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THIS is the week! We hope to have a huge crowd THIS Friday night, 29 July, starting at 6 pm, for our 11th annual [Wags 'N Whiskers Auction](#) at the [Wetumpka Civic Center](#), 212 S. Main Street, Wetumpka. If you have not joined in our fun in previous years, our best advice is to check out our special auction website, [www.elmorehumane.auction](http://www.elmorehumane.auction), where you can see all of the items (less any 'too late to classify') that will be available and read all about how our auction works.

So that our Volunteers and Staff can get ready, our Tails End Thrift Store will close at 1 pm on the 29<sup>th</sup> and the Shelter will close at 4 pm (normally 5 pm). Both will be back open normal hours on Sat, 30<sup>th</sup>.

Our auction promises to have something for everyone – art, collectibles, jewelry, gift baskets, pet items, weekend getaways, outdoor items and so much more! Besides all the great auction items, be sure to also get your \$1 ticket(s) for a chance to win either a huge Alabama or Auburn Football basket chalked full of items! This is both a silent and live auction so be prepared to keep an eye out on all those treasures you want to take home.

[Wind Creek Wetumpka](#) will get everything started at 6 pm with a bounteous & yummy hors d'oeuvres layout. DJ Ziggy from [PowerSounds USA](#) will be our Master of Ceremonies and from 7:15 – 8 pm, Scott & Michelle Williams, and the crew from [High as the Sky Auction Company](#), will liven everything up during the fast paced live auction portion! This is a fun evening that could well last until 9pm bidding wise. Once bidding is over our many auction volunteers will then help everyone collect their items and complete final payment processing.

You can pre-purchase tickets (\$25 couple/\$15 single) at our shelter (255 Central Plank Road, Wetumpka) or at the door. We have ONE unsold table seating eight for \$300 – come to the shelter or call us at 334-567-3377 to pay for this last available table!

What makes this evening fun is a packed house and spirited bidding. Our Silent Auction has become a definite 'go to' annual event and all of the proceeds raised help us care for the 300+ pets with us during this very busy time of year. More attendees will keep the bidding fun and you are also bound to run into many fellow friends and animal lovers. All of the proceeds raised help us care for the 300+ pets with us during this very busy time of year. Please share our Facebook Event if you are a Facebook friend and, if not, please tell and invite your friends to join all of us this Friday!