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August 2026

2026 WOOFSTOCK

Get Ready to Walk for Animals!

Saturday, Sept. 26
10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Wilson Park in St. Cloud

Register by Sept. 4 to guarantee your T-shirt for pickup at the event!

Get all the details about our annual Companion Walk on PAGES 6-7

Get your pledge sheet on PAGE 8







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Mission Statement

We believe in the human-animal bond and exist to support the animals and people of Central Minnesota by practicing and promoting quality animal care, offering compassionate customer service, and providing humane education.

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Summer 2026 Society Summary
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Stay connected with TCHS on Facebook, Instagram, TikTok, and LinkedIn!

Letter from the Executive Director

Tri-County Humane Society's biggest community event of the year is coming up on Saturday, Sept. 26 - the 38th annual Woofstock Companion Walk! We're still on the hunt for the perfect weather for this event while also trying to avoid other large community events, so we've pushed it back again this year. Now all that's left is to convince YOU to come!

If you've participated before, the event speaks for itself. If you haven't, let me try to paint a picture. This fundraising event culminates on Sept. 26 at Wilson Park, but it starts now, with hundreds of people like you picking up a pledge sheet (see Page 8) or creating an online fundraising page (see Page 6) and asking friends and family to support the good work happening at Tri-County Humane Society. It is a true grassroots effort, and its success is completely dependent on how many people participate.

On Sept. 26, we all gather at Wilson Park at 10 a.m. If you were successful in raising funds, you will turn them in (although it is not a requirement to come and celebrate with us!), then we begin our walk for animals at 11 a.m., led by our Flag of Friends. This flag is made up of a beautiful rainbow of ribbons, reminiscent of the Rainbow Bridge. Names of loved ones - both pets and people who are no longer with us, and those who still are but just can't physically join us on the walk – are written on the ribbons. It is a powerful symbol of the human-animal bond, and a special way to honor those who are with us in spirit.

Use the envelope included in this newsletter to make a donation in honor of a person or pet to be included in our Flag of Friends.

Following the walk, you will come back to Wilson Park for lunch, carnival games, arts/crafts for people and pets, lots of vendors eager to share things with you, a silent auction, a microchip tent where you can get your pets chipped for just $10 plus tax, a bouncy house, and – best of all – live music from the '60s and '70s by Merritt Bussiere!

Our Woofstock committee is working hard to make this a really special day, and we truly hope you will join us!



From last year's walk: Marit Ortega and Brianna Reinke, Tri-County Humane Society's Development Manager and primary organizer of Woofstock. Please reach out to Brianna to learn how to get involved with the event — events@tricountyhumanesociety.org

For the animals, and all the wonderful people who love them,

Marit Ortega
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P.S. It's not too late to sponsor the event, or you can sponsor ME with a pledge for my pledge form! Reach out for details. ☮️❤️🐾

Our Wish List

For the Animals

Meat-flavored baby food
Kitten milk replacer
Cat brushes
Churu "squeeze treats"
High-quality sensitive stomach food for cats and dogs (preferred brands include Purina, Hill's Science Diet, Royal Canin)
Feliway for cats: sprays, diffuser refills
Adaptil for dogs: sprays, diffuser refills

For the Shelter

Unscented baby wipes (sensitive skin)
Gift cards to local businesses for pet/office/shelter supplies/silent auctions
Liquid hand soap
Cotton swabs
Clorox wipes
Distilled water
Bleach (unopened bottles)
70 percent isopropyl alcohol
Live traps
Gallon-sized plastic bags

For the Office

White copy paper
Colored copy paper
Sheets for a Scotch laminator
Forever postage stamps
Postcard postage stamps
Manila file folders

Volunteer Needs

TCHS is looking for surgery cleanup volunteers to keep our surgery suite prepped, sanitized, and organized for the next day's work. Hours are during the weekdays, typically later in the afternoons.

Note: Foster/volunteer applications can be found at www.tricountyhumanesociety.org, or paper applications are available at the shelter.

Amazon Wish List

Please scan the QR code to check out our shopping wish list!

Chewy Wish List

Please scan the QR code to check out some of our most-needed items from Chewy!

Special TCHS Request

We've got an ambitious upgrade we'd like to start before winter: installing weather-friendly doors for our kennels!

All of our dog housing units have an indoor run and an outdoor run. A guillotine-style door separates the indoor space from the outdoor space. The material for the door between the two spaces does not allow for proper insulation, so it gets a little chilly in the kennels in the winter. We would like to eventually outfit every kennel with a BiteGuard KennelPlex Commercial Saloon Style Dog Door.

These doors cost $969 per unit, and we have 37 kennels. This is a project that will likely have to be done in stages. If you'd like to help with a kennel or two, or perhaps a kennel room, please contact Executive Director Marit Ortega at 320-371-0811 or ed@tricountyhumanesociety.org.

A Note on Pet Food Donations to TCHS …

All pet food donated to TCHS is prioritized for shelter animals. However, when we have an excess of food, it goes to our Pet Food Pantry, which is housed in our For Pets' Sake Thrift store. We appreciate it when people donate with the pantry in mind, but we do reserve the right to use all donated food in-house if it's needed. Thank you for thinking of our animals AND our community!

Shop at TCHS



Quash Your Pup's Pulling and Make Walks a Breeze

If your dog is taking YOU for a walk, we want to introduce you to The Walkie. Available in the TCHS Re-Tail Shoppe, The Walkie is like a leash and harness in one. As your pup pulls, The Walkie gently compresses his/her chest, inspiring the dog to stop pulling without causing discomfort. It's easy to use, available for all sizes, and the leashes come in a variety of colors. We like them so much, we use them on TCHS dogs. (Consider buying one and donating it back to the shelter!) Depending on the dog's size, they retail for $26.99 to $28.99.

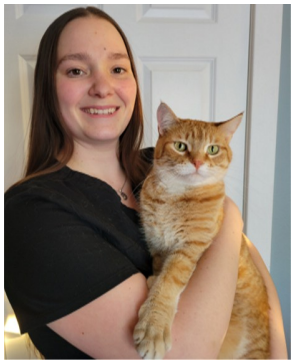
For Pets' Sake THRIFT

Our Pets' Sake Thrift is located next to our shelter and offers gently used pet-related products at low prices. Items we carry include leashes, collars, carriers, kennels, etc.

Wednesdays through Fridays: 12-6 p.m.
Saturdays and Sundays: 12-5 p.m.

Closed on holidays. Hours subject to volunteer availability. Please bring donations for the store to the main shelter.

The Scoop On … Camping with Furry Companions



By Bryn Liffrig

Camping with your pets can be great enrichment for them! Here are some suggestions for making sure you are keeping them safe and healthy while enjoying the outdoors.

Bugs off!

Flea/tick prevention is strongly recommended for all pets, but it's especially important for pets with more risk of tick exposure. Running through forests and tall grass prairies, laying around on the ground, hiking; these are perfect opportunities for ticks to crawl onto your pets, and it only takes one tick bite for your pet to contract illnesses such as Lyme disease and anaplasmosis. Luckily, transmitting these illnesses usually requires the tick to be attached for 24-48 hours. This is why you should always check your pets for ticks every day you are out in the wilderness and remove any attached ticks ASAP. Make sure to keep your pet's flea and tick preventatives up to date if you plan to take them camping!

Keep 'em cool

Many of us enjoy the hot summer days, and our pets can enjoy them, too! However, we are responsible for keeping our pets safe, so we need to make conscious choices to prevent any harm due to heat. Pets can't regulate their body temperature as efficiently as humans, so just because YOU don't feel overheated, doesn't mean they are comfortable. Some pets are more vulnerable to heat such as flat-faced breeds like pugs or bulldogs, very young or senior pets, overweight animals, and those already with heart or respiratory problems.



Two of Bryn's camping buds, Bear (left) and Oakley.

* Take precautions to keep your pets hydrated and cool when possible.

* Make sure they have constant access to clean water. Provide shade for them as much as possible, especially if they are restrained by a line or fence restricting their free choice to find shade.

* Take breaks during physical activity, with both shade and water available.

* Avoid walking your pets on hot pavement when possible, especially for long periods.

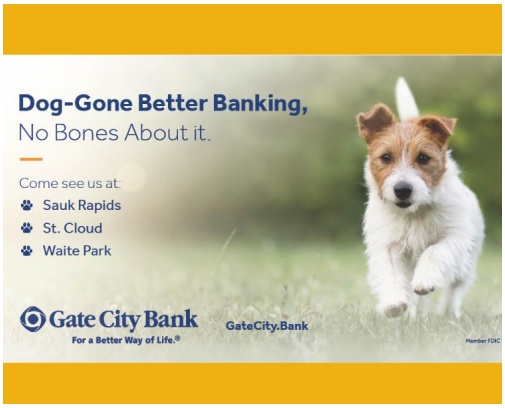
* Consider an elevated pet bed to increase air circulation while they rest outdoors.

Extreme heat can pose a big threat to our furry friends; if ignored or unnoticed, it can lead to heatstroke and potentially be life-threatening. Watch your pets for signs of heat distress such as heavy panting, increased heart rate and excessive thirst, and take action if needed. Move your pet to a shaded area and place cool water or damp towels on their head and neck. Offer small amounts of water or ice cubes to lick.

Take a (safe) hike

Your pets may very much enjoy hiking with you, but make sure you are prepared to care for their needs during significant exercise. Bring enough water for you and your pet. Take regular breaks as to not overexert your pet. Be aware of the terrain you're asking your pet to walk on and try to avoid hot surfaces such as pavement. Be constantly aware of your surroundings and make noise periodically to give any wildlife in your path warning that humans (and pets) are nearby. If confronted with wildlife such as a bear, having a dog may increase your chances of confrontation if the animal feels threatened. If they

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Scout Completes TCHS Shed for Eagle Award

Last year, Alex Dietz approached Tri-County Humane Society with a proposal to earn his Eagle Scout award. A member of Troop 211 out of Sartell, Alex wanted to build a much-needed shed for us for supplies.

Alex would need to raise thousands for the shed he wanted to build, so he went to work! He staffed informational tables and visited clubs and organizations around the area to make his pitch. About 100 individuals, groups, and businesses donated. Alex got most of his fundraising completed, but then winter hit, so the building would have to wait.

We're happy to share that Alex and his team completed the shed in May! There are so many thank yous to go around: Van's Lumber and Custom Builders out of Wisconsin donated the door; Jeff Dorner (pictured at left with Alex) supplied tools and expertise; Zephyr Stewart volunteered throughout the entire process. We also want to thank the members of Troop 211 for volunteering their time, and TCHS' Clint Buhs, Facilities and Maintenance, for his assistance. Thank you also to everyone who donated. We'll be adding siding to the shed soon.

The Scoop continued

hear you coming, they can avoid meeting you at all!

Additionally, there are plants that can be toxic to your pet, so be aware of anything they eat outdoors. It's a good idea to research what plants to look out for to avoid them all together.

Take a dip

Swimming in a body of water can be a great way for your furry friend to cool down on a hot day, but not all water sources are safe. Always supervise your pet while they swim! Be aware of any algae build-up and try to avoid those areas. Rivers can have a stronger current than it appears from shore, so avoid allowing your pets to get too far from shore.

Identification

Anytime you're away from home, your pet should have proper identification like a collar with ID tags. When camping with pets, there's lots of distractions around that could encourage your dog to explore away from you. It's extremely important that your current phone number can be found to reunite you with your pet should they wander too far. Even better, use temporary ID tags to label your pet with your campsite number for even easier reunification. It is also highly recommended to have your pet microchipped prior to adventures away from home. Microchips cannot be lost or removed like collars and/or tags, making them more reliable. It can take a little effort to obtain the owner's contact information from the microchip company, so it's still best for your pets to wear ID tags even if they are microchipped.

Kitty camping

This article is heavily geared towards camping with dogs, but cats can enjoy outdoor adventures, too! There are some special considerations if you want to bring your cat camping, especially if they are not used to the outdoors. Start with smaller outdoor experiences to allow your cat to gain confidence outside of your home. If you decide to bring your cat camping, it's strongly recommended to harness train them ahead of time. Otherwise, you can successfully keep them contained in an enclosure like a tent made of mesh for proper airflow. Cats can be easily spooked by unexpected noise or movements, so giving them an appropriate hiding spot is important for them to feel safe. Flea and tick preventatives are important for any cats who spend time outdoors, but make sure to use a brand approved by your veterinarian because they are more sensitive than dogs.

Bryn Liffrig is TCHS' Animal Care Manager and an avid camper who loves taking the family's animals along.

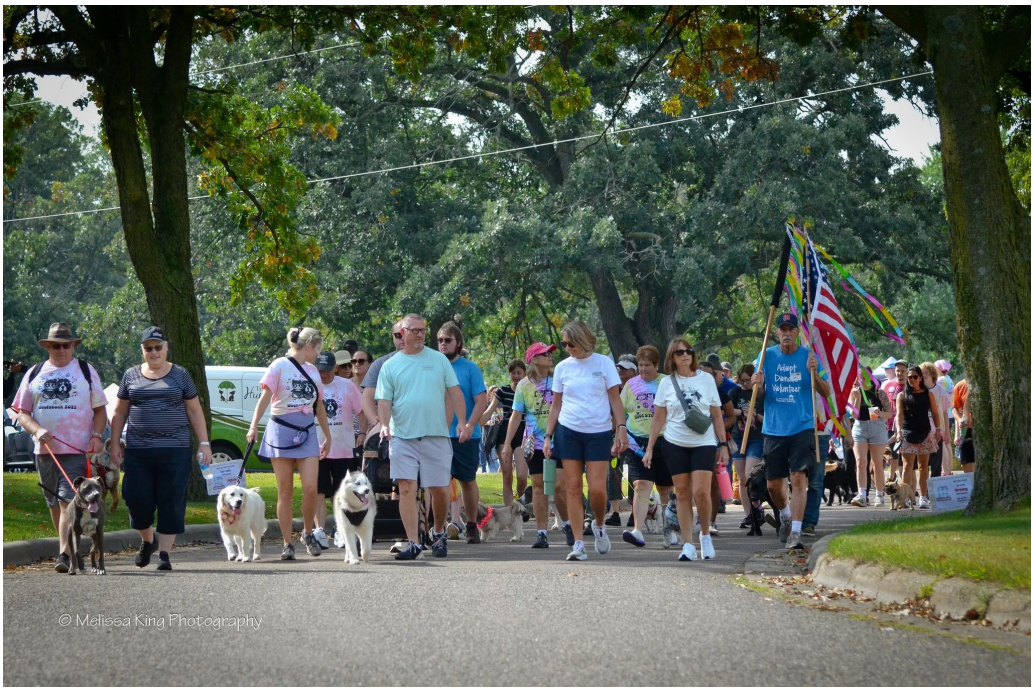


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Forget the Summer of Love. We're all about the Autumn for Animals!



Woofstock, our 38th annual Companion Walk for Animals, is Saturday, Sept. 26 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Wilson Park in St. Cloud. Woofstock will feature a pet-friendly walk, a bouncy house, live music, vendors and exhibitors, food, and more. But besides being a groovy event and a celebration of the human-animal bond, Woofstock is one of our most important fundraisers for animals.

It's as simple as register, fundraise, and walk!

First, register online to walk!

Registration is not required to walk or fundraise, but it's the only way you can guarantee you'll be able to pick up Tri-County Humane Society's exclusive 2026 Woofstock T-shirt with our event logo. (The shirt is red.) Registration is $35 and includes the shirt, a TCHS sticker, and a TCHS branded flying disc. Your registration bundle can be picked up at the walk.

Remember to register by Sept. 4 to get your shirt at the walk!



Register by visiting our website or scanning this QR code

Second, raise money for the animals! No matter how you do it, every dollar makes a difference

Woofstock fundraising advocates collect money for the animals through Facebook and GiveMN.org or by pledges (cash or check) taken in person. (The Woofstock pledge sheet is on Page 8.) Many advocates raise funds through a combination of these methods! When you set up an online fundraiser, whether it be through Facebook or GiveMN.org, please put "Woofstock" or "Companion Walk" in the title.

The day of the walk, please check in at registration with your pledge sheet and/or proof of online earnings. (Registration volunteers can look at your phone with the online fundraiser total.) The top three fundraisers will receive prizes, and we're working on securing a grand prize we've never had before — stay tuned!

Last year, thanks to supporters like you, we raised a profit of $50,000 for the animals. With your continued help, we know we can do even better this year. The 1960s may be history, but animals' needs are in the present and future!



And, of course, join us at the walk!

While we hope you walk— we're crossing our fingers for great weather, and the walk is less than 2 miles — there are plenty of other activities at Woofstock to enjoy. We'll have doggie temporary tattoos, games for pups and kids, a bouncy house courtesy of Granite City Jump, a silent auction, an artist creating caricatures of pets, a $10 plus tax microchip clinic, a doggie kissing booth, and live music by Merritt Music.



Schedule of events

10-11 A.M. REGISTRATION/COMPLIMENTARY BREAKFAST
11 A.M. NATIONAL ANTHEM PERFORMED BY JEFF ENGHOLM, THEN WE WALK!

10 A.M-2 P.M.: ACTIVITIES IN THE PARK
11:30 A.M.-2 P.M.: LUNCH IS SERVED!
1 P.M.: SILENT AUCTION CLOSES
1:15 P.M.: PET COSTUME CONTEST SPONSORED BY KLOSTER COLLATERAL RESOURCES
1:45 P.M.: PRELIMINARY GRAND TOTAL ANNOUNCED!

Stay tuned to our website and/or social media for any walk-related announcements or additions to the schedule. See you all on Sept. 26!



Help make Woofstock a success!

There are many ways to get involved in Woofstock. In addition to walkers, we're looking for sponsors, vendors, and exhibitors. Participating in the event is great exposure for your business or organization and directly helps pets and people in Central Minnesota.

Visit **www.tricountyhumanesociety.org** to get all details on sponsorship tiers and vendor/exhibitor costs and forms. Booths are a 10' by 10' outdoors space. Please bring your own tent, table, and chairs. This is a rain-or-shine event. For questions, please contact Development Manager Brianna Reinke at events@tricountyhumanesociety.org, or at 320-371-0735.



Thank you to our early sponsors!

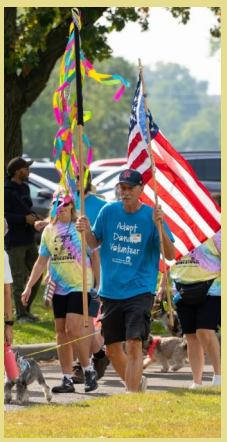
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Add to our Flag of Friends

Honor a pet or person who cannot attend the Companion Walk by including their name on our Flag of Friends! Make a donation with the envelope in this newsletter or stop by our front desk to fill out a ribbon. The Flag of Friends leads our walk. It's a great way for those who can't be with us to still be a part of the spirit of the day!



COMPANION WALK

SEPT. 26, 2026

10 A.M. TO 2 P.M.

WILSON PARK, ST. CLOUD, MN

REGISTER AT WWW.TRICOUNTYHUMANESOCIETY.ORG/WALK

FOR REGISTRATION USE ONLY: **Grand Total $:**

Participant Name (s): _____

Pet Name (s): _____

Email: _____

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Phone: _____

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Make checks payable to TCHS.

Please note if a receipt is requested. Contributions are tax-deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law.

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PARTICIPANT TERMS AND CONDITIONS: I hereby pledge to participate in Tri-County Humane Society's (TCHS) Annual Companion Walk on Saturday, September 26, 2026, at 10 a.m. By signing this form, I release TCHS, the event committee and its members, the City of St. Cloud, and all other official sponsors from any and all claims or liabilities of any kind or nature resulting from, arising out of, or incident to my participation or my pet's (or pets') participation in this event. I understand that participation in this event may involve a risk of injury. I voluntarily accept and assume all risks associated with participating and agree to follow road and pedestrian safety guidelines and clean up after my pet(s). By signing this form, I also grant TCHS permission to use photographs of me taken during the event in promotional materials, publications, social media, and on the TCHS website.



Tri-County Humane Society celebrated our annual Volunteer Appreciation Party on June 9 at the Sauk Rapids Government Center. About 110 volunteers, fosters, and TCHS staff attended the event, which featured awards, food, and - for once - no animal cleanup!

We appreciate all our volunteers and fosters every day of the year, but it's always wonderful to take an evening to recognize their accomplishments. We could not help the animals we do without them.

Save the Date for Paws & Pumpkins



When and where: Oct. 13, 4-6 p.m., at TCHS, 735 8th St. NE in St. Cloud.

What: We plan to host vendors as well as a FREE microchip clinic thanks to a Subaru Loves Pets/ ASPCA grant!

Let's Give a Purr and a Wag of the Tail To ...

Modify Tattoo & Piercing for hosting a Tats for Tails fundraiser. Owner Justin Klein is pictured at right with Development Manager Brianna Reinke.

Sherry Olson for using a Thrivent Action Teams grant to purchase art supplies for our appearance in the Lemonade Concert and Art Fair. We're also grateful to **Cathy Markham**, **Theresa Bentley**, and many others who helped us "punch up" our paw print art.

Jennifer Stricter for creating our 2026 Woofstock logo.



Pantown Brewing Co. for partnering with us on fundraisers such as a Dog Days of Summer event, Beeranthropy, and pet picture on a crowler contest.

Miller Auto Plaza and Gilleland Chevrolet employees for spending an afternoon volunteering to improve our shelter's landscaping.

Disc N Dogs On The River and Ryan Shoup for giving us a portion of the fundraiser's profits.

St. Cloud Rox and Companions Animal Hospital for donating to TCHS through the Bark in the Park game.

Nancy Sturtevant, Tom Becker, Steve Hansen, and Wash-n-Tan in Sauk Rapids for helping us keep up on our laundry when a washer was broken.

Sauk Rapids Municipal Liquor for organizing a donation drive.

Girl Scout Troop 495 of Foley for donating cookies and crafts.

Scooter's Coffee for regularly sponsoring a TCHS dog for adoption. Scooter's also puts up a flier about the pup in its St. Cloud-area locations.

Spice of Life Tea Shop for donating to TCHS through its Dog Days of Summer promotion all through August.

Mary Kay Buhs for volunteering to mow our lawn.

St. Cloud Fire Department for helping us string our new American flag halyard through the top of the 25-foot pole.





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All cats past and present
Doug and Sharon Schmid

All my fur babies
Lisa Klehr

All my fur babies who have passed
Louise and Neal Brick

All my wonderful pets
Jacquelyn Brunn

All our cats: Mitzi, Kelly and Peanuts
Susan Jakeman

All pets
Lois Solinger

Angus
Michael and Judy Rolfzen

Annie, Tessa, Rooney, Charlotte
Rob and Barb Anderson

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Jennifer A. Johnson

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My niece Shirani's cat named Cat Stevens
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Kathy Kirchhoff

Pedro
Carol Walz

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Pete the cat, who was a TCHS kitten, adopted in 2006
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Andrea Huber

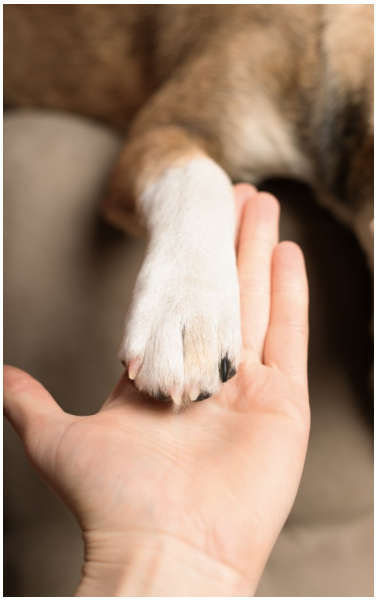
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We're happy to report that we've heard from all the adopters of the 11 beagles who came to TCHS after being relocated from Ridgland Farms. Today, we want to share Annika's story.

The 9-year-old beagle we called Gertrude was adopted May 29. Now she's Annika, and she's doing great.

"Annika has taken to the free life like nobody's business. It took her a bit to adjust to things like the stairs and the TV. She lives for Saturday mornings when we have scrambled eggs and cheese."

Annika's family is glad they adopted a senior.

"Yes, she's older but whether we get one year with her or 10, we're going to make the rest of her life the best of her life and love her more than she knows."

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