



Donation Opportunity

Bark & Wine

Annual Fundraiser Gala

Help Us, Help Them, One Paw at a Time

The evening includes:

Live & Silent Auctions

Photo Booth

Animal Advocate of the Year Award

Dinner and Dessert

Cash Bars

Music & Fun!



Bark & Wine 2019

Saturday, November 9th 6 - 9 pm

Fort Lewis College - Grand Ballroom, Durango



When a sick, scared and shut down pup named Gunner came into our care on June 19th, our team knew he needed immediate medical and behavioral rehabilitation. Gunner was diagnosed with Demodectic Mange, a non-contagious skin disease that causes hair loss and swollen, scaly skin. Under the watchful eye of our medical and shelter team, Gunner spent over 3 weeks in medical isolation recovering from mange and kennel cough. Following treatment, Gunner was given a behavior assessment along with an evaluating of his fearfulness level. After watching Gunner's body language, reactivity and response to individuals, he was placed in our "Orange Collar Program," which provides dogs with extra time and softer touch, to help them adjust to their new surroundings. The best thing we can do for nervous dogs is ensure they experience as little fear as possible while in our care. With the guidance of our trainer and shelter team, Gunner was provided behavior rehabilitation. He slowly gained confidence, trust and began to show his gentle personality. Gunner was now ready to find his forever home. On August 8th, he met his new mom and doggy sibling. Gunner left our care healthy, happy and ready for a new adventure!

Medical and behavioral rehabilitation is just one of the many critical services LPCHS provides to our community's pets. Evaluating, assessing and understanding each pet's personality helps us provide the best prognosis and care, so they may become their best selves. **Help us, help all the Gunners that come into our care.**

Other services we provide:

- House and rehome close to 3,000 dogs, cats and other small pets every year
- Provide medical and behavioral rehabilitation
- Provide training, behavior assessments and daily enrichment to animals in our care
- Provide low-cost community services, including: vaccination and spay and neuter; dog training classes; kid's kamps and internship opportunities
- Act as a resource to all four-corners rescues, shelters and government agencies
- Act as the central point of contact for all pets during natural disasters and other emergencies

Although we could never recoup the cost of sheltering, vaccinating, altering, microchipping, medical and behavioral rehabilitation, training and socializing, we work very hard to be as self-sufficient as possible.

LPCHS is **not** affiliated with any national organizations, such as the Humane Society of the U.S., ASPCA, etc. Writing numerous grants, providing multiple platforms for giving and of course working to ensure our thrift store thrives in every way possible, are just some of the ways we do this; **our Annual Bark and Wine Fundraiser** is another.

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As always, this event is a great opportunity to get your name in front of hundreds of local consumers while supporting the animals of La Plata County. Donated items will be used in our Live and Silent Auction.

We look forward to seeing you in November!

Please scan and email to: marcy@lpchumanesociety.org You can also drop off or send attention to Marcy at LPCHS 1111 S. Camino del Rio Durango, CO 81301.
Questions? Email Marcy!

Yes! I would like to donate the following item for LPCHS's 2019 Bark & Wine Fundraiser

Valued at: \$ _____

I will drop off the item to the Humane Society before the Friday, November 1st deadline

I need someone to pick up the item at the following address: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ **Email:** _____

Thank you for supporting the homeless animals of La Plata County!

For Your Records!



Donation Receipt

Thank you for donating to the La Plata County Humane Society!

Each year LPCHS cares for more than 3,000 lost, homeless, sick and injured animals in La Plata and surrounding counties. We provide training and support to neighboring animal shelters, run programs in youth centers, schools and always strive to be a role model for the humane care and treatment of all animals.

With your generous donation we can continue in our work of promoting and encouraging lifelong homes for all companion animals.

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No goods or services were provided for this donation on _____
(date)

The value you place on the object(s) is: \$ _____

Description of Donated items: _____

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS DONATION!