

HUMANE SOCIETY OF WHITLEY COUNTY

951 South Line Street, Columbia City, Indiana

Hours: Tues, Wed & Fri 12-5pm, Thurs 12-7pm, Sat 11-4 pm



“What’s Happening” at the Shelter

November-December, 2016

IT’S AUCTION TIME!

You still have time to get your ticket to the 18th Annual Whitley County Humane Society Auction! This year’s auction will be held at the Whitley County 4H Center in Columbia City. Only \$10 per person, you’ll receive dinner and a chance to help homeless animals in our community. Tickets can be purchased at the shelter or the night of the event, November 12th. Doors open at 4:30pm, dinner served at 4:30pm and the auction fun starts at 6:00pm.

Some of the items up for auction will be tickets to Disney World, the Indianapolis Zoo, Henry Ford Museum and the Fort Wayne Komets! Lots of items such as a Coach purse, jewelry, furniture, baskets of children’s goodies and lots of cat and dog baskets will also be open for bids. There will be something for everyone! Join us for a fun evening in support of the animals at the Whitley County Humane Shelter.

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OUR WISH LIST:

There are always items the shelter needs to keep the animals and the shelter clean and happy. But one of the most urgent needs is **volunteers!** Many hands make light work, and more hands are desperately needed. If you’ve ever thought about helping, now is the time. If you are willing to wash dishes, fold laundry, mop floors or stuff envelopes, we need you! Do you have experience answering phones, filing or making copies? Then you can help! Would you like to walk dogs, or help care for cats? Please come and talk to us. There are all sorts of ways you can help, all of them contribute to making the Whitley County Humane Shelter a better place for the animals in our care. Contact us at **260-244-6664** today. We’ll find rewarding ways you can help make the animals’ lives better and find them permanent homes.

Physical items we need are listed below.

Postage Stamps
Bleach
Dish soap
Disinfecting Wipes
Cat Litter (non-clumping)
2 1/4” cash register tape
AAA batteries
Canned Dog Food
Letter-size copy paper
Letter-size manila file folders
Toner for Brother MFC7360 printer
Toner for HPM 5035 printer

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Sometimes you just need someone to sit quietly with you and listen to the world. If that sounds good,

come and meet me, **BEE**. I am a buff color, green eyed, **SPAYED** female who was a stray before coming to the shelter in late August. I’m naturally reserved and quiet, and willing to be a loyal companion. At around 1 year old, I have a long life ahead to spend with someone special. If you need a friend, I do too. Let’s meet soon.

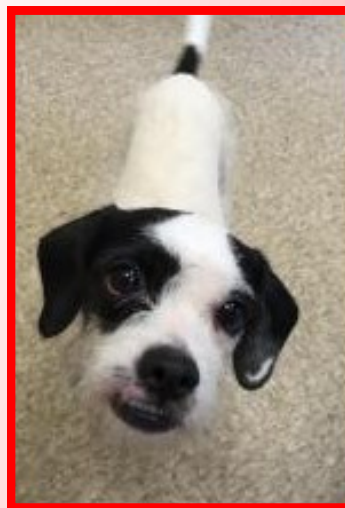


You won’t find a sweeter girl than me, **ONITA!** I was brought to the shelter in early July as a stray. I needed some extra

attention so went home with a foster mom. She calls me sleek and sophisticated. My black coat is soft and shiny too. We’ve been practicing my lap cat skills and I’m pretty good at snuggling and warming up a friendly lap. I love a good game of chase too. If you want to adopt a friendly, fun girl, we have to meet soon. I’m just the girl for you! (**SPAYED**)

They named me **MONICA** when I came in. My owner had to give me up because she was moving and it was really scary here for a while. It took about a week to trust the people here caring for me but now we

are great friends. They guess my age to be about 5 years old. I am a very sweet girl once you get to know me and I would love to be a lap dog. It’s not so bad here now, but I sure would love a forever home of my own. If you could give that to me, I would love you forever! (**SPAYED**)



I’m **TYSON** and I am a 2 year old American Staffordshire terrier with a black and white coat. I came to the shelter in early September and now I am looking for my new people. I

am a good boy and already know sit, shake, stay, and come. They tell me I am pretty smart so you can teach me even more! I like to play fetch and squeaky toys are always fun too. I would make a great family pet but would do best in a home with no kitties. I hope to find my forever family soon so we can have tons of fun together!

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Hi, I'm
MARCO
and I am a
4 year old
Jack
Russel mix.
I am pretty
fun to be
around and
would
make a
great



addition to your family. I get along well
with other dogs and I love to go for walks
(I could use a few extra walks since I'm
about 15 pounds overweight, but who's
counting, right?) I can't wait to find my
forever people and I hope that could be
you! Please come meet me soon!

My name is **LINCOLN** and I have been
bounced around from home to home and
am so ready for something stable and
forever! I am a 4 year old chihuahua mix,
already neutered. I am a sweet boy but
can be shy upon first meeting. I would do
best in a home with no small children just
because I am shy. I hope to find my real
forever people really soon and maybe that
could be you!



Hello, my
name is
JADEN
and I am a
beautiful
brown
mackerel
tabby
female.
They think I
was born in
May. All I



remember is the day I was brought to the
shelter as a stray in late June. I was very
scared at first, but a foster mom took me
home and helped me to relax. Now I've
grown big enough to meet new people. I'm
just waiting for the right person to come
and find me here. I have a lot of love to
give and want to meet someone special
very soon! **(SPAYED)**

On that one special day in mid-August, I
got all kinds of gifts, a safe place to stay,
good food, fresh water and people who
love me. I am **WRANGLER**, a sweet
boy with a buff-colored coat. I was born in
June this year. Being a stray was hard, but
life is getting better. I'm told the best life I
can
possibly
imagine will
be with a
new family.
I just have
to be
patient and
wait. I
know my
people will
find me
here. Are
you my new family? **(NEUTERED)**



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My name is **BRYSON** and I’m a friendly guy! I was a stray when I was brought here in mid-July. They guess I was born in May. I love it here, as I feel safe and cared for. But I can’t stay



forever. I’m looking for a good person who I can be best friends with. If you like my brown mackerel tabby and white coat and my sweet pink nose, I would like to talk to you. I’m ready to move into your family and love you for life! **(NEUTERED)**



Do you believe the best things come in small packages? Then you’ll want to meet me, **GLORIA!** I am a classic

brown tabby girl, just as sweet as I can be! They guess I was born in June this year, so I’m tiny now but I’ll grow into a gorgeous adult. I am naturally affectionate, and love to play with anything that moves. The only thing I lack is a forever home. If you can make a commitment to care for me, I will make a commitment to be your best friend! Please come and meet me here.

Hi, I’m **TRIPP** and I am a 4 year old Beagle mix with plenty of energy to go around! I like to go for bike rides and enjoy spending



time outside. Toys are pretty fun too! I would make an awesome family dog and would love to have kids to grow up with! If you can give me the home I am looking for, please come meet me soon!



They named me **BLAKELY** when I came to the shelter as a stray in mid October. They are calling me a Rottweiler mix because of my color but I am more of a lab size. Either way, I am

cute and such a good girl! I am about 2 years old, already spayed, and looking for my forever home! I am very playful and love to be around other dogs too. If you think you have room in your home for a mutt like me, please stop in soon to meet me!

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I'm **INGRID** and I am a 6 year old American Staffordshire mix. I am a sweet girl with lots of love to give to my new family. I get along well with other dogs and would be fine with kids too! I love to cuddle and get attention and if you would like a sweet girl in your life like me, come meet me soon!

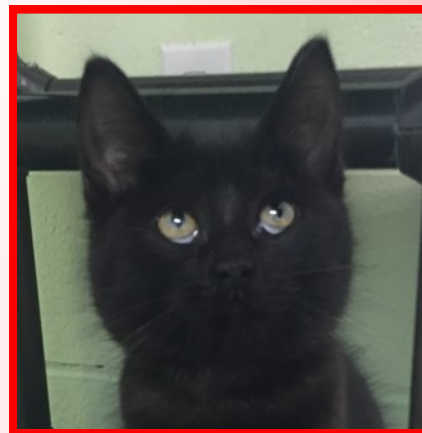


I'm **ARIES** and I am a pretty black female shepherd mix about 10 months old! I have tons of energy and am looking for those special people who are as

active as I am! I love to go for walks and bike rides and can't wait to explore on new adventures with you! I love to play and I get along well with other dogs too. Do you think you and I are the perfect fit? Come meet me today!

DEANNE

is a good name to start off my new life. Being here at the shelter is the start of a new life for a stray like me. I



came into the shelter in late July. It was lonely out there by myself. I prefer to have some companionship, someone I can bond with. Meeting me in person you will see I have a gorgeous classic black coat and a sweet face. I'm still a baby, born in April this year. So I have lots of time to love someone like you! **(SPAYED)**



They named me

NEWTON

the day I was brought to the shelter in August. I'm so glad to be here, where I have everything I need.

Everything but a permanent

home. If you come to the shelter, ask for me, the cutest black and white

NEUTERED male kitten here! I'm very playful, and affectionate too. They say I was born in May so I'm young and have plenty of time to love you and your family. Let's meet soon!

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT:

We are very grateful to everyone who has contributed supplies to help support the animals at the shelter.

Thank you for donated items

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We are very grateful to everyone who has contributed time, supplies, or cash to help support the animals at the shelter. We could not continue to care for the animals without your support!

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☐ **YES, I want to help and become a Friend of the Shelter!**

Friends will receive a bi-monthly newsletter from the shelter, email updates on the shelter's upcoming events and more!

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Yearly Friend Donation:

☐ **Individual - \$30**

☐ **Family - \$50**

☐ **Corporate - \$100**

☐ **I also would like to become a sustaining Friend and donate an additional \$_____ per month.**

If donating with a check, please write FRIEND on your check and mail it in monthly. If paying with credit/debit card, monthly sustaining donations will be drawn the first week of each month and a receipt will be emailed to you, or mailed if no email is on

☐ Check enclosed # _____

Make check payable to the: **Humane Society of Whitley County • P. O. Box 245, Columbia City, IN 46725**

☐ **Credit Card**

I authorize a credit card payment of \$ _____ on my ☐ Visa ☐ MC ☐ Amex

Account # _____ Exp. Date _____ / _____ 3 digit security code on back of card _____

Signature _____

☐ **Contact me about volunteering for the Humane Society.**

**Join
Now!**

Friends of the Shelter

Help those who can't help themselves . . .



For more information please contact us at 260-244-6664 or www.hswc.org

THANK YOU! Your donation to the Humane Society of Whitley County is tax deductible (we are 501(c)3 not-for-profit organization) and supports our mission of improving **all** life in Whitley County.



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- HOURS -

Sunday & Monday Closed
Tuesday & Wednesday 12 - 5
Thursday 12 - 7 Friday 12 - 5
Saturday 11 - 4

What Your Contribution Means

Most of us, at some point in our lives, want to be able to say *I made a difference*. Being able to play a part in promoting community education or knowing that we, in a small way, helped brighten somebody's otherwise lonely day is something to be quite proud of. Knowing that we will give comfort to frightened animals or be responsible for the joy a family feels when they are reunited with their lost pet will let you know that you have done well. All of this, and so much more, is made possible in part by contributions from community members like you. Please donate now so you too will be able to say . . .

I made a difference!