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FSPCA HOURS

Monday to Sunday 11:00 am to 4 pm



REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

This summer we are offering six weeks of **Fredericton SPCA Animal Camps for kids**! Animal Campers learn about different animals, proper pet care, and how to help animals in their community, while having lots of fun!

Animal Camp days are full of animal-focused games, activities, crafts, presentations, videos, stories and guest speakers! A favourite part of camp is meeting and playing with all kinds of animals! Camp Registration can be done by phone (459-1555) or in-person at the FSPCA Adoption Centre (165 Hilton Rd.) during normal hours of operation (11am – 4pm every day). Payment can be made by cash, cheque, debit (in-person only) or credit.

Camp fees are \$175 for the week. Fees do not include a lunch or snack, please pack a lunch and snack for each camper. Camp drop-off is from 8am-9am while pick-up is from 3:30pm-4:30pm (except Friday, when pickup is by 4pm).

A 50% cancellation fee will apply prior to the first day of the camp, after which time no refunds will be given. In rare circumstances (serious illness or injury, death in the family, etc.), full or partial credit may be issued at the discretion of the Education Coordinator.

If you have any questions please contact education@frederictonspca.ca

2016 FSPCA ANIMAL CAMP DATES

Ages 6 – 10 years: July 4 - 8, July 18 - 22, Aug 2 - 5 (*Only \$140 for the four-day week due to NB holiday)

Ages: 10 – 13 years: July 11 – 15, July 25 – 29, Aug 8 – 12

TINA'S JOURNEY...



Latest Weigh-in

When Tina came to us, she was over 17kg (approximately 38lbs). That is roughly equivalent to a 500lb human. So far, she has lost 2.31KG, which is just over 5lbs. 5 lbs on a cat is close to 75lbs on a human frame.

Overall, Tina is doing very well. The more weight she loses, the more active she becomes and her personality and quirks become more apparent. She loves attention in all forms and cannot get enough cuddles.

The Weight-loss Journey

We expect Tina to be at her healthiest weight at about 8 kg; however this is a moving target. With her musculature and frame, this could change as she loses more weight and we are able to truly gauge her natural size. We expect she will be at a more ideal weight in 12 to 18 months. It should be noted though that weight loss of this scale is monumental - every gram counts and should be celebrated. Weight loss in a cat is a very slow process and has to be monitored very closely. Cats can only lose 1% of their body weight per week without overwhelming their liver.

The main way we are helping her lose weight is through her diet and controlling the amount she is eating. She is on a Purina Veterinary diet called 'Over Weight Management', which is low in fat and calories, and has a high protein-to-calorie ratio. Every 2 weeks, the amount of food she is fed is recalculated based on her metabolism and caloric needs, along with the amount of weight she has lost during that time period.

Tina is encouraged to exercise as much as possible, however, this is still difficult. Her bones and joints are under a lot of stress from the extra weight she carries and she is in pain, which makes normal activity, like walking across a room, a challenge. Activities like jumping or stepping up are impossible. She is kept on daily medications to help ease this pain and make the daily activities, including going to the litter box and moving around, less painful.

For Cat Owners

To avoid obesity in your own pets, diet and exercise is important. Keeping them on a proper diet suited for the specific breed, activity level and life stage of the animal, is imperative. Meal feeding your animals and measuring the adequate amount of food based on the animal's caloric needs will also help. Ensure they exercise daily and being mindful of the quality and amount of treats they receive. Limiting or avoiding giving table scraps to them is also important. If you're concerned about your pet's weight, talk to your veterinarian about weight management plans and foods. Weight loss in our pets needs to be controlled and done properly to avoid causing health risks.

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When an animal is obese, or even slightly overweight, we recommend diet alterations and tips to help make exercise and feeding more beneficial for weight loss. For cats, one of my favourite tips it to take their kibble meal and place it in small piles around the house. This allows them to hunt for their meal and keeps them entertained and moving. There are also food dispensing toys that you can purchase for both dogs a cats that have holes in them for the kibble to drop through when the animal is playing with the toy. These also incorporate exercise and movement into the feeding. Accountability is a huge part of pet weight loss as well so it is important to schedule regular appointments with your veterinarian to have their weight and body condition monitored and tracked. This will also allow adjustments in weight loss plans and feeding guidelines to be made accordingly.

Keeping our pets at an ideal body weight can help extend their life expectancy by decreasing their chances of developing diseases such as diabetes, osteoarthritis, heart disease and cancer. Body fat is not classified as





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IN MEMORY OF ROSEMARY MCCAIN MCMILLIN



Rosemary McCain McMillin was a benefactor of the Fredericton SPCA who loved children and animals. Sadly she passed away on May 27, 2016. Thank you Rosemary for all you did to make this world a better place.

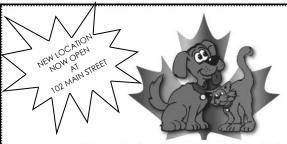
Meet Your Match at the FSPCA



Hello there! My name is Jinx. I am a very sweet girl, with one special need. I am currently on a Fibre diet, because when I arrived to the Fredericton SPCA I had problems with my stool. I spent quite a few nights at the Veterinarian, and they finally figured out that a diet change is all I needed! I am looking for a home with no other animals or small children, because I am not very active, I just like hanging out with people.

Hello! My name is Blondy. I'm a three year old retriever/lab mix! I grew up in a great home filled with lots of love but, unfortunately had to be surrendered to the Adoption Centre. This confused me because I wasn't sure where my owners went and I became very anxious. The girls here have been working with me on my separation anxiety and I have been getting better but, I definitely will still need some reassurance in my new home. I'm great with children, cats and other dogs! I'm a beautiful and well mannered girl and I would love to meet you!





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- Costco or Canadian Tire gift cards to purchase products we may need
- Printer paper
- Gift cards from Shur-Gain Feeds 'n Needs, Global Pet Foods, Barking Lot or PetSmart
- Cat Food: Friskies canned cat food (gravy or pate). Purina One Smart Blend Chicken & Rice Formula dry adult cat food and Purina One Kitten Blend
- Dog Food: Purina One Smart Blend Lamb Formula Dry dog food. Any brand name of canned wet food would be great.
- Cat toys toy mice, wand toys, cat scratchers, stinkies etc.
- Dog toys durable (chew resistant) stuffed toys, food puzzle toys (no tennis balls please), rawhide chews, tartar busters, knuckle bones, pigs ears, etc.

A Different Kind of Birthday Party

Some parents may not think of the Fredericton SPCA when considering birthday party options for their children, however, the Adoption Centre has become a popular location for Party Animals alike. Children over the age of six are able to celebrate with their friends in a unique way that also is educational.

Highlights of FSPCA birthday parties include the opportunity to play with Adoption Centre Animals, including dogs, cats,

hamsters, rats, rabbits and more. A VIP, behind-the-scenes tour is also popular as it provides a backstage view of the adoption centre, including the examination room and dog kennels.

Parents find the tours beneficial as children learn an optimal standard of care for animals. Additionally, children learn about the activities that take place at the adoption centre so they understand the integral role the organization plays in the community.

For booking or to find more information about Fredericton SPCA birthday parties, please contact education@frederictonspca.ca.

**BOOKING NOW **

In Memory of our Pets

Donations have been made to the FSPCA in memory of beloved pets who have made a difference in someone's life.

Buddy & Winston	Kitty McMullen	Paul the Cat	Tulas
Charlie	Max	Raffi	Ту
Chester & Holly	Oliver	Tia	Zoe
Hershey	Opal	Trixie	

"...all that we love deeply, becomes a part of us" Helen Keller

"100 IN 100" CAMPAIGN



2014 ushered in our 100th year as an SPCA, and to celebrate this milestone we launched a campaign to have 100 people donate \$100 each to help raise much needed funds for the Adoption Centre.

We have erected the plaque in our Adoption Centre to thank every one for their support that we are so lucky to have, so that we can continue to do the work we do.

We would like to once again thank the "100 in 100" partners:

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