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Isolation Building Goal \$100,000



Construction is well underway in the Dog Area. (See construction details below). Once that construction is complete we will still need an isolation building for incoming dogs that do not have a vet record, such as strays. The isolation building will be completely separate from the main building so that any deadly contagious diseases such as Parvo cannot be spread to the main dog population. We will have to be very cautious about any incoming dogs until there is a place to isolate those that do not have a current vet record.

Construction Details



- ✓ 1. Framing
- ✓ 2. Rough in electric
- ✓ 3. Rough in Plumbing
4. Sheetrock
- ✓ 5. Heat & Air
6. Complete Electric & Plumbing
7. Ceiling
8. Freight elevator install

9. Installation of Kennel doors
10. Outside concrete work after doors are installed
11. Dog kennels installed
12. Floors are the last to finish

Wish List

- Paper towels
- AA & AAA batteries
- Clorox Wipes
- Litterbox deodorizer
- Dog Food
- Cat Food
- Plastic Dog Houses
- Volunteers

Adoption & Occupancy

April Adoptions

Cats: Cherokee, Sweetie Pie, and Charlie

May Adoptions

Cats: Rio and Trinket

ARF Occupancy

Felines: 36

Canines: 0 (no foster homes available)



Adoptions to Date

1,005

Adoptions

Looking to add some furry love to your household?

Stop by ARF to visit our cats and kittens. Monday - Saturday 1-4. The on site volunteers can tell you all about each cat's personality. You can get help picking the best cat for you and your family. Are you looking for a lap cat, playful kitten, dog friendly, wild & crazy, standoffish, we have them all. The cats are free to roam in the large multi room play area. You can sit and see which cat bonds with you. Then fill out an application and get the adoption process started.



Rio was featured in our last newsletter. We are so happy that she found a forever home.

Rio and Linda Flaherty



Trinket and her family were brought in to ARF from Kansas. She was one of 3 tiny kittens and their mother, Trinity. The only family member still here is Tux. Tux is a special needs cat with IBS.

Trinket JoAnn Payne



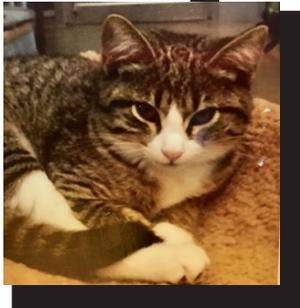
Sweetie Pie was found as a 5 month old stray kitten. Super sweet kitten that the vet's office named before we even had a chance to think of one. She was adopted very quickly.

Sweetie Pie Elizabeth Gacsal



Charlie and Paula Pechonick

Charlie & Cherokee were born at ARF. Their Mother and siblings were named by silent auction winners at our last Puttin' on the Leash event. Their Mom Edith Ann and 2 other siblings, Fluffy and Max are still in need of forever homes.



Cherokee Ledi & Tonya Mull



*"He is your friend, your partner, your defender, your dog.
You are his life, his love, his leader.
He will be yours, faithful and true, to the last beat of his heart.
You owe it to him to be worthy of such devotion."
~unknown~*





Kids from the Mutual Girls Club of Bartlesville came out to visit our cats & kittens. They made some catnip toys to entertain everyone. Both the kids and the cats really enjoyed the visit.



Mutual Girls Club of Bartlesville

IF THE EARTH WAS FLAT



Cats would push everything off of it

Cats can work out mathematically the exact place to sit that will cause the most inconvenience.

~Pam Brown

WE WERE SOMEWHERE OUTSIDE BARSTOW, NEAR THE EDGE OF THE DESERT



WHEN THE CATNIP BEGAN TO TAKE HOLD



Plenty of ways to stay cool at the ARF Park. There is a creek that runs thru the 5 acre park, 2 dancing water features, and plenty of shaded areas for People and Dogs.

Join our 5 acre Dog Park

A \$50 annual donation for your family's dogs and an application is required. Plus a one time \$10 FOB deposit. You can get an application at the Sanctuary or online at www.ARF.org

You can feel secure in the knowledge that all dogs are up to date on shots. And that any aggressive behavior from dogs or owners will be dealt with quickly.





Heartfelt Rescue Stories



Vixen

Vixen came to ARF as a new stray mother. She had three little ones. Since it was Christmastime we decided to name the new mother and kittens after reindeer. The new mother then became Vixen and her babies became Dancer, Donner, and Prancer. Vixen was an excellent mother. Soon Donner and Dancer were adopted and Vixen started really dotting on Prancer. In a short time they were inseparable so much so that it was decided that they would either be adopted together or remain at ARF. Vixen is a brown and white short hair tabby as were Dancer and Donner, however Prancer is a black and white tuxedo.

Vixen was born in 2014 and Prancer was born in 2015. Both are great cats and would make a great addition to any home. Vixen loves to be petted and gives kisses.



Prancer

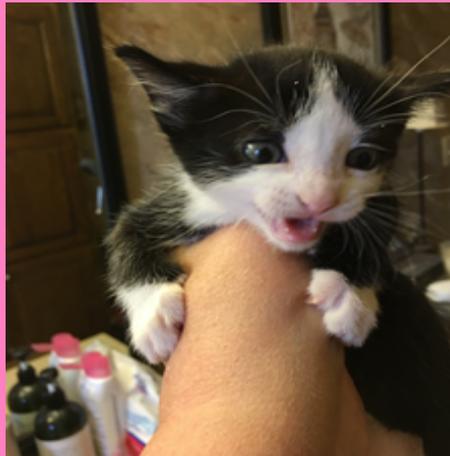


Josie

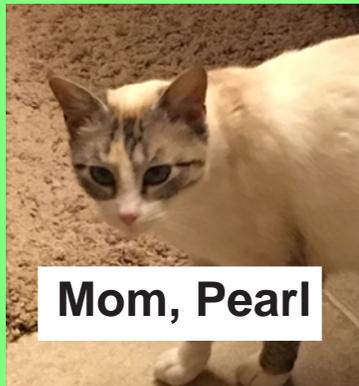
Pearl was brought in as a stray to the WCSPCA low cost spay/neuter clinic in Bartlesville. It turned out she was very pregnant. One of the volunteers offered to take Pearl home and wait for the kittens to be born. They are now here at ARF and will be available for adoption once they are old enough to be weaned and spayed. They are all females.



Olive



Hope



Mom, Pearl



Rosalee

In Memory of

Arene Clark
Garth Holmes

Darrell Houk
Dr. Bob and Yvonne James

Ray Myers, Husband of Lynda
Dr. Bob and Yvonne James

Missy and Tiggy, cats and Monroe, a Greyhound,
all beloved animals and family members of Matt,
Sandy, Wyatt and Wesley Kreps
Gary & Judy Kreps, Kay Housman, and Vicki Adams

Tang & Rufus
David, Donna, & Bonnie Pope

Sasha
Gary & Judy Kreps

Jazzy, Beloved Dachshund
of Sherry Stenson
Mandy Stewart

PC, Beloved cat
of JoAnn Payne
Vicki Adams, Laura Hines,
and JoAnn Payne

Sassy, Beloved cat
of Laura Hines
Diana Kirkman

Shelby, beloved dog
of Debbie Munsell
Diana Kirkman & Vicki Adams

Beau,
Beloved ARF cat
Vicki Adams
and JoAnn Payne

Nikki, beloved dog of JoAnn Payne
JoAnn Payne, David & Marilyn
Blumer, Vicki Adams,
and Clova Abrahamson

Glitter, wonderful ARF kitty
who left us too soon
Friends of ARF

Cami, beloved dog
of BJ Roberts
Vicki Adams

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Save the Date
Puttin' on the Leash
Dec 1, 2017



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!
Joey & Zoey, cats adopted
from ARF by Marva Dykes
are celebrating their
15th birthday

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!
Trinity Swan

Discounted Spay/Neuter Program

ARF & the WCSPCA have been running successful individual and joint discounted spay/neuter clinics. Our next joint clinic is June 24, 2017 if we have enough clients signed up. We have a minimum of 40 to hold the clinic.

Please check with ARF for future dates and available times 918-766-0991.



Thank you to the anonymous donor for our new front sign!

Walmart DC 7015 has volunteered to dig the trench for the electrical line. Once the electric is installed the LED display will be mounted. We can't wait!!!!

To Become a Volunteer, Member, or Contribute to ARF of Bartlesville

Animal Rescue Foundation of Bartlesville is run by volunteers and completely funded by donations
 ARF is a 501 (c) (3) organization and donations are Tax Deductible! OK D.O.A. S 19

Membership:

- Regular \$20 Senior (55+) Student \$10
- Lifetime Pet \$10 Cat _____ Dog _____
- Other _____

I can Help with:

- Fund Raising ideas/committees
- Special Events
- Foster Home for Dogs
- Other (please specify) _____

I would like to contribute:

- Sanctuary Fund \$ _____
- Spay/Neuter Clinics \$ _____
- ARF Vet bills \$ _____
- Food/Litter/Supplies \$ _____
- ARF Park \$ _____
- Memorial \$ _____

In Memory of: _____

I would like to sponsor _____

- Month (\$20 per)
- Year (\$200)

From: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____



Bring your cans to the
 "Can Kennel" at ARF. It's located
 on the east side of our driveway.
 399519 SE Nowata Road



Employer Contributions

Many employers such as ConocoPhillips and Phillips 66 will match their employees or retirees contributions. Please check with your employer to see if they match contributions.

Many employers such as Walmart contribute to non profit organizations on behalf of their associates volunteer hours. Please check with your employer.



SPECIAL THANKS

ARF would like to say a great big Thank You to the following businesses and individuals for their contributions to ARF:

Arrowhead Charities for organizing the second annual Doggie Dash. They are kind enough to donate all proceeds to ARF & the WCSPCA.

