

Humane Society of Elmore County News – 31 Mar '14

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Director

It won't be official until Wednesday but we should have won \$1000 from being #1 in Alabama in The Animal Rescue Site Shelter Challenge! Thank you so much to everyone who diligently voted for us on-line each and every day as we can certainly put this money to good use. Right now we have NINE deserving dogs either undergoing or scheduled for heartworm treatments so winning this helps us help them! We have never had so many dogs undergoing treatment at one time and feeling confident in winning this challenge is one reason we were able to commit to their treatments. On behalf of these very deserving dogs - thank you so much to our wonderful supporters for rallying your friends, family and coworkers on our behalf!

We hope you have or will mark your calendar for our 9th annual Wags & Whiskers Auction on Friday, August 1st, 2014 at the Wetumpka Civic Center, 212 S. Main Street, Wetumpka. This is an evening you don't want to miss as there will be great food and fun for everyone and all the proceeds help ensure we can keep our doors open to help so many animals in need.

While we are still accepting items for our auction, we can guarantee there will be something for everyone. You can expect to find antiques, collectibles, artwork, household décor; pet related items; jewelry, furniture, gift certificates for trips, hotel stays, services; sports items and so much more. There will also be delectable hors d'oeuvres provided by Creek Casino Wetumpka, door prizes, some yet to be announced surprises, and just a super evening of fun.

This is both a silent and live auction so plenty of opportunities for everyone to find one or more treasures. The fun, food & bidding begins at 6 pm when we open the Civic Center doors to the long line of folks we know will be waiting. From 7:15 – 8 pm, Scott & Michelle Williams from High as the Sky Auction Company will make sure our live auction is a fun experience for everyone. Bidding will continue until the final whistle and our many auction volunteers will then help everyone collect their items and do the final payment processing.

Ziggy from KOOL Classic Hits-WRBZ will keep our energy level high as our Master of Ceremonies and we want to thank Tom Overton and Storage Binz (567-3000) for providing a safe and secure storage location for all our auction items!

If you would like to donate an item to our auction please contact Sandy Faulk at 334-541-2505 or email her at silentauction@elmorehumane.com. All donated items are tax-deductible and support a great cause (though we could be a bit biased).

You can also preview each and every item that will be in our auction by checking out our special auction website: www.elmorehumane.com. New items are being added monthly so check back to see what new treasures will be up for bid.

You can pre-purchase tickets (\$25 couple/\$15 single) at our shelter (255 Central Plank Road, Wetumpka) or at the door. This is our biggest single fund-raising event, so we hope for a huge crowd who want to have fun and support our work to help as many animals as we can each and every day.