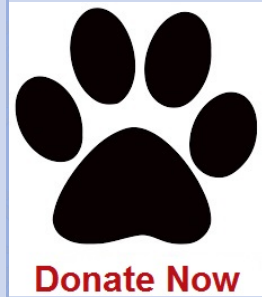




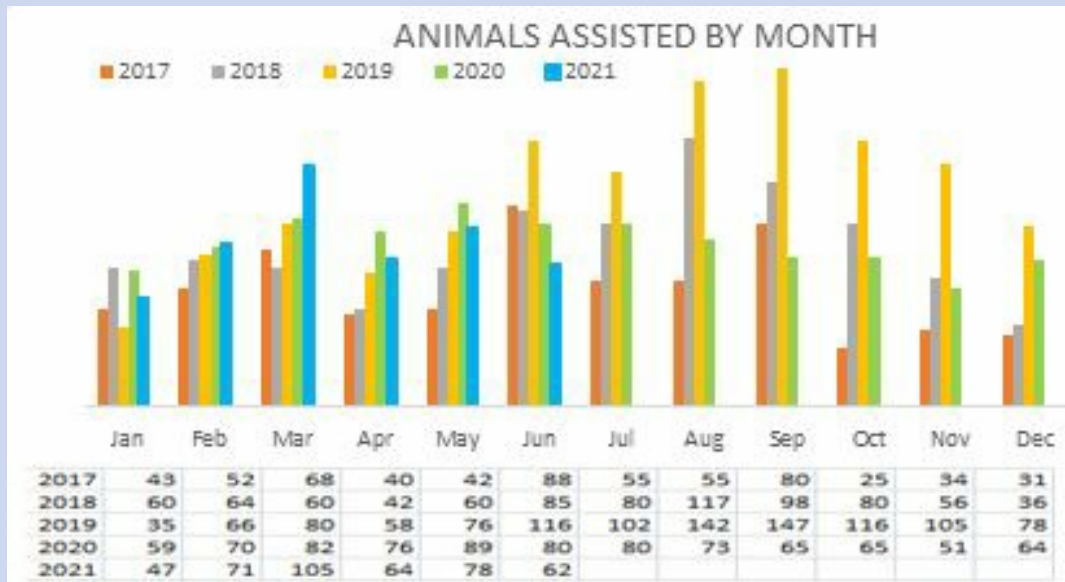
Summer Newsletter 2021

Paws In Need is a California 501 (c)(3) Non-Profit organization dedicated to improving animal welfare in our local community.



Mid-Year Appeal!

By the time you read this newsletter, our mid-year donation appeal e-mail has probably made its way to your inbox or our letter is now waiting for you in your mailbox!. As a result of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, we continue to experience challenges and seek out donations in order to sustain our efforts of helping animals in need. So please support us by giving a little or giving a lot--it really does not matter, because every little bit helps!



Tips for Change

Italian Dinner
Monday, June 28, 2021
5pm – 8pm

Gianni's
ITALIAN BISTRO

2065 San Ramon Valley Blvd., San Ramon, Ca 94583
Reservations: 925.820.6969 GianniSanRamon.com

Join us for a delicious dinner from a special a la carte menu, served by Paws In Need volunteers. All tips will be donated to help improve animal welfare in our community. Opportunities to win great raffle prizes! Reservations are strongly encouraged. To reserve your table, call 925.820.6969 or go to Gianni's page on Yelp.

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Qualified Contact us at 925-555-1877 or 606@PawsInNeed.org

www.Paws-In-Need.org

Thanks to all who answered our call and attended “Tips for Change” at Gianni’s Italian Bistro in San Ramon on June 28th. We had a full house as well as a number of take-outs orders! In addition, this year, a generous donor offered to match the proceeds of the

event. We also could not have made this event a success without our volunteer waitresses. A job well done by everyone who participated!



We are revamping our website <http://paws-in-need.org/>! It is still under construction as we work on the finishing touches. So, stay tuned for the new and improved site, and we invite your feedback!



Please join us in welcoming our newest Board Member, Leslie Silberman. Leslie joined us as our new Development and Marketing Director. Leslie will also continue to serve as our grant writer. She has been very successful in securing some grants this year and also in forging a partnership with a well-known national animal welfare organization, Best Friends Animal Society.



We are sad to say farewell to Heather Dennen who has been an invaluable member of this Board in her role as Treasurer/CFO. Heather has decided to dedicate her free time to her daughter, friends and family. So, if anyone is interested, we have a Board position open. Contact Bea Bauerly at belgianbea@yahoo.com for additional information.



So far in 2021, we have been the proud recipient of grants from the following organizations:

- The Rotarian Foundation of Livermore
- Network for Good
- Thelma Doelger Trust for Animals
- Laura J. Niles Foundation

On behalf of the Board of Directors, we send a heartfelt message of thanks for their generosity to all of these organizations.



Meet the Charlie Brown girls

These 4 cartoon cuties were found by a Paws In Need supporter in a box on her evening walk. She scooped them up and went into action to get them the assistance and care they needed. [Read more...](#)



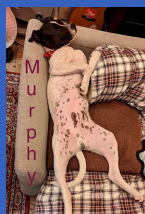
Happy Tales

Daisy Mae was found by a Paws In Need supporter when she was spending a day with friends in Oakland. She found Daisy on the street foraging for food. [Read more...](#)



Another successful spay

Maggie was fortunate enough to be spayed this month at our long time vet partner, Gateway Pet Hospital. [Read more...](#)



Safe Haven for Murphy

This friendly boy was found as a stray in horrible condition. He had clearly been neglected and was suffering on the streets for quite a while. [Read more...](#)



Summertime PET HAZARDS

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Average cost to treat: \$575

Foxtails

- Type of grass common in yards and on paths and hillsides
- Embeds in eyes, ears, noses, paws and skin, often requiring surgical removal

TIP Check your pet thoroughly after being outdoors

Ear infections

- Often caused by trapped water
- Dry your dog thoroughly after bathing or swimming

TIP Ask your vet about ear cleaning products

Sunscreen

- Ingredients dangerous to pets: PABA, zinc oxide and salicylic acid
- Effects range from nausea and diarrhea to organ failure

TIP Keep sunscreen in a closed beach bag

Heat stroke

- Signs include rapid panting, vomiting, weakness and seizures
- It only takes a few minutes to reach deadly temps inside a parked car—even with windows open

TIP Provide plenty of water and a cool place to rest

Burns

- Pets can get sunburns and skin cancer
- Hot sidewalks are painful and can burn paw pads

TIP Ask your vet about pet-safe sunscreens

Flea & tick meds

- Pyrethrins and pyrethroids (common in flea & tick meds for dogs) are extremely toxic to cats

TIP Never apply dog flea products on cats

Near drownings

- Incidents increase during summer
- Consider buying a pet life jacket or pool ramp

TIP Take a pet CPR class

Rattlesnake bites

- Signs include difficulty breathing, bleeding, shock and organ failure
- Do not attempt first aid—seek immediate veterinary attention instead

TIP Ask your vet about rattlesnake vaccines

Average cost of rattlesnake vaccine: \$30

Salt water

- Excessive intake can cause salt poisoning
- Signs include vomiting, diarrhea, incoordination and seizures

TIP Bring a bottle of water for your dog when you visit the beach

Pool chemicals

- Undiluted chemicals are corrosive if ingested
- Can cause ulcers in the mouth, esophagus and stomach

TIP Store pool chemicals in a locked, secure area

Bug bites

- Insect and spider bites can cause allergic reactions and spread disease

TIP Remove standing water in your yard and keep pets away from hives and woodpiles

Burns: \$173

Heat stroke: \$575

Near drownings: \$531

Bug bites: \$144

Veterinary Pet Insurance
a Nationwide Insurance company

Veterinary Pet Insurance covers treatment costs related to summertime pet hazards and more. Get a quote at petinsurance.com. For more pet health and safety tips, visit MyPetHealthZone.com

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Summer is here and we are taking our furry friends with us to the park, the beach or wherever we are vacationing. Be aware of the dangers that the summer brings and remember to NEVER leave your pet in a hot car. Rolling down windows DOES NOT help!!!



Paws In Need Crab Feed FUNDRAISER

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2022

6-10pm 🐾 Shrine Event Center
170 Lindbergh Ave., Livermore (near Airway exit)

Dinner includes clam chowder, Caesar salad, pasta, crab, bread and dessert.
No-heat bar of wine, beer, Colorado soft drinks.

Cost: \$70 per person
until 1/22/22; \$80 thereafter
Or purchase a table of 8 for \$540

Limited number of Premier Tables for 8
Available for \$1300

Special auction items and a selection of wonderful raffle baskets!

All proceeds help with medical costs for community animals.

Purchase tickets at Paws-In-Need.org
or send a check made out to:
Paws In Need, P. O. Box 3436, San Ramon, CA 94583
Questions: Contact (925) 551-1877 or info@Paws-In-Need.org

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Looking for donations for Crab Feed.

Yes, we are already working on our Crab Feed event for next year. Some say it is a labor

of love; well it is definitely a huge undertaking. It takes months of preparation for this type of event to be successful. We sure hope that you will save the date on the calendar for Feb 5th, 2022.

As always, gift cards are the most sought after items. We can use any gift cards you wish to donate for grocery stores, pet stores, restaurants...especially if they are for Tri-Valley businesses. All these cards in any amount are much appreciated!



One of our fundraiser volunteers, Linda Gray is starting a solicitation campaign. She will be collecting gift cards and other items that can generate some proceeds for us on EBay.

Would you be willing to donate jewelry you no longer wear, gift cards that you just cannot use, that figurine just collecting dust, or anything that can be sold on EBay? You can contact Linda and she can pick up your items or you can drop them off at her home. Your donation will help us meet the costs of our outstanding and vital programs to keep pets healthy and together with their loving families.

You can reach Linda at 925-243-1225 or e-mail her at lmmattner@sbcglobal.net





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Do you have a car rusting in your driveway or a motorcycle? Perhaps a boat or a RV? Even a tractor?? Well, we accept all those vehicles. Check out our flyer and make the call!



Ways to Donate to Paws In Need Tax ID #45-5391297

Volunteer: Call (925) 551-1877 or info@Paws-In-Need.org

Consider lending your talents by becoming a member of our volunteer team working as:

- Event assistant, server, or greeter
- Case assistant
- Fundraising or outreach helper
- Trapping feral cats and/or transporting to veterinarian offices for spay/neuter surgeries

Employer Giving Campaigns: If you are an employee of a company that has a giving campaign, please consider giving to Paws In Need. Most companies allow a change to your allocation throughout the year - you don't have to wait for the annual enrollment period.

Network for Good: Use this site to contribute to Paws In Need - <https://www.networkforgood.com/charities-to-donate-to/>. Network for Good makes giving to charity easy and convenient, anywhere online through their trusted charitable fund.

[Click here to see all the choices!](#)



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