

PAW PRINTS



We speak for those who cannot speak for themselves!

October 2024

Happy Tails!

We adopted Ellie, or originally named Lily, from the Steele County Humane Society April of this year. She is the sweetest, most cuddliest puppy there is. We tend to call her Derpy because she's just so goofy and makes all the silly faces! She fits into our family so well and I couldn't imagine life without her!
-Ellie's Family



THANK YOU, Steele County, for your outstanding support for Humane Society at the Purses 4 Paws Fundraiser!

We were able to raise over \$26k!



PURSES 4 PAWS SHOOTING THE SHELTER



Steele County Humane Society Board Members

Liane Peterson – President | Liz Bratsch – Vice President | Diane Nagel – Secretary | Allison Chamberlin
Anne (Annie) Campbell | Deb Singelstad | Lynda Virgin | Nicole Wacek

News & Information

Founded in 1989, the Steele County Humane Society is a 501(C)(3) nonprofit organization, comprised of one paid employee and approximately twenty-five community volunteers. Currently, the Humane Society does not have a shelter. Our animals live in foster homes where they are loved, socialized, and provided all veterinary services, including neutering and spaying until they are ready for their forever homes.

New Shelter Naming & Sponsoring Opportunities

We are honored to recognize individuals and Corporations who make significant contributions to our Shelter Building Capital Campaign. Please contact the Office for more information. 507-451-4512 steelecountyhumanesociety@gmail.com



New Steele County Humane Society Office Administrator

Lynn Borchert from Blooming Prairie. "Hello, Steele County! I have a few years' experience working at a shelter in TN and am very passionate about animals (mostly dogs, though :). I am a Rover participant, crochet in my free time, and enjoy time with family and friends. Stop on by to say hi, y'all!"

Become a Member!

To become a sustaining member of the Steele County Humane Society, email steelecountyhumanesociety@gmail.com with the below information:

<u>Purr-fectly Pampered</u>	\$25
	Covers laundry for 1 month
<u>Belly Bowl</u>	\$50
	Feeds 1 dog or 1 cat for a month
<u>Pawsome Care</u>	\$100
	Vaccinate 1 animal
<u>Whiskers to Tails</u>	\$200
	Spay/neuter 1 animal
<u>Raise the Ruff</u>	\$500
	Utilities for 1 month
<u>Pawsitively Perfect</u>	\$750
	Veterinary care for 1 week
<u>Quazzie Klub</u>	\$1000
	Covers 1 emergency surgery

___ 1 Month ___ 3 months ___ 6 months ___ Yearly

Starting: _____ Ending: _____

MYTH:

Spaying and neutering will cause my pets to gain weight.

FACT:

Lack of exercise and overfeeding will cause your pet to pack on the extra pounds—not spaying and neutering. Your pet will remain fit and trim as long as you continue to provide exercise and monitor their food intake.



How to Help Our Furry Friends

Our Pet of the Month!

I'm Amber!

I was the only girl of the litter but I could sure keep up with the boys. After the rough housing I love a little girl quiet time. 😊 I get along great with all my furry little kitties in my foster home. I am litter box trained, spayed, and current on all my vaccinations.

Please call 507-451-4512 to meet me and find out just how spectacular I am!



Keep Your Pets Safe When It's Bitter Cold Outside

- ✓ Bring your pets inside during cold weather
- ✓ Protect their paws
- ✓ Take care of their coat and skin
- ✓ Antifreeze is a deadly poison (clean it up!)
- ✓ Know your pet's limits outdoors
- ✓ Check your engine (make sure no one is hiding under your car!)
- ✓ Use space heaters with caution (heater can burn your pet or be knocked over)
- ✓ Watch for hypothermia
- ✓ Be prepared (emergency kits!)
- ✓ Avoid walking on frozen water (falling through hazard!)

Source: Red Cross

MNSNAP is a S/N resource:
mnsnap.org 612-720-8236



What To Do If You Find A Stray Pet

If you find a stray cat or dog, please first contact Owatonna Animal Control (if you live in Owa) at 507-451-8232.

Email us information/photos and we can post this to Facebook to try to help find the owner.

Find Your Next
Furry Family Member
Here
steelecountyhumanesociety.net/current-pets
& here
PetFinder!

Merch for Sale to Support the Humane Society



Support the
Steele County
Humane
Society







Short Sleeve: Small-3X \$20
 4X-5X \$25
 Long Sleeve: Small-3X \$25
 4X-5X \$30
 (size/style availability varies)
 Grab Bags for Cats & Dogs
 \$3 ea or 2 for \$5



**PET COSTUMES
FOR SALE!**
 Proceeds go to
**Steele County
Humane Society**

2 Small \$5 ea.   

1 Med/Lrg \$15  1 Small \$5  1 Small \$5 

7 Small/Med \$10 ea.  1 Small \$5  3 Medium \$10 ea 

Contact us: Phone 507-451-4512
steelecountyhumanesociety@gmail.com
 We accept cash, check, card, Venmo

Venmo your donation today
 @SCHSRescue



**Recipes from
the Heart
Family
Favorites**
 \$10 each

- Last Months' Donors**
- Darlene Kraay
 - Kristina Smith
 - Rita J Stilwell
 - Kent D Rossi
 - Rita Frizzell
 - Christine Tomek
 - Tom & Linda Gerardy
 - Pat Jorgensen
 - Gary Schuweiler
 - Loveless Family Charitable Fund
 - David & Becky Linders
 - James & Sharon Klein
 - Steven & Cheryl Erdman
 - Koda Living Community,
 - Mary Jackson
 - Robert Benson
 - Mineral Springs Brewery
 - Auto Club Group
 - Girl Scout Troup 47952, Owatonna
 - Cash Wise Food Wagon
 - Danielle Hendricks
 - James Sandra Rieser
 - Roger Standke
 - Dann & Sue Rypka
 - Dale or Kathleen Sellner
 - Richard "Stanley" Livingston
 - Thomas R Lee
 - Christine Runner
 - Owatonna Motor Company
 - Tammie Bhend Cargill
 - Ethal Mae Teig
 - Daryl & Karen Kanne
 - Cheryl Peterson
 - Judy Morrissey

- Adopt
- Volunteer
- Foster
- Donate

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