

# SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS YARMOUTH BRANCH



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**Shelter Location:**  
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Brooklyn, NS  
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**Hours of operation:** Monday to Saturday: 10 am to 5 pm, Closed for lunch 12 - 1 pm

*Yikes!*



## IS THIS ANY WAY TO TREAT YOUR BEST FRIEND?

Dog's can't hold on! It may seem like your dog enjoys it, but riding in the back of a truck could cost your dog his life.

If you hit a bump, swerve unexpectedly, or brake suddenly, your best friend could easily be thrown or fall out of your truck. If your dog isn't injured or killed by the fall, another car may hit him. Cars swerving to miss your dog may even cause other accidents for which you could be liable.

Simply tying your dog in the truck bed is not a solution. Ropes and leashes become nooses should your dog be jolted from the truck. Also, wind whipping debris into a dog's eyes can cause permanent damage.

Use a protective kennel secured to the centre of the truck bed, let your best friend ride safely in the cab with you, or leave your dog at home!

For more information on safe transportation for your pet, contact the Yarmouth SPCA

## I RESCUED A HUMAN TODAY

Her eyes met mine as she walked down the corridor peering apprehensively into the kennels. I felt her need instantly and knew I had to help her. I wagged my tail, not too exuberantly, so she wouldn't be afraid.

As she stopped at my kennel I blocked her view from a little accident I had in the back of my cage. I didn't want her to know that I hadn't been walked today. Sometimes the shelter staff get too busy and I don't want her to think poorly of them.

As she read my kennel card I hoped that she wouldn't feel sad about my past. I only have the future to look forward to and want to make a difference in someone's life.

She got down on her knees and made little kissy sounds at me. I shoved my shoulder and side of my head up against the bars to comfort her. Gentle fingertips caressed my neck; she was desperate for companionship.

A tear fell down her cheek and I raised my paw to assure her that all would be well. Soon my kennel door opened and her smile was so bright that I instantly jumped into her open arms. I would promise to keep her safe. I would promise to always be by her side. I would promise to do everything I could to see that radiant smile and sparkle in her eyes.

I was so fortunate that she came down my corridor. So many more are out there who haven't walked the corridors. So many more to be saved. At least I could save one.

Anonymous Shelter Dog

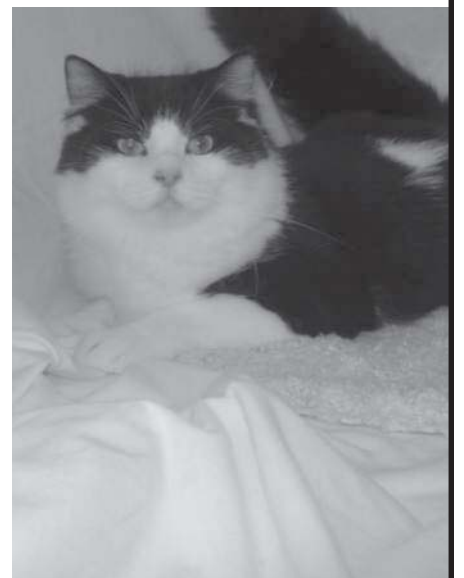
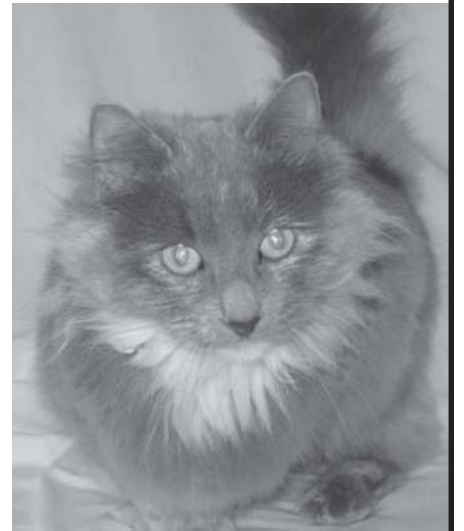


On-line please visit us at:  
**yarmouthspca.com**

*For a wealth of information about our shelter and animals up for adoption.*

Email us at [spcapets@hotmail.com](mailto:spcapets@hotmail.com)

**LOOK AT THESE FACES.....  
FOR ADOPTION INFORMATION  
PLEASE CALL 742-9767**





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*“Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world: indeed, it is the only thing that ever has.”*  
*- Margaret Mead*

**YOUR COMMENTS AND SUGGESTIONS ARE VERY IMPORTANT TO US.**

**WE APPRECIATE YOUR FEEDBACK.**

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**OUR SHELTER’S WISH LIST**

**WE ALWAYS NEED CLAY, NON-CLUMPING CAT LITTER, CANNED AND DRY CAT FOOD, KITTEN FOOD, USED BLANKETS AND BED COVERS (NOT SHEETS) CANNED DOG FOOD, PUPPY FOOD, KITTEN MILK, CLEANING AND SUPPLIES (INCLUDING BLEACH), GROOMING AIDS AND STURDY DOG TOYS.**



**2009 PET PICS WITH SANTA**

**SATURDAY  
 NOVEMBER 28<sup>TH</sup>  
 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.  
 SPCA SHELTER  
 298 HARDCRATCH RD.  
 MARK YOUR  
 CALENDAR!**

**VISIT US AT TOOIE’S CRAFT SALE**

**Saturday, October 31st  
 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.**

**Sunday, November 1st  
 10 a.m. to 4 p.m**

**WE’LL HAVE LOTS OF CHRISTMAS CRAFT ITEMS FOR YOUR PETS AND FOR GIFT-GIVING**

September 19th at 10 a.m.



**16th ANNUAL S.P.C.A. DOG JOG**

**BEACON PARK**

**LOTS OF FUN & DOOR PRIZES**

**PICK UP YOUR PLEDGE SHEETS AT THE SPCA SHELTER, ELLIS PRINT & PARADE STREET ANIMAL HOSPITAL**

**ENJOY DEMONSTRATIONS BY SOUTHWEST AGILITY TEAM**



Yes, I would like to help  
with a donation\* \$ \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

INCOME TAX RECEIPT: YES ( ) NO ( )

*\*All donations of \$10.00 or more  
are tax deductible*

Your donation will help us realize our dream of saving more animal lives, provide better care for the animals in our shelter and to spay and neuter more animals in our community.

**There are many cats and dogs in our shelter awaiting a loving home. If you cannot consider adoption at this time, please think about sponsoring an animal. Your sponsorship helps offset the cost of veterinary care and food. It also makes the pet much more likely to be adopted, as we reduce the adoption fee by the amount of your gift. We're in desperate need of FOSTER HOMES, especially for cats and kittens. Please call the shelter and ask for details, if you can help.**

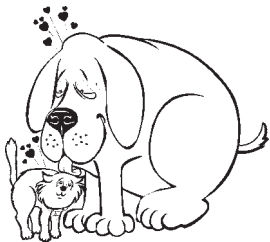
On behalf of those who cannot speak for themselves  
- and all those who work daily to protect them...

*Thank You*



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**We *Thank You* for your continued support!**