More space, more help, more homes!

Bigger shelter brings us a record number of transfers

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Message From the Executive Director

When we moved into our new shelter last fall, we knew many things would change. They would have to, by nature – we’re in a facility with twice the square footage of the building that served us so well for 30-plus years! We approached the change with excitement and some anxiety – while we needed our facility to be larger for the animals and staff/volunteers, we didn’t want to lose our “Mom and Pop” feel. It’s the personal connection with our customers, our volunteers, our supporters, that has defined us.

Of course, with a bigger building, it takes a lot longer to find one another than it did in the last one. (We invested in walkie-talkies early!) But we’ve quickly found a very big plus with this new space: We can help so many more animals! (And by extension, people, too.)

As we celebrate all the reasons we love our new shelter, I’d like to bring your attention to a subject you probably can’t recall me highlighting in the past. In the “old days” (which is only about seven months ago!), we were very limited on how many animal transfers we could take in from other shelters and rescues. It’s time to share a stunning statistic: By the end of April, we took in 400-plus transfers. In ALL of 2020, there were 297 transfers. Now, we always help our neighbors first – Minnesota/Upper Midwestern animal welfare organizations are among our top priorities. When our Upper Midwest partners are taken care of, we can expand our reach to help our friends in the Southern states.

Believe it or not, we’ve even transferred in several cats so far this year – something that would’ve been nearly unheard of in the days of our old building. It’s no secret there’s a cat overpopulation issue in the Upper Midwest, and we already take in many more cats than dogs. In the old building, while we worked hard to place cats, we didn’t necessarily “go looking” for extra ones – well, this year we’ve been able to do that through our transfers! We’re so very grateful and fortunate there’s still a high demand to adopt, and people come looking to us to help them grow their families by four paws.

This new building is giving us so much; more room for people and animals, bigger and better medical space, and a welcoming place for people to meet and greet their new family member. And while we may need walkies now, we’re never going to lose that personal, caring connection with our community. That bond means the world to us and makes us who we are.

We’re just delighted that now we have the ability to help even more people (and animals) far beyond our three-county area.

Thank you for helping us extend our reach and abilities!

Vicki Davis, CAWA

TCHS Executive Director Vicki Davis poses with Freddie, a baby guinea pig. Naming rights for Freddie and his siblings were an online silent auction item for our Wine, Kibbles & Bids fundraiser. Learn how that fundraiser did on Page 6. (The other siblings were named Bowie, Stevie, and Dolly in honor of the 1970s music icons.) Freddie was adopted the same day that this picture was taken!
Our Current Wish List

For the Animals
Help support our new shelter by making your donation at: www.tricountyhumanesociety.org/donate
Money for veterinary expenses
Feliway for cats, both sprays and diffusers**
Adaptil for dogs, both sprays and diffusers**
Kitten and all-life stages dry food**
Clay cat litter (non-clumping is preferred)**
Timothy Hay**
Meat-flavored baby food
Kitten milk replacer

For the Shelter
Gift cards to local businesses for pet/office/shelter supplies
Laundry detergent
Hand soap
Dish soap
Clorox wipes or other disinfecting wipes
Command strips (so we don’t put holes in walls!)

For the Office
White copy paper
Postage stamps (forever and postcard)

Volunteer Needs
Fosters (for any kind of animal, but especially dog-savvy ones without any other pets!)
Cleaners/dishwashers/laundry attendants
Customer service specialists
Animal transporters
Re-Tail Revisited volunteers

Recycled Items for $$
Aluminum cans (they can be dropped off in the fenced-in area along the west side of our shelter)
Used small ink cartridges (we cannot accept cellphones or large ink cartridges or toners anymore, they cost the shelter money to dispose of — thank you in advance!)
** Sold in the TCHS Re-Tail Shoppe; buy here and donate back to us! Because all our profits help us, that’s a double win for our animals!

Note: Prospective volunteers and/or fosters must apply to join our programs; applications can be found at www.tricountyhumanesociety.org, or paper applications are available at the shelter. Thank you!

TCHS hopes to add a special, permanent enclosure to our small animal room. If you are interested in donating to this effort, please email Crystal Specht at give@tricountyhumanesociety.org

Shop at TCHS

Protect your pets during flea and tick season
Spring is here - and you’ll want to be prepared! Pick up some Frontline at Tri-County Humane Society's Re-Tail Shoppe - we have the product available in various sizes as well as individual doses for dogs and cats. All the profits benefit the animals.

Pet supply thrift shop has new hours for summer
We know many of you might be out hitting garage sales this time of year, so we changed our hours for Re-Tail Revisited! They are:
9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Thursdays
9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Fridays
9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturdays
Closed on holidays.
Cash and check are preferred; face masks are required.

‘Smile’ and help TCHS
Use Amazon Smile while you’re shopping and designate TCHS as your charity of choice! (Make sure you pick us, as there are other humane societies with similar names.) It won’t cost you a penny, but it can mean hundreds of dollars in donations to us!
The Scoop … Separation Anxiety Do’s and Don’ts

By Laura Lund
TCHS Animal Care Manager

As pandemic restrictions loosen, most of us will find we are spending more time away from home. However, our dogs have become accustomed to us being constantly by their side—letting them out whenever they go to the door, or just spending more time cuddled up next to us on the couch.

Dogs are very social creatures and enjoy having us around. There will be an adjustment period, to some degree, for all dogs as we resume normal activities. There are many ways dogs suffering from separation anxiety act out. They may urinate, defecate, bark, chew, or dig. Another more extreme behavior is to try to escape through windows and/or doors, which may result in self-injury and/or destruction of your home.

If you think about it, their normal routine will be changing right along with ours. When you prepare to leave the house, your dog might pace, bark, or whine. It's tough to leave them when you hear the distressful behavior. However, upon returning your dog might act as if he hasn't seen you in years.

It is recommended that you maintain a normal routine by scheduling walks and feedings around the same time every day. If possible, some physical exercise prior to leaving the house may help to work off your dog's energy.

Laura Lund relaxes at home with Timber.

Also, finding short periods of time your dog can spend alone when you are home can help smooth the transition. Set up a comfy bed in another room that's gated off or set up a crate with a radio or TV playing to drown out noise you might make in other parts of the house. Your routine when leaving should remain the same whether it is for work or just running out to the mailbox. Puzzle toys and easily digestible chews like bully sticks keep your dog busy for a little while. You should "practice" leaving at least once a day.

Here are some more tips about separation anxiety, from the ASPCA:

**What to Do if Your Dog Becomes Distressed:** If your dog barks, cries, whines or scratches at the door during alone time while you are in the house, try to wait him out. Most dogs will give up after a few minutes and go to sleep. If he persists or the behavior escalates, you may need to do something to distract him (such as knocking on the door and saying "Quiet!") and then, after a few seconds of him being quiet, praise him and let him out. Next time, provide him with more enticing goodies and be sure to let your dog out of their alone space while they are still engaging in their puzzle toy or chew and before they begin vocalizing or scratching at the door. Just minutes per day is a good place to start.

If your dog is happily engaged in activities or resting, you can allow him to practice being alone for gradually longer stretches of time. If your dog is only distressed when you're in another part of the house, you may opt not to worry about it and simply maintain a routine of leaving your dog home alone while you leave the house for a short period of time each day. The important takeaway is that your dog routinely spends time away from the family while you stay at home and that your dog is not distressed during those periods of alone time.

**What NOT to Do:** Do not scold or punish your dog. Anxious behaviors are not the result of disobedience or spite. Your dog displays anxious behaviors when left alone because he's upset and trying to cope with a great deal of stress. If you punish him, he may become even more upset and the problem could get worse.

Seven years ago, I adopted Timber, a husky/shepherd mix, with an extreme case of separation anxiety. With appropriate time, work, and plenty of patience, he has become the most well-behaved, amazing companion. Instead of acting out in distress, he understands that I will always come back and has developed patience. He does still get a little anxious when he sees us packing the camper because he doesn't want us to leave him behind. He loves to camp!

We are so happy that despite the pandemic our adoptions have continued to climb. That means a lot of you appreciate the company of a four-legged companion. We all want the best for our pets, and this sometimes means we need to take the extra time to make them as happy and comfortable as they make us.
A Purr & Wag of the Tail to …

Jeff Engholm for choosing TCHS to receive his proceeds from the “Central MN Idol” competition for Youth Chorale of Central MN.

Employees of Gilleland Chevrolet for holding a “Jeans for Jingle” event. We received a check with a generous match from the owners!

St. Cloud Technical & Community College Computer Aided Mechanical Design Program ADDA club who hosted fundraising events throughout the school year.

Abbey Minke and Minnesota Mutt Co. for her donation from the sale of dog bandanas.

St. Cloud Flea Market for donating items for Re-tail Revisited.

Chamber’s Emerging Leaders met onsite at Tri-County Humane Society for their Feb. 9 meeting. They enjoyed lunch and networking with group members, followed by a presentation on our organization’s history and a tour of the newly built shelter.

Brenny Transportation for choosing TCHS as their Charity Recipient for March.

Don & Lois Blonigen (Digital Majik) for dropping off supplies for our shelter!

Chewy for sending us eight boxes of pet clothing.

TCHS Manager of Fund Development Crystal Specht and Don Blonigen.

Bryan Cory for volunteering his time and talent to create custom fabricated metal display pieces.

Amazon customers who made purchases through Smile. Amazon.com and designated TCHS as their charity.

Designer Caitlynn Craine for helping with our Wine, Kibbles & Bids logo.

Designer Jennifer Stricker for designing our TCHS Best Friend Blend coffee label. (See Page 6.)

Volunteer Sherry Olson for obtaining a Thivent Action Grant to benefit our surgery program. We were able to order much-needed equipment!

The Weisenbecks for bringing over donations from the Rice vet clinic.

All the volunteers who helped us transport items back from the former Kitty Korner.

Danielle Kalla for creating and donating blankets for our animals.

Karen Howard for creating beautiful handmade cards for us to use.

Cassidy Morris and Rachel Maurer for providing TCHS with accessories to use in bird care.

To the anonymous donor who gave us a basket of goodies in honor of Luna, the K-9 killed in the line of duty in Duluth.

TCHS Virtual Kitten Shower is the Cat’s Meow!

For the second consecutive year, Tri-County Humane Society organized a virtual kitten shower to help prepare our foster department for the impending kitten season! TCHS asked for in-kind and financial donations during the April 19-20 event. Well, our feline fanatics answered the call for help, as they always do: We received much-needed supplies and raised about $1,000 for the shelter! Thank you to everyone who donated!
Virtual Wine, Kibbles & Bids Breaks Silent Auction Goal

By Kate Kompas
Volunteer Coordinator

Hundreds of bidders helped Tri-County Humane Society’s virtual Wine, Kibbles, & Bids pull in a great haul for the shelter’s animals.

Although, at press time for this newsletter, organizers were still figuring out the final totals for the overall event, the silent auction raised more than $19,000 in profit, far exceeding their $15,000 goal.

Last year was the first time the major fundraising event was online only, due to COVID-19. TCHS Special Events Coordinator Angela Mundis was unsure if another virtual silent auction would capture people’s attention like it did in 2020. (Last year’s silent auction raised about $18,000.) She said she was pleasantly surprised that it did so well again.

“Our supporters really made this auction a huge success with many items being bid above their value,” Mundis said. She noted that the online wine pull also did very well, nearly selling out.

An online event isn’t the same as the traditional Wine, Kibbles & Bids dinner and silent auction at Gorecki Center at the College of St. Benedict. Still, Mundis said she was happy that 338 bidders competed for 181 items.

“Our auction is so unique with all of the handmade items we receive, it’s like no other I’ve ever seen,” Mundis said. Mundis has been special events coordinator for a little more than a year, but she was a longtime volunteer for TCHS fundraisers.

TCHS Manager of Fund Development Crystal Specht, who started in her role in February, said she was impressed with how the virtual event turned out.

“Being on this side of the Wine, Kibbles & Bids Fundraiser was really fun,” Specht said. “We have the most amazing supporters and watching them be just as excited as we were makes the event even better. They truly made this a successful year, even with the modifications to the event. We are incredibly grateful for that!”

The complete total for this year’s Wine, Kibbles & Bids will include earnings from special fundraisers put on by TCHS Board Member Bill Nelson. He was still working on some of them at the time this newsletter went to press, but suffice to say, TCHS’ fundraising team is pleased.

“Thank you to our donors and our bidders, they are the ones who have made this auction and event so successful,” Mundis said.

TCHS, Muggsy’s Beans Collaborate on Special Brew to Benefit Shelter Animals

Calling all fans of animals and coffee — there’s a new blend in town from master roaster Muggsy Lauer of Muggsy’s Beans!

Some of the proceeds from the Best Friend Blend go to our shelter, which is a more than good enough reason for us to stay caffeinated!


Special Events Coordinator Angela Mundis absolutely loves the Best Friend Blend. She also couldn’t resist a pun (or two), “It’s purr-fectly rich and flavorful, but not too rich. All different tastes will find common grrrr-ound while drinking this delicious brew.”

The Best Friend Blend made its debut on the Wine, Kibbles & Bids silent auction. A bag retails for $12, and remember, a portion of the proceeds benefit the animals at TCHS.

Flower Fundraiser, By the Numbers …

Number of vase orders: **202**

Number of volunteers involved: **9**

Estimated profit for 2021 event: **$2,450**

Thank you to our customers, volunteers, and St. Cloud Floral for another great year!
Holy Cats (and Dogs)! TCHS Sets Transfer Record

By Kate Kompas
Volunteer Coordinator

One of the immediate benefits of Tri-County Humane Society’s new shelter is how much more space it has for both people and pets. Although TCHS still does all its intakes by appointments, with more space the shelter is able to help more animals.

The shelter doesn’t have time limits on its animals – as long as an animal is happy, healthy, and generally considered fit for adoption, it will have a place at TCHS. (Sometimes, if an animal has been with the shelter for a while, staff get it placed with foster volunteers to give it a mental and physical break.)

TCHS leadership have the stats to back that we’re helping more pets. In 2020, the shelter took in 297 transfers from other animal welfare organizations. By the end of the first week of May, TCHS had taken in 430 transfers – a number that stuns even staff members.

“Adding to our lifesaving abilities is so amazing,” TCHS Animal Care Manager Laura Lund said. “We are taking from overcrowded rescues, some that are foster-based only, and giving the animals more exposure.”

In some cases, some of the dogs and cats who have been transferred in to TCHS are adopted within days of arrival.

“The rescues we work with are in awe of how quickly we place the animals in loving homes,” Lund said. “They trust us to do the best for the animals they are sending, which is a great feeling that our reputation is that good.”

This year, TCHS has had the majority of its transfers from Leech Lake Legacy (Cass Lake, Minn.), Furry Friends Rockin’ Rescue (Bismarck, N.D.), Let Love Live (a Texas-based organization with an outlet via Waseca, Minn.), Turtle Mountain (Rolla, N.D.), and Forget Me Not (Clarksville, Tenn).

“We have always said we want to help in our backyard first,” Lund said. “So working with local rescues has been a priority, and we have developed a very good relationship with Leech Lake Legacy, and have helped a few local smaller rescues since moving into our new facility.”

The demand to adopt from TCHS, up ever since COVID, is still strong. Other areas of the country are not as fortunate.

“There is a big need out there to help with shelters that are overcrowded, especially from the South,” Lund said. “The transport teams do a great job of getting them to areas of the country that seem to have less of a problem. Fortunately, we have the ability to place animals quickly here in Central Minnesota while also helping the animals in need in our area.”
Who Rescued Who?

“I adopted Otis, whose name was Chester at the time, in November of 2016. Although he was a little shy at first, he quickly settled into his new home! Otis now free-roams the home 24/7 and is fully litter-box trained. He loves expressing his excited ‘binkies’ by hopping around the home with his excited Zoomies. Otis enjoys being pet and will come up to any person when he wants attention. He has become great friends with our golden, Winston, and the two are frequently seen snuggling together throughout the day or following each other around! Otis is such a great family member and I am so happy to have found him thanks to Tri-County Humane Society!”

-Otis’ family: Kiahna, Dylan, Winston
Marvelous Mosaics: TCHS ‘Family Portraits’ Arrive!

Recently, Tri-County Humane Society received our long-awaited mosaic photos; they are made up of TCHS Capital Campaign donors’ dog and cat photos. This “Family Portrait” drive helped support our now-completed campaign for our new shelter. We can't wait for you all to see our “Family Portraits” while you’re visiting the shelter!

NUMBER OF CAT PHOTOS: 148

NUMBER OF DOG PHOTOS: 174
Dedications: In Memory of Pets

Abby
Lori, Brian & Abby Kapsner

Ace
Kate Kompas

All my pets
Lorraine Huebner

All our pets
Merle & Linda Schindele

All our pets, past, present and future
Ted & Jan Dahl

All pound puppies
Loretta Delk

All special pets in my life
Pam Loehrer

Amy
Phl and Mary Daubanton

Angel, Summer & Breezy who all crossed the rainbow bridge in 2020
Margaret Hesse

Azazel
Tabitha Herrington

Bella & Mike
Marci & Keith Rich

Belle, beloved dog of Brooke & Dennis Strassburg
Joey & Kendel Torkildson

Billy - beloved pet of Amanda MacGregor
Kelly Clue

Black & White Tuxedo
Catherine Green

Buddy
Diane & Bill Winscher

Bugsey
Robert Barr

Charley
Sara Goodrum

Charlie: My loved companion for 16 years and 10 months
Julie Aronson Dehnel

Chase
Pam Gackle

Chewy & Ewok
Michelle M. Rengel

Chloe & Annie
Mark & Laurie Mannoleff

Chuck, Judy, Liza, Brandon & Madeline Jamie Fuchs

Cinderella
Marcia Marshall

Cleopatra
Wendy Hamm

Cookie, Kitty, Tabby, Tigger, Ernie, Abby, Lucky & Sampson
Susan Held

Diana
Rose & Patrick Hegerle

Doke
James Brummer

Dot Dot
Irv and Jean Loftus

Draco
Michelle Garber

Emma, beloved cat of Todd & Rita Ackerman
Jerry & Rosalyn Fritz

Emma, Kelly & Foxie
Larry & Marilyn Grover

Etta Jane, Abby & Reggie
Jacquelyn Brunn

Eureka
Mark Zabee & Julie Peters

Freckles
Cindy Schultz

Gink & Smidgen
Phillip Moessner

Grandma Kitty
Larry Ellis

Gus
Kris Stewart

Gus, the dog who sometimes confused fetching a stick for pulling a tree up out of the ground! Much loved and greatly missed by Kris Stewart
Vicki Davis

Henry Thomas
Esther Rhoades

Homer
Loren & Renee Weinberg

Ike
Renee Dowsett

Jack
Shawna Rakhshani

Kathy Zenzen
Jack, Roxie & Rex
Jack & Joni Tardiff

Jazz
Jack Seibert

Jeanie
Annette Peters

Joey, Emha, Jake, Molley, Abby, Hunter, Eleot

Stellah, Grettah
Brenda Stanger

Josie
Melinda Anderson

KC, Mia, Willow & Oliver
Sue Cummings & Justin Heurung

Kindi, Maddie, Brie & Stewie
Ross and Romelle Anfinson

Kya
Carol McNeal

Lady & barley
Barbara & David Burandt

Leo, cherished canine friend of Bill, Emily, McKenzie, Jasmine & Maevelyn
Carole Pike

Little One
Rachel Kapsner

Lobo
Trish & Dave Welle

Loki Sabyan
Lisa Sabyan

Louie
Debbie & Kevin Wood

Louis Francois
Rebecca Benoit & John Peterson

Louise
Harry & Jean Reynolds

Lucy & Kaydee
Carla Cantrell

Maggie
Rene & Rollie Krueger

Maggie
Kate Rolstad

Meisha, Mango & Maudie
Joanne & David Dickson

Miami
Susan Rosenberg

& Jeffrey Roos

Misty
Wayne & Sue Stevens

Mittens
Tammy & Kate Kraemer

Mittens
Jill & Dustin Miller

Mollie
Julie Olson

Murray, Daisy & Buddy
Carole Packard

Nikko Elizabeth Herold
Libby Herold

Otsi
Lois Coleman

Otto, Hooter & Weezel Kris & Jack Daniels

Our sweet boy jasper
Ray & Donna Kellerman

Ozzy
Roxane Long

Peanut, Buddy & Sunny Wayne & Ginny Peterson

Penny
David Gang

Purbert, Pugsley, Shiloh & Newmon
Lisa Brownstein

Pug
Marit Elliott

Pumpkin
Shaun Merritt

Purry
Jenny & Steven Genereau

Rex (formerly Rolex) who lighted up my life from 2012-2017. Gifted little therapy dog. My heart. Becky Coulter

Rodd & Dillon
Adam & Holly Nelson

Ronrico, Max & Toby
Bernice Tschida

Rosie
Chuck & Kitty Haselkamp

Sadie & Izzi
Lynn Simonson

Sammy
Jim Sharbano,

Danielle & Mackenzie
Kudrna

Shadow & Hammer
Cory & Steph Boeckers

Sidd
Kathleen & John Parker

Simba & Shorty
Pam & Don Wostrel

Smiegel
Kim Goenner

Smoke
Taylor Montag

Snickers
Bruce & JoAnn Carolson

Sylvester & Sawyer
Kirk & Terry Atkinson

Tari, Melissa, Laddie, Patches & Ladd
Barbara & Thomas Frank

Taylor, the gentle warrior beagle and distance runner. RIP.
Carl Stern

Teddy - beloved pet of Joyce & Neil Nyhus Linnea & Dick Hagemeister

Tinker, Tigger, Timber, Bandit & Buddy
Jim and Karen Howard

Tiny & Melanie
Mya Justin

Toby
Carol Koenig

Toby, Brock, Winston & Natti Dan & Cecilia Rathbun

Tonks
Alice, Sue & Mark Becker

Trudy & Dakota
Ginny Gapinksi

Weezie Roche Yvonne & Maurice Roche

Wendy & Kirkie
Stephanie Horvath

Whiskers
Lynn J. Cairns

Woody Pennie
Jasmyne Pennie

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Spirited, an American Paint horse, passed away unexpectedly at age 21. Spirit and his owner, Alan Dresow, served as a team in the Stearns County Sheriff's Mounted Reserve for more than 14 years. At the time of their retirement from the SCSMR in 2019, no other horse and rider team had served the SCSMR for a longer period of time. Spirit was proud and very social. He will be remembered for his intelligence, his bravery, and his inquisitiveness.
Dedications: In Memory of People

Ava Ann McGuire
Rachel Kapsner
Beth Miller
Michael & Janet Reagan
Bruce Shorter - the animal lover
Jennifer Shorter
Bud Davis
Mert & Marcia Thompson
Bud Davis & Nancy (Davis) Hommerding
Mary A. Davis
Carol Harbeck
Dina Pierskalla
Carol Mayer
Mary L. Mayer
Catherine Fox
Jill Fox
Clifford Sandlund
Michele & Scott Decker

Dennis Tiede
Stacy Bartel
Dianne Iburg
Michael Bouika
Daniel Iburg
Joyce Raetz
Donald Pflipsen
Joan & David Bender
Dr. Ken Reinertson, DVM
Ellen J. Raw
Edwin Barthel
Michael & Judy Rolfzen
Eileen VanSloun
Shirley Fiala & Gary Miller
Ellen Piepenbrink
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John and Patti McGreevy
Gary Abraham
Leslie Abraham
Gary Craig Thomas
Kris Vennegut
Gerry McGarry
Paulielle & Patrick Hogan
Harold & Loretta Kasek
Marie Palmersheim
Ian Rogers
MCT Worldwide, LLC
Jake Jacobson
Jo Senta
Jerry Barthel
Diane Barthel
Jillian Summers
Jim & Joanne Schultz
Judy Johnson
Janis Cimperman
Kathryn M. “Kathy” Huben
Barb Robinson
Kim & Bob Ritsche
Jan Ritsche
Laura Wancenried
Lisa McLouden
Karen, Dale and Gwyn
Myra and David Palmer
The Haddorff Team, Inc.
Mary Roda
Marge Roda
Matthew T. Ruona
Amanda & Tom Seaton
Megan Atkinson
Kirk & Terry Atkinson
Megan Atkinson
Keith Smith
Melodie Dukowitz
Jaimee Morrow
Owen Dean Haroldson
Beth Schramm
Paula Chirhart Rubald
Leanne
and Wayne Chirhart
Krista Siems’ Birthday Fundraiser
Maggie Bayerl
Marilyn Bayerl
Ben Hochstein
Brittany Suckstorff
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Karen Newsstrom-Perits
Joy Sales
Angela Sales-Hilgard
LeeAnne Marie Smoot
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All the staff and volunteers at TCHS
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Becca Dahiseid
Bill Atkinson’s Birthday
John & Mary Flock
Todd Hasz & Dena Redmond-Hasz
Bill Nelson
James Donnelly
RHL, Inc.
Carl Stehm
Cait Peterson’s Birthday Fundraiser
Andrea Aarmgirl
Rebecca Coffin
Cait Peterson
Courtney Seng’s Birthday
Patty Mason
Craig Schneider’s Birthday
Tom Johnson
Thor Mattick
Eric Swanstrom
Ellen Waiz Schneider
Debbie Budig’s Birthday Fundraiser
Brenda Becker

Grant Becker
Debbie Budig
Shawna Evans
Drew Hall
Nadine Heck
Nancy Louise
Mishelle Mehr
Nicki Reinarz
Char Schutz
Donald Craighead
Susan Rosenberg & Jeff Roos
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Tina Scepianiak
Emma Voigt
Heidi Voigt
Jackie Litzinger’s Birthday
Todd Beckstrom
Jennifer Everson Gulden
Taylor Litzinger
Jan Hovda
Duane Cekalla and
Susan Jensen-Cekalla
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Fritz Want
Kathryn Want
Sam Want
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As for the theme, we’ll give you some hints ...

Plan to join us in September!