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by **The Cat House on the Kings**



Feline rescue & sanctuary — dedicated to the care and adoption of homeless cats & kittens

Mark May 2 on Your Calendar for Our Annual Open House

Save the date! You and your cat-loving friends are invited to our May 2 Open House!

It's been three years since The Cat House on the Kings held this event (we subbed in an estate sale last spring and our 2024



Open House had to be cancelled). Now we're working around-the-clock to create the best possible version of our annual signature event with food, merchandise, tours, cats and more cats!

The Open House is a prime opportunity to show off our 12-acre sanctuary – 7120 S. Kings River Road in rural Parlier – that borders the Kings River in Fresno County. Visitors can meet and make friends with hundreds of cats and learn about how we run the state's largest nonprofit, no-cage, no-kill rescue.

The event, which opens at 10 a.m., also helps raise much-needed funds for our operations. The Cat House has been saving lives for more than 30 years.

The May 2 Open House will feature The Cat House's signature cat-themed

merchandise, music from DJ Terry, a taco truck, hot dogs and hundreds of beautiful cats. Visitors also can look for our founder/director Lynea



Lattanzio and take tours of our sprawling grounds.

We're still ironing out all the details; you can check our website – www.cathouseonthekings.com – or social media platforms for updates as the Open House date approaches.

“We love when people come out to our sanctuary to spend

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‘Spay It Forward’ Raises Critical Funds for Critical ‘Snips’

“Spay It Forward,” our two-week campaign to raise money for “fixing” cats, finished short of our \$50,000 goal. But The Cat House on the Kings is eternally grateful to everyone who donated toward this important solution!

Our fundraiser launched Jan. 24 and collected nearly \$43,000 over the campaign period. The drive was timed for National Spay/Neuter Awareness Month, observed each February to draw attention to the pet over-population crisis that is especially difficult in our region.

The Cat House set a goal of \$50,000 to provide 1,000 low-cost spay/neuters ahead of the approaching kitten season flood. While we fell short of our fundraising mark, The Cat House will put this money to good use.

“It takes a village to solve this problem, and we thank everyone who contributed to helping spay, neuter and therefore save precious lives,” said Tammy Barker, our assistant director.

Kitten season is essentially year-round in our relatively mild climate, but peak season is spring and summer. Shelters and rescues often are so crowded that many kittens can't find shelter or support services during that time.

Lack of access and the high cost of procedures have helped explode the pet population in recent years. We've learned from working with shelters and rescues throughout the west that they are consistently overcrowded.

Many shelters lack a staff veterinarian and must hold cats and dogs for weeks for spay/neuter appointments. If adoptable animals move slowly out of shelters and rescues, and pressure builds, adoptable animals may be euthanized due to lack of space.

Increasingly, more organizations are asking our no-cage, no-kill sanctuary to take cats. The Cat House does its best to provide for as many rescues as we can, but we also are a nonprofit limited by space and funding.

Recently, many of our grants have disappeared – and that results in more financial pressure and fewer spay/neuters. Each year, our goal is to provide low cost spay/neuter for thousands of cats and many dogs in need. Last year, however, our number of spay/neuters fell by 2,000 due to funding drops from grants and donors.

“Fixing” cats so they won't reproduce addresses the root cause of over-population. That reduces unplanned litters, shel-

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time with the cats and see all of our great work,” said Tammy Barker, our assistant director. “The Cat House on the Kings saves lives every single day, and we couldn’t do it without the generosity of our many donors and supporters. We always strive to make a difference.”

The Open House is typically one of our most significant fundraisers of the year. If you’d like to sign up as a volunteer, or you want to donate for the event, email our assistant director at tammy@cathouseontheKings.com.

In the end, it’s important to us to share our story and work to save lives. We hope you’ll join us at The Cat House on the Kings Open House on May 2!

ter over-crowding and competition for homes, giving pets in shelters a better chance to find forever homes. It also can improve overall health.

While our Spay It Forward campaign has ended, we raise money year-round for this purpose. You can go to our website, www.cathouseontheKings.com, to donate, click on the QR code in this newsletter or text CATHOUSE to 53-555 to donate from your phone. Checks can be sent to The Cat House on the Kings, 7120 S. Kings River Road, Parlier, CA 93648.

If you want to donate specifically to Spay It Forward, please write those words on the check or in the notes online.

Thank you for helping address the pet over-population!



Scan the QR code or text CATHOUSE to 53-555 to donate to The Cat House.

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Weruva Supplies Food, Webcam Stardom to Our Cats

Thanks to our friends at Weruva along with “Cat Man Chris,” the residents of The Cat House on the Kings had plenty to eat last summer and are now basking in the glow of sponsored webcams.

Weruva, the family-owned pet food company, donated four pallets of food and also volunteered to sponsor our sanctuary and “kitten” cams for an entire year. Here’s how it all happened:



Cat Man Chris (of Cole and Marmalade fame) is a previous visitor to – and a fan of – The Cat House. So when Weruva representatives asked him to recommend a cat rescue in California for a large food donation, he suggested our 12-acre sanctuary.



They loved the idea and planned a visit to our Parlier home. Last summer, the Weruva team toured The Cat House, filmed the visit for social media spots and assisted with delivery of the donation. Amy, Stacy, and Alyssa weren’t even at the end of their tour with Lynea Lattanzio, our founder and director, when the food shipment arrived.

Lynea, with chauffeur David, in her “Lynea Uber” hustled everyone up to the sanctuary’s corner lot (and future home of our spay/neuter clinic) for the delivery. The four pallets of food – more than 22,000 meals – sure came in handy during the annual flood of kittens.

During the tour, the Weruva team handed out treats to our senior cats and also learned about the two webcams that offer views of our sanctuary driveway and one of our Petco kitten adoption rooms. They were immediately interested in sponsoring the cameras.

A month or so later, the team connected with our Beth Cafrey, donor relations, at Cat Con to work out the details. So today, those webcam views (find them at www.cathouseonthekings.com) are courtesy of Weruva!

In addition, the company team created content for their social media platforms featuring last summer’s visit and in support of our mission (check out one Instagram piece at <https://www.instagram.com/reel/DRxiM9SkVzy/?igsh=MzRIODBiNWFIZA==>).

Our nonprofit sanctuary relies heavily on grants and donations (we receive no government funding). So we are extremely grateful for Weruva’s generosity and Cat Man Chris’ recommendation.

From all of us at The Cat House, thank you!!

In the News: Our Compassionate Sanctuary

The Cat House on the Kings received national attention recently in a NewsBreak story that names advocacy groups leading global change for our feline friends.

The article – find it at www.newsbreak.com/feline-fam-318574652/4111007247396-5-cat-advocacy-groups-leading-global-change – briefly spotlights The Cat House along with other well-known groups like The Humane Society of the United States, Alley Cat Allies and International Cat Care.

NewsBreak focuses on our 12-acre sanctuary operation that provides a permanent home for cats who are not adoptable due mainly to health, age or attitude. “The Cat House on the Kings is committed to ensuring that every cat in their care lives a life full of love and dignity,” the story notes.

“Visitors to the sanctuary often express awe at the harmonious coexistence of so many cats, a testament to the organization’s dedication to cat welfare. Through their sanctuary, they provide a model for compassionate care and respect for all cats.”

We are grateful for the attention this brings to our nonprofit sanctuary and life-saving mission! If you want to support The Cat House, visit our website at www.cathouseonthekings.com to explore the many ways to help.

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. Find out more at www.cathouseonthekings.com/plaque.

Sizes and Prices

3" x 12"	\$100.00
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Adorable Kitty Wins the Part of New Family Member

Lovable Mochi offered a memorable audition when Amanda Llewellyn and her family were looking to adopt a new family member after 14 years.

“The night we went to Petco, he was the first to come to the window meowing and rubbing against the glass,” Amanda said. “After that, we couldn’t stop thinking about him and decided we wanted to adopt him.”

Fast forward a bit, and now Mochi is living his best life in Coarsegold with Amanda, her husband and their 9-year-old. He’s also become best friends with their new rescue kitten, Willow; the old lady of the house is Labrador Sasha, now nearly 14 and an expert sleeper.



“Mochi is very independent and enjoys doing his own thing for the most part,” Amanda said. “He loves laying in the living room window on his perch or on the perch in the bedroom.”

Willow brings out the kitten in Mochi, whose favorite toy is a piece of wire.



“At one point there were feathers attached, now it’s just the wire part and he absolutely loves it,” Amanda said. Mochi and sidekick Willow do have plenty of toys along with two cat trees, so the wire is a source of family amusement.

“We always laugh that he loves that so much,” she said.



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Pearl Brings Joy to Forever Home

Everyone has a shadow. But Fallon Garcia has two if you count Pearl, a cutie who was recently adopted from The Cat House on the Kings.

Pearl (formerly Yoko) came into the Garcia house



not long after they lost their other rescue, Mocha, to Feline Infectious Peritonitis (FIP). That loss was absolutely heart-breaking for Fallon and her husband, though The Cat House team was supportive and compassionate during that time.

When the couple was ready to adopt another rescue, they again turned to The Cat House. “The fact that it’s a no-kill sanctuary and they provide such a loving, open environment for so many cats really resonated with us,” she said. “Knowing that the cats are well cared for and socialized before adoption made it an easy choice.”

The Tulare County couple wasn’t looking for any specific cat or kitten – just the right fit – and Pearl simply stood out. “When I saw Pearl, she was just a tiny little thing, with a lot of personality,” Fallon said. “She was playful and curious, and we just knew she was the one. Her energy was exactly what we needed to bring some joy back into the house!”

Pearl has done that and more. She acts like she owns the place, exploring every nook and cranny, and has made friends with the couple’s 8-year-old Chihuahua.

“Pearl is a little fire-cracker!” Fallon said. “She’s incredibly playful, very affectionate when she wants to be, and super curious. Her absolute favorite toy is a little jingle ball – she bats it around for hours on end!”



While Pearl loves and cuddles everyone, Fallon seems to be her favorite. “Pearl follows me around the house like my little shadow and sleeps by my face every night,” she said.

Fallon absolutely recommends adoption from The Cat House: “Their dedication to the welfare of their cats is truly exceptional, and you can tell how much they care about finding each cat the perfect home.”

Fourth Time is a Charm in Mature Beauty's Adoption Story

Sweetheart Priscilla struck out three times on finding a forever home before Judy Shepherd came into her life.

Allergies and a poor fit with some children prompted three families to return this regal feline to The Cat House on the Kings. But Priscilla's luck changed a few years ago when Judy and her husband, Anthony, swooped in to provide that loving forever home.

Priscilla was about 5 years old when the Shepherds found her. Kittens may be the cat's meow for many adopters, but this couple wanted maturity.

"We always adopt older kitties," Judy said. "They may take a little longer to feel at home, but they are loving and calm once settled."

Priscilla was the couple's first adoption in Fresno. The Shepherds relied on our sanctuary vet assistant Lisa Baker to recommend the perfect cat. "It was sight unseen, we trusted Lisa – who we haven't met – to make a good choice for us and she did," Judy said. In fact, the two have remained in touch since the adoption.

Priscilla has settled in beautifully as one of the family. "She is wonderful," Judy said. "Once she warmed up to us we found she was very social, greeting my grandkids without hesitation (along with plumbers and anyone else that came into our home)."

Judy understands that people may be more drawn to kittens, but adult cats also can be perfect additions. "Older kitties like Priscilla had a home and are often grieving the loss of their home and are more withdrawn, making them less desirable," she said.

The Shepherds are likewise more mature adults, and they hope to be with Priscilla for the rest of her life. "She will be 10 years old as I turn 80," Judy added.

These days, Priscilla's favorite toy is a handmade ball that the couple tosses around so she can chase it. Priscilla loves just about everyone but does seem to have a soft spot for fellows.

"She is very fond of men," Judy said. "My husband is a favorite!"



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Diana Alvarez, Versatile Volunteer

Few volunteers can handle so many different roles – and all at the same time, too! One of these super-valuable volunteers is Diana Alvarez, who is a fosterer, special events volunteer and



now also a lead volunteer at one of The Cat House on the Kings remote Petco adoption locations.

When we needed help for daily kitten care on several days each week, Diana stepped in to fill that role and then also stepped up as the lead volunteer. In addition, she does many amazing things to improve our meet-and-greet room there and has donated a myriad of helpful items to make daily care much easier.

Please meet Diana, describing in her own words how she came

to support our mission:

“I discovered The Cat House on the Kings Fresno Adoption Center the same year that they celebrated their first anniversary there (2014). I walked in, Tammy (the assistant director) was there, and asked, ‘How do I volunteer?’

“Finding The Cat House restored my faith in humanity. Being around like-minded people was so refreshing. I’ve fostered and rescued almost every year since then. I’ve fostered kittens, adult cats, moms with their kittens and bottle babies. I would also volunteer at the Open Houses.

“Discovering The Cat House and meeting Tammy and staff has changed my life for the better. I am forever grateful and thankful.”

It means the world to us to have someone like Diana who has volunteered for so many years and in so many areas. Animal welfare has a high volunteer turnover rate because it can be very hard on hearts and souls, especially over long periods of time.

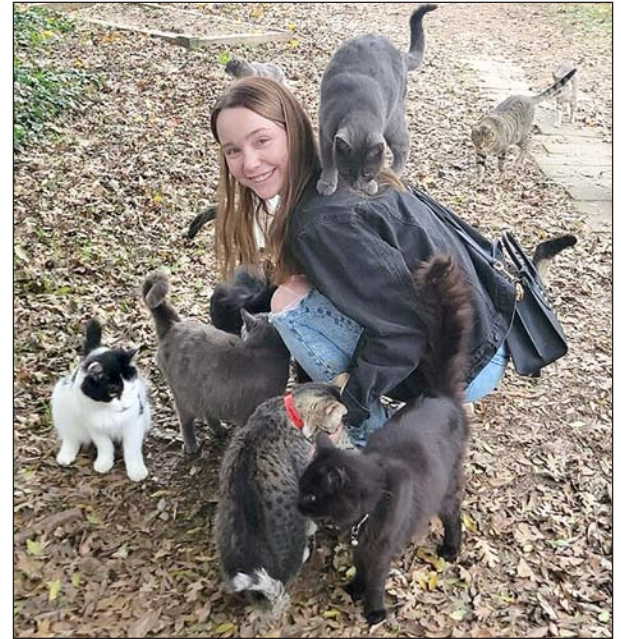
Diana always lifts our hearts. It’s comforting to know she is involved in such high-impact areas and for events that demand so much sweat equity. Saying we are grateful seems small compared to the amount of stress Diana relieves for people on our team.

Here at The Cat House, we appreciate Diana for all the many ways she supports our community!

Annika Prine, Devoted Volunteer

It can be challenging to find dedicated, long-lasting volunteers – especially when that service involves the kinds of messes that kittens can make in a small space!

The Cat House on the Kings is so grateful for Annika Prine, a wonderful and dependable volunteer who provides diligent care at one of our remote Petco locations.



Kittens need daily care for their well-being and to have the best chance at adoption. Those adoption habitats often demand the kind of cleaning that can discourage some volunteers, and that is why we depend so much on people like Annika!

Please get to know her in her own words:

“I got involved with volunteering through a friend of mine who passed and was deeply devoted to cats and to The Cat House on the Kings. We bonded over our shared love of cats, and when she passed, she left her estate to the organization. I helped with the arrangements of her belongings, which led me to visit The Cat House, meet the cats, and connect with the incredible people there.

“I knew right away that I wanted to be involved. I’ve now been volunteering for about a year and a half, usually at least twice a week. I love caring for the cats at the adoption center, helping them find homes, and working alongside such a kind, dedicated group of volunteers. It truly feels like a community.”

Thank you, Annika, for being such a vital part of The Cat House!

Recent Visitors Make New Friends at The Cat House

Did you know The Cat House on the Kings is open most afternoons for visitors by appointment?

We love showing guests around our 12-acre sanctuary that is home to hundreds of cats and even a few dogs and peacocks. Over the past few months, The Cat House has hosted several groups of supporters.



Our founder/director, Lynea Lattanzio (pictured far left), helped greet Dave Barrows with the Lewis-Harlow Foundation for All God's Creatures. He shared his support and kindness in December, and also provided a generous

donation.

Our kitties were also happy to hang out with Kayden Morrison of Modesto, who came with friends and tons of donations that included blankets, toys and food.

The Cat House sanctuary near Parlier is open most afternoons by appointment. Visit our website at www.cathouseontheKings.com for information or call (559) 638-8696 (Option 1) to book an appointment.



Got a Minute? Support Our Sanctuary in the Shelter Challenge!

Vote for The Cat House on the Kings!

We're not running for anything political -- but our cats are on the ballot of the online Resolutions for Rescue Shelter Challenge! We hope you cast votes daily so that The Cat House can win a top cash prize.

These contests are offered several times a year and your votes can mean thousands of dollars in funding for our nonprofit sanctuary.

In fact, The Cat House took home third place and \$2,000 in cash in the most recent Rescue Wonderland Shelter Challenge that ended Dec. 31. (Since shelters are limited to winning only one top prize annually, third place was our only option for that contest.)

The main sponsor of the Shelter Challenge is Greater Good, an independent organization committed to the health and well-being of people, pets and the planet.

The current challenge ends March 18. You can cast a vote every day by going to www.cathouseontheKings.com/shelterchallenge, which directs you to the voting page. Then just click on the Vote button.

More information about the Resolutions Challenge is available in the Active Challenge section of our voting page. If you need a daily reminder to vote, just sign up on our website at www.cathouseontheKings.com/subscribe.

The Cat House and all of our furry charges are extremely grateful for your support in this national competition. Our nonprofit, no-kill sanctuary is one of the largest in the country and we have plenty of bills to pay as we feed, care for and otherwise provide for our hundreds of rescues and fosters.

Because we don't receive any government funding, our sanctuary relies on contests like this along with grants, contributions and donations of all kinds. Each donation benefits all the cats (and even a few dogs) that come to us.

Please continue to vote for us in the Shelter Challenge! To find out even more about our operations and how you can help The Cat House, head to our website at www.cathouseontheKings.com. We appreciate your support!



Heart Cats:



The Cat House's Destiny Cisneros is one of our compassionate adoption coordinators. She's an expert at juggling all of the many responsibilities – kitten care, habitat care, adoptions, tours, phone calls, visitors and medical team coordination. Destiny also goes above and beyond by fostering kittens, especially bottle babies, providing all the care needed for them around-the-clock. We appreciate all of her good works and are happy to share her Heart Cat Story:

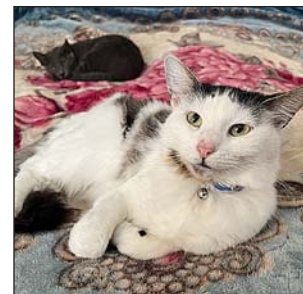
Bella Marie: Waiting in Heaven

My heart cat was Bella Marie.

We had her for three years before she was diagnosed with kidney cancer and had to be put to sleep.

We rescued her from a lady on Facebook who was overrun with kittens and cats. She was a little feral fluff ball at first, but within two weeks she was the sweetest kitten. She became a very important part of our life.

She knew all of our routines and would



wait on us all day. When we made dinner she would sit on the kitchen chair and just hang out.

When my husband and I would have movie nights he would open the blanket for me to lay on one side of him and open the other side for her – and she knew exactly what he was doing. She took care of all of my foster kittens and puppies and would get so excited when I would bring a crate home.

Bella was by my side the entire three years that I was gifted her presence. Me and my husband say that when all of the other animals I rescue and help make their way to heaven, Bella is there waiting for them and welcoming them.



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Seeing double? Nope, you're just seeing twin brothers Arthur and Winston, two young and sweet poodles now ready for adoption from The Cat House on the Kings.



While our sanctuary naturally caters to cats, we do sometimes take in other rescues. These two boys – each about 13 pounds – are less than two years old and score toward the top of the adorability scale.

Arthur (right) is the perfect mix of playful puppy energy and cuddly companion. He's charming, affectionate and absolutely loves being around people. Winston (left) has a friendly, gentle and easy-going personality that thrives with patience and consistency. He gets along with cats and dogs.

Both poodles need an experienced adopter and someone to take them on daily walks. Arthur and Winston are fixed, vaccinated and ready for a forever home either separately or together.

Could one – or both – of these pups be the perfect addition to your family? Check out their adoption details, along with more photos, at on our adoption page at <https://www.cathouseontheKings.com/adoption/index.php>.