

# The MCFA News

Monroe County Friends of Animals

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## PetSmart Adopt-a-thon!

Monroe County Friends of Animals is proud to partner with PetSmart Charities® to bring adoptable pets to Turkey Creek PetSmart in support of National Adoption Week, taking place July 10 through 16, 2023. During the in-store event, Monroe County Friends of Animals invites those with room in their hearts and homes to meet adoptable pets in the area. Opportunities will be given to spend time with animals in spacious areas to find just the right match. Staff and volunteers will help potential adopters learn about caring for a pet and the types of tools, products and services that can support new pet parents as they welcome new family members. If you adopt from Monroe County Friends of Animals at PetSmart this weekend, you will receive a PetSmart Adoption kit worth over \$300 in coupons, plus save a life, and add a new family member!

**ADOPT A  
SHELTER  
PET  
TODAY!**



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### WHEN/WHERE:

Adoptable pets will be available at the following times and PetSmart locations:

Saturday - July 15, 2023 10 am to 5 pm

Sunday - July 16, 2023 1 pm to 5 pm

Turkey Creek PetSmart - 11134 Parkside Dr, Knoxville, TN 37934

### MCFA Thrift Store

3949 Hwy 411

Madisonville, TN

### Hours

Wed, Thur, Sat:

10am-4pm

Friday:

10am-7pm

### Weekly Specials

July 12-15

Christmas in July!

All Christmas

items 1/2 off

To learn more about sales & volunteering at the Thrift Store, visit the [Our Programs](#) page of our website.

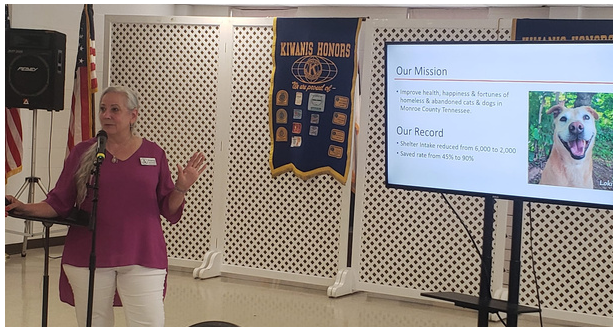
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PetSmart National  
Adoption Week

# Sweetwater Kiwanis Club

On June 29th, Teresa Underwood, Executive Director of Monroe County Friends of Animals, spoke during the Sweetwater Kiwanis meeting about the new animal facility, where there will be excellent care and comfort of animals, staff and visitors. The Kiwanis Club has helped to cut down on the intake of animals by providing a voucher program to those that adopt animals from the shelter. The numbers dropped from 6,000 to 2,000 animals in the span of 10 years through implementing this program.

If you want to hear more about wonderfully educational programs such as this one, please join the Sweetwater Kiwanis each Thursday at noon in the fellowship hall of First Baptist Church Sweetwater.



## Tellico Topnotes

The Topnotes of Tellico Village will be doing a show on August 8 at 5:30 pm at the Kahite Pub and Grill. Come on down for some swing dancing or to just enjoy the show! Donations to the Monroe County Friends of Animals will be appreciated.

### Come join us at the shelter!

We always need people to walk dogs in the mornings and afternoons. And our kitties would appreciate attention, too! We'd love to have help feeding, cleaning, and showing some love to our cats, particularly in the mornings. Reach out to Jilaine Burley for more information!  
[Jburley@monroecountyfriendsofanimals.com](mailto:Jburley@monroecountyfriendsofanimals.com)

## Quotes from the Executive Director

*"Everyone thinks they have the best dog. And none of them are wrong."* W.R. Purchie

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# Featured Pets

## Sam



- Breed: Domestic Shorthair
- Age: 10 Years 0 Months
- Weight: 16.75lbs
- Color: White/Black
- Spayed/Neutered: Yes
- Sex: Male

## Felicity



- Breed: Terrier, American Pit Bull/Mix
- Age: 9 Years 0 Months
- Weight: 43.2lbs
- Color: Tan/None
- Spayed/Neutered: Yes
- Sex: Female