

About Us



The Auburn Valley Humane Society is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization who partners with the City of Auburn for the housing of the lost and stray animals within the City of Auburn. The AVHS shelter opened on January 1, 2013. AVHS also serves King and Pierce County for pet

adoptions and owners looking to re-home their beloved pets.

Since we opened January 1, 2013 through June, 2017, animals that came into our care at AVHS include:

- 3,480 Dogs and puppies
- 4,175 Cats and kittens
- 230 Bunnies, birds and other critters
- 99 injured or displaced wildlife

Animals that left our care at AVHS include:

- 3,440 Dogs and puppies
- 4,032 Cats and kittens
- 229 Bunnies, birds and other critters
- 92 injured or displaced wildlife

The live release rate at Auburn Valley Humane Society, is 97%, however, we do not describe our organization as a “no-kill” shelter. **NO** adoptable animals have been euthanized since we opened in January, 2013.

As of June, 2017, volunteers have generously donated over 119,837 hours of their time helping save homeless and abandoned animals in our community.



Changing Lives ... Four Paws at a Time!

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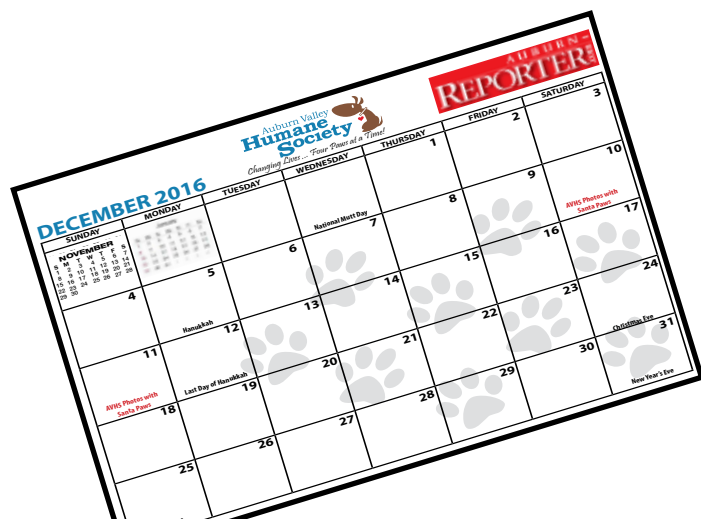
The Auburn Valley Humane Society enriches the lives of companion animals and people through animal sheltering, programs, services and community engagement.

AVHS is a local, independent 501(c)3 non-profit, which relies on donations to fund the shelter and educational programs. Donations made to AVHS are tax deductible to the fullest extent of the law.

Auburn Valley Humane Society presents

2019 Pet Photo Calendar Contest

Event Sponsorship Opportunities



The 2019 Pet Photo Calendar Contest is one of Auburn Valley Humane Society's fundraising projects to help the homeless and abandoned animals in our community.

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Presenting Sponsorship ~ \$1000

- Logo placed prominently on the bottom tab of the calendar. Logo will be visible from the cover and all fourteen months of the calendar
- Fourteen months of exposure on the AVHS website sponsor page
- Receive 3 copies of the calendar
- Your sponsorship allows us to vaccinate 100 animals or your dollars feed 80 animals for 2 months
- Help the homeless and lost pets in our community

Monthly Page Sponsorship ~ \$300

- Logo will be featured on one monthly page in the calendar
- Fourteen months of exposure on the AVHS website sponsor page
- Receive one copy of the calendar
- Your sponsorships will spay/neuter 4 cats and 3 dogs or will microchip 36 animals

Important Dates

- Pet owners submit photos by September 30
- Voting ends by October 16
- Front cover photo is selected by the highest number of votes
- Monthly calendar winners are announced by October 18
- Calendar sales begin November 15
- Pet calendar will make the perfect holiday gift for the animal lover featuring quality printing and designs featuring tips, tricks, advice and more!
- Calendars will be sold for \$15 each



Exposure

- Anticipated 100+ photo participants
- First run of 400 calendars printed (second run of 250 calendars if needed)
- Attendees at all AVHS events
- 10,000 monthly visits on the AVHS website
- Promotions at AVHS Shelter, AVHS Thrift Store & More and through calendar sales



Basics

- Pet owners will submit a high resolution digital photo. Photos must be in horizontal format and at least 300 dpi which can be blown up to 8"x10" in size (a JPEG format (.jpg) is preferred).
- Pet owner submits a brief description (75 words or less) on "how their pet has improved their life"
- Pet owner submits entry fee by midnight September 30
- Once the best friend's photo is uploaded, it's easy to email an invitation to friends and family encouraging them to vote for their pet. Of course, pet owners are welcome to vote for their own entry as many times as they wish!
- Fourteen monthly winners will be chosen from the photographs which receive the most votes (\$1 donation per vote)
- Highest vote winner will be the front cover photo
- All entries will be posted on the AVHS website with instructions on how to vote and make a donation
- Official rules are on the AVHS website