

Feline Focus

FieldHaven Feline Center Newsletter



SPRING 2018

Addicted to Saving Lives

Joy Smith, Executive Director



When FieldHaven began in 2003 our goal was small. All we needed to do was find homes for three litters of kittens whose feral moms were TNR'd back to their ranch homes.

It was a pretty simple task to get those dozen or so adorable kittens into new homes as well. Now, 6,000 adoptions and 7,000 community spay/neuters later, I am often asked what inspired me to continue once that original colony was helped.

It's an addiction, of the best kind, that I share with FieldHaven's dedicated supporters, staff and volunteers. There is a unique thrill one experiences when you see the content eyes of a cat or kitten being snuggled in the arms of their new family. Or when you watch a feral cat leap out of a cage knowing that it's returning to its home spayed/neutered and vaccinated so it will no longer be producing unwanted kittens or annoying humans with unsavory behaviors. That's what keeps us going.

2017 was a turn-key year for FieldHaven. We officially turned over our feral TNR programs to Placer County Animal Services (PCAS) after providing years of support. They had a banner year, continuing with no feral euthanasia and starting their own barn cat program. We also opened the 2nd Chance Ranch, expanding our life-saving Community Cat and Rodent Ranger programs.



Joy (holding Louise), Preston (holding scissors) and Jann (holding Roontay) share in an official ribbon-cutting ceremony for FieldHaven Feline Rescue in 2003

After the tremendous success in 2016 of the 100 Cat Challenge in the Yuba County city of Wheatland, where we spayed and neutered every cat and kitten we could get our hands on, we took our experience further north into the heart of Yuba County. Yuba County Animal Care Services (YCACS) is a terribly under-resourced shelter with an average 80% euthanasia rate for cats. They desperately needed experience and support. We started helping a little in the last quarter of 2017 with a huge Christmas present to the shelter when we literally emptied the facility on December 22nd and brought all the cats to FieldHaven!

We are encouraged by our life saving success with YCACS and plan to help even more this year. Here's a little teaser. In the first four months of this year we have achieved an 88% **save** rate for cats in the Yuba Shelter. Last year for January – April? That number was only 34%.

These are the results your support is accomplishing and why we're addicted to providing *A Solution For Every Cat in Need*. This is why our supporters are addicted to ensuring so many more cats and kittens enjoy the lives they deserve.

The centerfold of this newsletter includes our 2017 Annual Report, providing a year end summary. I hope you proudly share this information, helping us grow our support, knowing that **YOU** made it happen.

FieldHaven Feline Center

"For every Cat in need, a Solution"

2017

Founded in 2003, FieldHaven Feline Center is a novel, progressive non-profit animal welfare organization. Harnessing the power of a dedicated team of volunteers and a professional Board of Directors, we support the health and safety of the animals in our community and the people who care for them. Programs such as 2nd Chance Ranch, Spay Neuter Assistance (SNAP), the leading-edge Community/Cat Assistance Team (CAT), vaccine/microchip clinics, and more, all make a difference. We proudly offer cats and kittens for adoption and operate a thrift store; FieldHaven Marketplace.

SECOND CHANCE



2nd CHANCE RANCH

OCTOBER 21, 2017

2nd Chance Ranch opens

Camp Joe Willie - where cats with no place else to live hang out while waiting for jobs as Rodent Rangers

Buck's Barn - TNR Hotel for community cats who check-in for spay/neuter



2%
Grants



8%
Adoptions



24%
Marketplace



67%
Donations
Fundraisers

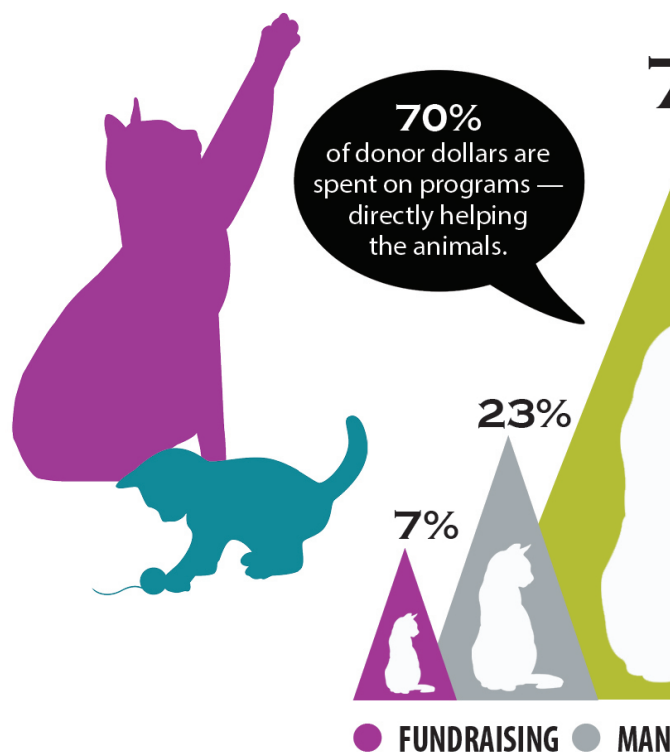
908 ADOPT

SNAP

INTAKES: ADULT CAT

INTAKES: KITTENS (>4 w

INTAKES: NEONATES (< 4 w



COMMUNITY PROGRAMS FOR DOGS & CATS

Pet Food Pantry - 547 animals served

Vaccine/Microchip clinics - 225 animals seen

Community Assistance Team calls/emails - 13,048



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FieldHaven Feline Center

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ANNUAL REPORT



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ics, and Pet Food Pantry truly

TIONS

611

470

390

188

70%



AGEMENT ● PROGRAM

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236 Volunteers dedicated
service that exceeded
42,281 HOURS

CAT
CARE

THRIFT
STORE

FOSTERING

ADOPTION
& OUTREACH

SNAP
& TNR

C.A.T.



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FUN FACTS

- 4 - Three-legged cats adopted
- 28 - FIV+ cats adopted
- 50 - Purrrjama Parties that were adopted
- 104 - Rodent Rangers adopted
- 267 - Black cats adopted
- 400- Kitty beds made by volunteer Mary C.
- 510 - Meals served at annual fundraiser, Classics, Cats & Cabernet
- 1,500 - Cookies made for volunteers by Diane K.
- 1,894 - Number of FVRCP vaccines given to shelter cats
- 2,491 - Miles Kringle traveled to his new home in Roswell, Georgia when he was adopted
- \$8,921.13 - Sales in jewelry made and upcycled by volunteers

2003 - 2018



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