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Neutering News

Seeing our wonderful rescues go to loving homes makes the whole team feel elated but this summer, we made the conscious decision to pause all adoptions. Why? So our team could focus entirely on our intensive neuter campaigns. This vital work is continuing right into the autumn and we are absolutely over the moon to be supporting yet another campaign local to our Sanctuary.

Educating the local villagers remains incredibly important to us. We return time and again to reinforce the message that neutering is the only true way forward. We make no apology for constantly reiterating this important message and know you, our supporters, understand how vital it is. Thanks to this dedication, we have already safely neutered over 22,000 cats and dogs, preventing untold suffering before it can even begin. So while rehoming a dog is one kind of happy ever after, seeing the number of neuters grow is equally rewarding.



Romania Update

Our recent spay and neuter day in Traian Vuia commune, Romania showed what real rescue looks like. From early morning, owners arrived with their beloved pets alongside street animals who have no one else to protect them.

Noemi and Melisa worked tirelessly from sunrise until evening, keeping going until every single animal had been safely operated on. Together, they changed 50 lives in a single day and broke the cycle of neglect.

Behind that number are thousands of potential lives that will now never be born into hardship. Neutering isn't just about the animal on the table today. It is about preventing unwanted litters. By doing this, fewer puppies and kittens are born on to the streets.

This is how we make a lasting difference. We can keep doing this every single week, but we need your support to sustain these vital campaigns. Thank you to everyone who donates and stands beside us to reach the animals who desperately need our help. This is rescue.

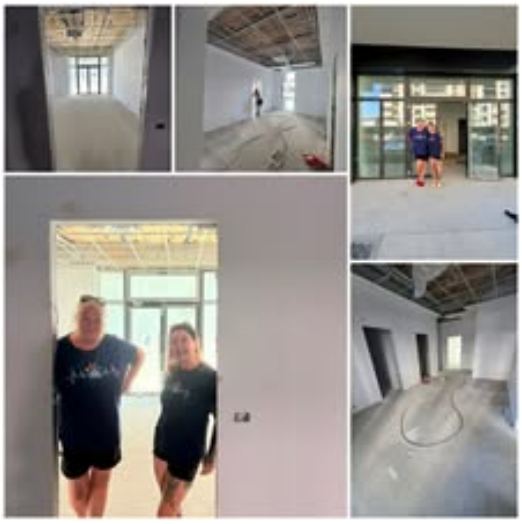


Romania Update

We love cats too! We celebrated International Cat Day on 8th August and who better to to highlight the day than just a few of our beautiful adopted cats? Meet Rosa, Cleo and Princess, who are now completely adored in their forever homes. Alongside celebrating our super cats, we also ran a vital one-day cat spay campaign in Romania to help even more felines in need because cats have paws too!



We had a very exciting chore on our recent visit to Romania: painting our new vet clinic! Thanks to an extremely generous donation from our patron, Ricky Gervais, following his Mortality tour, we made our dream become a reality. The new vet clinic is huge and is being constructed carefully with various treatment rooms and a 6 table neuter room. It will be the largest vet clinic in Bucharest and run by our Paws2Rescue vet students and will function as a centre to allow students to obtain practical experience too. We are so excited and cannot wait to open the doors!



In August Kelly and Alison went to Romania for 10 days. It was very hot, and the girls bought lots of watermelons and wet food for the stray pups and dogs which they saw. It was also a great opportunity to enjoy cuddles and treat times with rescued dogs.





Romania Update

Not all heroes wear capes... some wear scrubs.
Our wonderful vet scholars continue to be an inspiration. 4 newborn kittens abandoned in a cardboard box became a 24 hour labour of love for our vet student Damy. Hand feeding milk every two hours showed incredible commitment and we are over the moon that all the kittens survived and have now been adopted.



Our very own vet, Dr Suteu Razvan, went far beyond the call of duty when he joined an incredible emergency rescue mission to save a dog who had slipped and fallen 60 metres into a cave, becoming trapped deep underground.

In a truly heart-stopping rescue, Dr Suteu Razvan abseiled into the cave to reach the frightened dog.

Once safely located, the dog was carefully tranquilised and brought back to the surface, where his worried owner was waiting.

Thankfully, despite his terrifying ordeal, the brave boy was completely uninjured and was able to walk away happily with his owner.

It's not every day that saving a life involves an abseil into a cave... but for our vets, going the extra mile, or 60 metres down, is all part of caring for animals.



An extraordinary rescue, an incredible team, and one very lucky dog.

An extreme version of saving lives, one dog at a time

Romania Update

In August, we rescued 30 dogs from a hoarder's home. In The House of Horror, there were over 150 dogs and cats living in 2 rooms in the house. Every animal has been rescued as local charities all stepped in and took a few each. It made us sick to see the conditions that they were living in.



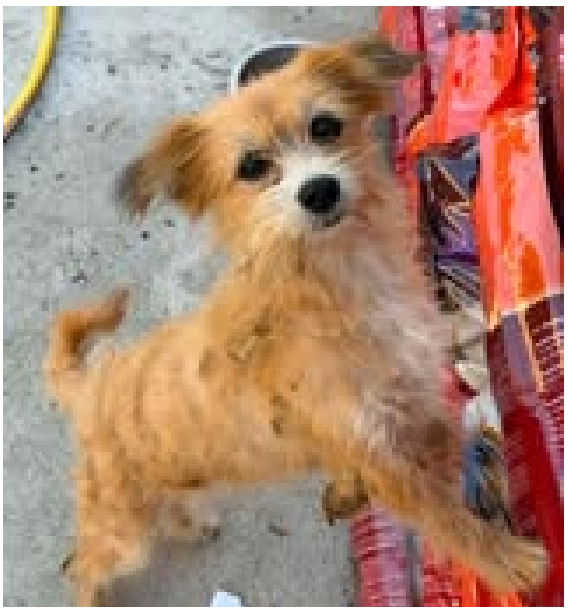
Look who has had a haircut!

Rescued from the House of Horror where she lived locked inside a small cage, Melisa has worked miracles with her!

We spent a week with her recently after she finished quarrantine, and she was untouchable. Fast forward two weeks and she allowed Melisa to cut the huge matts off - not only would they have been hurting her, but the matts were full of dead bugs, poor girl.

We are so excited to watch her bloom!

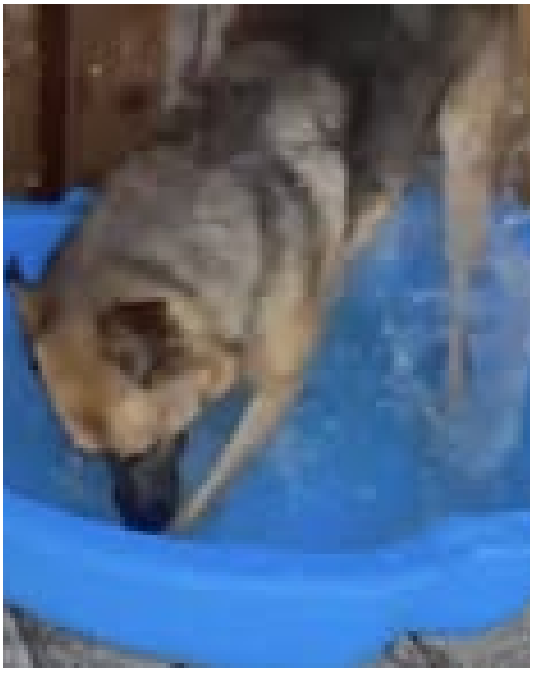




Ukraine Update

A huge thank you to everyone who donated to our paddling pools appeal.

The dogs of Zaporizhzhia, Ukraine, face unimaginable challenges living on the front line, especially in the relentless summer heat. Thanks to your kindness, the paddling pools have finally arrived...and just look at this happy face! Seeing these beautiful dogs splash, play and enjoy a moment of normality in the horrors of war means everything.







Amid the ongoing war in Ukraine, the crisis for front-line animals has reached a breaking point. As families are forced to flee, the populations of abandoned pets and stray animals have surged. Without intervention, this leads to an overwhelming explosion of unwanted litters born into extreme danger.

In Zaporizhzhia, our teams continue to work in the harshest conditions to ensure that we neuter and spay every single animal we possibly can. This vital work is the absolute cornerstone of the Paws2Rescue mission because it is the only humane and effective way to break the cycle.

And in August, another neuter campaign in Ukraine at WOW shelter. Another 50 cats and dogs neutered.

Adopted and Adored

In April 2025, Nisha and Alison visited a public shelter in Romania. Melisa offered them one dog each as an Easter gift, but unable to choose, they rescued an entire enclosure of five dogs, packing the car to the brim.

Nisha was heartbroken leaving behind one specific dog who had touched her. Thankfully, Melisa let them return. They squeezed him into the tiniest leftover space and drove away, heavy-hearted for the hundreds left behind. Nisha named him Amit.

A few months later, Amit travelled to the UK into foster care with Nisha and was quickly adopted. This weekend, Amit turned 5 years old and celebrated with a holiday in Wales. Looking at his paradise life now, it is worlds apart from the shelter where he faced an uncertain fate. Happy 5th Birthday, Amit!





Elsa was rescued with her pups in Romania. Adopted in 2026, she lives with her family and sister in Switzerland, and in September joined her first family holiday in Sardinia. Truly living the dream! We don't adopt huge numbers of dogs, but we do select the best families we can for our precious dogs.



Adopted and Adored

Every single day, our hearts are lifted by the beautiful photos and updates we receive from our adopted dogs in their forever homes. It really is an absolute honour to remain a part of their journeys forever, and nothing brings our team more joy than seeing them completely adopted and adored. Seeing these once-vulnerable animals thriving in loving families makes every hard day worth it.





But sometimes, some of our dogs struggle to find their forever homes. Like our beautiful girl Lasunka who is still looking for her happy ever after. At 9 years old, she is currently in foster in Southampton.

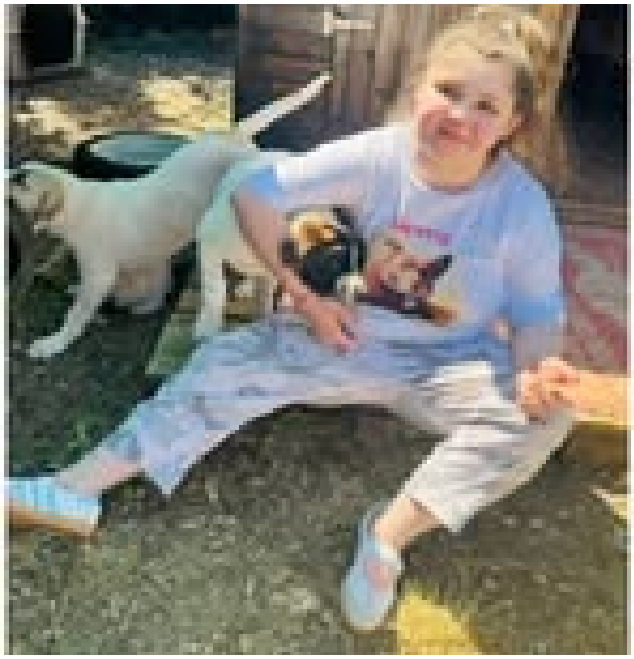
Rescued after a drone hit our rescuer's shelter in Ukraine, she is unbelievably gentle and loving and we cannot believe that she is still waiting for her family! Have you got space on your sofa for this wonderful girl?

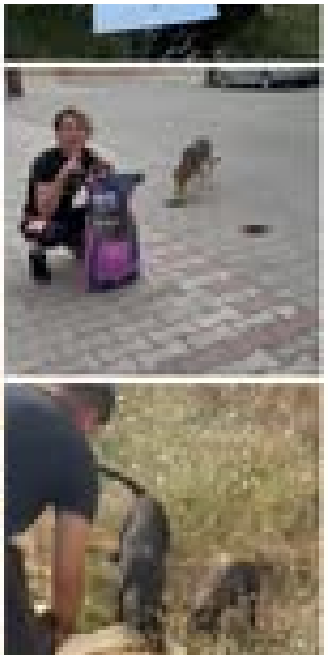
Fundraising News

A massive thank you to everyone who purchased a personalised bauble last Christmas! Because of your kindness, we raised over £750, which we safely received this July. This generous donation from The Lovely Keepsake Company would not have been possible without all of you. We are immensely grateful to the company for their wonderful partnership and to our amazing supporters for giving back. Every single penny will go directly toward helping us protect and care for vulnerable animals who have no one else.



In September, our beautiful supporter Vegas turned 21! She so generously donated all her birthday money so the stray dogs could eat. Our rescuers went out for the weekend in her honour and spoiled every stray they could find with high quality food. To surprise Vegas, Melisa named one of our newest rescue dogs Vegas in her honour. What a kind hearted young lady Vegas is, an example to all of us.







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We are so fortunate to have the support of Big Yellow Self Storage in Sutton. For over 13 years now, they have been our storage supplier and we couldn't hold our events without them. We are so happy of their care of local charities and their own incredible charity work too.

Our late Summer Auction raised an amazing £1005 which will be sent to the Spay a Stray campaign in the area around Bucharest where our vet students take strays one by one to spay them. And every single stray that is spayed helps. It prevents many more puppies being born into this harsh life and is the very best way to make a real difference to the number of animals living on the streets. Thank you so much to everyone who sold and bought in this auction. You make this difference happen!

Our annual Family Fun Day and dog show in Sutton in September was a huge success. Sadly, we had to cancel our Sutton dog show in July this year due to the extreme heat, so the community were so excited to take part in this. The Mayor of Sutton joined us and presented rosettes. Organised with Friends of Rose Hill Park, it was a lovely fun day out whilst raising awareness in our local community.



Thank you!

We are so grateful to all our sponsors and supporters whose generosity keeps our work going.

Huge thanks to Oh So Precious Pet Keepsakes, the Lovely Keepsake Company, Jaime Correia Aesthetics in Manchester, Timeless Beauty in Cumbria, St Alban's Under-8s Girls' Football Team and Clever Soap Vegan Body Products for their continued kindness. We also want to give a very special shout out to Big Yellow Self Storage for all their incredible help . Their support is always amazing.

And of course we couldn't do any of this without our regular supporters. Whether you donate when we post appeals, share our updates on social media or simply tell others about our work, your generosity and belief in what we do mean the world to us. Thank you for being part of the Paws family and helping us make a real difference every day.

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As a registered charity, we are reliant on the generosity of our supporters to enable us to continue to end animal suffering. We are extremely grateful for any donations, however small. Donations can be made to Paws2Rescue in a number of ways:

Cheques/ Charitable Aid Foundation cheques can be sent to our registered address at 71-75 Shelton Street, Covent Garden, London, WC2H 9JQ.

Bank Transfer. Metro Bank Account name: PAWS2RESCUE Sort code 23-05-80
Account number 13210508 IBAN: GB19MYMB23058013210508 SWIFT: MYMBGB2L

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