

Daisy Fund dog service comes to W.S.

The Bend Spay and Neuter Project hosted their first spay-neuter clinic in Warm Springs, September 5, providing service to 35 dogs—twenty females and 15 males.

Bend Spay and Neuter will be back in Warm Springs the first Tuesday of next month, October 4. The service is made possible through the Daisy Fund.

On that day, dog owners are asked to show up at 7:30 a.m. at the Warm Springs Housing Community Building, 2776 Quail Trail. The service is provided to the dog owners on a first-come first-serve basis.

The Confederated Tribes and Housing Authority are partnering with the Bend Spay and Neuter Project on this service.

For the September 5 clinic there were three Veterinarian doctors on hand, with four Spay and Neuter Project staff plus volunteers.

The dog owners arrived in the morning, dropped off their dogs, and then returned to pick them up at the end of the business day. Everything went smoothly, and the first clinic wrapped up by around 5:30 p.m., said Megan Gram, executive director of the Spay and Neuter Project.



Staff and dogs at the mobile clinic in Warm Springs.

Dave McMechan/Spilyay

Volunteer opportunity

Arlissa Rhoan at the Housing Authority encourages people to consider volunteering at the next clinic. This is a chance to learn about the Veterinarian profession. Here are some of the volunteer services that are needed:

Medical recovery volunteer

· Help with setup (during the morning shift), or breakdown (during the evening shift). Tasks include setting up or tearing down crates, cleaning crates, sweeping, mopping and general cleaning

· Work with a recovery assistant to recover patients after surgery, including checking vitals and administering basic medications

· Monitor patients during recovery with a clear idea of normal vs. abnormal conditions, knowing when to alert the recovery assistant.

· Help lift and transport patients post-operatively.

· Clean black wire crates.

· Help draw vaccinations and clean surgical instruments as needed.

Physical Requirements: You must be able to lift up to 50 pounds, and stand for long periods of time.

Medical floater volunteer

· Assists with check in (morning shift), check out (evening shift) of patients, including delivering post-operative instructions.

· Help with setup in the morning, or breakdown in the evening, including setting up or tearing down crates, cleaning crates, sweeping, mopping and general cleaning.

· Clean instruments, wrap and sterilize surgical packs.

· Clean and move black wire crates as needed.

· Help lift/transport patients.

· Help draw vaccinations and clean surgical instruments as needed.

Physical requirements: Must be able to stand for long periods and lift up to 50 pounds with assistance.

Administrative Front Desk Volunteer

· Help with setup or breakdown including setting up/tearing down crates, cleaning crates, sweeping, mopping and general cleaning

· Help draw vaccinations and clean surgical instruments as needed.

· Accurately enter paperwork into computer and print medical records ensuring each patient receives an accurate record of services performed as well as a rabies tag.

· Assist front desk with answering questions and processing payments.

· Greet clients as they arrive and assist with paperwork completion.

· Prep clipboards with paperwork and pens.

Offsite/between clinic volunteers

Laundry angel:

· Responsible for picking up dirty laundry bags from monthly clinics, washing them according to



specific instructions including half-bleach per load and returning to the following month's clinic on the day of the clinic.

· Bend Spay and Neuter will provide supplies for laundry including bags for transporting, detergent and bleach.

Doggie taxi driver

· Assist with transportation to and from monthly clinics for dogs whose owners do not have reliable transportation or are unable to transport themselves.

· Pick up dog from owner and

have owner fill out paperwork. Bring dog and paperwork to clinic at 7:30 a.m.

· Pick up dog from clinic at 4 p.m. and return to home. Communicate after care instructions to owner.

This position may be divided up into a drop off person and a pick up person if need be.

Please contact Megan or Jenn at Bend Spay and Neuter Project if you would like to volunteer: 541-617-1010. Or email: meganw@bendsnip.org outreach@bendsnip.org

Resolution of Tribal Council

Election

Whereas on April 5, 2016 the Election Board presented to the Tribal Council the certified results of the 2016 Tribal Council Election for the Simnasho, Agency and Seekseequa districts, whereupon the Tribal Council has accepted the election results which had the following candidates elected to the Tribal Council:

Simnasho District: Charles "Jody" Calica, Raymond Tsumpti Sr., and Ronald Suppah Sr.

Agency District: Eugene "Austin" Greene Jr., Valerie Switzler, and Carina Miller.

Seekseequa District: Lee Tom,

and Brigette McConville; and,

Whereas the Tribal Council desires to embody in resolution the acceptance and validation of the results of the 2016 Tribal Council election for the Simnasho District, Agency District and Seekseequa District as certified by the Election Board; now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Twenty-Seventh Tribal Council of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon, pursuant to Article V, Section 1(l) and (u), and Article IV of the Tribal Constitution and By-Laws of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon, that the Tribal Council hereby confirms, accepts and validates the results of

the 2016 Tribal Council Election for the Simnasho District, Agency District and Seekseequa District as certified by the Election Board

Resolution no. 12,212. Certified 15, 2016.

Blood drive today in Warm Springs

The Warm Springs community and the American Red Cross are hosting a blood drive this Wednesday, Sept. 14, at the Health and Wellness Center. The drive will go until 2:30 p.m.

Two pet clinics in October

Two pet clinics are coming up in October. The services will include shots and licenses, and spay and neuter vouchers.

The first clinic will be on October 1, from 2 to 4 p.m., by the old ambulance bay across from the Warm Springs Post Office.

Shots are \$15 and the licenses are \$5. Cash only.

The second pet clinic next month will be on October 29, same time and place, costs, etc.

Community notes...

Adult Basic Skills GED classes in Warm Springs will begin the week of September 26. Basic Reading and Writing will be on Monday and Wednesday 9:30-12:30, and Basic Math on Tuesday and Thursday 9:30-12:30. Go to class during that week to register and attend orientation. Classes will be at the Education Building in Warm Springs.

The Recovery Never Ends conference is coming up on September 30 in Warm Springs. Everyone is welcome to attend. It is free, and will be at the HeHe Longhouse from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. The day will include speakers, talking circles, healing activities, sweathouse and meals. For more information or to register contact Sarah Frank at Community Counseling, 541-553-3205.

The Museum at Warm Springs Huckleberry Harvest is coming up September 24 from 4:30-9 p.m. at the museum. Proceeds from the event provide support to the museum's educational programs. For information or to register, contact the Museum at Warm Springs, 541-553-3331.

The Warm Springs Outdoor Market is every Friday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. next to the Re-Use It Thrift Store by Warm Springs Market. Contact the Warm Springs Community Action Team to find out about setting up as a vendor.

A fundraising raffle is going on now for the 2016 Chasan Walker Memorial Basketball Tournament. For tickets you can contact Jake or Julie Suppah, Annette Ball or Cyndi LeClaire. You can find them on Facebook. The drawing will be on September 24.

Problem roads assessment

The 30 day period for public comment for the Upper Warm Springs Problem Roads Project Assessment is open until this Friday, September 16. The Assessment presents an analysis of plans to comprehensively address roads causing a number of issues with water quality, fisheries and wildlife habitat in the Warm Springs River Subwatershed. The public comment period is required by the Integrated Resource Management Plan (IRMP). Copies of the Project Assessment Upper Warm Springs Problem Roads are now available for review and comment at the Office of the Branch of Natural Resources, the Post Office, and at the Mailroom Desk in the Administration Building.

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