

# Animal Friends Alliance Update



## 2023 Year-to-date Statistics

Adoptions in 2023: **623**

Animals Served by Community Pet Resources Programs: **3,808**

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## 29 Cats Rescued from Hoarding Situation in Weld County



Recently, we were approached by an overwhelmed indoor cat caretaker in need of help in Weld County. The Community Pet Resources team, along with a few Alliance directors, jumped into action to create a game plan to help these cats who desperately needed us. There were over 50 cats in the home. The cats were scared and sick but friendly. At this time we have identified cats with medical needs including upper respiratory infections, pregnancy, and dental complications.

We were able to successfully trap 29 of the cats in the home, including one pregnant cat and a handful of kittens. We loaded them up in our van to start a new chapter in their lives. We were fortunate enough to find shelter partners to assist us with this massive undertaking. With help from Longmont Humane Society, Humane Society of Weld County, Larimer Humane Society, and Humane Society of Boulder Valley, we were able to set these felines up for a positive future.

*We trapped a total of 29 cats in need of our services.*

High-risk situations like this continue to remind us of how crucial our work is, the importance of advocating for those who don't have a voice, and the value of our local and regional partnerships. We were thrilled to help these cats and their caretaker in their time of need. Our work with this family is not done, and we will be making another trip to help any remaining cats. Taking on this many animals at one time is costly, but we know that with the incredible generosity from Alliance supporters, we can continue our live-saving work making a difference for animals in need.



*One of the six kittens undergoing an intake exam.*

Donate to help cats in need!

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## Volunteers Needed!

We are always in need of volunteer help in all parts of our organization. Outreach events and supply drives are both crucial to our work and in short supply, especially in the summer months. To help incentivize volunteer support in these fun but lesser-known roles, we're offering a drawing for volunteers who donate their time at these events. You'll receive one entry for each outreach event you volunteer at in 2023; and even better, two entries for each supply drive you assist with!



The grand prize winner will receive two registrations to all of our 2024 fundraising events; Gala for Animals, BrewPawPaw Bingo, and Run Fur Fun. You'll also win two February Fix Fest 2024 shirts and one free calendar contest photo entry!

Become a volunteer today!

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[Tickets](#) for our Gala for Animals: Vanity Fur are on sale now! Join us for a glamorous evening to support animals and people in our community. The festivities include a plated dinner, silent and live auction, beautiful Magnificent Beasts created and donated by passionate local artists, and an opportunity to donate to support our mission to reduce the homeless pet population. We can't wait to see you strike a pose, and do your best catwalk!

Register [here](#) by April 24!

Register today!

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## Upcoming Events

**March 30 - CopperMuse Distillery Happy Hour:** Join us for a fun night at [CopperMuse Distillery](#) from 4 pm - 6 pm. A percentage of all sales during this time will be donated to Animal Friends Alliance!

**April 15 - Pet Pawty Adoption Event:** Stop by [Poudre Pet & Feed Supply's](#) north location to meet adorable adoptable animals, check out vendor booths, play some games, and enjoy a variety of food trucks from 10 am - 2 pm.

**April 29 - Gala for Animals: Vanity Fur:** Glam up and put your best paw forward at our annual gala to benefit the animals. Purchase your tickets [here!](#)

See our calendar for more upcoming events!

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## Adoption Feature

Help Calamari Find a Loving Home!



Making her big debut from Texas, say hello to Calamari! She is an adorable ten-month-old pup who wants nothing more than a big yard to run in. She's being treated like the princess she is in her foster home while she waits for a loving adopter to come and scoop her up. Although she is a little shy, once she feels confident around you she is a total snuggle bug. Calamari has the friendliest personality and is ready to find a home to call her own.

Interested in adopting Calamari? You can complete an adoption questionnaire by visiting our [website](#) or send any questions you may have about her to [adopt@savinganimalstoday.org](mailto:adopt@savinganimalstoday.org). If you're not in a place to adopt a new friend, you can also [donate](#) to support her care and ensure we can keep helping dogs in need like Calamari!

[Adopt Calamari](#)

[Donate to help animals like Calamari](#)

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## Supporter Recognition

Thank you to our 2023 Gala for Animals Presenting Sponsors



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## BizPAW Spotlight



We would love to introduce you to our new BizPAW (Business Partner in Animal Welfare), [Animal Works!](#) They combine current research and modern techniques with compassionate patient care and open communication to make sure owners and pets are getting the best care possible.

If your business, or a business you patronize, would like to support our mission and receive special recognition in our e-newsletter and elsewhere you can learn more about this important program on [our website](#).

[Become a BizPAW!](#)

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## Animal Advocate Club Membership



# Animal Advocate Club



## New Members:

## Upgraded Members:

- Anne Grubb
- Ellen Wohle
- Linnea Skoglund
- Lisa Wempen
- Maureen Rolnick
- Ruth Champion
- Steven Inman
- Richard Depperman
- Kerry Brookman

Become a member today by setting up a recurring donation to support our mission to reduce the homeless pet population. Are you already an Animal Advocate Club member? Consider upgrading your membership today!



[Become a member](#)

## Gifts in Honor and Memory

We are so thankful for the support and donations made in honor of dear friends and greatly missed pets. View the gifts made in honor and memory for February [here](#).

[Make a gift in honor or memory](#)

## March Coupons

 <p><b>NATURAL BALANCE</b></p> <p><b>FREE Kitty Boink OR PPFS poop bag holder with any Natural Balance purchase</b></p> <p><b>Poudre Pet &amp; Feed Supply</b></p> <p><small>One coupon per household per visit, cannot be combined with other PPFS coupons. Exp: 4/30/23 Code: All2023MAR</small></p>	 <p><b>\$5 OFF purchase of \$25 or more</b></p> <p><b>Hank's Pet Food Market LLC</b></p> <p><small>Expires: 9/31/23</small></p> <p><small>One coupon per household, offer cannot be combined with other coupons</small></p>
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[Meet our adoptable dogs](#)

[Meet our adoptable cats](#)



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