

## Humane Society of Elmore County News

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This Saturday, 20 April, is going to be a busy one and we invite you to stop by our table at Craterfest, Goldstar Park in Wetumpka! Craterfest is a 'don't miss' event so join in the fun and stop by to check out our information, adoptable pet pics, new magnets for sale and more!

We often have school groups come to the shelter and want to thank the great students from Prattville Christian Academy 7th Grade and Macon-East Montgomery Academy who came out last week to help bathe and exercise dogs, give love to kitties and just generally lend us a hand. Our pets were very happy with all of the attention they received and we thoroughly enjoyed having such great young people with us for a while.

Only 14 days left to get to that #1 spot in the The Animal Rescue Site Shelter Challenge. This #2 spot has gone on long enough, so we need everyone to get NEW supporters to vote for us to take over and keep that #1 spot so we can win \$1000. What we really need is a large group taking this on for the next two weeks as that will make all the difference! Go to [www.animalrescuesite.com](http://www.animalrescuesite.com) and then to the 'Help Shelters' link, then the "Vote in the Shelter Challenge" link – vote for our shelter (Humane Society of Elmore County, Wetumpka, AL) every day on every computer or smart phone you can and in each browser! We can make up the 5% vote deficit with your help – all it takes is your votes as this contest wraps up on 28 April so please click, click, click!

Looking ahead, we hope lots of our volunteers will be able to help us at the upcoming PETsMART Spring Adoption Weekend on 26, 27 & 28 Apr AND Supply Drive at the Millbrook WalMart on 27 April as well. Let us know if you are able to help us for a couple of hours at either the Montgomery PetSmart Fri, Sat or Sun or the Prattville PetSmart on Sat or Sun, or the Millbrook Walmart (9-1) on Sat. Having plenty of volunteers means we can bring even more dogs and puppies out for potential adopters to meet so if you can help please contact our Volunteer Coordinator, Charline Pope at 202-1381 or email her at [popecharlie58@yahoo.com](mailto:popecharlie58@yahoo.com). We will also be at the Pet Supermarket on Perry Hill Drive on Sun, 28 Apr from about noon-2 pm.

The 11th Annual Cruisin' fer Critters Charity Ride sponsored by the Predator's Motorcycle Association, is coming up on Saturday, 22 June at Papa T's, 3420 Atlanta Highway Montgomery, AL 36109! All proceeds will be donated to our humane shelter to help our animals and last year The Predator's donated \$11,640 to our shelter! Registration starts at noon, last bike out at 1 pm. Registration cost is \$15 per hand which includes an event patch, food, door prize, bike related items for sale, and live Rock 'n Roll. This is a family friendly event, and just a great afternoon of fun and fund-raising to help our shelter!

Our Wags and Whiskers Silent Auction is Fri, 19 July and we are still looking for great items to add to those you can already see on our special auction website at [www.elmorehumane.com](http://www.elmorehumane.com). Given what we have thus far there will be a wonderful assortment of art, furniture, collectibles, jewelry, antiques, pet items, gift certificates and so much more. But we do need more great items to make this a true success as a fund raising event to help our animals. Remember that all items donated to our shelter are tax deductible. If you have any questions about our auction just give us a call at 334-567-3377 or go to our auction website for more information.