed, up to date on vaccines, litterbox-trained and

microchipped. You'll find me and the other kitties ready to make your acquaintance in the playroom. Take all the time you need to get to know me! ♥



Misty



Maggie

◀▲ We are **Misty** and **Maggie** and we've been at the shelter since May 2021! I'm Misty, the black beauty, and Maggie is a lovely Tabby

girl. We've grown up together and would love to be adopted as a pair, but we can also be adopted separately. At just 2-years-old, we're very playful and enjoy all kinds of toys, especially that hard-to-catch laser light! We are even OK with dogs! We're spayed, vaccinated, litterbox-trained, microchipped and in great health. Please come meet us! ♥



▲ Hello there, I'm **Dusty**, a 2-year-old Weimaraner mix boy who is very sweet and a total people pleaser. I listen to commands, I walk well on a leash, I'm very playful and also house-trained! I'm up to date on my shots, microchipped, negative for heartworms and neutered. Won't you please come visit me at the shelter? I'd love to tell you more! ♥

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needs a buddy, bring him out to the shelter to meet me! ♥

▶NEW ARRIVALS! We three sweethearts were whisked away from Animal Control just a few days ago and are happily settling in our new digs and getting to know the staff and volunteers. That's me, **Orca**, on top, and below is **Sox** and **Calliope**. We are sweet, friendly cats who purr when



Orca

rubbed and we can be adopted together or separately. Please hop in the car and drive over today! ♥



Sox



Calliope



◀I will melt your heart with one look into my beautiful eyes! I'm **Nelson**, a 2-year-old Treeing Walker Hound boy who loves to run and play and keep busy. The training yard is one of my favorite places. I've made friends with Arya (pictured at top) since my arrival and we'd love for you to come visit us! I am neutered, up to date on vaccines and

heartworm negative. Make plans to come and meet me! ♥



◀My name is **Houdini** and I'm a 1-year-old orange and white boy who will capture your attention with one look and win your heart in a flash. I love to be petted and get cozy. I

currently share a room with Mickey, my brother from another mother. He's pictured on this page, too. I'm neutered, vaccinated, litterbox-trained and ready to go home! ♥

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▶I'm a 6-month-old kitten boy named **Mickey** and I love to introduce myself to everyone who stops by my room! I start purring the minute I see you. I share my room with



Houdini, pictured above. We get

along great even though we aren't related. I'm neutered, vaccinated, litterbox-trained and hoping to meet you soon! ♥



◀Who's a good boy?

Well, I sure am! My name is **Charlie** and I'm a 1-year-old Hound mix with a classic black and tan coat. I like to meet new people and I get along with the other dogs I've met. I walk well on a leash and listen to commands in the training yard, especially if treats are involved! I am neutered, vaccinated

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◀▼Hi, I'm **Ben** and I'm a Tabby. Pictured next to me is **Bud** and he's solid black. We're 4-month-old brothers. Bud has the

most beautiful emerald eyes!

You can stare at them all day. I just love to purr. I purr while I play and I purr while I cuddle. We don't have to be adopted together but we are a lot of fun together and you'll love us! ♥



◀My two siblings and I were dumped at a golf course club house. The people there were really nice and brought us to Cat Tails. My siblings have been adopted but I'm still waiting. I'm now a 9-month-old, black and white love bug named **Parker**. I can't

help you with your golf game, but I'd love to share a spot on your couch to watch some golf. ♥

►My name is **Bucket**. I'm a really nice Tortie and I'm almost 1-year-old. I got my name because I arrived at Cat Tails in a big bucket. I wish I could have traveled in a Jaguar because I'm a cat or, maybe an Explorer since I like to wander. If I had arrived in a Lexus that would have been a much nicer name! What are you driving? ♥



► I was living at a produce stand, but that really wasn't very comfortable. So recently, I came to Cat Tails. I had never had a name before but one person thought I was the color of honey - which I'm not but another thought I was as sweet as honey - which I am. Now instead of asking for the 5-month-old, pretty, light brown Tabby girl with no name, you can ask for **Honey**. ♥



►I'm **Mickey**, a 5-month-old girl who is so glad to be off the streets in this cold weather. Cat Tails is warm and safe but a soft cozy lap sounds even better. I'm pretty shy at first but I warm up quickly - especially on a lap on a couch in front of a fireplace in a home. Maybe your lap, your couch, your fireplace and your home? ♥



◀If you are looking for a really pretty cat that isn't as young and crazy as the others on this page, ask for **April**. I'm a 6-year-old, light gray Maine Coon mix who was recently returned because my previous adopter is moving overseas. I miss living in a home and I miss having lots of attention and most of all, I miss a nice warm lap to cuddle on. ♥

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◄ **Black Cat Alert!** My name is **Nester** and I'm a 6-month-old stray. I am shy at first but after a little time, I warm up to be a friendly, social kitty. I am good with older kids and other cats, but I am not too sure about dogs. I have thicker, plush fur and would love to

snuggle with you. Please come meet me at Petsense in Leland or call Jill at 910-620-3783 to adopt. ♥

► My name is **Vinnie** and I am absolutely wonderful. I am really affectionate and loving. I am also the ultimate lap cat. I will follow you around like a dog and I love to get all cozy, as you can see in my picture. I do well with other cats and kids, but have not been around a dog lately. If you are looking for a great cat,

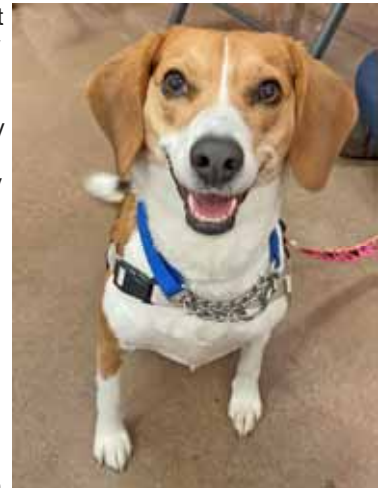


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► Hello! So glad to meet you! My name is **Sandy** and I'm 2-years-old.

I'm up to date on vaccinations, I've already been spayed and I'm heartworm negative. My Beagle nose works perfectly! I am about 35 pounds of pure joy. I have a little energy so I may be too much for a cat or small kids. If you already have a dog, a meet and greet is required. Feel free to meet me at Pet People on Saturdays from 11am

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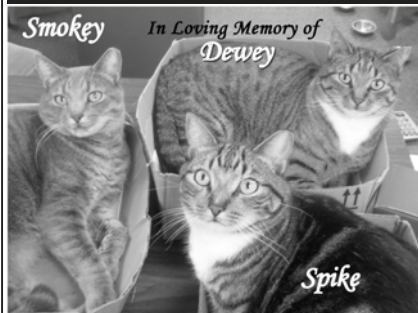
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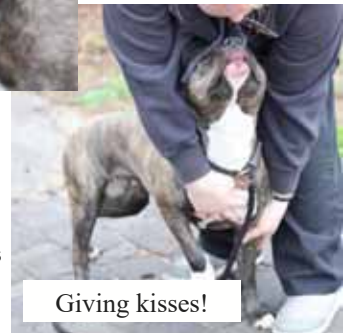
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with other happy-go-lucky dogs and my ID number is **A462643**. If you have another dog, bring him or her with you when you visit! I'm at New Hanover Sheriff's Office Animal Services Unit and adoption hours are Monday through Friday from

11am to 3:30pm and on Saturday from 8am to 11:30am.

For more information, please call 910-798-7500.

I am sponsored by Adam's Folly Pet Boarding, Bolivia, NC. Thank you!



My name is **Suri** (short for survivor). I was found wandering with little puppies, who everyone thought were mine, but they weren't. I was just trying to help them. Sadly, some of them didn't make it but three did and I was so glad. People tried to catch me, but I was so scared and didn't realize they

wanted to help me, so I kept running. Then I saw someone with another pup (kinda like me) and just got into their car. I

am now in a foster home where it is warm and I always have food. I have two fur siblings who I am learning to play with. I'm still kinda scared of anything new, so please be patient with me. I'm about 3-years-old and my peeps say I am a Lab mix. I went to the doggy doctor and she told me that I was healthy and heartworm negative. Everyone was so happy to hear that so I got excited, too. I got all my shots and a little chip thing so if I get lost again, someone will know how to get a hold of my person. I'm spayed so I can't have anymore babies and that's ok with me. The little ones I was watching were a handful. I love my foster mama and family but now it's time for me to have my own person so I can say I'm home! I like fur siblings, but brothers are my favorite. I'm ok to be by myself, too. Then I can enjoy all the attention. I love my toys and I'm a good girl, just ask anyone. If you want someone who will love you forever, I'm

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◀My name is **Eeyore** (A049174) and my name fits me perfectly because I'm slow and easy and take life at my own pace! At 2-years-old, I'm a happy Pit Bull boy who has been here since December. A supporter has sponsored me so that means there is **NO COST TO ADOPT!** Why not hop in the car, come on over and see me sometime soon! ♥



◀Hi there! I'm a very handsome red Pit Bull boy named **Bootsie** (A047577). At 1-year-old, I'm house-trained, I'm good with kids and I get along with other dogs. I have a lot of energy and I love people. The staff say I'm beyond sweet. An active family would be perfect for me. Hurry over and take me home with you today! ♥

▶I'm a beautiful striped Tabby girl who arrived at the shelter just a few days after Christmas! When will my new family arrive? A sweet and friendly girl like me should be in a home, not a shelter. I'm just 1-year-old and ready for life with you. My ID number is **A049152**. Hurry! ♥



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◀I'm **Elmer** (A048950) and I love to give hugs and play with toys! I am a super-sweet Treeing Walker Coonhound, 4-years-old, neutered and heartworm negative. I've been here since December, so won't you come meet me and

give me a chance? I'd love to be your best friend! ♥



◀I'm beautiful **Chloe** (A049184) and for some unknown reason I've been waiting for a home since December! I am good with children, I'm friendly with other dogs, I'm negative for heartworms and I'll be a great family companion! At 9-years-old, I will fit

right in and be so grateful to you for rescuing me! ♥



▲I've been waiting for a home since January! Please, won't someone adopt me? I'm a 2-year-old black and white boy, I'm negative for FIV and FeLV and all I want is to be loved. My ID number is **A049380**. Visit soon! ♥

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Chacho



you can imagine we were feeling a little scared of all the new sights and smells.

We are coming out of our shells more and more every day, but I do rely on my pal Chacho for support. Could you adopt us together and have double the love and fun? We are house-trained, neutered, up to date on our

vaccines and heartworm negative. Come spend a little time with us at Pender County Humane Society or go to www.penderhumane.org and submit an adoption application. If you have any questions, call 910-259-7022.

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I'm a beautiful Pit Bull girl, already spayed, and I'm ready to show you what a fine companion I will be! I've behaved excellently with all the shelter staff, and I really enjoy all the attention they give me, whether it's

nice scratches on the head or playtime with toys in the shelter's fenced-in yard. I'd be happy to live on my own with you, but if you have another dog in the house, please bring him over to meet me! A male dog is my preference for a household companion and if he has a calm personality, that's even better. So what do you say? Won't you come visit? My ID number is **A462291** and I'm at New Hanover Sheriff's Office Animal Services Unit. Adoption hours are Monday - Friday from 11am to 3:30pm and on Saturday from 8am to 11:30am. For more info, call 910-798-7500.

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◀I just arrived at the shelter and I'm hoping my stay here is brief! My name is **Pumpkin** and I'm a 16-month-old long-haired Tortoiseshell girl who is spayed, vaccinated and litterbox-trained. I weigh just 7 pounds so I'm quite petite and very beautiful, if I do say so myself. I am waiting to meet you and become your newest family member. Won't

you come over and get acquainted? The cozy cat room is a wonderful place for us to get to know each other. ♥



◀A true black beauty, that's what I am! My name is **Sirius** and I'm an 8-month-old boy who recently arrived at the shelter with my brother, Cyrus, who is also pictured on this page. We do not have to be adopted together, though; we'll each be happy to find separate and loving homes. I am neutered, vaccinated and litterbox-trained. I'm

eager to make my stay here short and find a forever family! How about yours? ♥



◀Hello, I'm **Benny**! At 2-years-old, I'm a Lab mix boy, 58 pounds and already neutered, house-trained, up to date on vaccines and microchipped. I'm so eager to find my forever home with a family who will love me and help me be the 'best dog' I can be! So what do you say? Hop on in the

car and come visit me. I'll take you for a tour around the play yard and show you the most exciting toys. ♥



◀Hi! If you're looking for a purring companion to make your days and nights a whole lot brighter, why not consider me! My name is **Peaches** and I'm a 2-year-old Tortoiseshell girl who is spayed, vaccinated and litterbox-trained. I'm a nice size at just 8 pounds and I

am a very sweet kitty with a pleasing personality. If you'd like to meet me, I hope you'll plan a trip to the shelter for a get-together. Who knows, we may just be a match made in heaven! ♥

Opening Hours

The shelter is currently open Monday through Friday from 10am to 2pm and closed on Saturday and Sunday.

If you have questions, please call 910-763-6692.

►Hi there, I'm **Tilly**! At 3-years old, I'm a Boxer mix girl who weighs in at about 55 pounds. I am spayed, vaccinated and microchipped. I'm a friendly, energetic sweet-heart who needs a home with a fenced-in yard, so I can run and play safely.

Please come and get acquainted with me. I just might be the one who completes your family! ♥



◀Hello! I'm an 8-month-old youngster named **Cyrus** and I'm simply beautiful with my glossy black coat. I'm a new arrival here along with my brother Sirius, who is also pictured on the page. We do

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how to be the best behaved gentleman around. I will need a house with structure to help me keep up with my manners. I am friendly with other dogs and cats but will require a small amount of time for adjustment to get used to my new furry friends! I am just a loveable, big headed American Bully looking for my forever home. Please come rescue me! Please give us a call at 910-256-2624 or send an email to carewilmington@yahoo.com and let's set a date to meet!

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My name is **Woodstock**. I

am a sweet boy who is fun, friendly and definitely the life of the party. I am a gorgeous gray and white tuxedo and I'm around 2 to 3-years-old. I am missing half of my tail, but ask me

how and I will tell you, "I can't remember. Must have happened at some party in my younger days. Probably was a good time." I am a big kitty who enjoys the finer things in life and I have zero evidence of past trauma. I am easy-going and can settle in anywhere. I do well with cats and kids, but I'm not sure of dogs yet. Please call Jill with Adopt-An-ANGEL at 910-620-3783 or come see me at Pet Supermarket on Oleander Drive In Wilmington. You can check us out online at www.adoptanangel.net or on Facebook at www.facebook.com/adoptanangelnc for updates and upcoming adoption events.



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It's March Mug Madness!

At Monty's Home Animal Lovers Thrift Shop, during the first two weekends in March, ALL mugs are 50% off.

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save them. Pictured here is one of the cats. If you or anyone you know is looking for outdoor kitties, please contact Friends of Felines at 910-452-6721 or email friendsoffelines@aol.com.

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I am sponsored by Christy Lee. Thank you!

Hi there! I'm a very sweet Orange Tabby boy named **Ludwig**. You may remember me from past issues. I had found a home, but recently my pet parent developed a medical condition that prevents her from continuing to care for me. So, which one of you reading this will adopt me and take me back into the home environment I so love? I'm a fun and feisty guy who will do well in a single cat

household with adults only. I enjoy plenty of play time and am one of the handsomest cats around, if I do say so myself. Please come meet me and let's see if we're a match! Call my friends at 910-256-2624 or send an email to carewilmington@yahoo.com and let's plan a day and time to get together!

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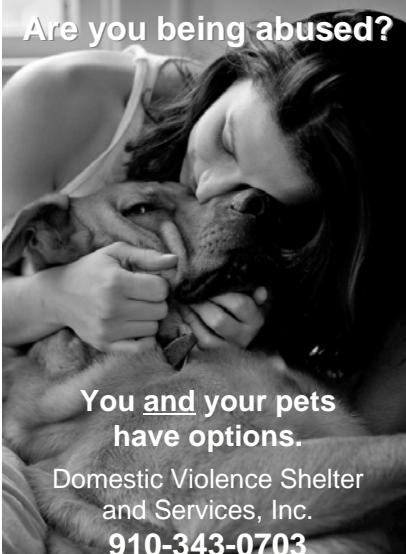
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► My name is **Beatrix** and I'm a beautiful Ball Python that came to rescue when my owners had to move. I have eaten very well since I arrived and enjoy frozen rats. I also handle well. I'm officially unsexed but I'm a good sized Ball Python. I am approximately 7-years-old. ♥



◄ I'm **Baby Leo**, the most adorable little Gecko who eats like he's never full! I am still unsexed and handle very well for being so young. As with all babies, I will be a little skittish at moments and need a little time to get comfortable with you. I came to rescue from a pet store because I dropped my entire tail! It is

regrowing perfectly. I never turn down any food. ♥

► My name is **Splotch** and I'm a little one who came to rescue from one of the local Animal Control Departments. My age, sex and medical history is unknown. I



never turn down a good meal and handle well. ♥



◄ My name is **Nada** and I was left behind in a rental home and then surrendered to Fresh Start by the landlord. That means I came in with no history, unfortunately. I am unsexed and my age is unknown. I am large enough to eat frozen/thawed small rats. ♥



◄ My name is **Arlo** and I came to Fresh Start when my owner moved away for college. I haven't been held much lately so I'm a little squirmy. But I'll get used to it once I'm out. I'm a super cute boy who has the biggest eyes! I eat well and could be as old as 10. ♥

► Hello, my name is **Hypnos** and I'm an unsexed Ball Python. I handle fine and I am used to eating live small rats. I have started taking frozen/thawed rats without hesitation and rarely turn down a meal. ♥

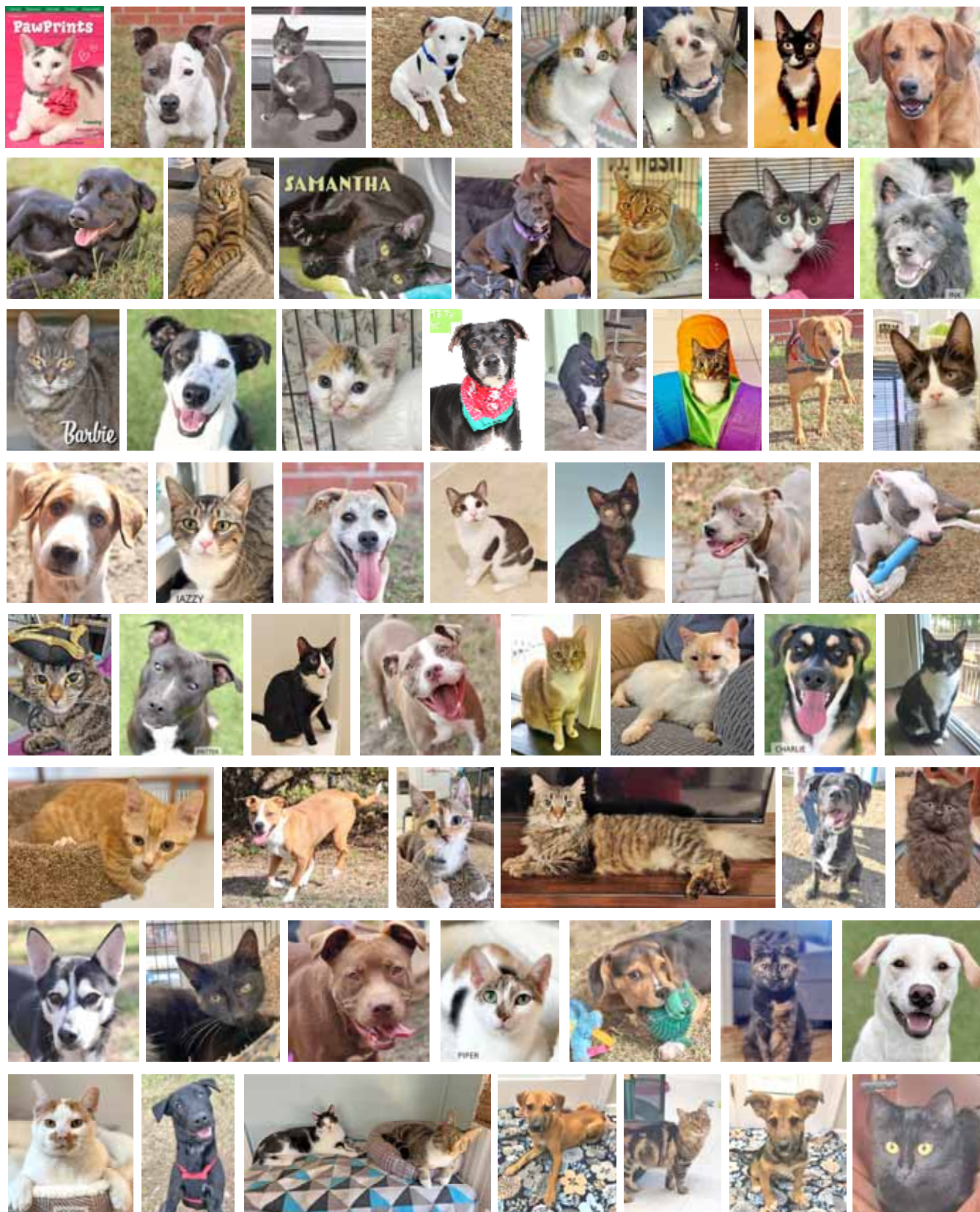


► Hello! My name is **Dexter** and I'm a young (possibly male) Bearded Dragon. I'm less than 1-year-old so my sex is impossible to know for sure. I need a lot of work with handling and socialization. I'm not overly aggressive but will run and try to avoid being held. With time and work, I should calm down like most beardies. ♥



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