



THE CAT HOUSE ON THE KINGS

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Salvation Army Sally Ann

Workers were stunned to open a Salvation Army donation box and discover a mustached kitten inside. The Salvation Army does not accept donations of live animals so the sweet little girl was brought to The Cat House on the Kings. She quickly got the attention of the media and Sally Ann was soon being featured on several news stations.

Sally Ann was spayed and put up for adoption. Over 50 applications were received and reviewed before a lucky family was selected. Despite a rocky start in life, Sally Ann will have a wonderful new forever home.

But we have lots of other sweet kitties looking for their purrfect homes too. If you applied for Sally Ann, but were not chosen, please consider some of our many, many other cats and kittens. If you can't adopt, perhaps you might think about sponsoring a cat or even making a donation? Remember, your donations enable us to help more cats like Sally Ann.



*Sally Ann's new parents,
Mike & Sue Salvador*

Take a look at the adorable Sally Ann in this video produced by Barcroft Media: <http://www.barcroft.tv/feline-fine-new-home-for-abandoned-mous-tache-cat-california>

Spring Open House is May 7th! -Save The Date!

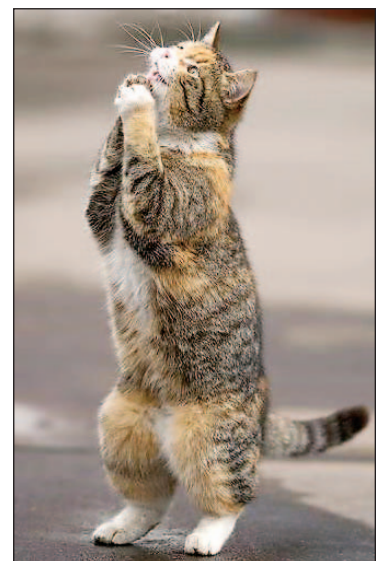
Our Spring Open House Fundraiser is fast approaching! Mark your calendars for Saturday, May 7th, 10 am – 2 pm. There will be new T-shirt designs, the boutique, raffles, vendors, food and music. And of course, lots of kitties.

We are in need of volunteers. It takes a lot of work to put together our open houses and more hands make it easier for everyone. Please consider volunteering on one of the two available shifts. (8 am-12 pm or 12 pm-4 pm)

WE NEED DONATIONS!

We also need donations for the silent auction. The auction is a major fundraiser for The Cat House on the Kings. But we depend on you to donate! Donations have been slow thus far. It would be best if we could receive all donations by April 15th. Handcrafted items, artwork, jewelry, purses, gift certificates and pet related items are just some examples of items that we need. Please donate and remember to ask family, friends and coworkers too. You can drop off donations at The Cat House on the Kings, at the Petco Adoption Center on Ashlan/Blackstone, or if you live too far, you could send it to us.

Contact Tammy Barker at tammy@cathouseonthe-kings.com with donations or with volunteer or donation questions.



Free Food is Fabulous!

The Cat House on the Kings extends a HUGE THANK YOU to Halo Pets, Free Kibble and GreaterGood.org for including our cat rescue sanctuary in their "14 Days of Love" event. They donated 400,000 meals to 14 different rescues in 14 days.

A Cat House on the Kings THANK YOU SHOUT OUT to the very generous people at Wag.com and Wellness Natural Pet Food for Dogs and Cats who donated more than 130,000 meals (that's 40 pallets of Wellness food) as part of "Giving Tuesday"

Companies that love and support animal rescues are worth supporting!



The Halo donation is well guarded



Employees unload 40 pallets of Wellness food

Attention! Single Cat Lovers!

You may have already seen the commercial for the new online dating site, Cat Lovers Meet Singles, which was filmed at The Cat House on the Kings. Why waste your time or risk the heartache of falling for someone only to then find out that they don't like cats? Cat Lovers Meet Singles offers a one-month free trial. If you decide to join they will donate 10% of the first \$14.95 monthly fee to The Cat House. <http://www.catloversmeetsingles.com/index.php>

IN MEMORY OF LIST

From	In Memory of
Abbey, Tena	Val Alvarez
Adams, Jennifer	Spon
Alba-Kaas, Teresa	Stuart Carp
Albrecht, Michael	Vinny & Reba
Alexander, Constance	Charlie the Cat
Anderson, Vicki Martin	Ida Mash
Anonymous	Bear, Blackie, Jan Gutman, Kate, Butterball L&M, Ladybug, Sammie & Maxwell, Oranje, Sampson, Simba
Birica, Tina	Lucky
Boggio, Ella	Mikie
Boothby, Karen	Lorraine Butcher
Boyce, Joy	Jewel
Byrd, Lisa	Lainie
Carpenter, Pamela	Cody
Chang, Charlene	Kevin Kiwi Lime
Clark, Rebecca & David	Hannah Geist Noland
Claus, Mary	Peanut
Cline, Emilee	Joanne Faulstich
Cloper, Sandra	Amy
Codromac, Justin	The Maharishi Smokey Underfoot
Conaty, Kelly	Conaty
Cox, Christine	Taylor
Culbreth, Terri	Pepper Culbreth
Dagenais, Michele	Willy Lewis
Dalinsky, Judy	Luke
David, Beverly	Sadie Malone
Davila, Ester	Norman Zander
Davis, Diane & Leonard	Carole Davenport
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Dinoff, Jody	Mollie Golden
Engleman, Ellen	Buddy
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Evans, Mona	Coco
Fedorick, Peter	Midnite (Little Face)
Gill, Marsha Joahn	Phillip Farina
Gress, Noura	Simba & Sparky
Grudko, Roy	Bob Volturmo
Grumbles, Andrea	Chester Grumbles
Haas, Deborah	Shirley Haas
Hagen, Julie	Oscar
Hall, Frances	Dylan
Hall, Lisa	Ginger & Smokey
Hall, Rebecca	Joanne Shimoguchi
Hamilton, Sara	Patricia Hagen
Helmers, Merrilee	Squeaky
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Hill, Susan	Sooty
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Johnson, Janis	Greystone
Judd, Michael	Mr. Waves
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Kilijian, Michael	Kenneth Nick Nicholas
Kirk, Sally & James	Nancy Gullion
Klein, Robert	Baby & Bella
Lacy, Rebecca	Susan Lacy
Landon, Cynthia	Lydia (Phillips) Landon
Layendecker, Ellen	Tigger (Little Green Eyes)
Loftus, Carrie	William & Bobby Jesse
Lomax, Laurie	Sweetpea
Mata, Christy	Giovacchini
May, Fred	Lauren Bronson, Annette & Jim Burns
Mead, Stephanie	Dianna Miller
Meese, Pam	Jellybean Chandler
Mielke, Daniel	Azrael
Mowray, Donna	Charlie
Mucerino, Patrick	Kitty John Mucerino
Munday, Jean-Marie	Eggnog
Muraoka, William	Sable
Nelson, Pat J	Diane Stewart
Neu, Fred	My Cats that Have Passed
Newland, Celina	Tiger
Newman, Ashley	Bob Volturmo
Ng, Lillian	Neeva
Patterson, Anne	Tuffie
Pichl, Denise	Louise
Queen, Christina	Od Dream
Rae, Karen	Zachary
Raygoza, Susan	Barbara & Charles Rockwood
Richardson, Ingrid	Molly
Riffel, Tom & Mary	Diane Stewart
Roberds, Rachele	Momma Sassy
Rumpf, Karl	Nori
Runyon, Mary Jane	Wayne Burris
Salwasser, Linda	Chloe
Schwab, Rob	Simba
Schweid, Emanuel	Puff
Selden, Rush A	Eddie Selden
Sims, Tira	Sassy Simone Sims
Sisco, Leslie	Chet

Skusek, Carol	Joyce Rorex
Smith, Daisy	Stella, Pablo, Olive, Peaches, Ramona
Solt, Jamie	Douglas II (Monkey)
Soukup, Elizabeth	Friskie
Steinberg, Sheila	Rocky
Stocker, Anne	Barbara Stocker
Stoker, Lou	Callie
Strutt, Tammi	Cinnamon & Mischief
Switzer, Linda L	Jack Cat
Vizcarra, Maria	Prince Pooky & Lolita
Wagner, Ann	Patches
Walsh, Leigh & John	Billie Johnston
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West, Owen	Rocky West
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Willis, Janet	Katrina Willis
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Withers, June & Chuck	Walter Allen Reid

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Breeden, Warren	Kate Yarbrough
Carbone, Kristena	Beth Robinson
Clinch, Robin	Roxanne Patmour
Dalton, Teresa	Perseus
Durso, Hilda	Dan & Amy Durso
Ferguson, Louise	Omeed & Damoon
Galdnkian, Edward & Bettye	Carla & Jim
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Heath, Lauri	Caroly Arquette
James, Kristina	Tracey Mcnamara
Katz, Suzanne	Ashvinn Iyengar
Kladerman, Dawn	Pat & Bill Wolowec
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Krueger-Brickley, Janet V	Alexa Rae Brickley
Leslie, Todd	Forgotten & His BFF
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Moore, Tim	Echo & Gatsby
Nemetz, Donna	Fence Kitty
Parker, Julia	Charles Schaefer
Raygoza, Susan	Rachel Lynch
Shimoguchi, Joanne	Lisa & J. Svagr
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP	Gina Lacava
Spisak, William	Kiranjit Sahota
Stanley, Robert	Linda Stanley
Wade, Barbara K	Callie
Watson, Penelope	David & Linda East

Spring Open House Rainbow Kitties Quilt Raffle

A spectacular handmade quilt is being raffled off with the drawing to be held at the Open House. Titled "Rainbow Kitties", this 85" x 100", 100 % cotton quilt is dedicated to all the beloved kitties who have crossed over the Rainbow Bridge. Tickets are



just \$1 each and for every 20 you buy, you get one free! Send a check or money order payable to The Cat House on the Kings (7120 S. Kings River Rd. Parlier, CA 93648) and mark "Raffle Tickets" in the memo line. Or you can call the office at (559) 638-0030 to purchase tickets with a credit card. (\$20 min) You need not be present to win and we will ship the quilt to the winner anywhere in the world.



The Cat House Has Been Recognized!

Lynea and The Cat House on the Kings have been presented with a Certificate of Recognition from Senator Andy Vidak for more than 24 years of service to the State of California.



We Won The 2015 Howliday Challenge!

The Cat House on the Kings would like to thank everyone who voted for us in The Animal Rescue Site's 2015 Howliday Shelter Challenge. WE WON THE \$20,000 GRAND PRIZE! We also won one of the weekly prizes, for the most votes in one week, for an additional \$2,000.

We could not win without all of our many loyal supporters voting for us daily. Thank you for sharing and asking your family and friends to vote too.



Miss Fresno County Hopeful Visits Cat House

Miss Fresno County contestant, Kelsey Schulteis, came out to The Cat House on the Kings to take a tour and bring a donation. She brought a huge cat tree, an enormous package of towels and several cat beds. Her platform is "Every Life Matters, Live, Love, Give: The Cat House on the Kings." We appreciate her help in promoting the work we do at The Cat House and we wish her the absolute best in the competition.

Editor's Note: As we went to press, we were informed that Kelsey had won the title of Miss Fresno County and is tentatively scheduled to appear at the Spring Open House!

Wish List:

Bleach, Paper Towels, Pine Cleaner, Recyclables, Postage Stamps, Postcard Stamps and Gift Cards (Amazon, Home Depot, Costco, etc.)

The above items can be dropped off at the Blackstone/Ashlan Petco in Fresno, or at the Cat House

Amazon Wish List:

[http://www.amazon.com/gp/registry/registry.html?ty](http://www.amazon.com/gp/registry/registry.html?type=wishlist&id=2H9UU3LYHWISQ)

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Brooms-Commercial, Canned Kitten & Adult Cat Food

Always Needed:

Volunteers, Foster Homes

We Are Becoming Super-Famous!

Thanks to a flurry of filming and interviews taking place at The Cat House on the Kings, we are practically a worldwide sensation. Even Saturday Night Live made a cryptic mention of a “Lady with a 1,000 cats!” Much of this notoriety is due to the video produced by Barcroft Media titled, “The Ultimate Cat Lady.” Barcroft Media is an international media company with offices in New York, London and New Delhi. Barcroft specializes in “producing compelling television” with a slant towards “The Amazing Side of Life:” <http://www.barcroft.tv/lynea-lattanzio-cares-for-more-than-one-thousand-cats>



CNN Was Here Too!

In December CNN’s “The Great Big Story” crew came out to film a video called; “The Real Life Cat Lady.” The Great Big Story is a video network that is “Dedicated to the untold, the overlooked and the flat-out amazing:” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8qWSWdRnXal>

The Fresno Bee

Lynea was recently honored by The Fresno Bee as one of “The 12 Faces of Christmas:” <http://www.fresnobee.com/news/special-reports/faces-of-christmas/article51092330.html>

French Reality TV

Battiste Fenwick of Abeilio Films came to The Cat House in early February to film a French reality show. French audiences prefer real time reality show so he followed Lynea around for two days. We look forward to viewing the final product.



Battiste Fenwick of Abeilio Films

Inside Edition

Inside Edition spent February 17th at The Cat House filming a segment for their show. We are really hitting the big time now! We will inform you when the segment will air.

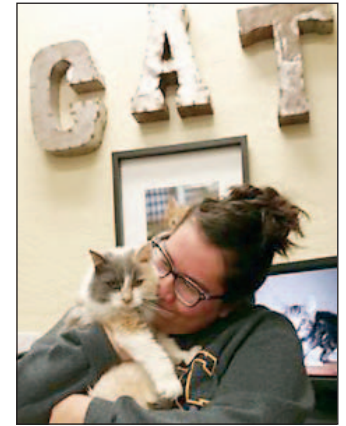


Don't Miss A Thing!

Keep up with all the latest media coverage, interviews and videos on The Cat House on the Kings website: <http://www.cathouseontheKings.com/news.php>

Gardenia's Second Chance

For many years, sweet Gardenia, a gorgeous, long-haired dilute calico, was the beloved pet of an elderly couple. Sadly, the husband passed away, and it was decided that his widow would need to move in with relatives outside the country. So this gentle, mellow little darling returned to The Cat House on the Kings to patiently wait for her second-chance home. At nearly 12 years old, she proudly ruled the lobby and office area of our Fresno Petco Adoption Center for months, completely making herself at home in beds, boxes, baskets and laps. Then the day she had been waiting for finally arrived; her brand new family walked through the door. For Maria Imperatrice, it was love at first sight! She had recently lost her 21-year-old cat (Mixie) to kidney disease and knew the joys (and responsibilities) that go along with a sweet, senior kitty. For Gardenia, it is a match made in Kitty Heaven!



The Dedication wall helps raise much needed funds. You may make a donation for a plaque in memory of a lost loved one (In Memory of...), to honor someone (In Honor of...), or just to show your support of the cat House (The Miller Family Supports...) The plaques are black metal with gold lettering and are hung in the entryway of the Cat House.

For more information or to place an order, call:
Marilynn Miller (559) 645-1080

Sizes and Prices

3" x 12" \$100.00
7" x 12" \$180.00
10.5" x 12" \$250.00

Our Youth Is Our Future

Jami Wilson and her daughters, Jordyn and Kelsey, drove three hours to The Cat House on the Kings to pick up kittens for a rescue where they volunteer as foster parents. Jami's daughters are home schooled and as a project decided to create a lap book about The Cat House. A lap book is a show-and-tell type book with information and activities relating to the chosen subject. Thank you Jordyn and Kelsey for helping spread the word about The Cat House on the Kings!



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H & R Block Tax Prep Fundraiser

First time clients who choose H & R Block to prepare their tax returns this year can have \$20 donated to The Cat House on the Kings. Click the link to print the flyer or simply present the referral code (40010001087117) at your appointment. Thanks in advance!

http://www.cathouseontheKings.com/docs/fundraisers/NP_2016_Referral_EN.pdf



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Belinda Lloyd and her son Dylan traveled from their home in Montreal Canada to spend 3 days volunteering at The Cat House on the Kings.



Laura and Ed journeyed from Michigan to visit the kitties.



Mia Yang and family came all the way from Seoul, South Korea to visit The Cat House on the Kings.

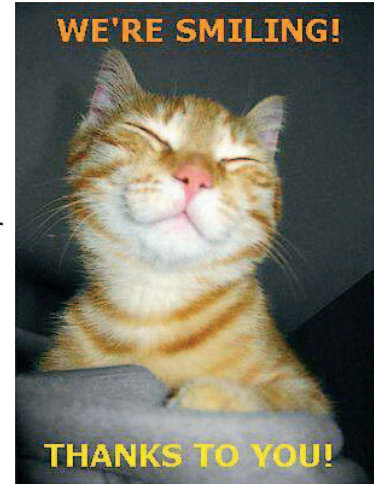
Newlyweds Ron and Barbara came from San Diego to honeymoon at The Cat House on the Kings



Julie Henry and friend traveled all the way from Rocles, France, where Julie runs a rescue, to tour The Cat House.

You Made Us Smile!

The Cat House on the Kings has received a check for \$3,691.13 from the AmazonSmile Foundation as the result of AmazonSmile program activity between October 1st and December 31, 2015. When you shop through AmazonSmile, Amazon donates 0.5% of the purchase price to The Cat House on the Kings. Please support us every time you shop on Amazon. <http://smile.amazon.com/ch/27-0015288>



Double Your Donation Power!

When you use iGive to shop at Amazon, you will be automatically directed to AmazonSmile. The Cat House will receive donations from both AmazonSmile and iGive!



Litter Love

A great big "Thank You" to Precious Cat Litter for their mega donation of several kinds of cat litter. With 800+ cats, you really can't have too much cat litter! Precious Cat Litter offers 11 different varieties of litter such as litter for kitten training and litter for cats with long hair. Free shipping on orders over \$49.



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Did You Know.....

The Cat House on the Kings is a 501c(3) nonprofit charity Cat Rescue and Sanctuary. We're located in Central California on 12 acres along the Kings River with secure, predator-proof fencing. We employ 45 people who work under founder/director Lynea Lattanzio (We also have a lot of volunteers). We receive no government funding and rely 100% on charitable donations from people like YOU (hint! hint!) We go through approximately 1,350 pounds of dry food per week. All of our cats are spayed/neutered, vaccinated, and tested for FIV/FELV and microchipped. In 2015, we rescued 1,749 cats! In just the past year, we helped spay and neuter thousands and thousands of community cats in Central California. www.cathouseonthekings.com Follow us on Facebook




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When the last individual of a race of living things breathes no more, another heaven and another earth must pass until such a one can be seen again.

- William Wordsworth

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Sign up to sponsor at: www.cathouseonthekings.com

The Cat House on the Kings is a private, non-profit, no cage, no-kill sanctuary, rescue and adoption center for cats run solely on donations and out-of-pocket funding by our founder, Lynea Lattanzio. The Cat House is open to visitors daily by appointment only (except major holidays)

HOURS: 8:00am-11:00am; 1:00pm-4:00pm

We are located near Reedley, CA southeast of Fresno, CA



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WAYS TO HELP US OUT

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*Bravelets donates \$10 to The Cat House from each sale of a Bravelet. <https://bravelets.com/bravepage/a-brave-rescue-the-cat-house-on-the-kings>

*Donate your Fresh Step Paw Points and we get kitty litter for free! <https://www.freshstep.com/paw-points/#>

*Shop at AmazonSmile and they will donate 0.5% of your purchase to The Cat House. <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/27-0015288>

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