



Nov / Dec 2016 Edition

## What's New at the DDHS

It has been a busy Fall at the Drumheller and District Humane Society!

New cats and dogs have joined us and are now waiting to find their forever homes. Come on down and visit them anytime between 11am and 4pm Tuesday through Saturday!

In the meantime, the new kittens have been busy visiting with the lovely people at the Sunshine Lodge and Hillview.



We really appreciate our volunteers for the hard work they do. Many come and go, and starting in November, every time a volunteer comes in they can put their name in for a prize draw. Even if it's for only an hour of helping at the center, you qualify! Draws for prizes will be made at the end of every month!

## Upcoming Events

**November 27, 2016**

**Harvest Supper and Silent Auction**

**1 – 4pm at the BCF**

**Tickets \$10 for members/\$12 non members, kids 6 and under FREE**

**Available at Center, Critters 360 and Ivy's!**



Bosco became "the three-legged werewolf" at the Critters 360 Halloween costume competition!

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*Do you have an event and need workers to setup, serve, cook or clean-up? **DDHS** has servers and Pro-Serve certified people ready to work for you. Please call us for more details.*

Tuesday to Saturday 11 to 4  
Closed Sunday, Monday and Holidays  
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## Bootsie's Story



Hi there,

I am sorry it took me so long to give you some news about my new life, but I would like to reassure you: I am doing very well!

It took me some time to adjust to my new home and life and I still have to work on it but I am doing better every day that passes. You know I am very shy and everything looked and sounded so scary at first but my new human parents are very patient with me. They give me the time I need to feel comfortable and they never push me. I trust them a lot now and I can't wait for my petting and cuddling sessions! I like staying on my mum's lap, and I like to give her head bunting.



They gave me some toys to play with and I have to say that this grey mouse is particularly fun to chase. Someday I have so much fun running everywhere in my room chasing this darn thing that I wake up my parents...I can hear them laughing at me so I think they are not mad at me to wake them up. They are probably surprised that a 11 years old shy girl can still play that much!



I am still most of the time in my "safe" room because of their other furry child, Charlotte, who seems to be a bit jealous of me. But, I have free access to their sunroom and I love having some sunbath there; that feels so good!

Several times a day I can meet with my new furry sister. She sometimes looks mad at me (I think she is very jealous that she has to share her parents love now) and I think she is also a bit scared of me so she is always on the defensive. I always behave very well when she is around and now she feels more comfortable and seems to get used to me. She scares me a bit when she hisses at me, and I prefer to avoid conflicts so I prefer to hide, but my parents are always there to reassure me.

When we meet, we always got treats so in the end it is not so bad to have Charlotte around and I hope she feels the same way. The other day, she found my mouse and stole it from me but my parents gave it back to me and I was so happy!



My parents told me that Charlotte is still a big baby, even if she pretends to be a big girl. She is just scared of me because I am big, and scared that her parents will leave her behind because of me. She cries a lot when they are with me. She wants their attention too. We are getting better now so I hope that in a couple of weeks we will be cuddling together in the couch....!

Every day I have the chance to explore the house at my own pace. We switch rooms so Charlotte is not here so I can get used to her scent and put my scent everywhere so she can get used to mine. Yesterday I found her sock full of catnip...and Oh my!!! I couldn't stop rolling on it; that felt so good! I also like the windows and watching the birds outside. Life is easy, calm and quiet here so don't worry for me!

Bootsie



## Birthday Parties

Birthday parties for kids age 6-12 are now available at the Drumheller and District Humane Society!

Spend some time getting to know and care for our friendly cats at our adoption centre.

Bookings run from 4-6pm Tuesday through Saturday, and include:

- Hands on animal activity tour
- Party games
- Juice boxes
- Balloons
- Decorations
- Invitations up to 10 people including birthday child

Bring along your cake and goodies and join us for the purrfect birthday celebration. Call us at 403-823-8999 for more information!



## Help the DDHS

We are always in need of supplies, especially cat litter!

Donations can be made at our adoption centre.

## Meet our furbabies!

### **Kahearan**

Kahearan is a 3 year old male who just wants to be loved and sit on your lap.

He is a big cuddle monster who would love to be your couch buddy. Kahearan wants to be an only cat so he can give you all his attention.



### **Bam Bam**

Bam Bam is a 6 year old male with sad eyes and a mellow nature.

He is loving and affectionate without being demanding, but he also needs to be the only cat in the house.

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**George has been adopted, and would like to thank our sponsors for all their help!**

