

## Upcoming Events

- *May 9, June 13, July 11 – Dog walking classes*
- *May 18, June 15, August 17 – CDHS membership meetings*
- *May 15 – Race for Rescues*
- *June 6 – Rub-A-Dub Doggie Dog Wash*
- *June 25 – Wine Tasting*
- *August 13, 14, 15 – Dog Days Deals Rummage Sale*

# Focus on all Fours

Spring 2015



A publication for friends of the Central Dakota Humane Society

## TOO DARN CUTE! RAINBOW OF FUR BABIES

**By Sue Buchholz**

**Photos by Jolene Podoll**

Camille came to us January 19, a friendly stray girl, maybe a little too friendly! At the ripe young age of maybe one year, it appeared she had possibly already nursed one previous litter. During her quarantine hold, which is standard procedure with all strays, we noticed a concerning bulging belly. Uh ohhh...

Our suspicions were soon confirmed, and we knew Camille was planning to bless us with some mini meowers! Sure enough, on March 3, the action started and Camille delivered six kittens in the course of about five hours. Out they came, one by one, and Camille was a very proud and doting Momma. First came Earl Grey, then Tazo, then Oolong. Soon enough appeared Darjeeling, then came Chai, and finally Teavana arrived to complete the new family.

All the kittens are healthy and growing like weeds, learning kitten stuff from Mom, and will soon be available for adoption. If you are looking for some feline fun to add to your household, these little duffers just might be your cup of tea! And don't forget this sweet Momma, she will be needing a home too. Kittens are cute and fun, but please remember all the adult cats (and dogs) in shelters and pounds needing a home too.

As a responsible shelter, we require all animals to be spayed or neutered before leaving our shelter. When people ask why, all they need to do is look at the rows of faces in the kennels to know the answer. Spay and neuter, it SAVES lives! Be responsible for your pets for their lifetime. Humans have created the tragic pet overpopulation problem we battle today. We are a small yet

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### Camille with her babies



**Chai**



**Darjeeling**



**Earl Grey**

## So cute... *Continued from page 1*

determined army, working to change perceptions and end the homeless animal tragedy. Your support is vital and we are so appreciative that you support our efforts. Camille, who had a warm, safe haven to raise her litter – her LAST litter, thanks you too!



**Oolong**



**Tazo**



**Teavana**

## Kupper Subaru welcomes CDHS pets



*Kupper Subaru recently presented a check to CDHS for nearly \$9,000. The funds were raised during the Subaru Share the Love event, where car purchasers could choose among several charities and Kupper and Subaru would donate to the cause. We were the fortunate recipient of much LOVE! What an amazing gift!! Pictured above are CDHS staff, volunteers and pets, and Kupper employees.*

## Menards Pet Drive in May

Menards will be holding a pet drive during the month of May. They will have drop-off bins by the exits in their store. You can donate items from the CDHS needs list. See the link to our list on our website.

You can look for our other donation bins at these locations: Big K-Mart, Cash Wise Foods, Gold Label Feeds, KT Animal Supply and True Value Hardware in Bismarck, and NoDak Mutual Insurance in Mandan.

## Needs List



- Monetary Donations
- Gasoline Cards
- HP 950 black ink cartridges
- HP 951 color Ink cartridges
- HP 305A ink – Black and CMYK
- Cat Litter (non-clumping)\*
- Booklets of Forever Stamps
- Bleach
- Paper Towels
- Fleece (Should be new - Will be used to make blankets to sell.)
- Batting for fleece blankets
- Wild Bird Food
- Good Condition enclosed 4- or 6-horse trailer
- HE Liquid Laundry Detergent
- Canned dog and cat food
- Chicken baby food
- Toilet paper
- Black lawn and leaf garbage bags
- Vehicle donations are always welcome!

\* Always in short supply.

## Dog Walking Classes

Dog walking classes are held once a month – on the second Saturday at 1:30 p.m. Classes require pre-registration. If you plan to attend, please call the shelter at 667-2020 and leave a message for Mandy.



*These lovely fourth-grade girls sold tie-dye t-shirts that they made and donated the proceeds and some needs list items to our grateful staff and animals. Thank you!*





# Paw-some Volunteer

**Michelle Thomsen** has been volunteering with CDHS for about 13 months. She pretty much does whatever we ask her to do. Michelle's favorite volunteer work is walking and being a companion for the dogs. Michelle is our best registration volunteer and whenever we have an event that requires registration or check out, she is my go to gal.

Michelle has most recently been responsible for our new Race for Rescues fund raiser, taking this event from the idea stage, to the planning and implementing stage and has been great to work with every step of the way.



When we asked Michelle what her favorite fund raiser at CDHS was, of course she replied, "Race for Rescues!" It is bringing together two things that I love, raising money for the animals that don't have a mom or dad to take care of them, and running – a thing that I loved in the past and hope to love again in the future."

Michelle says her favorite thing about the shelter or volunteering is being around people who truly care about animals and seeing the benefits regarding their quality of life being around pets. Michelle's favorite shelter animal is Franklin. She says, "Seeing how resilient that young man is inspires me. He has such difficulty with allergies and still is always playful and happy."

Michelle has a dog of her own, and her name is Dempsey. As you'd expect Dempsey is a rescue dog and Michelle told us when her boyfriend got Dempsey from a farmer, she had been abandoned and needed a good home. Sadly, Dempsey prefers being the only dog in the household, so that has prevented Michelle from bringing numerous dogs home from CDHS.

Michelle said the benefits that she gets from volunteering are too numerous to list. She says, "It warms my heart when I walk into the dog building and some of my favorites go crazy because they see me or hear my voice. When there are puppies in there and you sit in their kennel with them and they just want to snuggle and give kisses, it is one of the best feelings ever!"

Michelle wishes she would have known about CDHS earlier in life and gotten involved many years ago. We wish that too Michelle, but we are so very grateful you have found out about us now.

# We are making progress

**By Sue Buchholz, Shelter Director**



"When will you be in your new building?" It's a question I am asked often. While I would love to respond with a construction start date, that's not information we have locked in just yet. To some it may not appear like we aren't making much progress, but I assure you – we are!

We have outlived the usefulness and safety of the current cat/office building, and are spending each day here on a wing and a prayer. The windows rattle, the roof sags and the walls continue to crumble. It's drafty, ancient and worn out. The septic system is taxed to the max. We have the tank pumped monthly, but within five days of pumping it, the interior floor drains start to overflow when the washing machines empty – not just a little water, but a major flood. Don't even think about flushing the toilet in the cat building, a flood will surely follow. Staff and the public use the rest room facilities in the dog building, which has a different drain field, and experiences less flooding. We haul dirty laundry to the dog building to ease the water load. Yes, this is our daily existence and challenges we currently face.

Yet we continue to do the best we can with what we have, while we solicit funds and fundraise for a new facility. I look back at our successes as we face the challenges of the future, and our successes are many. When we purchased this property, we had a 10-year mortgage, which was really frightening at that time. We paid the balance in full after three years. As the demand for services has steadily increased, we have added staff as we could afford it, and added additional cat, office and storage areas, and a new dog building. We have four acres to maintain, and with the help of many awesome volunteers we keep the grounds looking neat and inviting.

Veterinary expenses, transportation expenses, heat and lights, staff to care for animals 365 days a year, the current economy and job market, it all adds up to a challenge to pay the current bills and keep this place running. To successfully do all this, plus add a capital campaign for a new shelter is no task for the faint of heart. The Board of Directors are as dedicated as they come, but they have full-time jobs and families to balance, as do we all. I will be the first to admit that I too wish we were further along, but we are making progress. We compete for funds with many worthy nonprofits, and simply do not yet have the money banked to start construction. But our resolve is as strong as ever. We are determined to see this through no matter how long it takes.

I do not mind people asking about our progress. It means you care, and realize, as I do, that the vital services we provide the community are needed now more than ever. We feel it's our duty to provide a safe, comfortable environment to shelter homeless animals, until they can be permanently adopted. The public deserves a better facility, the staff deserves a better facility and we are working diligently, with your unfailing help, to make it all a reality.



*Thank you to the Venture Real Estate agents who helped us organize our shop area. This was a daunting task and one we weren't looking forward too. With the help of these great folks, we got it all organized, neat and tidy in no time!*

# Carrying on

By Cameo Skager, CDHS Board President

Things are pretty quiet in our home. In January, our dog, Pepper passed away. She had lived with us for 10 years. We adopted her from CDHS and she was a wonderful companion and best friend to North. Every boy should have a dog, and Pepper was there for North all the way. Then in April, we had to let go of our 19-year-old cat, Grason. She had been my favorite friend since before my children were born and they had never known life without her. Needless to say, the sadness is hanging pretty heavy in our house. We are now petless and



are always looking around to see where the cat is, or wondering if we fed the dog. Those habits are hard to break and give my heart a tug every time I think about my pets who are no longer here.

My daughter, Shae, had spent some time in the past couple years taking little videos of the pets with her phone. At the time, it was just to pass the time and have fun with her animals. Now, I love looking at those videos and wish that we had done more of that. Watching those videos brings out a bit of happiness through our tears.

I know all of you reading this can relate to our sadness, as I'm sure most of you have lost a pet in your life. It is one of the hard things about having pets. We will almost certainly outlive them. It's a heartache I am willing to bear, though, to enjoy the furry head bumps and tail wags that come along with sharing your home with a fur friend.



I surely feel something is missing and we do want to adopt more pets, but it's hard to imagine how any new fur friends could replace those who we've lost. They just seemed to fit our family, and our lives blended together perfectly – the good and the bad.

For now, we'll visit the shelter often to get our purr and wag fixes and wait until the right one comes along. You never know when you'll find another who needs you as much as you need them.

## Tours & Thanks & Things

- 🐾 Thank you so much to Shannon Chaussee's fifth-grade class from Highland Acres Elementary. They raised more than \$460 for the shelter animals. WooHoo!
- 👍 Thank you to Morgan and Kayla from Wilton. They held a fundraiser for their English class Kindness Project and gave the money they raised to CDHS. They said it was a small amount, but we think every penny helps!
- 🐾 We love Tutti-Frutti. They held a CDHS fundraiser day and donated part of the day's profit to the animals. Thanks so much!
- 👍 The Will-Moore Elementary fourth and fifth graders used old t-shirts to make toys for the dogs. Awesome project! Thank you!
- 🐾 Thank you to Jennifer Greuel – an employee of US Bank. She donated time to CDHS and her employer gave a \$500 grant in honor of her service.
- 👍 Thank you to Dakota Supply Group and their employees, who designated CDHS as their charity of choice. Thanks go to Brian Backes, Adam Bartholomay, Jonny Buchholz, Earl Hathaway, Zach Horner, Patti Kruckenberg, Jessica Krummer, Scott Sailer and Brandon Swenson.
- 🐾 The three first-grade classes at Liberty Elementary School raised money for CDHS – more than \$395! Stupendous!
- 👍 Thank you to Ryan Dodge – they teamed up with CDHS volunteers prior to one of their car sales. Our volunteers moved the vehicles and Ryan Dodge gave us a nice donation! Win, win!!
- 🐾 Thank you to Dakota Pharmacy, Dakota Precision Rx Labs and Dakota Natural Health Center and their staff members for supporting CDHS through their Community Days program. They sent a donation for their staff and matched it.
- 👍 Hurray for Little Caesar's North! Their jeans day fundraiser raised some much needed funds for the pets at the shelter.
- 🐾 Thank you to Luiza and Natalie for holding a rummage sale for CDHS. These 10-year-old girls really have a heart for the animals!
- 👍 Thank you to the third graders at Lincoln Elementary. They sold recycled shopping bags and gave the proceeds to CDHS. Super duper!
- 🐾 Pioneer Elementary recently held a Great Kindness Challenge and had a Pennies for Paws fundraiser. They sent more than \$282 to CDHS. What a great bunch of kids! Thank you to Rita O'Neill for stopping at Pioneer and talking with the kids too!
- 👍 Thank you to all of those who made CDHS the recipient of Random Acts of Kindness during World Down Syndrome Day. Spreading the love!
- 🐾 Thank you to the staff at the St. Alexius Heart and Vascular Center for their fundraiser. They donated much needed supplies to the shelter.

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**Dog Days**  
**DEALS**

**Rummage Sale**

**Thursday, Friday, Saturday**  
**Aug. 13, 14, 15, 2015**  
**10 a.m. to 6 p.m. • CDHS Shelter**  
3 miles North of Mandan on 1806

*Starting July 8, 2014, rummage worthy donations can be dropped off at the shelter during normal business hours.*

**NO CLOTHING - PLEASE!** • Call CDHS at 667-2020 for more info.  
**ALL PROCEEDS GO TO CDHS.**





# Mandy's Corner

By Mandy Schaaf, Volunteer and Event Coordinator

Bene-Pet is our largest fundraiser and is the one chance I have to publicly thank the volunteers who use their super powers to benefit CDHS. Our theme this year was Superhero Adventures and I believe with all my heart that superheroes are all around us at CDHS. I only have to look up from whatever task I am working on to see one right in front of me at all times!

One team of super heroes includes a dynamic team of dog walkers and cat socializers who gave 50 hours or more in 2014 and save the day, every day for our shelter pets by giving them companionship and love. That list includes: Jess Burger, Tami Charvat, Barb Grauman, Lindsey Milliken, Mary Jo Sogge, Darrell Njos, Elaine Anderson and Marilyn Opperud. Barb Grauman gave 324 hours of her time and Darrell Njos gave 493 hours!

Another group of superheroes are those that have done tasks or donated items that have resulted in cost savings to the shelter or resulted in significant assistance to the shelter staff including Karen Holman, Mike Holman, Rita O'Neill, Dan Lyons, Julie Schirado, Tana Pendergast, JoAnne Deringer and Jerry Kemmet. Tana has put in her share of volunteer hours by volunteering 600 hours in 2014. JoAnne made an extraordinary contribution of 922 hours!

Fundraising contributions made by volunteers in their superhero capes include Dan Lyons (my co-chair of Bene-Pet), Michelle Thomsen (for organizing the Race for Rescues), Linda Rohrick (for organizing the Alley Cats and Dogs Fundraiser) and Cathy Thill (for Phantom Ball), as well as the Bene-Pet solicitation team which included Cindy Rohrick, Linda Roehrich, Jennifer Morin, Cindy Kemmet, Julie Schirado, Amy Rask, Tiffany Thrasher, Jane Halverson, and Rita O'Neill. Jolene Podoll, Paige Mattson,

Cameo Skager, and Kiel Skager make CDHS look good over and over with their photography and creative skills. Jolene donated 787 volunteer hours for 2014!

These volunteers that fly all around the city picking up the donations from the canisters you see at businesses in the Bismarck-Mandan area are Sandy Gugel, Janelle Henninger, Camie O'Connor, Bertha O'Connor and Eric Henninger.

Our superhero volunteers of the year are Dan Lyons and Fran Thill. Fran uses his super human strength to keep our buildings and grounds in tip-top condition and has become our resident yard worker, weed whacker, tree trimmer, snow blower and aluminum can hauler. He stripped the copper in the old house and took it to the recycling center and built shelves for the new storage shed. Around the shelter he is known as Super Fran! And like a superhero, he has saved the day many times.

Dan Lyons, co-chair and partner in organizing our Bene-Pet event is a superhero but during the planning and execution of Bene-Pet I think I will look at him one of these times and find him wearing green hair, a purple suit and an acid squirting flower, just like the Joker. I do have to admit however he always looks for ways to make the event earn more than the year before and keeps me on my toes to keep up with his creativity and new ideas. And the reality is, no matter how many practical jokes he plays on me, he is still a superhero despite his antics.

Finally, every year we give an award called the Wendell Award. The Wendell Award is given to someone who went above and beyond the call of duty in the name of animal rescue. This year's recipients are John and Sharon Larson and they found Curtis the nine month old German Shepherd/Airdale puppy on the side of road

after a dreadful encounter with the evil Car-Mobile.

After spying Curtis and stopping and asking for assistance from several groups who were unable to help, they were finally able to get assistance from someone getting Curtis into their car and transported him to the Lewis and Clark Animal Hospital, who in turn contacted CDHS, who of course agreed to assist. John and Sharon, now known as Rescue Man and Rescue Woman, covered Curtis' medical expenses and have been following his progress. We are happy to let you know Curtis has since been fostered by a long-time supporter and friend of CDHS and has been transformed from a broken puppy to a beloved pet with a new name ... Atticus.

Our volunteers do not wear capes or superhero headbands but the love and support that they show our pets always remind us that they are everyday heroes who go out of their way to aid those in need, whether they be canine or feline. Thank you volunteers!

Editor's Note: Mandy is too shy to mention the other award winner. The winner of the President's Award was Mandy Schaaf. Mandy has brought so much enthusiasm and organization to CDHS. She engages many volunteers and community members every day and her positive attitude and excitement about CDHS and the animals always shine through. She helps to bring new volunteers to the shelter, schedule the current volunteers and organize, advertise and conduct many (most!) of our events. We are blessed to have Mandy on the CDHS team.



Wendell Award – John and Sharon Larson



Volunteer of the Year – Fran Thill



Volunteer of the Year – Dan Lyons



President's Award – Mandy Schaaf



# Tails of Success

## Izak

My husband and I adopted Izak from you guys about nine weeks ago. I just wanted to give you an update on how well he has been doing and how happy we are with him. It took about six full weeks for him to really start making good progress with us, but now he is pretty comfortable and doing really well. He has taken a liking to our 3-year-old Neapolitan mastiff. They play all the time together. He comes into bed with us at night and sometimes ventures up to sit on the couch.

His first vet visit went well and we have another appointment coming up soon for a dental check. I just wanted to thank everyone for taking such great care of him for the nearly year and a half he was in your care. He is such a sweet boy and I'm happy he gets to

enjoy the rest of his life in our family. Thanks again for all of the hard work and commitment you show to the animals that come to you guys!

- Kim



## Poppy

I just wanted to give you an update on Poppy. She has been with us for a week now and it has been amazing! She successfully transitioned into our home wonderfully. She is so very loved and we are grateful to have found her. I have attached a picture of her on my husband's lap with one of our Great Dane puppies. The dog's name is Jasmine and she and Poppy are great friends. Super happy. The other dog, Angel, is great with Poppy as well, but she likes to lick her and Poppy seems to be able to only take so much of that!

- Kat



## Chester and Cherry

Chester and Cherry are enjoying their new family and home! And I Love them! They're both sweet, sweet natured dogs. Loki likes them too and gets Chester to run and chase with him every now and then. Cherry mostly watches that action. They both got groomed at Groomingdales and Cherry had to lose her beard because it was

a bit too matted to comb through. They both let me brush them but are NOT fond of their beards being combed. They love the dog parks and all the dog interaction. I have a couple pictures of them there but they're too far away to see much. Thank you again for having Chester and Cherry there for me to adopt! LIFE IS GOOD WITH DOGS.

- Margaret



## Chub (formerly Ronald)

Chub (aka Ronald) and Ziggy are getting along great. We're so happy to have him as a member of our family. :) Thank you!!!

- Stephanie

## Charlie

I am very happy to report that Charlie is doing great here. He had a little bit of a rough time adjusting during the first 24 hours, but he quickly warmed up. He has been great so far. We haven't had a single accident or him destroying anything at all! He does good when we go to work and is always super excited when one of us gets back home. He is eating well.





He's already spoiled and almost exclusively sleeps on what has now become "Charlie's Couch." He gets tons of very long walks and it's necessary to tire him out. Also, he has helped us to rid the backyard of our bunny problems. I think overall he seems to really enjoy it here. He has been exposed to a toddler and a little bit with other dogs and he has done fine. He has the option to go out to the backyard with limited supervision, but he comes right back inside if we do not escort him. He's quite snugly and gives us lots of kisses and love.

Thank you so much for the service you provide!

- Morgan, Trent, and Charlie

## Twix (formerly Tauriel)

We just wanted to give you a quick update on Tauriel, known in her new home as Twix. She is doing amazing and seems to have settled in quite nicely. She is very leery of the TV when it is on, had a funny freak out moment when she saw her reflection in a mirror and hates the vacuum. She has taken to Amy's room and has become acquainted with all of Amy's Barbies, horses and stuffed animals, many which are larger than she is. She also likes to lay in Amy's dollhouse and can currently squeeze herself thru the doorways, she squeezes from room to room and likes to set on the dollhouse porch. I have been trying to get a picture and will send if I can capture the moment. Amy has built her a "nest" on her bed, made her a "secret special spy" tunnel out of boxes (huge hit with Twix) and has moved her furniture around so she has secret escapes. She lays right in the middle of everything when Amy and her friends are playing dolls or horses. She has been getting lots of hugs, kisses, playtime and

loving. Her purr motor works really well! Brooke is also very interested in her new companion. Brooke watches Twix very closely and is interested in everything she does. Twix likes to visit Brooke before she goes to bed, Brooke laughs and giggles. We have even heard Brooke (non-verbal) say "kitty" on two occasions!! Pretty impressive. We are loving Twix and are so happy that we get to be her forever home!!

Thank you CDHS!

- Camie, Brooke and Amy

## Fiona (left) (formerly Ireland)

We are so happy we adopted Fiona. She is such a wonderful addition to our family. She loves to play and snuggle. She loves bags and tries to go to the gym with me often. She gets along well with our other cat, Hannible, and now he has a playmate. We couldn't be happier.

- Foss's



**WINE TASTING**  
to benefit the  
**Central Dakota Humane Society**

Join us for wine tasting  
and appetizers at  
**Harvest** 308 W. Main St.  
Brazilian Grill Mandan

Thursday, June 25 • 6:30-8:30pm  
Tickets: \$50 in advance\*/\$55 at door  
Tickets can be purchased at the shelter, by calling  
667-2020, or online at cdhs.net.

A fundraiser for  **Central Dakota Humane Society**

Christy Zainhofsky  
Origami Owl - Custom Jewelry will donate  
a portion of her sales to CDHS.

\*Tickets will be \$55 after June 21

It's that time of year for the



**RUB • A • DUB**  
**DOGGIE WASH** 



Sponsored by  
**Groomingdales**  
422 W Main St., Mandan  
**Saturday, June 6, 2015**  
**9 a.m. to 4 p.m.**  
First come, first served

Donations:  
\$7 for nail trimming  
\$15 for small dogs  
\$20 for medium dogs  
\$30 for large dogs

 **Central Dakota Humane Society** Call 667-2020  
for details.  
All proceeds donated to Central Dakota Humane Society.

Baths only - no cuts  
All animals must have  
current vaccinations.

# CDHS New Members, Generous Donors, Memorials and Honors

**PLEASE NOTE:**

**Listings reflect memberships, adoptions and donations from 12-16-14 to 3-15-15 ONLY**

## New Members & Generous Donations

Marie Aamodt  
 Mark & Lisa Aamodt  
 Valerie & Keith Abrahamson  
 Advanced Coatings  
 Aetna Foundation  
 Wendell Albert  
 Connie & Ken Albrecht  
 Lori & Doran Alfstad  
 All American Yard Services  
 All Pets Veterinary Clinic  
 Scott & Brenda Allan  
 Ruby Altringer  
 AmazonSmile Foundation  
 America's Charities Distribution Account  
 Darlene Anagnost  
 David & Peggy Anderson  
 Elaine Anderson  
 LLOYD & Susan Anderson  
 Shelly Anderson  
 Sherry & Craig Anderson  
 Susan Anderson  
 Viola Anderson  
 Argo Sales  
 Brian, Susan & Samuel Artz  
 AT&T Employee Giving Campaign  
 Myron & Karla Aune  
 Brian & Joan Backes  
 Dorothy Disney & Marvel Bailey  
 Paul & Becky Bailey  
 Kathy Baker  
 Randall & Shannon Bakke  
 Meredith Barges  
 William & Gail Baron  
 Ervin & Dolores Barta  
 Julia Barth  
 Linda & Charles Barth  
 Cassie & Jeremy Bauer  
 John Baumgartner  
 Frank & Joann Bavendick  
 Michelle Becher  
 Jennifer Bechtold  
 Lorinda Becker  
 Wade & DeAndra Becker  
 Diane & Bruce Beelman  
 Carol & Lynn Beiswanger  
 Tekla Bekkedal  
 Jackie Belohlavek  
 Kenneth & Naomi Belohlavek  
 Jody Belverstone  
 Marlinda Bender  
 Chad & Tammy Bender  
 Nicole Benedict  
 Robert Matz & Claudia Berg  
 Margret Berger  
 Chuck & Jean Bingert  
 Kathleen Birrenkott  
 Rosemarie Birrenkott  
 Jackie Bischof  
 Don & Mary Bitz  
 Joe Bitz  
 Hulén & Patricia Bivins  
 Susan Blaney

Paul Bleth  
 CJ Bloomquist  
 BNI COAL LTD  
 Donna & DuWayne Boehm  
 Ed & Marsha Boehm  
 Joann & Jason Boehm  
 Karen Boehm  
 Lisa & Troy Boehm  
 Grant Boeshans  
 Kim & Mark Boettcher  
 Dennis & Jennifer Mees-Boger  
 Kelly & Michael Bohrer  
 Mary Bollinger  
 Joel Boon  
 Clark & Mary Bormann  
 Darrel & Patty Bosch  
 Pat Bosch  
 Fred & Judy Bott  
 Boulder Homes LLC  
 Allen & Linda Boushee  
 Carma Branch  
 BJ & Kristen Brandt  
 Marian Brandt  
 Mary Ann Brandt  
 Teri Brandt  
 Gary & Rose Braun  
 Jo Brekke  
 Arliss & Orac Robinson Brend  
 Paul & Bonita Grey-Brink  
 Rebecca Brink  
 June Brinkman  
 Bruce Britton  
 Sheila Brorby  
 James & Kennetta Brousseau  
 Andrew & Amy Brown  
 Chris & Jodi Brown  
 Hobson & Lisa Brown  
 Patrick & Doreen Brown  
 Brownie Troop #83198  
 Mr. & Mrs. Walt Broxmeyer  
 Peter Griffith & Barbara Bruce  
 Bryant Clinic of Chiropractic & Acupuncture  
 Renae & Merrill Buchfinck  
 Lavern & Kristine Buchholz  
 Marsha & Gary Buchwitz  
 Sharon Buckner  
 Paul & Lorraine Buehler  
 Brad Keith & Traci Buescher  
 Buffalo Wild Wings Grill & Bar  
 Jessica & Jon Burger  
 Jay & Linda Buringrud  
 Bill & Dina Butcher  
 Suzanne Butzon  
 Suzanne & Jeff Cahill  
 Cape St. Claire Elementary School  
 Capital Credit Union  
 Capital Heating & Cooling  
 Capital Trophy  
 Marga & Lonnie Carlson  
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 Deborah & Kerry Carpenter  
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 Neil & Tami Charvat  
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 Sharon Chrest  
 Jamie Christensen  
 Roger & Mavis Christianson  
 Church of Corpus Christi  
 Brian & Tamra Churchill  
 Patricia Churchill  
 Glen & Lori Clark  
 Ryan & Kendra Clark  
 Ryan & Tara Garland Clayton  
 Luiza & Natalie Conceicao-Larson  
 Norleen Conitz - State Farm Insurance  
 Patrick & Jo Conmy  
 Maurice Cook  
 Scott, Lisa & Hunter Corbin  
 Coteau Properties Company  
 Country House Deli  
 Cindy Jo Cross  
 Adrian Crow Feather  
 Crown Butte Kennels  
 Joseph Cullen  
 Jan & Terry Daffinrud  
 Corey & Kimberly Dahl  
 Dr. & Mrs. Phillip Dahl  
 Myrna Dahl  
 Dahlstrom Funeral Homes  
 Dairy Queen - Mandan  
 Dakota Community Bank & Trust - Bismarck  
 Dakota Dust-Tex, Inc.  
 Dakota Fence  
 Dakota Pharmacy  
 Dakota Promotions and Printing  
 Dakota Supply Group  
 Dakota Travel Nurse  
 Dakota Travel Nurse Home Care  
 Dakota Zoo  
 Missouri Valley & Western Dakota  
 Julie Dalsin  
 Catherine Dalzell  
 David Oppenheimer & Company  
 Kurtis Decker  
 Annette Deforest  
 Michael & Shawn Deisz  
 Janice DeKrey  
 Department of Human Services  
 Bonnie Dever  
 Dewey Tietz Idea Foundation  
 Bryan & Renee Diebel  
 Teresa & Jerome Diekman  
 Jeffrey Dietrich  
 Bernardine Digby  
 Joseph & Deb Dilger  
 Delores Dillman  
 Christine & Jason Dirk  
 Paulette & Robert Doll

Michael & Judy Donahue  
 Richard Arazi & Lorraine Dopson  
 Paige Dorgan  
 Rebecca Dorwart  
 Richard Dube  
 Marian Dugan  
 Luella Dunn  
 Donna Dushek  
 Dutch Mill Florist  
 Dvorak Motors Inc.  
 Martha Dyck  
 Curt Earls  
 Earth-Kind Inc.  
 Jeffrey & Dawn Ebel  
 Charles & Julie Eder  
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In loving memory of Dorothy  
Roehrs. From Paul, Danna  
Fitterer & girls.  
In memory of David "Joey"  
Schneider. From Anne &  
Lester Larson.

In loving memory of Ruth  
Siekierda. From Deb & Jim  
Gienger and Judy, Pat &  
Sean Curley.  
In loving memory of Rick  
Steffenson. From Emily  
Steffenson.  
In loving memory of Patricia  
Stoe. From Joyce Harnden,  
Donald & Marlene Hastings.  
In loving memory of William  
Trolliey. From Scott &  
Jolene Miller.  
In loving memory of Suzi Volk.  
From Luella Dunn.  
In memory of Carla Wardinski.  
From Keith & Judy Zhorela.  
In loving memory of Grace  
Wellman. From Marj Smith.  
In loving memory of John  
G. Wetsch. From Rosalie  
Wetsch.  
In loving memory of Bonnie  
Zander. From Gail Friedt,  
Ann Jordheim, Rodney  
& Maxine Nibbe, Todd  
& Margie Vossler, Tom  
Woodmansee.

### Pets to Remember:

In memory of Angus, beloved  
dog of Michelle Halone.  
From Dave & Peggy  
Anderson, Lori & Michael  
Nitsch.  
In loving memory of Bear, my  
special boy and in honor of  
new dog Riley.  
In loving memory of Blue. From  
Robert & LuAnne Honkola.  
In memory of Mr. Boss, beloved  
feline companion. From  
Maurice Cook.  
In loving memory of Britten,  
beloved dog of the Westberg  
Family. From Amber  
Kocourek.  
In memory of Buddah, beloved  
cat of Joyce Harnden. From  
Daryl & Virginia Kerzman.  
In memory of Buddy, our  
beloved cat. From Roger &  
Esther Maier.  
In loving memory of Charlie Tu,  
beloved canine companion.  
From Helen Kavonius.  
In memory of Chili. From  
Frances Vobr.  
In special memory of Chip,  
Max, Chico & ChiChi. From  
Dean & Valerie Peterson.  
In memory of Coco, beloved  
canine. From Aaron  
Johnson.  
In memory of Dakota & Bella,  
my beloved cats. From  
Meredith Barges.  
In honor and loving memory of  
Diablo, a sweet little soul.  
From Annette DeForest.  
In memory of my wonderful  
cat, Dido. From Neil

Souther.  
In memory of Edsel, beloved  
dog of Deb & Paul Levchuk.  
In memory of Ginger, beloved  
family dog of Nick & Dee  
Schaff. From Dave Schaff.  
In loving memory of my cats,  
my 17 year old black beauty,  
Gracie and my sweetheart,  
Tucker, age 10. From Arta  
Leno.  
In memory of Guinness,  
beloved dog of Buzz &  
Robin Benedict. From Dave  
& Peggy Anderson.  
In loving memory of Iggy. From  
Amanda, Kelsey & Kirk.  
In memory of Jack, beloved  
dog of Tanya, Ryan, Ashley  
and Emily Harris.  
In loving memory of Jada Rose  
& Pookie. From Marj Smith.  
In memory of Joy VII, beloved  
German Shepherd. From  
LoEtta Feigert.  
In memory of Kuki, Sugar and  
in honor of Jelly Bean. From  
Ann Jordheim.  
In loving memory of Les  
Nessman, beloved elderly  
feline at CDHS. From June  
Rahn.  
In memory of Libby, a dog  
acquired upon passing of a  
close friend a few years ago.  
Libby finished her earthly  
journey with Jan & Duane  
DeKrey. From Donna & Ken  
Thiede.  
In loving memory of Maggie.  
From Terry & Joyce  
Robinson.  
In memory of Max, faithful  
companion of Todd, Shirley,  
Matthew and Jordan Porter.  
From Lauri Hanson.  
In memory of Molly Narum-  
Silrum, the light of her  
"mom" Marci's eyes. She  
will be missed! From Jamie  
Christensen.  
In memory of Oliver, beloved  
dog of Ken & Connie  
Albrecht. From Dave &  
Peggy Anderson.  
In loving memory of Pandora  
Podoll. From Andrea  
Hoffman. In memory of  
Pandora, a beautiful &  
beloved family member of  
Lee & Jolene Podoll's family.  
She will forever be in our  
hearts. From Marilyn &  
Duane Luptak.  
In loving memory of our  
beautiful and elegant cat,  
Pandora. We had many good  
years with her but 10 years  
was definitely not enough.  
She will be missed. From  
Lee & Jolene Podoll.

In memory of my beloved little Chihuahua, Peanut, (formerly Princess Talon) who gave me so much joy and love. From Elaine Anderson.

In memory of Pepper, beloved companion of Allen & Jackie Boettcher. From Robert & Linda Johnson.

In memory of Pepper, companion dog of the Skagers. From Shelly Sizer.

In memory of Pepper Skager. From Sue Buchholz.

In memory of Pooh, beloved dog of Connie Hodge. From Carma Branch. In loving memory of my dog Pooh. From Connie Hodge.

In memory of Riley, a farm dog who lived a long life with the DeKrey family. Riley romped, sniffed, played & guarded joyously his whole lifelong for almost 17 years. From Ken & Donna Thiede.

In memory of Rocket, beloved family pet of Trella & Jeff Nygaard. From Donna & Ken Thiede.

In memory of Rosa, canine friend of Karen & Randy Kreil. From Keith & Paulette Trego.

In loving memory of Rose, Maddie, Mary Mac & Heidi; beloved canines. From Wayne Strand & Georgia Nelson Strand.

In memory of Ruger & Colt, much loved dogs of Louise & Clark Wetzel. From Bonny Fetch.

In memory of Sammie, beloved Mini Eskimo. From Frank & Karen Eide.

In memory of our Sammy who passed away 12-1-14. From Frank & Karen Eide.

In loving memory of Schnitzel, beloved Schnauzer of Bill & Doreen Riedman. From Jerry & Cindy Kemmet.

In memory of Shadow, beloved canine. From Mark Erickstad.

In memory of my beloved dog, Skippy. From Joyce Fetch.

In memory of Sophie Anderson, beloved dog of Elaine Anderson. From Susan Weaver.

In memory of Spencer, our beloved neighbor dog, from Lori & Doran Alfstad.

In memory of Spunkie, companion cat of Bonnie Olson. From Shelly Sizer.

In memory of Sunshine, beloved canine companion. From Marilyn Johnson.

In memory of Tina, beloved cat of Liz & Ian Sweep. From Marco, Martin & Teddy.

In memory of Wallace the cat. From Marilyn Johnson.

In memory of Weewauk, beloved dog. From Richard Dube.

In memory of Zeke, beloved dog of Dorothy Puklich. From Teresa Gardner.

Memorials from Dr Barb Espe:

In loving memory of Abby, beloved canine companion of Laura & Jeffrey Rust.

In loving memory of Abby, beloved canine companion of Nicole Key.

In loving memory of Austin, beloved canine companion of Rose Marie Porsborg.

In loving memory of Boomer, beloved feline companion of Lisa & Dan Bahr.

In loving memory of Budda, beloved feline companion of Joyce Harnden.

In loving memory of Buster, beloved canine companion of Tracy & Shawn Schaff.

In loving memory of Cody, beloved canine companion of Corey Tabert.

In loving memory of Cooper, beloved canine companion of Nicole & Jason Knopik.

In loving memory of Cooper, beloved canine companion of Sarah & Bryan Yantzer.

In loving memory of Derby, beloved feline companion of Jessica & Tannen Hebert.

In loving memory of Dexter, beloved canine companion of Kent & Karen Keller.

In loving memory of Finch, beloved feline companion of Tiffany Markewich and family.

In loving memory of Flashlight, beloved feline companion of Douglas & Rhoda Sautner and family.

In loving memory of Frankie, beloved feline companion of Laurie & Tim Meidinger.

In loving memory of Goose, beloved canine companion of Cheryl Pollert and family.

In loving memory of Jasper, beloved feline companion of Teresa Damon.

In loving memory of JoJo, beloved canine companion of Steve McNeil.

In loving memory of Kitty, beloved feline companion of Andrea Hoffman.

In loving memory of Kobe, beloved canine companion of Erika Barnick.

In loving memory of Kya, beloved canine companion of Heather & Shane Voegele.

In loving memory of Lady, beloved canine companion of Paul Trauger.

In loving memory of Lady, beloved canine companion of Judy & Mike Davis.

In loving memory of Les Nessman, lovable old man feline at CDHS.

In loving memory of Lightning, beloved feline companion of David Bowman.

In loving memory of Matilda, beloved feline companion of Joan & Joe Riley.

In loving memory of Max, beloved canine companion of Gary & Kathy Reinhardt.

In loving memory of Max, beloved canine companion of Mark & Sheila Brunner.

In loving memory of Muffy, beloved feline companion of Glenda Emil.

In loving memory of Ozzie, beloved feline companion of Ray Leingang.

In loving memory of Penny, beloved canine companion of Pam Schank.

In loving memory of Pepper, beloved canine companion of the Skager family.

In loving memory of Ping, beloved feline companion of Sandy & Gary Gugel.

In loving memory of Pixie, beloved feline companion of Becky Solberg & Family.

In loving memory of Pooh, beloved canine companion of Connie Hodge.

In loving memory of Ralph, beloved canine companion of Mark Handtmann.

In loving memory of Redlin, beloved feline companion of Jim Raile.

In loving memory of Resistol, beloved feline companion of Taunia Martin.

In loving memory of Rosa, beloved canine companion of Randy & Karen Kreil.

In loving memory of Rowdy, beloved canine companion of Dodey Manley.

In loving memory of Shamus, beloved canine companion of Robyn & Buzz Benedict.

In loving memory of Skittles, beloved feline companion of Valerie Olheiser.

In loving memory of Skittles, beloved canine companion of Russ & Tammy Leingang.

In loving memory of Snickers, beloved canine companion of Pam VanBek.

In loving memory of Sophie, beloved feline companion of Karen & Bob Pedigo.

In loving memory of Sox/Kitty, beloved feline companion of Kendra & Ryan Clark.

In loving memory of Spunky, beloved feline companion of Bonnie Olson.

In loving memory of Sydney, beloved canine companion of Donna Sorenson.

In loving memory of Taz, beloved canine companion of Annette Johnson.

In loving memory of Teaky, beloved feline companion of Laura Balliet.

In loving memory of Tigger, beloved feline companion of Dean Molstad.

In loving memory of Tigger, beloved feline companion of Alan Klein.

In loving memory of Toby, beloved canine companion of Kevin Sturn.

In loving memory of Twila, beloved feline companion of Susan Holland.

In loving memory of Tucker, beloved feline companion of Arta Leno.

In loving memory of Zoey, beloved canine companion of Scarlett & Bryce Eckholm and family.

**Honors:**

In honor of Londyn Frantsvog. Merry Christmas from Larry & Kaye Entzel.

In honor of Dani Scharnowske. Merry Christmas from Kim Kalvoda & Brandon Swenson.

In honor of the Nathan Hendrickson family. From Rob & Lynette Hendrickson.

In honor of William & Gail Baron being such good friends and for the bulldog figures. From Kelvin & Dorothy Kosse.

In honor and loving memory of Delores "Laurie" McCormack. From Nicole Frank.

In honor of Tami & Family. Merry Christmas from James & Sandra Saylor.

In honor of Colleen & Gary Garland's anniversary. Happy Anniversary from Larry & Patty Wood.

In honor of Shelly Kohler's birthday. Happy birthday from Ronda Kohler.

In honor of Sandy Wiedenmeyer. Congratulations on your retirement! From her children & grandchildren.

In honor of Jennifer Greuel's volunteer service to CDHS.

In honor of Jay Nelson. Merry Christmas!

In honor of Neil & Tami Charvat. Merry Christmas from Julie Dalsin.

In honor of Kurt Weinberg and Family. Merry Christmas from Erich Weinberg.

In honor of Duffy & Esta Hertz. From Vicki Hertz.

In honor of Virginia & Daryl Kerzman's February birthdays. Happy birthday from Delores Friedt.

In honor of Deb & Wes Ellison. Merry Christmas from Rebecca Brink.

In honor of Colette Sukut. From Maxine Tobler.

In honor of Conradine Zarndt. From Diane Ferree.

In honor of Ruby's 10th adoption anniversary on February 1st. From Jan Hamilton.

In honor of Carol Sundby. From Frank & Susanne Vetsch.

In honor of Jaden Theiss. Merry Christmas!

In honor of Matthew Joersz. From Richard Joersz.

In honor of Brent & Dawnnett & Family. Merry Christmas from James & Sandra Saylor.

In honor of Jennie Kuller and in loving memory of Iggy. Merry Christmas from Amanda, Kelsey & Kirk.

In honor of Daryl & Virginia Kerzman. Merry Christmas from Larry & Patty Wood.

In honor of the Weisz brothers; Doug, Don, David, Dwight, Danny, Dale and their families. From Peggy & Don Weisz.

In honor of the following Doctors of Veterinary Medicine and Veterinary Clinics that we have the privilege to work with in Bismarck/Mandan and the surrounding communities: Heart River Animal Hospital, Pinehurst Veterinary Hospital, Missouri Valley Veterinary Clinic, Interstate Veterinary Clinic, All Pets Veterinary Clinic, Lewis & Clark Animal Hospital, Kraft Mobile Veterinary Clinic, Doc's Veterinary Clinic, Johnson Veterinary Clinic, New Salem Veterinary Clinic, Knife River Veterinary Clinic, Steele Veterinary Clinic, Garrison Veterinary Service & Elgin Veterinary Service. From Dakota Pharmacy.

In honor of Madelyn Engels. Merry Christmas!



# Adoptable Pets

See more CDHS adoptable pets on the web at [www.cdhs.net/adoptablepets.htm](http://www.cdhs.net/adoptablepets.htm)



**Annie**  
Spayed Female  
Short Hair (DSH)  
Buff  
Approximate date of birth: May 2008  
Origin: Owner Surrender



**Buddy**  
Neutered Male  
Border Collie/Wire Hair Cross  
Approximate date of birth: April 2014  
Origin: Owner Surrender



**Claudia**  
Unspayed Female  
Short Hair (DSH)  
Calico  
Approximate date of birth: March 2014  
Origin: Unclaimed Impound



**Cooper**  
Neutered Male  
Beagle Mix  
Approximate date of birth: March 2010  
Origin: Owner Surrender



**Doogy**  
Unneutered Male  
Blue Heeler  
Approximate date of birth: April 2014  
Origin: Stray



**Natalie Coal**  
Spayed Female  
Short Hair (DSH)  
Black  
Approximate date of birth: October 2012  
Origin: Owner Surrender



**Fiasco**  
Neutered Male  
Shepherd Cross  
Approximate date of birth: March 2012  
Origin: Abandoned



**Kit**  
Spayed Female  
Orange Tabby with White; short hair  
Approximate date of birth: February 2001  
Origin: Stray



**Mango**  
Spayed Female  
Short Hair (DSH)  
Muted Tortie  
Approximate date of birth: September 2013  
Origin: Stray



**Patty**  
Unspayed Female  
Short Hair (DSH)  
Gray and White  
Approximate date of birth: March 2013  
Origin: Stray



**Twiggy**  
**Adopted**



**Francheska**  
Unspayed Female  
Black Lab Cross  
Approximate date of birth: March 2014  
Origin: Stray



**McKenna**  
Spayed Female  
White with gray tabby spots; medium hair  
Approximate date of birth: March 2010  
Origin: Unclaimed Impound



**Unsub**  
Unneutered Male  
Lab/Boxer Cross  
Approximate date of birth: April 2013  
Origin: Abandoned



**Tahoe**  
Spayed Female  
Short Hair (DSH)  
Brown Tabby  
Approximate date of birth: March 2003  
Origin: Owner Surrender

## Honors continued

In honor of Virginia & Daryl Kerzman's anniversary. Happy Anniversary from Larry & Patty Wood.  
In honor of Allison & Derek Zylewicz. Merry Christmas from Monty & Karla Stack.  
In honor of Virginia Bieber, Wendi Holz & Genell Bogner, 3 of my most cherished friends that are there for me through all life's challenges. From Betsy Hamkens.  
In honor of Alex Theiss. Merry Christmas!  
In honor of Lee & Chelsie & Family. Merry Christmas from James & Sandra Saylor.  
In honor of Sara Joersz. From Richard Joersz.  
In honor of Janet & Kevin Jahr's birthdays. Happy birthday to you both from Mike & Judy Donahue.  
In honor of Sydney Sweep. Merry Christmas from Laura Kourajian.  
In honor of Pat & Oscar Hillius and our years of friendship. From Marlene Magilke.  
In honor of Kadya Mason.

Merry Christmas from Larry & Kaye Entzel.  
In honor of Tana Pendergast and all she does for CDHS. From Rob & Kathy Molskness.  
In honor of Jay & Tammy & Family. Merry Christmas from James & Sandra Saylor.  
In memory and in honor of Elmer & Evelyn Klipstein from John & Glenda Klipstein Sevcik.  
In honor of my sisters, Joan Onstad, Carol Althaus and Sylvia Olson. Merry Christmas from Arta Leno.  
In honor of Will's 8th birthday. Happy Birthday Will!!  
In honor of Jayden Frantsvog. Merry Christmas from Larry & Kaye Entzel.  
In honor of Parker Theiss. Merry Christmas!  
In honor of Colleen Garland's birthday. Happy Birthday from Larry & Patty Wood.  
In honor of Mary Loftsgard's birthday. Happy Birthday from Colette Sukut, Sheldon Loftsgard, Maudie Stoller,

Rose Stoller.  
In honor of Bryn, Calvin, Max and Hendrix, beloved canines. From Wayne Strand & Georgia Nelson Strand.  
In honor of Morley & MaryAnn Stack. Merry Christmas from Catherine Stack.  
In honor of Sean & Becky & Family. Merry Christmas from James & Sandra Saylor.  
In honor of Trevon Nelson. Merry Christmas!  
In honor of Rachel Larson. From Richard Joersz.  
In honor of Afton Ross. Merry Christmas from Nanny & Papa!  
In honor of Colleen & Gary Garland. Merry Christmas from Larry & Patty Wood.  
In honor of Dawson Frantsvog. Merry Christmas from Larry & Kaye Entzel.  
In honor of the Petula Book Club.  
In honor of Brad & Michelle. Merry Christmas from James & Sandra Saylor.  
In honor of Andrew Theiss. Merry Christmas!

In honor of Ginger Ilich. Merry Christmas from Larry & Patty Wood.  
In honor of my caring niece, Mandy Schaaf & her husband Craig. From Donna Dushek.  
In honor of Bev Keeseey's birthday. Happy Birthday from Larry & Patty Wood.  
In honor of Jesse & Ashlie. Merry Christmas from James & Sandra Saylor.  
In honor of Alyssa Lichtenberger. Merry Christmas from Larry & Kaye Entzel.  
In honor of my best friend, Jan Melgaard. Merry Christmas from Arta Leno.  
In honor of Candy & Lonnie Kulseth. Merry Christmas from Monty & Karla Stack.  
In honor of Dave Schaaf. Merry Christmas from Larry & Patty Wood.  
In honor of Steve & Toni & Family. Merry Christmas from James & Sandra Saylor.  
In honor of Arianna Nelson. Merry Christmas!

In honor of Caitlin Larson. From Richard Joersz.  
In honor of Tim & Cathy. Merry Christmas from James & Sandra Saylor.  
In honor of Shadow Stanek & Carlos Netzer. Two of the sweetest grand-dogs. From Myron & Katherine Netzer.  
In honor of Ethan Frantsvog. Merry Christmas from Larry & Kaye Entzel.  
In honor of Tayah Ross. Merry Christmas from Nanny & Papa!  
In honor of Shelbey & Adam. Merry Christmas from James & Sandra Saylor.  
In honor of Maudie Stoller's 92nd birthday. Happy Birthday from Rose Stoller, Sheldon & Mary Loftsgard!  
In honor of Matt. Merry Christmas from James & Sandra Saylor.

## Please support these businesses that display CDHS donation canisters

*A Buck or So*  
*All Pets Veterinary Clinic*  
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*Cashman Nursery*  
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*Cenex Convenience Store/Hot Stuff*  
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*Cloverdale Country Store*  
*Cozy Creek Coffee & Gifts*  
*Creative Clay*  
*Crown Butte Kennels*  
*D'Fine Tanning & Hair Salon*  
*Dakota Pharmacy*  
*Dollar Store – Mandan*  
*Expressway C-Store*

*Fiesta Villa*  
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*Gas Plus*  
*Gold Label Feeds – Bismarck*  
*Gourmet Doggy Diner*  
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*Hair 2000*  
*Healthy Dog Center*  
*Heart River Animal Hospital*  
*Hey Ocean – Bismarck*  
*Home Run C-Store*  
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*KT Animal Supply*  
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*Kirkwood Tesoro*  
*Kroll's – North*  
*Lander's Interstate Conoco*  
*Latitudes Gallery & Gifts*  
*Lewis & Clark Animal Hospital*  
*Little Caesar's Pizza*  
*Little Caesars Pizza – North*

*Little Cottage Café*  
*Little Dukes (Cashwise gas station)*  
*Lucky Duck's Deli*  
*M&H Gas*  
*M&M Sausage and Meats*  
*MacKenzie River Pizza, Grill & Pub*  
*Magnolias*  
*Mandan Public Library*  
*Marshall Lumber Company – Mandan*  
*Midway Lanes*  
*Midway Liquor*  
*Missouri Valley Vet Clinic*  
*Mocha Momma's – Mandan*  
*Norleen Conitz – State Farm Insurance*  
*– Mandan*  
*Northwind Home & Garden*  
*Pinehurst Veterinary Clinic*  
*Plato's Closet – Bismarck*  
*Plaza Drug*  
*Polar Package*  
*Pony Express at Expressway & South*  
*Washington St.*  
*Red Trail Petro & Pizza*  
*Rock'N 50's Café*  
*Rolling Hills Restaurant – Mandan*  
*Runnings Farm & Fleet – Bismarck*

*Runnings Farm & Fleet – Mandan*  
*Schwartz Chiropractic Center –*  
*Mandan*  
*Scotty's Drive-In*  
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*Simonson's North*  
*Space Aliens Grill & Bar*  
*Stamart – Bismarck*  
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*West Dakota Meats*  
*Western Unlimited*



- Those are some folks that also do great things for people and pets!
- 🐾 Thank you to Gus! He saved up \$20 from his allowance to give to the pets at CDHS.
  - 🐾 Thank you to the students at Rita Murphy/Liberty Elementary for all their donations of cash and needs list supplies. Thanks for visiting the shelter. You rock!
  - 🐾 Thank you to Dakota Fence for their donation of supplies for the shelter.
  - 🐾 Thank you to Earthkind. Their supporters, Nicole Benedict and Laurie Tollefson Wagner, nominated CDHS to receive cash donations and a case of Fresh Cab Rodent Repellant. A perfect product for CDHS!
  - 🐾 Thank you to Caeden Schmidt. At his birthday party, he asked his friends to give CDHS items from our needs list instead of getting presents for himself. Happy birthday!

- 🐾 Thank you to Alyssa Weigel, a teacher at Lincoln Elementary School. Alyssa worked with Mandy, our volunteer coordinator, to set up a Skype tour of the shelter. Rather than bring all five classes of kindergarten students to the shelter, the kids got to meet some dogs and cats and do a walk-through tour of the shelter via Mandy's phone and a computer in their classrooms. They learned about the animals, the shelter and proper animal care. Technology is a wonderful thing – and so is Lincoln Elementary!
- 🐾 Hats off to Kim Jondahl and Jessica Rockeman – the authors of the book, "Cattitude: The Art of Cool Cat Photography." They donated proceeds from the sale of their book at the Internet Cat Video Festival – which was a part of the Dakota Digital Film Festival event. Thanks so much for caring about cats!

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Bismarck-Mandan's

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## Become a Facebook Fan

The CDHS fan page is a great way to stay informed about all our upcoming events, get a peek at our furry shelter residents and find out about the success stories of adopted pets. If you have adopted from us, be sure to post a picture and an update. Seeing those happy pets in loving homes is one of our favorite things!!



## BECOME A CDHS MEMBER TODAY!



Memberships include a newsletter subscription. You will receive a complimentary one-year membership if you adopt a pet from the CDHS shelter. Memberships are tax-deductible to the extent of the law.

### Membership Categories (check one):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> \$10 - Junior (under 18) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$150 - Pet Fanatic                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$20 - Individual (1)    | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500 - CDHS Builder                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$30 - Family (2+)       | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1000-\$1999 - Lifetime Member       |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> \$50 - Cat Lover         | <input type="checkbox"/> \$5000+ - Lifetime Leader of the Pack |
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### Tax-Deductible Donation Categories:

- \$12.50/month - kennel sponsor (one-year commitment)
- \$25 - Adopt-A-Pet ad, published monthly in the Bismarck Tribune
- \$ \_\_\_\_\_ - monthly donation (CDHS will send an authorization form for your signature.)
- \$ \_\_\_\_\_ - additional donation amount

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### Send to:

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## CDHS Shelter Hours

**Tuesday thru Friday: 1 p.m. to 6 p.m.**

**Saturday: 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.**

**Sunday and Monday: Closed**

## CDHS Mission Statement

*Purpose: The purposes for which the Corporation is organized are:*

1. To provide for, house, rehabilitate, and relocate lost, strayed or homeless animals.
2. To provide appropriate medical services.
3. To foster and promote humane treatment for all animals.
4. To encourage proper responsibility by owners of animals in their care, training or control.
5. To cooperate in the enforcement of laws that protect animals from cruelty or neglect.
6. To promote spaying and neutering of companion animals to avoid unwanted litters.
7. To help bring about a time when no more abused and/or abandoned animals will be destroyed anywhere.
8. To do such acts and exercise such powers - within the law - as may be necessary, desirable or incidental to the carrying out of the purposes specified above.



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# Get started with WoofTrax

Wooftrax is a free smartphone app that will support CDHS with a donation every time you walk your dog. To get started, download the app onto your iPhone or Android. When you are ready to walk, simply press "Start Walking for.." and select 'Central Dakota Humane Society.' The app keeps track of your walk. When your walk is done, it is credited to CDHS.

Every walk counts, whether it's a quick walk around the block or a long hike. If you don't have a dog, that's okay too! You can choose the "Walk for Cassie" option or create your dream dog by going to the setup tab and adding a dog. This app also has some great features such as a map of your walk, how long you walked and dates. It also shows how many other people are walking for CDHS. If you want more info, please check out the Wooftrax website at [www.wooftrax.com](http://www.wooftrax.com) or their Facebook page. The more people walking for us, the more we get donated, so please spread the word about Wooftrax!



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