



## June Adoptions

Cats - 77 Dogs - 32 Reunited with their families - 25

**Total Adoptions - 109**

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### Holiday Closure

Saturday, July 4th

#### *Holiday Closure*



In observance of the 4th of July holiday, our Shelter and Thrift Store will closed. We'll resume normal business hours on Sunday, July 5th.

Visit our website to view our adoptable pets and submit an online application.

Have a safe and happy holiday!

[View adoptable pets](#)

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### July 15th is Pet Fire Safety Day

Protect Your Pets, Yourself and Your Home

Fire season is here and we all dread it. We also all worry about our beloved furry companions if ever we had to evacuate. However, fire season is not the only season when a potential fire can occur. The sad truth is, each year 40,000 pets die in house fires,

## July 15th Pet Fire Safety Day



and 1,000 of those fires are started by pets!

National Pet Fire Safety Day is coming up on July 15th and we want to provide some helpful tips to prevent, protect and prepare you and your family in case of a potential fire.

[Read more](#)

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## Annual Meeting

Saturday, July 25th 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.



The purpose of this meeting is to elect 3 board members and to confirm Board appointments made in 2019 as stipulated by our by-laws. In order to reduce numbers onsite, and to maintain proper social distancing, LPCHS members may cast their vote in-person between 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Further information and an agenda will be made available to members on our [website](#) by July 15th.

[Learn more](#)

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## Coollest Dog in Durango Contest

Proceeds Benefit LPCHS

The [Durango Chamber of Commerce](#) launched their "Coolest Dog in Durango" Contest and we have been selected as the recipient of a portion of the proceeds!

### How to Enter:

- Submit a photo of your dog. Provide a few short sentences about why your dog is the



**theChamber**  
DURANGO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

**DURANGO'S COOLEST DOG CONTEST**  
June 22nd thru July 21st

**DO YOU HAVE THE COOLEST DOG IN DURANGO?**  
Here is your chance to prove it!  
**"COOLEST DOG IN DURANGO CONTEST"**

**HOW DO I ENTER?**  
Just upload a COOL PHOTO of your COOL DOG  
click here  
\$10 ENTRY FEE (includes 10 free votes and a cool travel doggie water bowl courtesy of Alpine Bank) While Supplies Last.

**WHAT DO I WIN?**  
**1<sup>st</sup> PLACE WINNER PACKAGE**  
• Your Dog's Photo featured on the Label of a Favorite Steamwork's Brewing Company Beer ... **Super Cool!**  
• Gift Basket of Doggie Goodies courtesy of Pet Haven (Value at \$200) ... **Way Cool!**  
• A photo shoot with your Pooch courtesy of Allison Ragsdale Photography (Value \$500) ... **Totally Cool!**  
• Title of Coolest Dog in Durango 2020 ... **Beyond Cool!**  
• Recognition on Sponsor Websites ... **Famously Cool!**  
• Furball Awards Ceremony ... **Celebrity Cool!**  
Visit website for 2nd and 3rd place prize packages. **CLICK HERE TO FIND OUT ALL THE DETAILS.**

LA PLATA COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY

Top Dog Sponsor: Alpine Bank  
Sit, Stay, Heel Sponsors: Allison Ragsdale  
Fetch Sponsor: THE DURANGO HERALD  
Paws Up Sponsors: mcm

coolest of the cool. Photos should be digital and sharp enough to look good on the internet. No photos of people, just your dog or dogs. Photos should be in focus to show off your amazing pooch.

- There is a \$10 fee to post your dog, but you automatically receive 10 votes when you enter your dog! If you have multiple dogs, you will need to take separate photos of each and post them separately. The \$10 posting fee applies to each dog you enter.

- Dog owners are encouraged to have their friends, relatives, and co-workers go to the contest website and vote for their dog. We

also encourage you to share your contest page link with family and friends through email and social media encouraging them to vote for your favorite contestant's photo.

- The Coolest Dog in Durango Contest **officially launched June 22nd, 2020 and ends on July 21st, 2020.**

[Learn more](#)

## Bow Wow Film Festival Goes Online!

Friday, August 7th - Friday, August 21st



**BOW WOW film festival**  
Short Films For The Love Of (Paw)!

**ONLINE!**

**From August 7-21 you can watch the Bow Wow Film Festival and support La Plata County Humane Society from the comfort of your home!**

**Tickets & Trailer at [www.bowwowfilmfest.com](http://www.bowwowfilmfest.com)**

We are proud to present the **Bow Wow Film Festival!** Enjoy the festival in the comfort of your home while still supporting **La Plata County Humane Society.** Laugh, cheer and maybe even tear up a bit as we marvel in all the ways these beloved furry creatures touch our lives!

Tickets are \$10/per person. After purchasing your ticket you will receive a URL in your email, please check your spam folder. You can view the short films on your computer, ipad or smartphone. Watch the film festival any time between

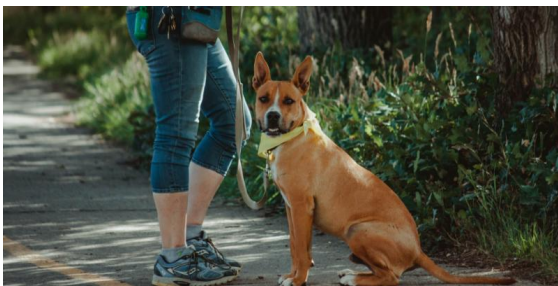
August 7th beginning at 6:00 p.m. to midnight on August 21st!

**100% of the proceeds benefit the homeless animals in our care!**

[Purchase tickets](#)

## Basic Manners Classes

Trouble With Your Pup?



LPCHS hosts weekly classes to assist you with animal communication and excel with your dog. [pranaDOGS](#) intro level class focuses on communication and relationship building by practicing and perfecting the Top 10 Behaviors all dogs need to know. These semi-private classes are a perfect way to

start a relationship with a new pet or restart training with a current one.

***\*Classes meet at the Humane Society, but work outside. Sign-up is required for all classes.***

[Learn more](#)

## Low Cost Spay & Neuter Clinics Every Tuesday



**LOW COST SPAY & NEUTER CLINICS  
AT LA PLATA COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY!**

**FELINE NEUTER: \$35.00  
FELINE SPAY: \$75.00**

**CANINE SPAY & NEUTER: \$120**

For more information and to make an appointment, please call (970) 259-2847 x101



Our low-cost spay and neuter clinics help keep pet populations down, and pets live longer and healthier lives! We offer a variety of services, including our community cat program (TNR).

Feline Neuter: \$35.00

Feline Spay: \$75.00

Canine Spay & Neuter: \$120.00

Submit an appointment request [online](#) or call (970) 259-2847 x101 for more information.

***\*Availability is limited, submit a request [online](#).***

[Learn more](#)

## Shop and Donate to Help Pets in Need Open 7 Days a Week



Support homeless animals by shopping and donating to our [Thrift Store](#). Open Daily from 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Our store generates important revenue that supports our mission to enhance and protect the lives of companion animals. Donated furniture, household items, and clothing are just a few of the items you can purchase to help these animals.

## Donation Center

Open Thursdays from 9:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Only 3 bags/boxes will be accepted per vehicle.

## Wacky Wednesday Postponed Until Further Notice

Shop Due to COVID-19 and the restrictions on capacity inside our store, we are suspending our Wacky Wednesdays until further notice.

## Round Up at the Register

Don't forget to tell the cashier at the Thrift Store and Shelter to round your change up to the nearest dollar at checkout. 100% of the proceeds benefit the animals!

*\*All guests are required to wear a mask along with following social distancing guidelines.*

[Learn more](#)

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## Turn on AmazonSmile in the Amazon App!

### Generate More Donations



AmazonSmile customers can now support [La Plata County Humane Society](#) in the Amazon shopping app on iOS and Android mobile phones!

Simply follow these instructions to turn on AmazonSmile and start generating donations.

1. Open the Amazon Shopping app on your device
2. Go into the main menu of the Amazon Shopping app and tap into 'Settings'
3. Tap 'AmazonSmile' and follow the on-screen instructions to complete the process

[Learn more](#)

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## Give a Helping Hand

### Ways You Can Help

There are a number of ways you can help provide the support needed to continue to enhance and protect the lives of the homeless pets that are entrusted to our care.

Please visit our website for ways to lend a hand and help us, help them, one paw at a time.



[Learn more](#)

La Plata County Humane Society



**LOST & FOUND  
PETS**

Helping reunite pets with the families that love them.

File a lost or found report at [lpchumanesociety.org](http://lpchumanesociety.org)



**BECOME A MEMBER**

and help enhance and protect the lives of homeless pets



Join today!



Join the Conversation!

