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POPE MEMORIAL FRONTIER ANIMAL SHELTER NEWSLETTER



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Yellow Cat Story

First of all, get this straight-I'm not a fan of shelters, but I guess they're okay if you're really desperate! The folks at Pope Memorial Frontier Animal Shelter were really great, I got to find that out first hand. Here's my story..... This past winter things were really going badly for me, and somehow I found myself alone, cold and homeless. After wandering around a long long time, I was drawn to a home in Barton about March or the first of April. The lady there seemed kinda nice, and she started to feed me and let me stay in her loft. After a while, she even gave me a dandy name...YELLOW CAT! We were really hitting it off-she worked on my awful matted fur, held me and talked to me all the time. I sometimes get so happy when she holds me, I drool-but she doesn't seem to mind(it's a little embarrassing though).

Well, anyway, in May, my lady decided to take me to the shelter in Orleans to get some shots and to get neutered..gasp! We made the car trip fine, but when we got to the shelter I somehow pushed on my carrier and the door sprung open- wow off I dashed through the parking lot into parts unknown(who wants to get neutered anyway)! I watched everyone scurrying around trying to find me...the shelter staff even put out have a heart traps in the hopes I would be dumb enough to fall for that old trick. That night, I was so sad...but maybe I could find my way back to Barton on my own.

Well, it took 2 1/2 days to go the seven miles to my beloved home, but I did it! My wonderful "owner" heard me in her driveway in the middle of the night, and she was so, so happy - me too.

All was going great again when somehow a month later I found myself back in the car heading to PMFAS for my operation. It actually wasn't that bad and the shelter people were very happy to see me again. I've heard that "neuter is cuter", so now I'm really handsome!

Hopefully I am now in my forever home. Thank you to everyone who cares for us kitties and gives us a second chance.

Your friend,
Yellow Cat



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Volunteer Spotlight

Phil Wolf



Phil Wolf has been volunteering at the shelter since November 2015. Phil is a very dependable volunteer. He is here twice a week every week and comes in to help on holidays. He feeds the cats, washes dishes, collects dirty dishes and is always willing to help with other tasks. Phil always keeps us laughing with his stories and conversation.

Phil is pictured with his wife, Chris and their dog, Scarlett, who they adopted in October 2017. They also have a cat that was also a former PMFAS resident.

Volunteer Spotlight

Karl Krantz

Karl Krantz started volunteering at the shelter in March 2017. Karl helps with the cats twice a week. He adopted 2 cats, Hoppy and Willie Nelson in 2017. He also has 2 dogs, a Puggle and a Shih Tzu. Karl and his family's foundation have made generous donations to the shelter that have helped with many different things. Karl also often brings in new toys and treats for the cats to make sure that they stay happy and have something to do.



Basic First-Aid Supplies

A helpful list of a first-aid kit for your pets. These are especially handy for those who travel and hike with their pet.

- Absorbent gauze pads
- Adhesive tape
- Antiseptic wipes, lotion, powder or spray
- Blanket (a foil emergency blanket)
- Cotton balls or swabs
- Gauze rolls
- Hydrogen peroxide (to induce vomiting—do this only when directed by a veterinarian or a poison-control expert)
- Ice pack
- Non-latex disposable gloves
- Petroleum jelly (to lubricate the thermometer)
- Rectal thermometer (your pet's temperature should not rise above 103°F or fall below 100°F)
- Scissors (with blunt ends)
- Sterile non-stick gauze pads for bandages
- Sterile saline solution (sold at pharmacies)
- Tweezers
- A pillowcase to confine your cat for treatment
- A pet carrier





Please put the PMFAS on your holiday gift giving list!

The Pope Memorial Frontier Animal Shelter, Inc. is financed entirely by adoption fees, fund raisers, and donations from animal lovers like you. Because we are a primarily volunteer organization, almost every penny goes directly toward the rescue and care of the animals.

In 2017, over 350 pets were adopted from our shelter. Please help our dogs and kitties this holiday season. The average cost to provide medical care, shelter and food, before being adopted into a home and family, is in excess of \$350 per animal.

Please help us with a holiday donation.



YES! I would like to support the PMFAS in caring for the unwanted, abandoned, stray, neglected and abused animals. Here is my tax deductible gift.

Your Name: _____ Phone: _____

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No letter of acknowledgment of this gift is necessary. **TOTAL ENCLOSED \$** _____

Mail to: Pope Memorial Frontier Animal Shelter, Inc., 502 Strawberry Acres Rd., Newport, VT 05855



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Thank You to All Our Supporters!

Once again, a New Year is right around the corner and we at PMFAS are well aware that we have much for which to be thankful. We wish to acknowledge all our friends and supporters, from individual volunteers and families to local businesses, schools and towns throughout Orleans and Northern Essex Counties. Thank you to community members and businesses that donated to our raffle fundraiser this fall, as well as all those that purchased tickets. Your generosity is greatly appreciated! Ongoing thanks to Northeast Kingdom Online (www.northeastkingdomonline.com) for their skill and dedication in designing and maintaining our website. It's a great way to keep potential adopters up to date! Whether your support comes in the form of time, work, kind words or donations of many varieties, we appreciate it all! And let's not overlook our adopters! A BIG thank you goes out to this year's adopters from near and far who made new forever homes for over 350 homeless dogs and cats. A heartfelt thank you to all from Board, Staff, and all our furry friends at PMFAS!

Keepers of the Kitties and Kennels

Thank you to the following individuals and businesses

who graciously support our kitties and kennels each month:



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