

Dear Friends,

It has been such an amazing month. Many events, new intakes and adoptions have kept us all very busy at the sanctuary! We want to thank everyone who has supported our most recent fundraiser, 'Bridge the Gap' during the Cooper River Bridge Run. Hallie Hill depends on your generous donations for day-to-day operations and also to provide medical care to the special animals that come to us for sanctuary. Orin is one of those special animals, and here is his story...

Orin came to us just last month. We received a call from Veterinary Specialty Care - SC that there was a dog needing a life-saving surgery. His caretakers had surrendered him so that he could get the surgery he needed. Orin had a perineal hernia that was causing pain, discomfort, and weight loss. Orin was able to get the life-saving surgery he *desperately* needed thanks to our generous donors, and he is recovered and doing well with his new adopters!

Enjoy this beautiful fall weather and this edition of the Howler!

Jennifer Middleton, Executive Director, HHAS



# Megan Ward

Megan Ward is new to the Hallie Hill Family. She is a scientist marine turned teacher at Ashley Hall. She is passionate about teaching science, and loves showing everyone else how amazing it is! Megan has a 16 year old daughter, Ailish, and a 14 year old son, Tristan. Her husband is Captain John. She three has furry children, Callie, Lola, and Charlotte. Megan loves the Hallie animals Hill and finds volunteering verv rewarding. We are so lucky to have her join our team!!



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Hey most awesome volunteers! Please help us out by signing in and out on the volunteer log when you visit. There will be one notebook in the foyer of Cattery A and another in the tack room. This will be our verification of the many valuable hours you donate to the sanctuary on a regular basis. This data will help us with grant applications and year end reports. ATTENTION VOLUNTEERS! Summer Hours: 8:30 AM —12:30PM Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday Don't forget to schedule your visit at signup.com

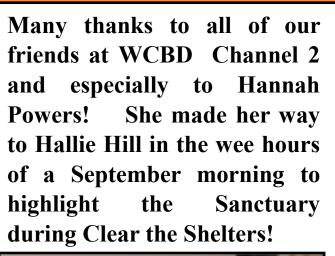








# Hallie Hill and WCBD Channel 2!





This was a hugely successful campaign for all of the Lowcountry shelters and sanctuaries as 533 animals found their fur-ever homes!! This number was more than double the number of adoptions from last year!



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Thank you to all of
you who found room
in your homes, and
in your hearts, for a
new family member!



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THANK YOU Thanks to donors like you, I received the pain-relieving surgery I needed, and found a loving forever homel







Daniela and Jeff raised over \$9,000 for our Magic Fund! These monies support the medical needs of our special animals! Many thanks for their commitment to the animals of Hallie Hill! AND, most importantly, Thank you for your donations that allow us to change the future of the animals in our care!





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# Your donation to the MAGIC FUND really does work magic for our animals in need!





Millie came to us at 13 years old. Her owner had to move across the country to take care of a family member, and Millie was left in the owner's condo where family members were taking turns taking care of her. When the owner discovered she would be away for a much longer time than expected and needed a more permanent solution for Miss Millie, she reached out to us at the sanctuary to help. Millie's owner made the painful decision to surrender her to us so that she receive the love, care and attention she decould Millie had severe arthritis and several lipomas served. when she arrived. She was also a little overweight - but was and continues to be incredibly sweet natured. We weren't concerned with her lipomas at first, as they hadn't been causing her any harm. However over time, there was one that we wanted looked at. She had a lipoma directly below her chest that she laid on consistently that was becoming irritated. The vet thought it would be best to remove this particular lipoma, as it was worsening, and said it would get abraded or ulcerated. He also recommended removing a few others to help with her general comfort. Millie had her surgery and is currently recovering. She is one happy girl, and is still looking for her forever home. Make an appointment, and come out to Hallie to meet Millie!

**Come out** for a day filled with fun and music to support local rescues and shelters! Hallie Hill will be there!





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Want to Get some Hallie Hill 'Merch' the Easy Way? **CLICK HERE** to shop and order! Bags, T-shirts and hoodies are available. Help spread the word about Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary! !

Women's T-Shirts sizing runs VERY small! Order at least one size up, two for roominess!

#### Dixie left the sanctuary on Friday and headed to Greenville to start her new life!

"Thank you so much for your help in working with us and giving us the opportunity to adopt Dixie. We've been enjoying getting to know her so much. She's an absolute cuddle bug and loves being right in between us, snuggling on the couch."

She sure does look happy!



# Leigh Wechter 2d · 2d · Mana in her new home who happens to be a friend of mine.



"I just wanted to check in and update you with our baby! We rescued Wonton (now Churro) and we couldn't be happier. He is the most easy going, loving kitty ever. It didn't take long for him to get along with my boyfriends cat, and now they love to play together.

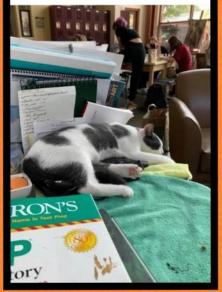
I've attached some pictures and we are so grateful for the sanctuary. We will most definitely be back in the future. Thank you kindly!"



# Adoption 'Pup-Dates'!

#### 🐸 UPDATE 🐸

MooShu, now Juniper, is loving life going everywhere with mom! Even to school. He's the art room mascot!



"Oh we aren't perfect, but neither is he. He decided to murder a pillow on Friday. But he's just a dog after all. And as my son-in-law said "The pillow MUST have said something offensive!" Darn nasty pillow! He has now met the grandchild and her dachshund. Life is fine!!! PS almost eleven year old girls are the best!"

Looks like Moultrie has found a family who "gets him." Hopefully it was the pillows fault!



Remember sweet Mila, part of the barn crew?

"I know it's been quite awhile, but I just wanted to let you see that Kava (Mila) is doing so wonderful!! She completed her heart worm treatment back in April & has thrived!! Took awhile, but found a food that she absolutely chows down, she's at a firm 100 pounds She is constantly by my side which is a blessing to me.

Unfortunately, Miller passed last month He was 16 years old, but the time he had with Kava was pure joy to watch.

I continue to look at all the pups at Hallie, but not ready to adopt just yet.

Hope all is well with everyone!"

She looks gorgeous! What a sweet picture of her brother Miller.  $\sqrt[4]{p^{*}}$ 



Miss Sweet Pea went home on Sunday. Her mom (the same person that adopted Scarlett the cat) checked in this morning, this will give you a giggle!

"Here are a couple of pics. Napping in her new to her bed, napping on the sofa, taking a cooling unplanned dip in the pool, and getting stuck in the cat toy. She keeps sticking her head in the cat toy. "

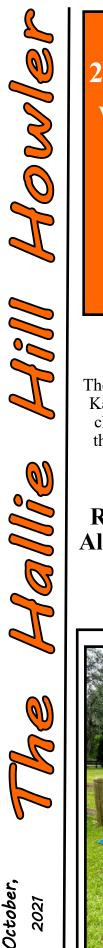


Red went home as a foster last week and as of yesterday he's an official member of the Cooper Family! His new sister, Gracie Mae the Italian Greyhound, loves her new partner in crime! 💞



Adoption 'Pup-dates' are becoming one of our most popular features! If you would like your special Hallie Hill alumni featured in a future Howler, email Michele an update and pictures at adoptions@halliehill.com









## **Lowcountry Starburst Quilts**

These "Starburst" designed quilts were sewn using Artisan Batik fabrics from the Robert Kaufman line by Lunn Studios. The fabric design name is "Totally Tropical", a perfect choice for lowcountry quilts. Artisan Batiks are hand printed and dyed - bringing you these fun designs and brilliant colors. Both quilts in this year's raffle are a great throw size - just a few inches shy of a five foot square.

Thank you all for supporting Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary.

#### Raffle tickets are available for purchase for \$5 each <u>HERE</u> All ticket sale proceeds will benefit the animals of Hallie Hill.

See more photos of the beautiful quilts here!



## Meet the Artist: Donna Gamble

Like many people from the Northeast, it only took one trip here to the lowcountry of South Carolina to become hooked!

Our family consists of three rescues, a hound mix, a blue tick coonhound and our newest member from Hallie Hill, a Staffordshire Terrier. All three with unique personalities and are a tight pack who keep track of each other. We are strong advocates of dog safety and wellness and letting them shine in their own light. Our Bloodhound does search and rescue work, our blue tick joins in the search and rescue training as does our Terrier but his passion is swimming in the Atlantic (equipped with his life jacket).

I have tremendous admiration for Jennifer Middleton, the staff and volunteers and all that they have done to make Hallie Hill what it is today.



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# "If I fits, I sits!"



Send us your pictures of your kitties (or doggos) sitting in their favorite tight spots! Send to info@halliehill.com and you will see them in a future Howler!





Your legacy, their future.

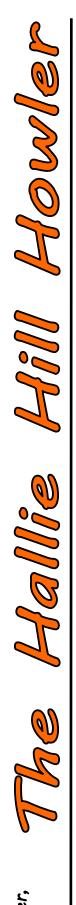
Your generosity will provide a lifetime of love for animals in need.

Please consider a bequest to Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary to ensure their future.

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Learn more at <a href="https://halliehill.com/legacy-society/">https://halliehill.com/legacy-society/</a>





Cypress 🏹 Gardens





Oscar, Sadie and Duffy had a great day out being our Hallie Hill Representatives at the adoption event at Cypress Gardens. Thank you Susan Bedard, Michele Kahn Bayme, Jennifer Middleton and Daniela Schneider (after being up early to do the bridge run!)





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## <sup>®</sup>What is Patreon?

Patreon is a place where we share exclusive content with our community in exchange for a monthly donation.



(F) What kind of things will be shared? Behind-the-scenes photos and videos, including: Daily life at the sanctuary

Vet visits

Profiles of new animals

Interviews with staff

Stories of some of our animal residents





## So what are you waiting for??

Join us on Patreon today!

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**October Happenings at Hallie Hill!** 

Channel 2 Midday News - 10/8 and 10/22 @ 11AM Hallie Hill at Woofstock! - 10/10 Hallie Hill at Cars on Kiawah—10/16 FOX 24 - TBD (watch FB for date!) - 12:30 and 11:00 PM Low Country Live - TBD (watch FB for date!) - 10:00 AM



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# **October's Adorable Adoptables!**

Go to halliehill.com and fill out an application to come out to HHAS to meet these wonderful animals!



#### Shiloh

This pretty little lady is Shiloh. She is two years old and as sweet as can be! She would love to have another dog in the house that she could play with or a BFF that she could visit with often. Shiloh would love to go on adventures and hang out with you wherever you wanted to go! She's a great little size with an extra large heart. If you need something to smile about, this girl is it!







## Handsome

Handsome is the complete package! Stunning good looks and a stellar personality. If you're looking for an affectionate kitty, you've found him right here. Handsome is happy just being with you (and on you!). He is about two years old and seriously one of the coolest cats. He's one of those cats that will turn any dog lover into a cat lover. Don't let this guy slip by make an appointment to meet him today!

#### <u>Thumper</u>

Is there 'any-bunny' out there looking for something other than a cat or a dog to be a part of their family? Look no further, we have him here at the sanctuary! Meet Thumper. Thumper, the rabbit, is a good sized boy. He's been raised around children and has spent time with dogs as well. If you'd like to meet this cutie come on out to Hallie Hill and meet him!

#### **Paisley**

Sweet Paisley is a compact, perfect sized, little lady who loves to shower you with kisses and affection! She's just under two years old and is a happy girl who loves to be with other canine companions just as much as she loves her humans. Good things come in small packages and she's as good as it gets! Give Paisley a chance to love you as much as you will LOVE her!

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## 10 Tips for the First 30 Days After Adopting a Dog

Written by: Carly Sutherland, PetMD Editorial, PUBLISHED: FEBRUARY 12, 2019, Vet Reviewed by: Katie Grzyb, DVM

Adopting a dog is exciting for both you and your new furry family member. The first several days in your home are special, and quite frankly, critical for your new dog. She is likely to be confused in a new environment and unsure of what to expect from you.

It is important to establish clear boundaries and maintain structure within your home to help create a smooth transition. Here are 10 tips to help guide you during the adjustment period after bringing a new dog home.

# 1. Be Patient With Your New Dog

When adopting a dog into your family, remember to be patient. It may take a dog time to get to know your family and really feel at home.

"Every dog is different," says Sabine Fischer-Daly, DVM, the Janet L. Swanson intern of shelter medicine at <u>Maddie's Shelter Medicine Program at Cornell University</u>. "It may take some dogs a couple of days to get comfortable with their new family, while others may need a couple of months. Therefore, a dog's true personality may not be apparent for some time after entering the home."

Bringing a new dog home obviously comes with its rewards, but it's important to remember that caring for a dog also comes with challenges.

Realistic expectations and understanding are key, Dr. Fischer-Daly explains. "Each dog's response to a new home will vary. Some may hide, shy away or have accidents in the home, or have gastro-intestinal upset or bouts of overexcitement and high energy, among many others."

# 2. Establish a Routine and Structure

Having open communication between your family members before adopting a dog is essential. Aside from preparing areas of the home where the dog will spend her time, Dr. Fischer-Daly suggests discussing responsibilities with your family when it comes to caring for a dog.

"Plan who will take on certain responsibilities, what's allowed and what's not allowed in the home, and what verbal commands will be used," says Dr. Fischer-Daly.

Establishing a routine right when your dog gets into the home will help to make her feel safe and secure. So, plan on feeding your dog and walking your dog at the same times every day right from the get-go, Dr. Fischer-Daly says.

Read 8 more wonderful tips at the following link:

https://www.petmd.com/dog/care/10-tips-first-30-days-after-adopting-dog



Bob (Charlie) thanks the Chappel Family

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Camille thanks Christy Basler



Daisy thanks the Killius Family



Ilene thanks Bill Carswell and Louie



Kung Pao thanks Leslie Jeffries



Moultrie thanks the Bowker Family



Orin thanks the Losar Family



Red thanks the Cooper Family



Sweet Pea (Luna) thanks the Carnell Family

# We Found Our Fur-ever Homes!!



**Ruby thanks** Michele **Blumenberg** 



**Bowie thanks** Linda **Morrison** 



**Patrick** Family





Hallie Hill will be at Cars on Kiawah! Find us and add even more fun to your day!





ne's 1909 Rolls-Royce Silver Ghost, 2019 Best A Festival of Automobiles Saturday, October 16 from 10 am - 3 pm Ocean Park, Kiawah Island, SC See 250+ Outstanding Classic To Present-Day Cars Spotlight & Featured Collector Displays Special Class of Young Enthusiast Cars Children's Display Enjoy Lunch, Drinks, Snacks & Sweets Watch The Awards Ceremony





## 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!

<u>Click here to view the</u> <u>video and enjoy</u>:

# It should have been called the "Kittysburg Address"



HISTORY HUSTLE

Lincoln was a cat lover. Once, an admiral saw Lincoln "tenderly caressing three stray kittens" during the siege of Petersburg. Lincoln was given two kittens, and once fed one from the table at a formal White House dinner. When his wife objected, he replied, "If the gold fork was good enough for former President James Buchanan, I think it is good enough for Tabby."





Did you know that you could be generating donations for Hallie Hill while you shop on Amazon! Just go to Smile Amazon.com, choose Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary as your charitable organizations and Amazon will

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With Amazon \_\_\_\_, 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!

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# Welcome to Hallie Hill!





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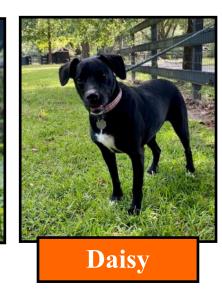
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#### 1. Keep Candy Out of Reach!

Many Halloween treats are toxic to pets. Chocolate can be dangerous or even fatal for cats and dogs. Sugar-free candies containing xylitol can also cause serious problems in pets. If you suspect your pet ingested something toxic, call your vet or the ASPCA Poison Control Center (888) 426-4435 immediately.

#### 2. Avoid Dangerous Decorations.

Festive Jack-o-Lanterns and spooky dry ice certainly set the mood - but they can put your pet and home in serious danger. Flames used to light up the pumpkins can tip over leading to burns or a fire, while dry ice can cause serious harm to curious critters if ingested. Be mindful of safety when decorating!

#### 3. Are Costumes Comfortable?

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Trendy costumes may cause your pet unnecessary stress and discomfort. If you decide to dress up your pet, make sure they are safe and comfortable. Be sure they can see, move and breathe property.

#### 4. Use Collars With ID Tags.

Trick-or-Treating can either be stressful or exciting for your pets. This could lead to tempting behaviors for a playful run or worried escape. Be sure your pet has a visible collar with proper ID tags.

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#### 5. Keep Them Calm and Secure.

Halloween havoc during peak trick-or-treating hours can be overwhelming for pets. Noise, commotion, and strangers coming to the door could cause pets to be very nervous. Give your pets extra attention and keep them in a room where they feel relaxed with familiar background noises, such as a TV.

# How Can You Help? Our October Wish List!

PLEASE Donate to the <u>MAGIC Fund</u> (Medical and Geriatric Intensive Care), sponsor a <u>Cat Condo or Canine</u> <u>Cabin</u>, become a <u>Hallie Hill Patron</u> or <u>buy a raffle ticket</u> for the beautiful tropical quilt!

All of your Amazon purchases can help support Hallie Hill if you use our Amazon Smile account! <u>CLICK HERE</u> and then click 'start shopping'!

Check out our <u>Hallie Hill Wishlist</u> on Amazon.com Check out our <u>Hallie Hill Wishlist</u> on Chewy.com

# Consumables we need <u>all</u> of the time!

Trash Bags Scoopable Cat Litter Friskies wet cat food Dry cat food Granulated Ant Poison Dog treats and biscuits Paper Plates and Paper Towels Swiffer Wet Jet cleaning pads Bottled water for volunteers Laundry Detergent Gallon Ziploc Bags



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<u>Mission Statement</u> 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.