



Morning Starr No-Kill Animal Sanctuary

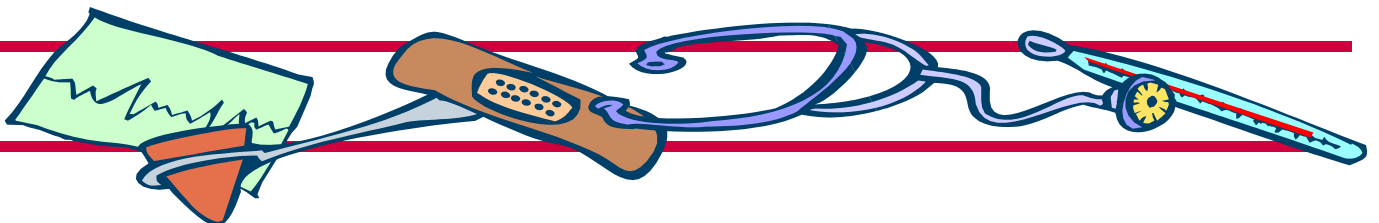
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TRULY, A NEW BEGINNING!!

In the last newsletter we announced our new goal of opening a low cost spay/neuter clinic. We are happy to announce that we have purchased a building to house our clinic. This is our first step towards our new goal! Now the hard work begins in order to prepare the building. The clinic must follow certain standards in order to comply with a veterinarian inspection as well as some county codes. We need to replace all carpet with smooth non porous tile and do some painting with high gloss paint. We would love to find someone to donate the tile, preferably white! We also need to do some remodeling, for example, some light fixtures need changing, new toilet and we need to put in a door way where there isn't one. The building has 3 suites and the one that will house the low cost spay/neuter clinic is currently being rented at this time so we must wait until the tenants vacate. That is why we are not giving out the address yet as we want to respect the privacy of the tenants. We will however be able to accept any donations for the low cost spay/neuter clinic and store them in one of the other suites until we are ready for them. The tenants lease is up June 1 the latest. We do have a wish list of supplies for our clinic (see insert). By having these items donated or a donation to purchase these items, we will be able to get the clinic up a running faster. If you know of any veterinary clinic that is replacing older equipment we would love to accept them as a donation or we can pay a reasonable price. Please look at our "wish list" and spread the word. We would be more than happy to make a plaque for any donors who would like to have their name and donation put up in the clinic. It could be in the memory of a loving pet that has passed. We will have an open house in a couple months so look for our progress in up and coming newsletters! If you would like more information please call us at 928-821-2420.



MAGGIE'S CORNER

Maggie weighed in at 101.4 pounds about 4 weeks ago. Not only do I know how much she weighs but she is also noticing that if she uses this weight she can win the battle to not do something she does not want to just by standing firm and not moving. Have you ever tried to move a hundred pound dog? I am finding out that it is not easy. I believe it is teaching me is to have more patience. Trying new motivators, like food, a different approach and always thinking of new ideas. These large breeds are in a league of their own. Because she is also part St. Bernard she has a very stubborn streak. It is very important to keep up the training and asking her to do simple tasks like sit and stay just to keep in place that she must listen to me. The walk is very important at this stage and though she goes to the dog park I will start to do more walking with her. I read recently a very good message. It said that, if you don't have time to train a dog then get a stuffed one. Good message. All dogs need us to put the time in to train them to be good citizens. Lets all do our part!



Morning Starr will be attending The Red Rock Pet Adoption-Adopt-A-Thon

Hosted by Red Rose Inspiration for Animals and Sedona Community Foundation. **Saturday, May 12 from 9-3.** Location: It will take place at Posse Grounds Park, 525 Posse Ground Road.

We will be at this great event so come by our booth and buy a ticket for many wonderful prizes. We will have dog biscuits for the dogs, price baskets for a dog and cat. Fran's famous rhythm beads for horses and special silver animal charms. Buy a ticket for \$1.00 for a free spay/neuter for a dog or cat. Come by and hear about our wonderful new vision of our new low cost spay neuter clinic! Find out how you can help us to accomplish this dream.

Bring the animals and the kids for a wonderful day. Admission is free and get ready for lots of free samples for you family pets!

Many other rescue groups will be attending so if you are thinking of adding to your family come on out and find you next new best friend. There will be so many wonderful animals just waiting for you to come and find them.

PASS IT ON, SEE YOU THERE!!

For more information contact Tina at 928-282-5278 or Info@redroseinspiration.org

WE HAVE A GRANT FOR SPAY/NEUTER!

I am pleased to announce that the ASPCA has granted us funds to help in our "Litter Prevention Spay/Neuter Project for Camp Verde, Arizona. We have a total of \$5,000.

The rules of this project is that we shall be able to assist with 20 cat spays, 18 cat neuters, 20 dog spays and 18 dog neuters. This assistance is for the residence of Camp Verde, AZ., only.



This newsletter is dedicated to Donavon who was a trusted friend and companion of one of the readers of this newsletter. He was the cutest whippet at the dog park and was always a gentlemen with the other dogs. He had the loveliest coats in the cooler weather. We were very sorry to hear of his passing but we know he was loved right to the end of his long life. We love you Donavon and know that you are missed by many dog lovers.



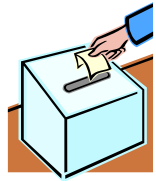
The SNAP counter
 In 2011 we assisted with 383 spay/neuters. We are now resetting the counter to start over from Jan. 1, 2012. thanks to you!
Dogs & Cats spay/neuters so far 119
 Please donate to our spay neuter assistance fund today!



There's still time to WIN A SPAY/NEUTER for \$1.00!!

Look for the ticket box at Cornville Pet Clinic. Buy a ticket for \$1.00 for a chance to win a spay/neuter for a dog or cat! You don't have to be a patient to buy a ticket, just stop by. Buy as many as you like. The draw is on March 9, 2012. The second draw is on May 18, 2012.

If you win, you will be contacted by phone. You may donate the spay/neuter to someone else if you don't need it. You may buy a ticket at the event in Sedona too! Surgery must be done at Cornville Pet Clinic, 634-1445



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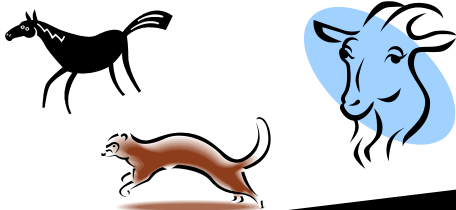
All proceeds from ticket sales go towards our Spay/Neuter Assistance Program

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\$15 _____ \$25 _____
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\$100 _____ Spay/Neuter Fund \$ _____

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ email _____

Please give generously.

Thank you in advance for your generous gift.



Help! We Always Need Lots Of Stuff!



- **Alfalfa Hay** or any other feed may be purchased at Olsen's Grain. If you leave your name and address, a tax receipt will be sent to you. Call Olsen's at 928-649-3900 they know exactly what we need.
- Halters, lead ropes, new or used.
- **Lots of Equine Sr. for the Sr. horses.**
- **Corral Panels**
- Timothy hay for rabbits.
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- **Horse corral panels**
- **Surgical bandages and**

equipment.

- **Gently used surgical tables and exam tables**
- **Gently used office furniture**
- **STRAW**
- **White Tile**
- High Gloss paint
- Donate to our spay/neuter fund!
- **Grant Writer**

You may also make a donation through *paypal* on our website at www.morningstarr.org

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