

## **Volunteer Meeting - 6/16/21**Pontiac Convention Center. Janesville WI

The meeting was called to order by Steve Caya, President, at 6:30. Welcome to all guests, including new Board Member, Debbie Hess. All Board Members present except for Gary Bersell and Sandy Kraft.

**CAFÉ Update:** Shiela indicated need in the community has lessened. We currently have a good stock of cat and dog food.

**SAFE Update**: No committee members present. .

**Noah's Animal Fund Update:** Jodi stated there are currently 2 pending care (1 cat/1 dog). NAF applications are now online (can be found on the FON website). Online applications are preferred but can still be mailed.

## **Animal Update:**

Cindy stated Mulder has officially been adopted by Linda Bown. Panda and Hercules were also both adopted. New fosters are doing well. More fosters are needed. Please contact Cindy if interested!

Sue mentioned that she will continue with dog intake, however the position will remain available if anyone else is interested. Harper has been adopted and is doing well. Luca is with a new foster and is doing well. She has already received several applications for adoption. Lexi is also with a new foster and is adjusting well. Sassy has moved to another foster.

## **Events:**

Grrr-age Sale to benefit FON will be held on 8/7. Jean stated that last time FON held this event almost \$4000 was raised. Donation items can be dropped off from 12 Noon - 5pm on 7/17, 7/24, and 7/31. Items can also be dropped off Monday - Thursday the week of the sale. In addition to lots of needed volunteers, bags (grocery - plastic or paper) are also needed as well as pop-up canopies. Reminder: no clothing! If anyone is interested in volunteering, please contact Jean Austin!

Sherry Martin will be reopening the Adoption Center at Mounds on 7/6. Volunteers are still needed for several positions. Dawn will send an email to volunteers.

Thank you to Jean and Jack Austin for their assistance in replacing the door to the Adoption Center at Mounds.

Jodi mentioned that Noah's Animal Fund was looking for an 'Application Screener'. This position was filled by Christina Zink at the end of the meeting. Thank you, Christina!

Submissions for the next newsletter should be emailed to Dawn Espinosa no later than July 15th. The next meeting will be August 18th. Place to be determined as we may be back at Festival!

## **Friends of Noah Mission Statement**

As a pet rescue organization, we are committed to providing new opportunities for stray and abandoned animals through placement into permanent homes, educating the public and offering assistance to pet owners struggling to provide for their pets.

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