

NOVEMBER 10, 2021

The MCFA News

Monroe County Friends of Animals
monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org
PO Box 106, Vonore TN 37885



November 13, 2021 5:30 to 8:30 pm

Tellico Yacht Club, 100 Sequoyah Road, Loudon TN 37774

Tickets online at monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org

Dress - Cocktail Attire is suggested

Masks? We have masks available for those who need them

The ticket sales are coming in, people are supporting through donation, and we are now just a few days away from the Wags, Whiskers and Wine Gala event.

If you would like a sneak peak on the wonderful Auction items available, please go to our Facebook page Monroe County Friends of Animals and click on the Wags, Whiskers and Wine event.

Feel free to contact Teresa Underwood at 423-520-6887 (call not text) or tunderwood@monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org with any questions.

New Shelter Updates

The feasibility study results will be in soon and will enable us to move forward with a capital campaign for the new shelter.

What IS a feasibility study?

A feasibility study is an assessment of the practicality of a proposed project or system. A feasibility study aims to objectively and rationally uncover the strengths and weaknesses of an existing business or proposed venture, opportunities and threats present in the natural environment, the resources required to carry through, and ultimately the prospects for success. In its simplest terms, the two criteria to judge feasibility are cost required and value to be attained.

Good things are happening at MCFA!



Highlights

Gala Tickets 

New Shelter News 

New Google Workspace 

Upcoming Events 

Updates from the Executive Director

Monroe County Friends of Animals Thrift Store is a major source of revenue supporting our mission.

Thrift Store Sale
November 10 – 13
50% Off: All Green-tagged Items
&
Rockwood Pottery

MCFA Thrift Store Days of operation are Wednesday through Saturday, 10am – 4pm
Call during normal business hours if you have questions.
423-420-3423
3949 Highway 411, Madisonville TN

Learn more about sales and volunteering by visiting monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org/ourprograms/thriftstore



MCFA New Google Workspace



A new Google Workspace platform is rolling out in next few weeks.

This platform is to provide cloud based centralized storage, corporate email, contacts, scheduling and virtual meetings. Overall it will provide for improvements in team communication, collaboration and productivity. This is a very important and easy to use system. Matthew will be reaching out to the BOD and key volunteers and requesting an onboarding meeting to walk you through all of the amazing resources and information that will be at your fingertips.

Thank you BOD Member Matthew Lange for putting so many hours into making this a reality!

If you have any questions, please reach out to Matthew at mcfa37885@gmail.com



UPCOMING MCFA EVENTS and NEEDS



Adopt-a-thon Coordinator Needed!

We are in need of an Adopt-a-thon Coordinator to take animals to PetSmart and possibly other stores in the area for adopt-a-thon events. This would entail approximately four or five events each year; one day each. For some of the animals at the shelter, an adopt-a-thon event may be their only chance at finding a "forever" home. If you might be interested, please contact Cathy at mcfa37885@gmail.com



We are always in need of volunteers for the shelter, the thrift store, foster care and of course events. Please apply at monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org



Updates from the Executive Director

Someone's sitting in the shade today because someone planted a tree a long time ago.

- Warren Buffett

Billionaire investor and business magnate Warren Buffett's description of shade on a warm, sunny day is a perfect metaphor for the importance of long-term thinking and investing in the future. When we realize our actions can either help or harm our future selves — or later generations — the choices we make become immensely impactful. It may require sacrifice and hard work today, but we will surely be thankful for our efforts in the long run.



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