



While we can't change  
an animal's past,  
our mission is to  
rewrite their future.

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# The Hallie Hill Howler



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Dear Friends,

As February begins, and with Valentine's Day around the corner, I am reminded of the huge amount of LOVE that is shown here at Hallie Hill every day of the year.

Love is shown through:

- generous donors who send money to cover everything from medical expenses to daily food for over 200 animals in our care!
- committed volunteers who donate countless hours of their valuable time enriching the lives of the animals, cleaning and feeding, helping at events and fundraisers to help find fur-ever homes, helping with difficult maintenance tasks and even putting together the newsletter you are reading now!
- staff who work in the cold (or heat) feeding, cleaning, medicating, repairing enclosures, (and so, so much more) to give the animals the quality care they deserve.

And last, but NEVER least, great love is shown by the dogs and cats (and an occasional bird, squirrel and bunny) in our care! Some may not show it outwardly, but in many their love is shown unmistakably and unconditionally! The animals at Hallie Hill show their love through warm kisses, excited barks, wagging tails, soft purrs and head butts.

It is wonderful to be part of such a special place filled with so much love! Happy February to all, and have a Happy Valentine's Day!

Warmly, Jennifer



## Volunteer Spotlight

### Marsha Alterman!

Marsha joined Hallie Hill in June 2019 as a volunteer as well as a member of the Board of Directors. She is passionate about giving our residents a life filled with love. She comes almost daily with pockets full of hotdog treats and lots and lots of hugs to give! The dogs wait in excitement for their special time with Marsha in the ring pen or a walk around the sanctuary. Her small frame is deceiving! She is strong and no dog is too much for her to handle. She loves the animals as much as they love her. Thanks, Marsha for your dedication and love to our special residents of Hallie Hill!

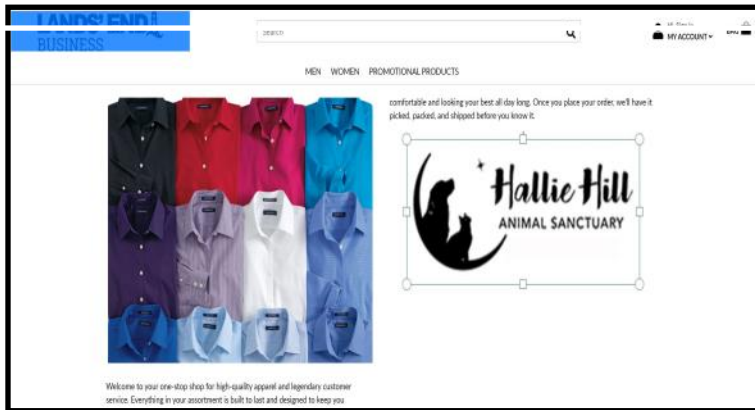




## LANDS END AND HALLIE HILL!

**You can now purchase anything from Lands End with the Hallie Hill logo!**

**Embroidery charge is \$6.95/item**



**(This is our storefront homepage)**

**<https://business.landsend.com/store/HHAS>**

**You MUST use this address to get to the Hallie Hill storefront!**



**IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN!**  
**Open your fundraising page now!**



What you will receive:



Forever grateful dogs and cats



Endless sloppy kisses from 140 lb Rufus



A photoshoot at the sanctuary for your fundraising page

Plus...



Raise \$100  
 Receive a wag-worthy, snazzy button



Raise \$500  
 Receive a paw-some t-shirt that reads "Kiss my mutt!"



Raise \$1,000  
 Receive a custom portrait of your pet

**[CLICK HERE TO SET UP YOUR FUNDRAISING PAGE!](#)**

...and then, on May 11th,

*Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary Golf Fundraiser*  
 THE LINKS AT STONO FERRY | MAY 11, 2020

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 FOR  
 PAWS

**[CLICK HERE!](#)**

**SPONSOR TODAY!**

*halliehill.com/putting-for-paws*

**Set up  
 your  
 sponsor-  
 ship that  
 will mean  
 so much to  
 our  
 animals,  
 or sign up  
 your  
 foursome  
 to play!  
 Do it  
 TODAY!**

## Here's Another Way to Show Your Pet You Love Them!

### Should I Microchip My Pet?

- ⇒ 10 million cats and dogs are lost each year!
- ⇒ 1 in 3 pets will be lost at some point in their lifetime!
- ⇒ 44% of pets are not microchipped!

#### Return to Owner from Shelters...

<u>...WITHOUT MICROCHIP</u>	<u>...WITH MICROCHIP</u>
<b>22% OF LOST DOGS</b>	<b>52% OF LOST DOGS</b>
<b>2% OF LOST CATS</b>	<b>38% OF LOST CATS</b>
ARE REUNITED WITH THEIR OWNERS!	ARE REUNITED WITH THEIR OWNERS!

### Yes, You Should!



**Save The Date / Get Your Tickets / Join Us!**



The poster for Woodstock 2020 is set against a teal background with a faint image of a dog's face. In the top left corner is the logo for 105.5 THE BRIDGE. In the top right corner is a circular logo for lowcountrydog.com featuring a dog's head and the text "charleston's digital dog magazine". The main title "WOOFSTOCK 2020" is in large, stylized letters, with "WOOFSTOCK" in blue and "2020" in orange. Below the title, the date and location "SATURDAY, MARCH 7TH, HANAHAN AMPHITHEATER" are written in white. The band name "DRIVIN N CRYIN" is in large white letters. Below it, the band members "LAUREN MORROW, GREG WEST, GASLIGHT STREET, SUNFLOWERS & SIN, MATT MACKELCAN, EMILY CURTIS, DAVID HIGGINS" are listed in white. A bold statement "MORE BANDS TO BE ANNOUNCED!" follows. A list of event features in orange text includes "BENEFITS 8 LOCAL RESCUES & SHELTERS", "GATES AT 11:00", "FOOD TRUCKS", "LOCAL VENDORS", and "KID FRIENDLY". On the right side, there is a cartoon illustration of a blue and white van with a dog in the driver's seat. The van has "WOOFSTOCK or BUST!" written on its side. Below the van is the "lowcountry dog" logo. At the bottom, the text "EARLY BIRD TICKETS GO ON SALE FRIDAY, DEC 13TH AT" is in orange, followed by the website "WWW.WOOFSTOCK2020.COM" in large orange letters.

105.5  
THE BRIDGE

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lowcountrydog.com

A LOWCOUNTRY DOG MUSIC FESTIVAL

**WOOFSTOCK**  
**2020**

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## Thank You Jeanne Taylor, and Mt. Pleasant Magazine!

Jeanne Taylor, talented owner of Jeanne Taylor Pet Photography, is a wonderful friend of Hallie Hill! She has photographed many of our dogs in the past and plans another visit to the Sanctuary in the near future! Please click on the photo to the left and read the wonderful article that she wrote for Mt. Pleasant Magazine's Jan/Feb 2020 issue! Thank you for all that you do for Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary, we are fortunate to call you our supporter, and friend!



## February 15th is 'Singles Awareness Day'!

Here are some of our sweet swingin' singles,  
looking for a fur-ever friend!



**MOSEY MAE**



**MOUSE**



**DIXIE**



**CHAI**



**RHONDA**



**SMOKEY**



**PRINCESS**



**TED**



**RUFUS**



**MARY JANE**



**PEPPER**



**GRACIE**



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January 18th and 19th, 2020



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## How to Find a Responsible Dog Breeder!

Think this is a funny message in a Sanctuary Newsletter? We at Hallie Hill, and at the Humane Society of the United States, strongly encourage you to consider adoption from a shelter or rescue, but we know that there are people out there who prefer a 'purebred' dog or cat! If that's what you choose to do, it's ok, but PLEASE be responsible! There are MANY breed-specific rescues out there (see next page), and we would hope that you would look there first to adopt the breed of your choice! If that isn't an option for you, please review the following responsible breeder checklist so you can choose a breeder who has the *animals'* best interest at heart!

### RESPONSIBLE BREEDER CHECKLIST

- ⇒ Responsible breeders only sell puppies to people they have met in person—never through pet stores or online to people they haven't met.
- ⇒ Responsible breeders encourage you to visit and see where the puppy was born and raised.
- ⇒ Responsible breeders will not keep dogs in crowded spaces or cages. Their dogs will be in clean, roomy, comfortable areas.
- ⇒ Responsible breeders breed very sparingly. They specialize in only one or a few breeds and don't always have puppies available.
- ⇒ Responsible Breeders will show you individual records of veterinary visits for you puppy and the parents.
- ⇒ Responsible breeders will want you to sign a contract and will ask you to return the puppy to them if you are ever unable to keep the dog.

TO LEARN MORE, visit the Humane Society [HERE](#) or download the "How to Find a Responsible Dog Breeder Checklist [HERE](#).



Jennifer and Caroline at the Humane Society of the United States' End Puppy Mills Workshop -12/14/19





## LOCAL BREED SPECIFIC RESCUE ORGANIZATIONS

List may not be all inclusive, please do your homework!

[Carolina Basset Hound Rescue](#) - Charleston

[Carolina Boxer Rescue](#) - based in Hampstead, NC but serves SCRescues

[Corgis and Friends of Walmarsh Animal Lovers of Edisto](#) - Edisto Island

[Grateful Goldens Rescue of the Low Country](#) - Charleston

[Greyhound Pets of America](#) - Charleston

[Lowcountry Lab Rescue](#) - Charleston

[Phoenix Rising Border Collie Rescue](#) - Wadmalaw Island

[Southeast Bloodhound Rescue](#) - Charleston

[Waters Edge Great Dane Rescue](#) - Bonneau



### LOWCOUNTRY LAB RESCUE



**phoenixrising**  
BORDER COLLIE RESCUE



### Southeast Bloodhound Rescue, Inc.

Matching bloodhounds with loving families



Carolina Basset Hound Rescue



## Charleston Animal Society's Annual Meeting

Jennifer Middleton and Elizabeth Bradham attended CAS's annual meeting! Hallie Hill appreciates the opportunity to work collaboratively with CAS, and all our local shelters, to build a community that supports all animals in need! Thank you CAS for all that you do for animals here in SC and across the country!



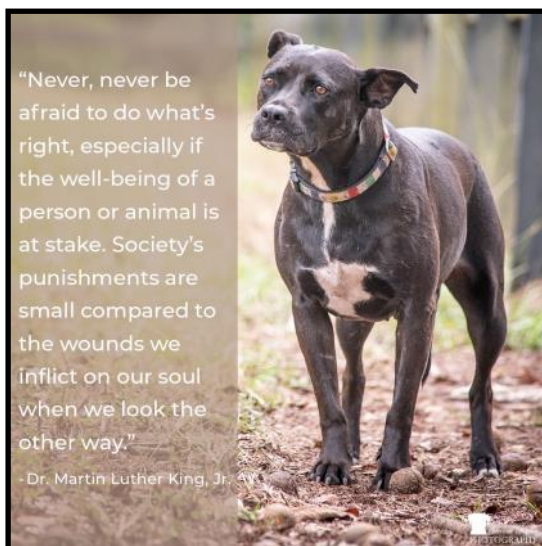
Jennifer with Joe Elmore, CEO of Charleston Animal Society



Jennifer with Deedee Tyler, Activist for Feral Cats, and Elizabeth Bradham, HHAS Board Member



Jennifer with Kim Almstedt, CEO of Dorchester Paws



"Never, never be afraid to do what's right, especially if the well-being of a person or animal is at stake. Society's punishments are small compared to the wounds we inflict on our soul when we look the other way."

- Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.



Have you stopped by **BKEd SHoP** to pick up a pumpkin peanut butter treat for your pup?! 🐾 All proceeds benefit the dogs and cats of the sanctuary 🐾 While you're there, treat yaself to a delicious donut or a gourmet pretzel!! 🍩🍪





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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!**



follow  
HALLIE HILL ANIMAL SANCTUARY  
on social

 @HallieHillAnimalSanctuary

 @HallieHillAnimalSanctuary

*Keep track of updates and upcoming events!*



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## *We Found Our Fur-ever Homes!!*



**Thumbelina thanks  
Liza Holian!**



**Rocket thanks  
Eric Kimes!**



**Kit Kat thanks  
Karen Rhodes!**



**Oadie thanks  
Tyler Gillispie!**



## We Found Our Fur-ever Homes!!



**Remmi thanks  
Heidi Alexander!**



**Little thanks  
Linda Cleland and family!**



**Thelma and Louise  
thank Jordon Von Ins!**



## Canine Cabin/Cat Condo Sponsorship

Benefitting Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary



*All of our animal friends deserve a warm, comfortable place to "rest their paws."*

Hallie Hill's Canine Cabin or Cat Condo sponsorship program provides a great opportunity for individuals, families, private organizations, and businesses to directly support the animals we care for daily.

As a sponsor, your name will be proudly displayed on the front of the cabin and included prominently on our website and in our newsletter.

**Sponsor a cabin with a dedication to an animal lover in your life!!**

**What a special way to say I love you to someone special for Valentines Day!**





## February's Adorable Adoptables!



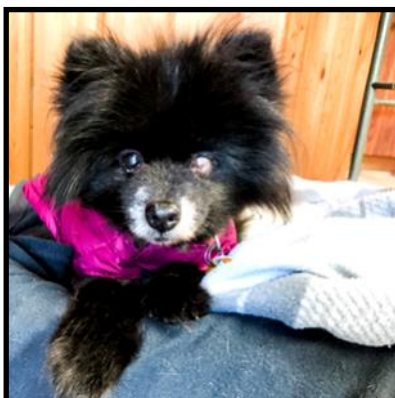
### Alley

Alley is as sweet as she is beautiful! At 2 years, nine months, she is the perfect kitty in a black and white package! This social kitty is very friendly, and would love a place to call all her own. A perfect age to mix with both kittens and adult cats, she would be a perfect addition to your home. You would be very lucky to adopt this girl...she is a gem!



### Duffy

Holy handsome! Duffy is friendly as can be, and is just an all around wonderful dog. At 3 years, 4 months he is one of the younger dogs at Hallie. Look at those long, soft ears and beautiful markings! He gets along well with other pups, and thinks people are great too! We are not sure why he is still with us, he is a special dog that would be a wonderful addition to your family!



### Champ

Champ is a sweet senior boy, at 11 years old! He is deaf and partially blind, and is arthritic. A perfect example of the kind of senior dog we often see at Hallie, this soft, fluffy guy is so endearing! He would fit well into a home with limited activity and lots of available lap time! He responds well to lots of love and snuggles and will reward you with his unconditional love, devotion and gratitude!



### Banjo

Our sweet Banjo! This 7 year old boy came to us from another shelter where he was very scared and was struggling to adjust to the environment there. He has completely blossomed at Hallie Hill! Banjo would like to live with another older dog who will be laid back like him and show him that humans are to be trusted and loved. This beautiful boy needs someone to love him gently and unconditionally and understand his worth. And he is a very worthy boy!

Go to [halliehill.com](http://halliehill.com) and fill out an application to come out to HHAS to meet these wonderful animals. They will complete your family!

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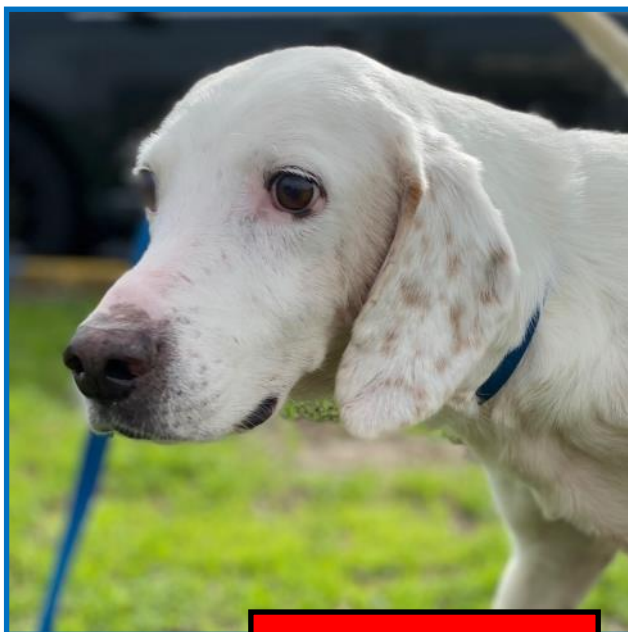
Welcome to Hallie Hill!



Cricket



Rocket



Kenny



Doris

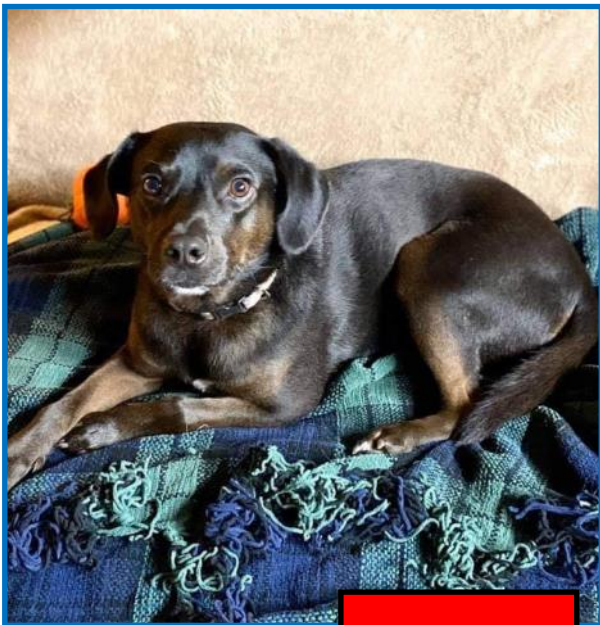


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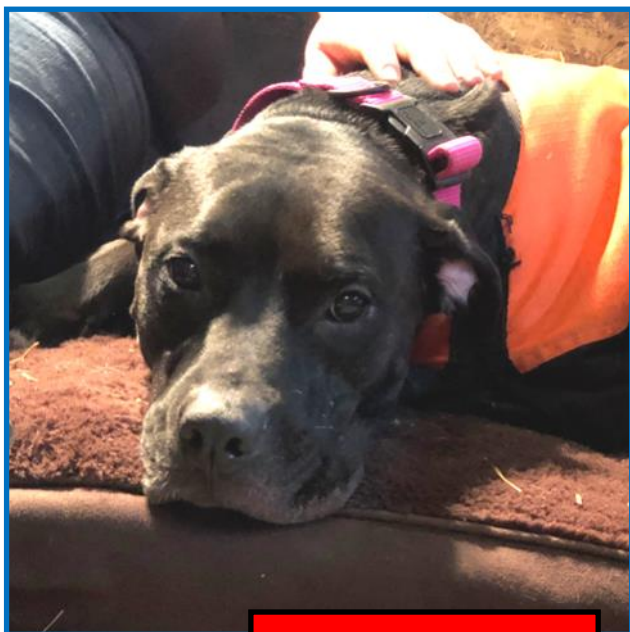
Welcome to Hallie Hill!



Jack



Pork Chop



Naomi



Pickle



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**REALTOR LESLIE TESTER IS PAYING IT FORWARD!**

Leslie has generously pledged **20% OF HER COMMISSION** to Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary from the purchase or sale of every home.

Just mention Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary when contacting her to buy or sell your home.

#LeslieTesterRealtor  
#HallieHillAnimalSanctuary

**It works! Hallie Hill thanks you for your generosity, Leslie Tester! Enjoy your new home Alex and Sandy Iserman!**

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.amazon.com/smile), 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!**

**CLICK HERE TO GET STARTED**

**amazon**smile



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## *How Can You Help? Our February Wish List!*

***PLEASE Donate to the MAGIC Fund  
(Medical and Geriatric Intensive Care) or  
sponsor a Cat Condo or Canine Cabin!***

- 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!

Trash Bags

Laundry Detergent

Scoopable Cat Litter

Hose nozzles

Friskies wet cat food

Multi purpose spray cleaner

Dry cat food

Bleach

Canned Dog Food

Paper Plates and Paper Towels

File Folders

Bottled water for volunteers

**Ink for our Epson Workforce 3720 Printer**

**Epson 702—Color and Black**

*Hallie Hill  
Animal Sanctuary  
FEBRUARY*

**Sunday, February 2nd—Super Bowl!**

**Wednesday, February 5th —HHAS on Hallmark Home and Family**

**Thursday, February 6th—HHAS on Channel 2 Midday News**

**Wednesday, February 12th—HHAS on Low Country Live**

**Thursday, February 13th—HHAS on FOX 24 Noon News**

**Friday February 14th—Valentines Day**

**Thursday, February 20th—HHAS on Channel 2 Midday news**



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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.*