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Welcome to HART!

Welcome to the second edition of the Harrisburg Animal Rescue Team (HART) newsletter. HART is a non-profit, 501(c)3 organization. Our mission is to rescue, provide medical care for, and find loving homes for cats and kittens in the greater Harrisburg area.

HART is made up of a group of hard-working and dedicated volunteers who work tirelessly to provide care for the cats and kittens within the organization. We are always seeking more volunteers to help with fostering, fundraising, planning events, etc. If you or someone you know is interested in volunteering, please contact William Forgy at hartrescue10@gmail.com.





March 2nd-5th, 2023 – HART will be vending at the PA Home and Garden Show

March 18, 2023 – Meet and Greet Adoption Event at Benny's Pet Depot

April 15, 2023 – Spring Yard and Book Sale

May 13, 2023 – Annual Flower and Bake Sale

May 20, 2023 – Petapalooza at Central Penn College

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Meet Olive: (submitted by Natalie Truman)

My boyfriend and I adopted Olive about 6 months ago, and she's made our first house together feel like a home. When we first picked her up from her foster home, she was shy and hid under the couch, but I knew right away she was my kitty. Nowadays she's anything but shy - she's super sassy, playful, and a cuddle bug (always on her terms, of course), and I'm so thankful for HART for bringing us together!

Meet Cheddar: (submitted by Jennifer Grove)

I adopted Cheddar after losing my older orange kitty a few months before. I had no intention of adopting a kitten, but after learning from my friends at Abrams & Weakley that Cheddar's brother has been adopted, and he was lonely, I visited him at the store. He was so affectionate! When I left, he ran to the door and put his little paw up to the glass and cried. That's all it took! So grateful for HART and all they do for our feline friends.



Meet Cheddar: (submitted by Nicole Shenk)



We adopted Cheddar (then Marmalade, on left) new years eve of 2021. As you can see him and his older brother (Archy, right) get along so well! Cheddar is so playful, very mischievous and the biggest love bug cuddler there is! He demands affection constantly! We love him!

Meet Evan and Teddy: (submitted by Kerry Robbins)

Evan (dark mackerel pattern), joined our family in late 2020. We felt he would benefit from a brother. Teddy (orange mackerel pattern), joined our family in late 2022. Evan will be 3 in April, and Teddy 1 in August. Despite Evan's initial reluctance to having Teddy in the house, they've quickly grown to love one another.





HART is currently running several fundraisers to help raise money to aid in our mission of helping rescue cats and kittens. Our fundraisers are published on our HART Facebook page. Please check us out and Like us on Facebook.

Spring Yard and Book Sale – Saturday, April 15, 2023, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM

HART will be holding a spring yard and book sale. It will be held on Saturday, April 15, 2023, from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM. The yard sale will be held at 3407 N. Second Street, Harrisburg, PA 17110. If you or someone you know has donations for the yard sale and/or is able to volunteer at this event, please contact William Forgy at hartrescue10@gmail.com.

Annual Spring Flower and Bake Sale – May 13, 2023, 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

HART's Annual Spring Flower and Bake Sale will be held on May 13, 2023, from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM. The sale will be held at 3407 N. Second Street, Harrisburg, PA 17110. HART is currently looking for donations of baked goods and sponsors for our sale. If you or someone you know can assist with this endevour, please contact William Forgy at harrisburg.ncm.

Petapalooza – May 20, 2023, 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM @ Central Penn College

HART will be vending at Petapalooza on May 20, 2023, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM at Central Penn College. If you are interested in volunteering at this event, please contact William Forgy at hartrescue10@gmail.com.



Volunteers are always needed to assist with fostering, transporting cats and kittens to vetrinary appointments, cat/kitten care and grooming, at fundraisers, and so much more! Please contact William Forgy at hartrescue10@gmail.com if you or someone you know is interested in volunteering with our organization.



Kitten Season is fast approaching and HART needs your help! Donations can be sent through Chewy.com or Amazon.com. They can also be dropped off at Abrams & Weakly (3963 N. 6th Street, Harrisburg, PA 17110) or at Benny's Pet Depot (5202 Simpson Ferry Road). Monetary donations can also be made via PayPal or Venmo.

- 1. Chewy.com Gift Cards
- 2. Amazon.com Gift Cards
- 3. Unopened Dry Cat/Kitten Food (any brand)
- 4. Canned Cat/Kitten Food (any brand)
- 5. Kitten Milk Replacement Formula
- 6. Cat/Kitten Beds
- 7. Litter Pans/Scoops
- 8. Cat Litter
- 9. Paper Towels
- 10. All Purpose Cleaners
- 11. Cat Carriers
- 12. Kitten Baby Bottles/Nursers

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