



“Spay” It Forward

Community Cooperation to make a difference!

The HolliBell Foundation

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Mission Statement

What we do?

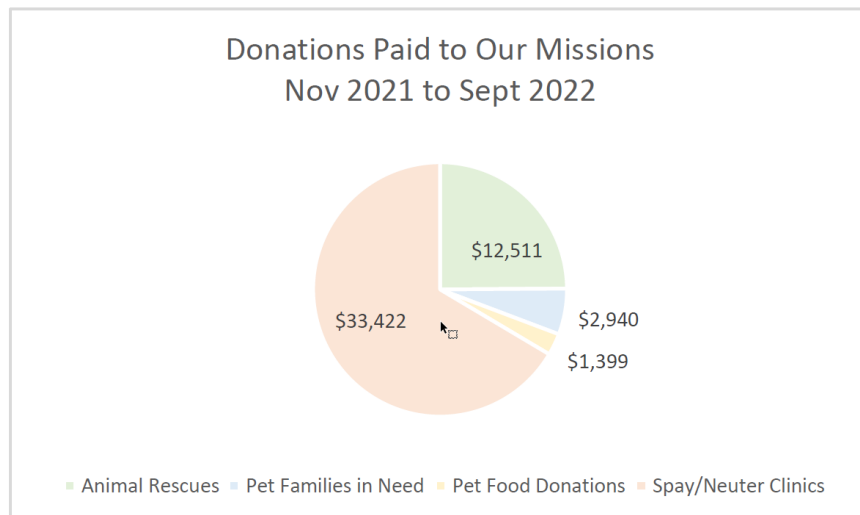
The HolliBell Foundation was founded in the fall of 2018.

We are a registered Not for Profit in Canada which focuses on 3 main areas of support.

- 1) Providing affordable spay and neuter for pets and local strays;
- 2) Helping families with veterinary bills in times of need; and
- 3) Providing emergency and general funding for rescues.

Our main focus for the last 2 years has been affordable spay and neuter with close to 800 pets being supported.

This equates to over \$60,000.00 sponsored!



Spay and Neuter

“The pet overpopulation crisis”

The HolliBell Foundation wants to do more! There is a HUGE need for affordable spay and neuter. If opportunities can be given to those most vulnerable, this in turn will also support rescues that work tirelessly to take in abandoned strays or owner surrenders due to financial burden. In our first 4 years of existence, our small group has raised and donated over \$172,000.

However, we are just scratching the surface and are looking to move into the community for more support at the “Grassroots” level. This is where we hope you might consider joining us.

For now, we continue to function as we always have been. With volunteers, donors, supporters and making contacts, we continue to offer a valuable resource to the community.

There are far too few options in the Ottawa area for affordable spay and neuter that offer quick solutions. Many families do not have the ability to afford more, and many do not want to wait. Waiting means more pets through accidental litters, more pets allowed to roam, and more pets getting surrendered.

This is why we are so thrilled to primarily work with the Lanark Leeds Grenville Spay and Neuter Clinic in Brockville. They provide the most reasonable prices in the area, and we are blessed to have them working to achieve the same goal – reducing the pet population. There are no limits based on income, a pet who needs to be spayed and neutered; simply gets spayed and neutered!

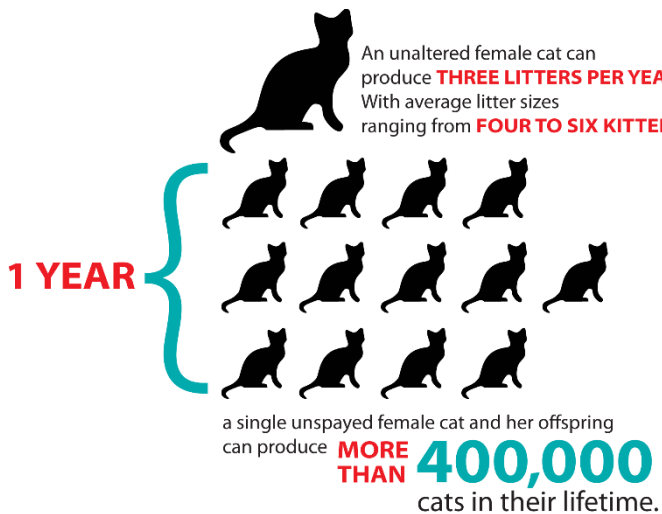
We have committed to 1 day a month (minimum) with the Lanark clinic to offer a sponsored spay and neuter day. Each month this day will see 28 female cats spayed, 10 male cats neutered, and 1 dog spay or neuter for a total of 39 community animals. Each of these days will have a budget of \$2,000 to cover the fees.

*We have reserved 3 days in the year to support vulnerable individuals and families in need of transportation. We will be providing transport and covering in full the price to spay and neuter on these days. Many of these families will be clients through our partners.

*We are also working with a dog rescue to provide additional spay and neuter days solely for dog owners.

ON TOP OF REDUCING THE OVER POPULATION OF PETS...

spaying and neutering has other **important** benefits.



- Reducing the tendency in male cats and dogs to roam;
- Eliminating the inconvenience of the heat cycle in female dogs and cats;
- Providing better health in both male and female dogs and cats;
- Eliminating spraying in most male cats;
- Facilitating training;

*Taken from the Ottawa Human Society Website

Our Partners

Groups and veterinarians that we work with to achieve our goals.



Community Veterinary Outreach

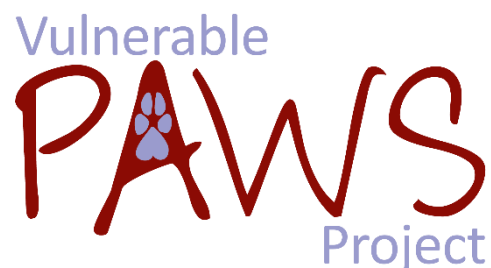
Community Veterinary Outreach (CVO) is a registered charity that serves pet owners who are experiencing homelessness or who are vulnerable in society.

CVO believes in a “One Health” approach and therefore its clinics offer free preventative veterinary care for pets as well as free health services for pet owners themselves. Please see www.vetoutreach.org for more information about the CVO organization.

For several years The HolliBell Foundation has supported CVO clients by providing the funding to spay and neuter their pets. Thanks to the strong relationships that the HolliBell Foundation has developed with other local organizations, CVO clients have access to services that would otherwise not be available to them.

The partnership between CVO and the HolliBell Foundation is very important to CVO’s work in Ottawa and CVO looks forward to continuing this partnership in the years to come.

PAWS works with the most vulnerable people within our community. Companion animals are often the only family they have, and often their lifeline; However, most lack the financial capacity to access direct animal care services.



With a commitment to animals and a grass roots hands on approach, PAWS does whatever is practically and financially possible to provide much needed assistance.

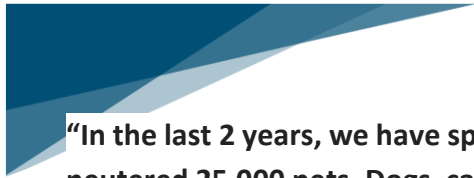
PAWS collaborates with The HolliBell Foundation for the acquisition and distribution of pet food and for financial support for spay and neuter project.



This amazing group of veterinarians, veterinary technicians, veterinary assistants and administration teams have made this addition of a low cost spay and neuter facility to our community an invaluable service. To be quite honest, without them, the overpopulation would be worse!

The numbers don't lie. People do want to get their pets spayed and neutered. Often at a regular vet, they are required to have examinations, all vaccines, and are offered many "perks", all which lead to a cost that is just out of reach for families!

A female cat to be spayed at Lanark Leeds Grenville spay and neuter is \$220 + tax. Through our sponsorship the cost for an owner can go down to \$150 or \$0 depending on the financial position of a family. At a regular veterinary clinic, owners often face over \$700 for a spay.



"In the last 2 years, we have spayed and neutered 25,000 pets. Dogs, cats, and male rabbits between the 2 locations."


*Please note that the Lanark Leeds Grenville group also has a second clinic in Southeastern Ontario.

A glimpse into The HolliBell Foundation numbers.

2021 – 363 pets/community animals spayed and neutered. \$33,611.03 provided by The HolliBell Foundation.

2022 – 390 pets/community animals spayed and neutered. \$30,560.87 provided by The HolliBell Foundation.

*in 2022 we helped get the Community Veterinary Outreach cat client waitlist completed. These owners had been waiting months for a spot. Ottawa spay and neuter clinic was able to fit them in as cancellations opened up, because we provided the funds to do it.



One of the small local rescue groups we work with is Spencerville TNR rescue. They have provided their 2022 numbers. They primarily work with barn colonies and strays.

100 cats in foster – 252 adoptions and a HUGE 803 spay and neuters!

The HolliBell Foundation has inspired other groups to provide affordable spay and neuter opportunities.

Community Sponsorship Opportunities

Are you looking for a way to support? Give back to the community? Help us eradicate the overpopulation of pets as well as supporting communities that are vulnerable and want to provide what is best for their pets?

Is your business looking for a way to be a welcome force in the community to support affordable spay and neuters? We would love to feature you on our facebook page or website based on the level of sponsorship.

Here are ways you can help!

Sponsor a cat spay \$50 x _____ (# of female cats) = _____

Sponsor a dog spay or neuter \$200 x _____ (# of dogs) = _____

Sponsor half or a portion of a spay and neuter day \$500 x _____ OR \$1,000 x _____

Sponsor a FULL spay and neuter day \$2,000 x _____

Make your donation reoccurring?

_____ YES, contact us monthly _____ NO, just a one-time donation _____ YES, contact us next year.

Please send us an email at hollibellfoundation@gmail.com if you wish to sponsor or have more questions. We would love to hear from you.

We accept e-transfer at hollibellfoundation@gmail.com