



*We can't change
their past,
But we can
rewrite their future.*

Happy New Year!

January, 2023

The Hallie Hill Howler

***Hallie Hill Welcomes
Elio Levy To the Board of Directors!***



Mr. Levy comes to Hallie Hill with a wealth of experience in the field of Information Technology, including strategic planning, customer recruitment and management and marketing planning strategies! We welcome him to the Hallie Hill family!

Mr. Levy, and his wife, Ellen, live in Ravenel with two beloved pets, Oliver and Joye. Oliver is a beautiful cat, 14 years young and Joye (Bobo) is their 10 year old canine cutie!



Mr. Levy shares his thoughts with us on the joy of having pets: "Animals are special beings and those who have been lucky enough to experience a connection with them know it very well. Animal nobility is a true teaching. Thanks to them we are more humble, empathetic, loving people. They give us their love unconditionally, without asking for anything in return, doing us good."

Volunteer Spotlight



LOVE AND SUPPORT OF OUR ANIMALS COMES IN SO MANY WONDERFUL WAYS!



Thank You

For helping us raise

over \$20,000

this **GIVING TUESDAY**



We are so ecstatic to share that we more than **DOUBLED** our goal of \$10,000 this year for **#GivingTuesday!** You all absolutely blew us away! We could not do what we do every day without our amazing community's support. Especially our generous matching donors, including **Ashley River Restoration!** Thank you all **SO MUCH** from the bottom of our hearts ❤️.



Thank-you Grace United Methodist Church!



Thank You

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IN OUR *Holiday Auction*



Large ceremonial check for \$15,000.00 from Ireland's Own and the Fastest Bartender Contest to Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary.

Thank you to Billy Reilly and Ireland's Own and the Fastest Bartender Contest for your support of Hallie Hill!



Ceremonial check for \$1,500.00 from the Fastest Bartender Charity Donation to Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary, dated October, 2022, signed by Doug Allison.

Remember Those That Have Crossed the Rainbow Bridge with



Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary's **Angel's Crossing Candlelight Vigil**



Saturday, February 11th | 6:30pm

Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary | 5604 New Road, Hollywood, SC

We know how much a pet can change your life. From their happy dance at the door when you come home to cuddles on the couch, they have shown you a love that will last a lifetime. Whether you want to remember the pets you have loved and lost or honor the many homeless pets that lose their lives each year, everyone is welcome to join us in remembrance. Hot beverages and cookies will be provided.



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♥ Amelia ♥

Amelia was our quiet gentle healer. To me her mission in life was accomplished at Hallie Hill. Our hearts were shattered by our own loss when we first met her. She was a like a gentle gardener; tending to a broken branch...quietly and lovingly she nurtured the break, and it began to grow and blossom again. She expected nothing and gave all. Amelia will always be a part of us. We are honored that we were blessed to be receivers of the gifts she brought...truly Heaven sent. She is now with her maker in perfect peace. Amelia, you are loved. Job well done sweet girl...rest now. Your mission was accomplished.

~ Katherine and Chris





PRO-HEART ROUND-UP 12.13.22



MANY THANKS TO GOOSE CREEK VETERINARY HOSPITAL, DR. BRETT LERMA AND VETERINARY STAFF MELINDA, CODY, ASHTON AND KATHERINE FOR THE DONATION OF THEIR TIME AND EXPERTISE TO PROTECT ALL OF OUR DOGS AGAINST HEARTWORM! THEY SECURED THE PRO-HEART MEDICATION AND DONATED MATERIALS AND HEARTWORM TESTS SO ALL DOGS COULD BE TREATED SAFELY. WE ARE SO GRATEFUL FOR THEIR SUPPORT OF THE ANIMALS OF HALLIE HILL!



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THE CAT CORNER



Behaviour Modification for Fearful Cats

Step 1: Meeting Minimum Welfare Criteria

Before beginning a behaviour modification plan, make sure the cat is eating, drinking, and using the litter box, at least when people are not around. This is to ensure we do not inappropriately add stress to the cat. Once the cat is meeting these criteria, begin behaviour modification using the following steps.



Step 2: Eating with Person in Room

Offer the cat high-value food in a bowl while a person sits quietly in the same room approximately 3 feet away.



Step 3: Eating From Hands

First, offer the cat food using an extension of a hand such as a long spoon or touch stick. As the cat becomes comfortable eating from the hand extender, gradually move the hand up the handle toward the cat, until they are eating from the person's hand.



Step 4: Allowing Light Touch

Slowly and gently reach an empty hand toward the cat followed by offering food from the other hand. If using the hand feels unsafe, switch to a touch stick.

Retract food hand and petting hand at the same time so the cat does not get treats while the hand is removed. As the cat becomes more comfortable, incorporate gentle movements of the first hand or touch stick, then start incorporating light touch (barely grazing the top of the fur) behind the ears or on the back of the neck.



Step 5: Increasing Petting and Scratching

Increase both the duration and intensity of petting if the cat shows signs of tolerating this well. Continue petting for short periods after treats are finished to test if the cat has learned to enjoy petting.



Step 6: Seeking Attention Without Food

Observe if the cat will seek human attention without treats. When interacting, positive signs may include a cat leaning into pets, purring, and/or kneading with its feet. When petting stops, they may move toward the hand, lick or paw at the hands to solicit pets. When the cat is voluntarily approaching most people seeking physical contact, they are ready to graduate from the behaviour modification plan!



Behaviour Modification Tips and Tricks

- Go slow and steady – patience is key!
- Use a quiet voice, slow movements, and avoid looking a fearful cat directly in the eyes.
- To begin, keep each session brief (approximately 2-3 minutes).
- Try a wide variety of high-value treats to determine a cat's preference (e.g. wet food or treats, canned fish, squeeze-up treats, dry or moist food or treats)
- Watch body language carefully to ensure the cat is comfortable. **Do not force interaction.** If the cat is highly fearful or showing aggression, go back to an earlier step without contact, or stop the session.
- Anxiety-reducing medication may be beneficial in a cat's behaviour modification program progression. Discuss options with your veterinarian.



*Meet our new
Cabin Sponsors!
Many thanks!*



*Renewals of
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for 2023:*

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Bedard, Byrd, and Cellars
Families
Dorothy and Frank Farfone
Christine and Scott Bell**

Thank you so much!



Become a part of something big...
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Hallie Hill Animal Sanctuary has worked tirelessly since 1988 to provide sanctuary for homeless dogs and cats.

With your help, we can continue to provide respite for animals until they are adopted or be a forever home for those in need. If you give to Hallie Hill through your will, trust, or other financial plans, you can help ensure the sanctuary continues saving the lives of homeless animals in the future.

Your generosity will provide a lifetime of love for our animals in need:
your legacy, their future.

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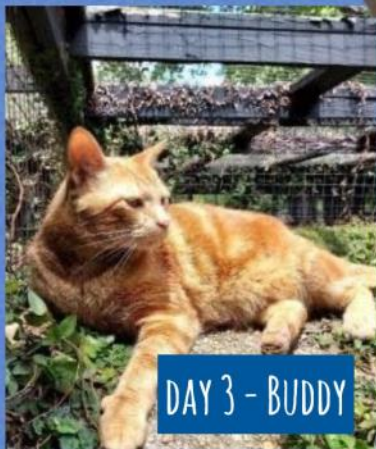
ANGEL OAK ANIMAL HOSPITAL TEAMED UP WITH HALLIE HILL ANIMAL SANCTUARY TO FEATURE 12 ADOPTABLE PETS IN WHAT THEY CALLED "THE 12 PETS OF CHRISTMAS!" WE THANK YOU "MERRY" MUCH!



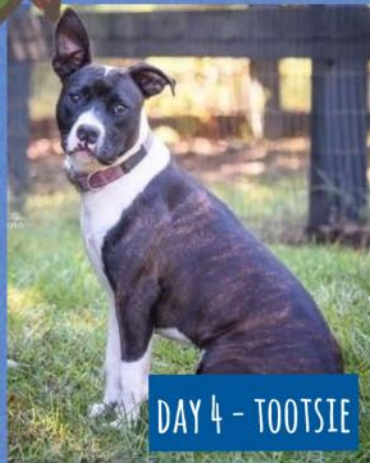
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DAY 4 - TOOTSIE



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DAY 9 - STU



DAY 10 - ANGEL



DAY 11 - CAL



DAY 12 - DUNK



NATIONAL TRAIN YOUR DOG MONTH

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apdt_official Get ready to celebrate National Train Your Dog Month in January 2023, brought to you by APDT! Each year, APDT dedicates the month of January to raising awareness about the importance of socialization and dog training. January is the perfect month since many dogs and puppies are adopted or purchased from breeders and brought home during the winter holidays. We desire to help these new pet parents start off the new year right with their newest family member. Check out trainyourdogmonth.com to learn more! If you are looking for a trainer near you, use the APDT trainer search at locateatrainner.org!

BOWLS ARE BORING

OBSERVATIONS SHOW THAT MANY DOGS PREFER TO FORAGE, HUNT & SEEK OUT FOOD RATHER THAN HAVING IT FREELY AVAILABLE IN A BOWL

WHY WOULD DOGS PREFER TO PUT IN EFFORT WHEN FOOD IS FREELY AVAILABLE ?

Foraging, hunting & seeking are natural / instinctive / rewarding behaviours	Our modern living environment provides very little opportunity for dogs to engage in natural behaviours	Using food is a simple way to provide an outlet for a natural behaviour & create enrichment
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Some ideas to try -

- Scatter feeding
- Snuffle mats
- Puzzle toys
- Food trails
- Food hidden in boxes / rolled up towel
- Hidden under containers / funnels
- In empty toilet rolls stuffed with paper

Dogs Disclosed



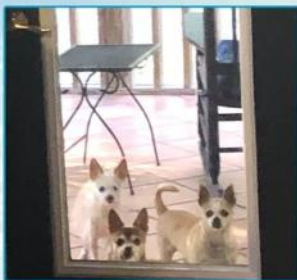


'A HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS' - 12.17.22



Adoption Updates!

We are so excited to share in the success of our animals in their new homes! We appreciate our adopting families—thank you for opening your homes, and hearts!



Angel



"Rosie and Squirt are getting along with Angel great. OBTW she is definitely house broken! (Rosie is brown, Squirt is cream)."

Kenny is settling in so well!!! I'm actually really proud of him, the progress he's made in just a matter of months is amazing. He's learned our household routine, and mainly loves to play and be silly! He LOVES to sleep in front of the fireplace.

Kenny has quickly come to know and love our extended family, and even some of RJ's therapists! He is excited when they visit. When he feels comfortable with a person, he is the happiest dog!! He is amazing with the kids and has a heart of gold.

Foster (his fur brother) is having the time of his life with a new friend! And the kids adore Kenny. They have been home sick a lot this fall, and Kenny is their constant snuggle buddy on those days. Haha he also knows how to be a giant pain in the rear and get himself into mischief, but he's such a sweet boy and we love him!

Thank you for helping us find him, and for your continued support!!"

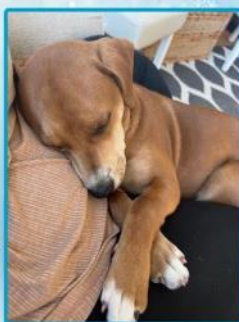
Kenny



Millie, formerly Cam



"Millie (formerly Cam) has attached to Michael and I very quickly. We brought her out last night for dinner and she sat outside with us and was very friendly towards other people and dogs. She is such a great natured dog!



We absolutely love her and are so happy with her. She has fit into our family so quickly and snuggles with us every night. We are very grateful!"



Cassidy



Remember little Cassidy? She was one of four lab puppies, the one with the underdeveloped back foot. She's now "Oakley." She's on the small side, loves to cuddle and is doing great!



"Arrow has not missed a beat since the minute she joined our little family. I think the picture of my granddaughter pretty much shows how happy we all are with our sweet Ari. Daisy gets all the kudos for giving her such a secure start to her life. We are all crazy in love with her! Thank you so much for all you did to bring her into our lives."



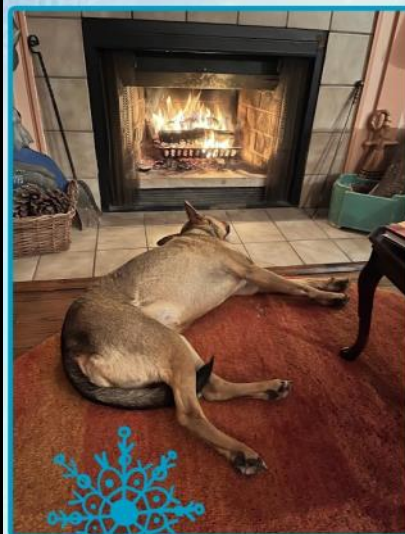
**Arrow,
Formerly Gin**

**Beyla,
formerly
Edisto**

"Beyla is in the perfect spot for the impending weather! She enjoys a nice fire! Beyla is settling in nicely and we're having fun. She claimed her own couch (in my office) the first night!

We're still working on where she's supposed to be in the car. She likes to climb up into the front passenger seat when I step out and sometimes I'll even find her curled up on the driver seat!

Thanks for everything!"



**Winston and Wilbur
formerly
Porthos and Aramis**

"Happy Holidays!! I wanted to send some pictures of the babies- they are enjoying themselves."



Leroy



My sweet, cantankerous Leroy is 15 tomorrow! I adopted him at age 11. He had 6 rough weeks this year after a lower mandibulectomy to remove cancer, and I treasure every single day with him. He has heart disease that's treated with medication.

I pray we have a few more years together.

After adopting him, I discovered that he had the same Vet I use, so they had all his records. He was meant to be my boy! He's 50/50 Brittany Spaniel/ShihTzu & 1000% my lovable little ole man.

Princess



"Merry Christmas from Princess! She has been enjoying her first Christmas in her new home. Her hobbies include getting lots and lots of rubs, snuggling, sleeping on soft blankets on the couch, playing with her toy mice, getting the zoomies at bedtime, and protecting the house from any bug intruders. I'm sure y'all can recall her superb office assistant/supervisory skills; she shows off these skills whenever I do work at home. She also has excellent alarm clock skills."



Abby

"Just wanted to let you guys know how grateful we are that we found Abby. Cory just bought a house in Summerville just so his girl can have her own fenced in yard!! We adore her and can't imagine life without her! Thank you for all that you guys do!"





Mr. Kitty, formerly Yahoo

In January, 2022, I adopted Yahoo (now Mr. Kitty) from H.H., and am delighted to report that he remains the sweetest, most affectionate and intelligent cat on the planet. I wake every morning with his whiskers up my nose, (nose to nose) as my pillow is in actuality, both of ours. My neighbors and visitors all agree they've never met a cat as happy and friendly (and hungry).....he's very big boy now."




Newfie

"Here is a pic of Newfie turning 10 yrs old on her birthday, Dec 20th. And my daughter Shannon who adopted her 2 yrs ago!!"





Maverick, formerly Blaze

"I thought you would want to see Maverick's Christmas pj's. He is loving the new house and the big yard it came with!"



Arlo






"Little Arlo, one of "Lillie's Ten", and my husband Shawn's pride and joy, will be a year old next month! He's grown bigger than his brother and sister and can still be the annoying little brother but he's loved beyond words! He's amazing on leash, a bit nervous in the car and has recently discovered that daycare is fun! He will sit so handsomely when he wants what you have and "laser stare" you down, you can't help but share!"

We invite all of our adopting families to send pictures of Hallie Hill alumni in their wonderful new homes to adoptions@halliehill.com.



January's Adorable Adoptables!

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



Lulu

This sweet 12 year old girl is saying "Hey, pick me, pick me!" Sweet Lulu has been with us too long and needs a home all her own. She has a beautiful black and orange brindle coat that will enhance any décor!! Lulu would love to cuddle and will keep your feet warm at night! She is waiting for you to take her home!



Ace

Ace is a happy, exuberant 1 year old boy. He's an energizer bunny who would absolutely love another dog to play with. He can be a bit much for some dogs, so a friend who is a rough and rowdy player would be the best match for Ace. He absolutely loves his people too, so Ace will complete your family perfectly!



Catniss

Two year old Catniss is an adorable "lowrider", very much the perfect size if you don't have a lot of space. She is sweet, social, loves to meet new people and has done well with all the dogs she's met at the sanctuary. Catniss loves to run and play, chasing balls and "stuffies." If you come out to meet her, be prepared to welcome a new dog into your heart because she will easily win you over!



Hannah

Hannah is a wonderful 5 year old hound mix. She is house-broken, very sweet, quiet but playful, smart, but nervous around loud noises and small children. Once she warms up to you, she becomes very attached. This big girl loves attention enjoying other dogs and familiar people. Patience will get you the best results with Hannah. She is a quick learner, loving both praise and treats.

8 Signs Your Dog May Be Too Cold

Analysis by Dr. Karen Shaw Becker

STORY AT-A-GLANCE

Whether or not it's too cold for your dog depends on a variety of factors, including coat thickness, age, health status, size, weight and coat color.

Other environmental factors should also be considered, such as wind chill, dampness, cloudiness and your dog's activity level.

If your dog is shivering, whining, holding up a paw or slowing down, it's a sign that he's too cold and needs to go indoors.

Some dogs enjoy wearing coats when outdoors on cold days; even with a coat, you shouldn't leave your dog unattended in cold weather and should monitor him closely for signs of discomfort.

If the temperatures are at or below 20°F, hypothermia and frostbite are a risk for all dogs.

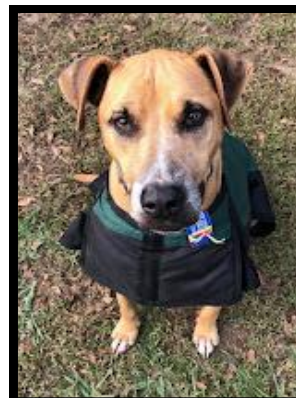
How to Tell if Your Dog Is Cold

As a general guide, when temperatures dip below 45°F, dogs that don't love the cold start to feel uncomfortable. If it's below 32°F, small breeds, thin-coated dogs, and old, young and sick dogs should be very carefully monitored for signs of discomfort.

The following signs signify that your dog is cold, and if you observe them it's not only time to head inside but also to consider outfitting your dog in a coat the next time you go outdoors, especially if it's for a longer period.

Shivering	Holding up a paw
Anxiety	Searching for warmth
Whining	Weakness or limping
Slowing down	Lack of mental alertness

Please read the rest of this excellent article [HERE!](#)



January Happenings at Hallie Hill!

Channel 2 Midday News - 1/13 and 1/27 at 11:00 AM

Low Country Live – 1/11 at 10:00 AM

Quintin's Close Ups' Pet of the Week - Posts on 1/12 and 1/26

SAVE THE DATES:

Angel's Crossing Candlelight Vigil - 2/11 at 6:30 PM - See page 4!

Mountain Film on Tour - 2/15 - See below!

WOOFSTOCK - 3/25 - Hanahan Amphitheater

Animals, Art and Automobiles - 4/16 - Charlestowne Landing

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We Found Our Fur-ever Homes!!



Angel thanks the
Mann Family!



Baron thanks the
Giron Family!



Freda thanks
Agnes Schultz!



Gin (now Arrow)
thanks
Debby Lassiter



Holly thanks the
Natusch Family!



Hutch thanks the
Giron Family!



Lacey (now Annie)
thanks Billy Reilly!



Maximus thanks the
Doblado Family!



Riley thanks the
Dantzler Family!

How Can You Help? Our January Wish List!...

Consumables we need all of the time!

Trash Bags

Dry cat food

Friskies wet cat food

Dog treats and biscuits

Bottled water

Kitchen can bags

Canned dog food

Copy Paper

Scoopable Cat Litter

Paper Plates and Paper Towels

Swiffer mopping cloths

Laundry Detergent

Multipurpose spray cleaner

Check out our [Hallie Hill Wishlist](#) on Amazon.com

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Come out and see us at our community events!



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Donate to the MAGIC Fund

MAGIC =
Medical And Geriatric Intensive Care

The MAGIC Fund is used to cover the many medical costs that arise at the sanctuary. New arrivals require vaccinations and spay/neuter surgeries. All of the 200 animals receive monthly heart worm and flea preventative. Many animals develop orthopedic or other health problems that require surgery. Hallie Hill also has many animals that require daily medications for everything from diabetes to arthritis. Many of the senior residents need more medical interventions as they age. Your donation to this fund helps to ensure the animals get the medical attention they need to live healthy, pain-free lives.

Hallie Hill WAYS TO HELP

Birthday Fundraiser

Whether to collect needed supplies at a party, or fundraising through facebook - it means the world to us when individuals choose to honor our animals on their special day!

Why You Should Consider Adopting a Senior Pet

Many older pets live out the remainder of their lives in shelters or are euthanized to make room for more adoptable animals. Don't you think it's heartbreaking?

Keep an open mind if you're thinking of adopting a shelter pet. Who knows, an older dog or cat might just be the pet you need.

healthy pets

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!

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- 1. Freedom from hunger and thirst**
by ready access to fresh water and diet to maintain health and vigor
- 2. Freedom from discomfort**
by providing an appropriate environment including shelter and a comfortable resting area.
- 3. Freedom from pain, injury or disease**
by prevention or rapid diagnosis and treatment
- 4. Freedom to express normal behavior**
by providing sufficient space, proper facilities and company of the animal's own kind
- 5. Freedom from fear and distress**
by ensuring conditions and treatment which avoid mental suffering

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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.