

Happy New Year 2019



*The
Howler*
January, 2019

WHILE WE CAN'T CHANGE
AN ANIMAL'S PAST,
OUR MISSION IS TO
rewrite their future.



*Thank You
for a Pawsome Year!*

Dear Friends of Hallie Hill,

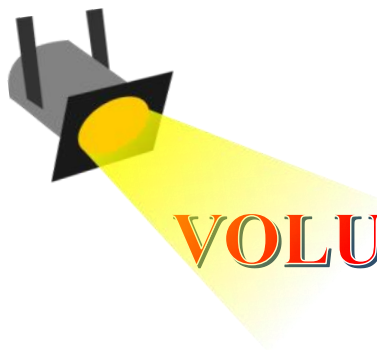
As 2018 comes to an end, we would like to say THANK YOU to all of our incredible staff, volunteers, donors and supporters.

Whether through donations, volunteering or simply spreading the word, your support has truly made a difference in the lives of our animals.

None of this would be possible without YOU. THANK YOU!

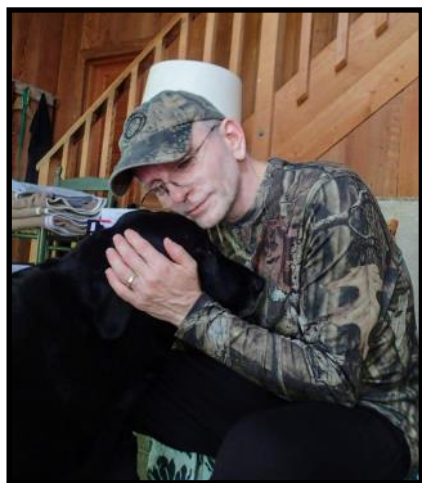
Happy 2019!
Board of Directors

*Hallie Hill
Wishes
you
Health
and
Happiness
in the
New Year!*



January's VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT:

Stan Winder



The only thing bigger than Stan's love of the animals at Hallie Hill is the animals' love for him! He can be found making life better for both people and animals by keeping the bunkhouse and barn sparkling and smelling sweet, and cleaning up after all...those...puppies!! All the animals love his easy demeanor and soft touch. Stan is always quick with a kind word and one leaves a conversation with him smiling and feeling better than you did when the conversation began! We are appreciative of the variety of ways Stan supports us ALL at Hallie Hill. Thank you Stan, we love you!



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**Thank you
Consign
Charleston!**

Consign Charleston's
Pounds for Pounds
SALE
Saturday, December 8th
20-50% Off
A SALE THAT BENEFITS THE PUPS!!!
Bring any pet food item for the Hallie Hill Pet Sanctuary to be eligible for discounts!!!



12 LEGITIMATELY LIFE-IMPROVING NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS YOU CAN STEAL FROM DOGS

1. EAT MORE STUFF THAT MAKES YOU FEEL GOOD.
2. POOP FREQUENTLY.
3. GREET EVERYTHING
4. PICK FIGHTS WITH SHOES AND PILLOWS.
5. SMELL THINGS THAT LOOK INTERESTING
6. BE LESS SCARED OF TELEPHONES AND STRANGERS.
7. RUN OUTSIDE AND YELL MORE.
8. FORGET WHAT YOU WERE DOING AND NAP INSTEAD
9. TAKE CARE OF YOUR GENITALS.
10. BE NICE TO NICE PEOPLE.
11. FART WITHOUT SHAME.
12. WORRY LESS ABOUT THINGS YOU CAN'T EAT OR PLAY WITH

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THIS is Hallie Hill!....



Many thanks to Katy Roberts, of Katy Roberts Media, for shooting and producing this wonderful video! It is guaranteed to make you want to visit this amazing place! [Click on the picture above and enjoy!](#)



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Keep track of updates and upcoming events!



Arthritis in Senior Dogs - Signs and Treatment

By [Stephanie Gibeault, MSc, CPDT](#) Jun 14, 2018

You might have noticed your older dog slowing down in recent years. Maybe he is playing less and sleeping more. Although this might seem normal for an aging canine, arthritis could be to blame.

What is Arthritis?

There are several different types of arthritis that can affect dogs, but the most common is osteoarthritis — also known as degenerative joint disease. This condition can affect up to one out of five adult dogs. Aging is a definite contributor to the development of osteoarthritis, but there are other factors as well, such as old injuries, metabolic disorders, like [diabetes](#), and [obesity](#). As dogs age, the cartilage in their joints begins to thin. This cartilage serves to cushion and protect the bones in the joint, and if it thins too much, the bones can rub against each other and break down. The resulting friction causes pain and loss of mobility. Inflammation in the joint capsule can also lead to the development of extra bony growths, known as spurs. Any joint in your dog's body can be affected by osteoarthritis, but the most common locations are the hips, elbows, knees, wrists, shoulders, ankles, and lower back.

Symptoms of Osteoarthritis in Dogs

Osteoarthritis can be hard to detect in its early stages. It is not until the joint is badly damaged and the bone surfaces are wearing away that outward symptoms can often be seen. In addition, dogs tend to mask their pain. If your canine companion exhibits any of the signs below, he may be suffering from osteoarthritis and dealing with some degree of discomfort:

- Avoids exercise like running or is reluctant to go up stairs
- Doesn't play as much as he used to
- Is lethargic, tires easily, and sleeps more
- Has problems jumping; for example, struggles to get on the couch or into the car
- Is stiff, [limp](#), or has difficulty moving
- Has gained weight or experienced changes in appetite
- Gets irritated when petted or touched
- Exhibits changes in personality, like depression or grouchiness
- Has accidents in the house



Arthritis may not be the only cause of these symptoms, so it is imperative that you take your dog to the veterinarian for a thorough examination. X-rays are the best way to diagnose osteoarthritis. Your vet will want to know about your dog's recent behavior, and she may manipulate his joints to listen and feel for any crackling or grating. Stiffness when your dog walks around the exam room or loss of muscle mass may also indicate osteoarthritis.

Treatment for Arthritis in Dogs

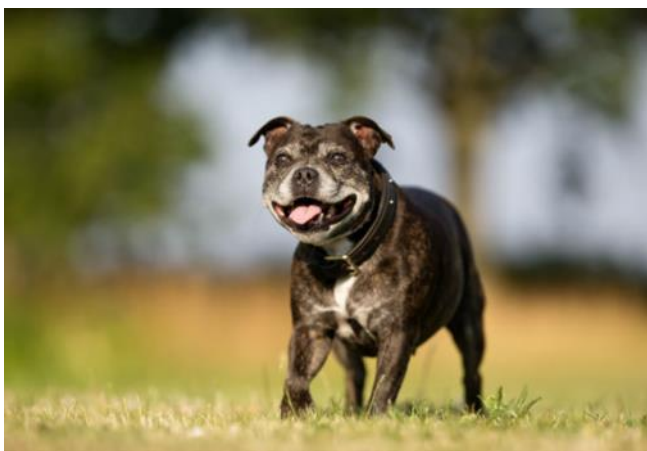
Many of the same treatments available for people suffering from osteoarthritis are also available for dogs. The goal of treatment is to control a dog's pain level and increase his movement and function. If possible, attempts should be made to slow down the degeneration of the joint and repair cartilage.

There are many medications your vet might suggest, including pain relievers such as non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs) like [Rimadyl](#). These reduce inflammation in the joint, resulting in less pain. However, NSAIDs can have side effects that impact the liver and kidneys, so it's important that your vet run a blood test to check that these organs aren't compromised before writing a prescription.

Cortisone or steroids can also be used to combat inflammation, but long-term use can lead to serious side effects. Another category of medication is chondroprotectants, such as Adequan. These drugs inhibit the enzymes that contribute to cartilage breakdown, protecting the cartilage as it tries to repair itself. It's important to note that many drugs meant for humans can be toxic to dogs, so never treat your pet with medication from the pain relief aisle in a drugstore without first consulting your veterinarian. Surgery is another option for dogs in serious pain or with severe joint damage. This can range from cleaning out debris inside the joint to replacing the joint with an artificial one.

An important treatment for all arthritic dogs is appropriate [exercise](#) and weight management. Excess pounds put more stress on joints, so keeping your dog at a healthy weight will aid in mobility and pain management, as well as minimize further damage. Products like [ramps](#), [stairs](#), or a [lift harness](#) can also help. Proper exercise keeps the joints supple and the muscles around the damaged joint in good condition. Canine physiotherapy is another great option, so consider asking your veterinarian about certified canine rehabilitation therapists in your area.

Finally, there are many complementary therapies available, from [acupuncture](#) to herbal remedies. Even your choice of [dog food](#) can have an impact on your arthritic



ic dog's quality of life. Look for joint health or senior formulas with additives, such as [glucosamine](#) and chondroitin, the omega-3 fatty acid eicosapentaenoic acid (EPA), and antioxidants like vitamin E. These may help reduce inflammation in your dog's joints, minimize damage to cartilage, and ease symptoms of arthritis. However, as with any supplement or alternative therapy, look for treatments backed by scientific research and consult your veterinarian

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We Found Our Fur-ever Homes!!



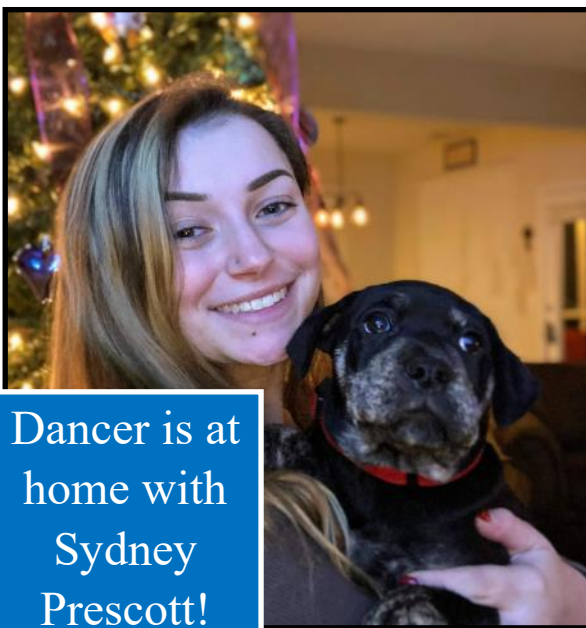
Gracie is at home with the Harkins Family!



Tina is at home with the Meyer Family



Perry is at home with the Braunn Family!



Dancer is at home with Sydney Prescott!



Banner (Blitzen) is at home with the Conway Family!

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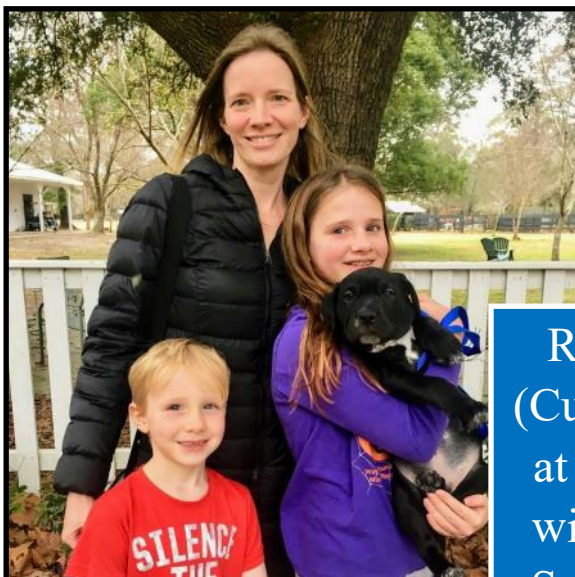
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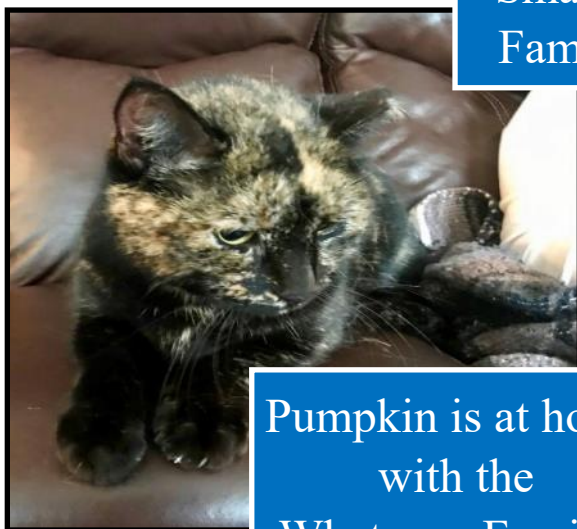
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with the
MacDonald Family!



Pippa is at home with the
Swetnam Family!



Rocky
(Cupid) is
at home
with the
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Family!



Pumpkin is at home
with the
Whetsone Family!



BamBam is
at home
with Kevin
Chavis!

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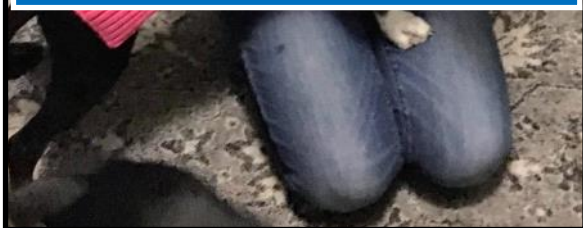
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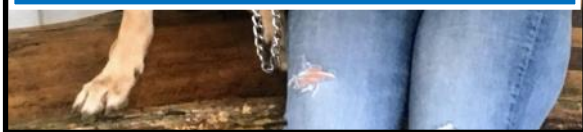
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Jersey is at home with
Kristen Frank!



Shadow is at home with
Rebekah Rivera!



Greta is at
home with
Kayla Hahm!



Toby (Donner) is at home with the
Constantine Family!



Terry is at
home with
the King
Family!

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Handmade Quilt Raffle: and the winner is...

**Catherine
Giles!**

**Congratulations
Catherine!
Enjoy that
beautiful quilt!**



11 LIFE-IMPROVING NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS LEARNED FROM CATS

1. Practice death-stare

2. Gratuitous
napping

3. Accept
how cute
I am

4. Smack
annoying
people

5. More cardboard forts

6. Be unashamed of backside

7. Reward friends with
corpses of enemies

8. Groom
more

9. Rub face
on soft things

10. Sleep
where I'm
comfortable

11. Care less what
stupid humans think



January's Adorable Adoptables!



Pearl

Pearl was our featured cat on the sixth day of Christmas! She is a 9 year old beauty who loves your attention! She is not shy around people and will walk up and ask for love right away! She does well with other cats, but secretly wouldn't mind being the only child. Why don't you add this beautiful Pearl to your collection? She'll look beautiful on you!



Joe

Joe was our featured dog on the third day of Christmas but the number three has not been lucky for him yet! He is just two years old and is looking for an active home with lots of playtime with his people, but wants some cuddle time too! He does well with other dogs and people of all ages. Joe would bring great joy to your home as we begin a New Year!



Misty

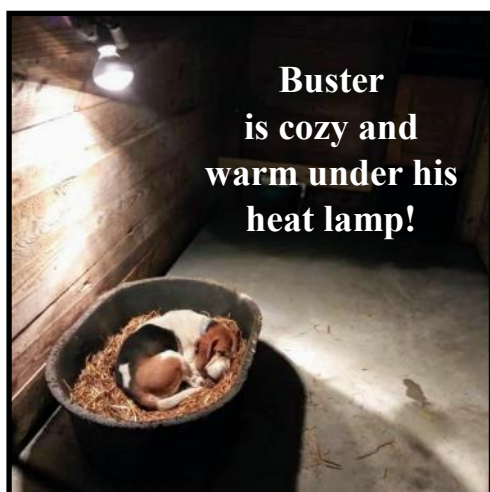
Misty was our featured dog on the third day of Christmas! She is a 5-year-old Staffordshire mix, who was rescued outside of a school in Hollywood, SC. She loves spending time with other dogs and adores attention from people. Misty gets a little nervous inside but will adjust in time. If you're looking for your soulmate, Misty would make the perfect companion. Let's help Misty find her home for the New Year!



Chief

Chief was our featured dog on the ninth day of Christmas! He is one of the most lovable and handsome hounds at HHAS. He is nine years old and loves giving kisses. Chief is excellent around other dogs and people of all ages. He was recently in a foster home and they are happy to report the Chief is fully house-trained! Chief would love to help you keep away those January blues!

IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO DONATE! There are MANY cold nights ahead!



The holiday season has arrived and with it cooler temperatures. Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary is holding an online donation drive to raise funds to pay for the sanctuary's winter electricity bills. The #HeatOurHomes online donation drive will help pay for the electricity associated with keeping heat lamps on in the Cat Condos and Pet Cabins throughout the winter months. #HallieHill

To learn more and to make a donation, please visit: <https://www.classy.org/campaign/heat-our-homes/c215629>



Happy Birthday to Sue Winder, Linda Smoak and the missing Michele Bayme!

Many thanks to our fantastic resident chef, Margaret Graham, for the birthday feast complete with 2 birthday cakes!!

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Lowcountry **dog** magazine

4th Annual EAT, DRINK & RESCUE

Knife, Spoon, Fork, Glass, Heart with Paw Print

SMOKY OAK
TAPROOM

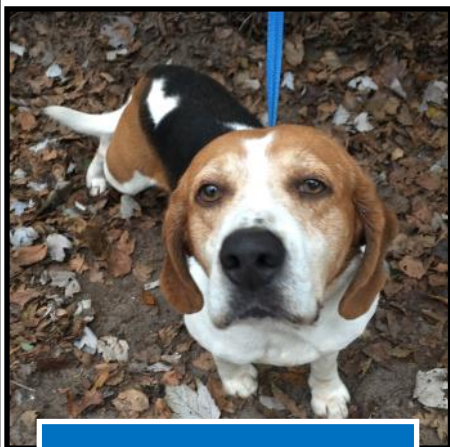
1234 Camp Road, James Island

January 19, 2019 1 - 4 pm

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Welcome to Hallie Hill!!



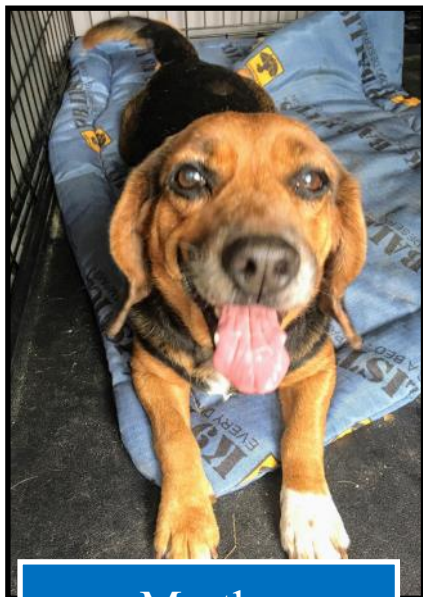
Buster



Shake and Bake



Haylee



Martha



Athena



Hannah



8 Beautiful
puppies, all
named after
Santa's
Reindeer!



Ricky Bobby

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Hallie Hill Holiday Party 12.4.18



Here is a tech tool you can't live without!...
and it's **FREE!** Available on iOS and Android.



Finding Rover

By Finding Rover, Inc.

Losing a dog is heartbreaking. (We've been there!)

Our new facial recognition technology makes finding dogs as quick and easy as the snap of a photo.

See a lost dog? Take a photo, send a text and together we can bring every lost dog home.

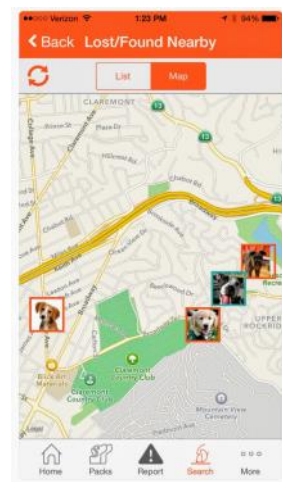
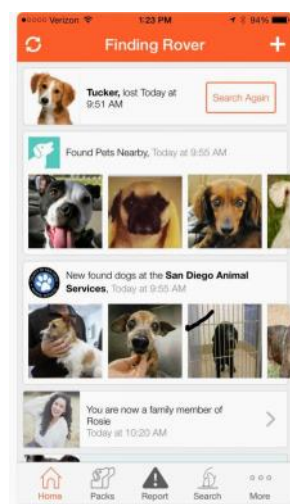
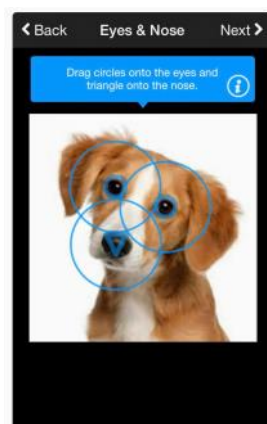
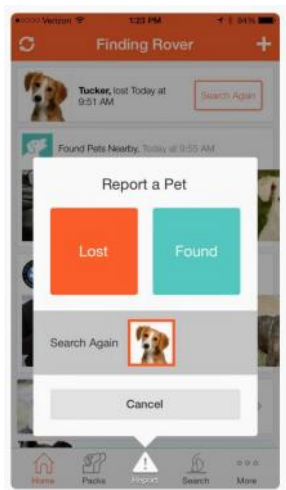
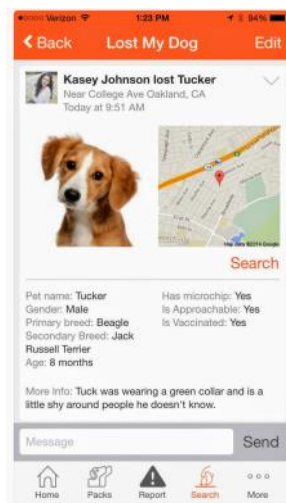
"A big thanks for Finding Rover for immediately posting that my dog was lost. She is my child and I am very glad she is back home now and recovering." - Finding Rover User

Benefits of Finding Rover's Facial Recognition for Dogs

- If your dog's collar has come off, his or her face will be recognized on the app and will provide any finder with the contact information you provide.
- If someone finds your dog but doesn't have time to look for a microchip, in less than 3 minutes, they can snap a photo and send a text or give you a call.

How Finding Rover works:

- Register your dog so it's in the database
- If someone sees your lost dog, they snap a photo
- Our facial recognition technology does a search
- They contact you either via phone, email or through the app, however you'd like



Source: App Store

Thank you Pivotal Fitness!

Hallie Hill is in 'better shape' because of the generosity of your clients! We are very appreciative!



6 Signs You're actually a Cat



Hallie Hill is Now a Set for a National Commercial!

Thank you OnStar for choosing Hallie Hill as the location for filming your upcoming commercial! We won't spoil the surprise, but stay tuned to social media and the Howler for a viewing link when it is released to the public!



www.onstar.com





The Howler is introducing a new monthly feature article...

'Ask Hallie Hill!'

Have a question that you would like to ask about cats or dogs, or Hallie Hill in general? Please submit them to: info@halliehill.com. One or two will be answered each month!

Your Perfect Mate Awaits at Hallie Hill

"Favorite Friday Night:
Snuggling on the couch"



Adopt, Don't Shop!



adopt or foster



Are you looking to adopt or foster?! Some of our new arrivals include three 14 week old kittens with Feline Leukemia in desperate need of rehoming. These three siblings are looking for a forever home or foster with no other cats, as Feline Leukemia is contagious among cats, but is NOT contagious to dogs or humans.

CALL 843.889.3713 FOR MORE INFORMATION

Make 'em smile



Did you know that you could be generating donations for Hallie Hill while you shop on Amazon! Just go to [Smile.Amazon.com](https://www.smile.amazon.com), choose Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary as your charitable organization and Amazon will donate a portion of your purchase price to Hallie Hill on all eligible items, every time you shop!

With Amazon Prime Day coming up this Monday, July 16, it's a great way to save a bunch at Amazon and be helping our animals at the same time.

THAT MAKES US SMILE!

amazonsmile

LOVE
is a four legged word.



Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary



Wednesday 1/9
Low Country Live

Thursday, 1/10
Ch. 2 Midday News

Saturday, 1/19
**Eat Drink and Rescue
Smokey Oak Taproom**

Thursday, 1/24
Ch. 2 Midday News

January 2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
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27	28	29	30	31		



How Can You Help? Our January Wish List!

- **Donate to the MAGIC Fund (Medical and Geriatric Intensive Care) and Heat our Home for the Holidays by check or online at www.halliehill.com. PLEASE!!**
- **Go to smile.amazon.com and choose Hallie Hill to be your beneficiary each time you shop at Amazon!**
- **Check out our Hallie Hill Wishlist on amazon.com**
- **Consumables we need all of the time!**

Laundry Detergent or Bleach

Trash Bags

Disinfecting Wipes or Cleaning Supplies

Paper Plates and Paper Towels

Dry cat food

Office Supplies

Bottled water for volunteers

Multi-Purpose Spray Cleaner

Laundry Detergent

Cinder blocks

Canned Dog Food

Leaf Rakes

Friskies wet cat food

Newspaper

Potty Pads

Scoopable Cat Litter



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Hallie Hill Howler are welcomed!
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Mission Statement

*Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary is a 501c3 organization
that provides a compassionate safe-haven with
quality food and medical care for dogs and cats;
a temporary home for those able to be adopted,
and a forever home for those in need.*