# St Charles Parish Animal Shelter

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**Cat Coordinators** 

Kennel Attendant



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#### What does our department do

#### **ALL THINGS ANIMAL**

Control
Sheltering
Caring, Feeding, Medical Care
Adopting
Community Outreach
Disaster Preparedness

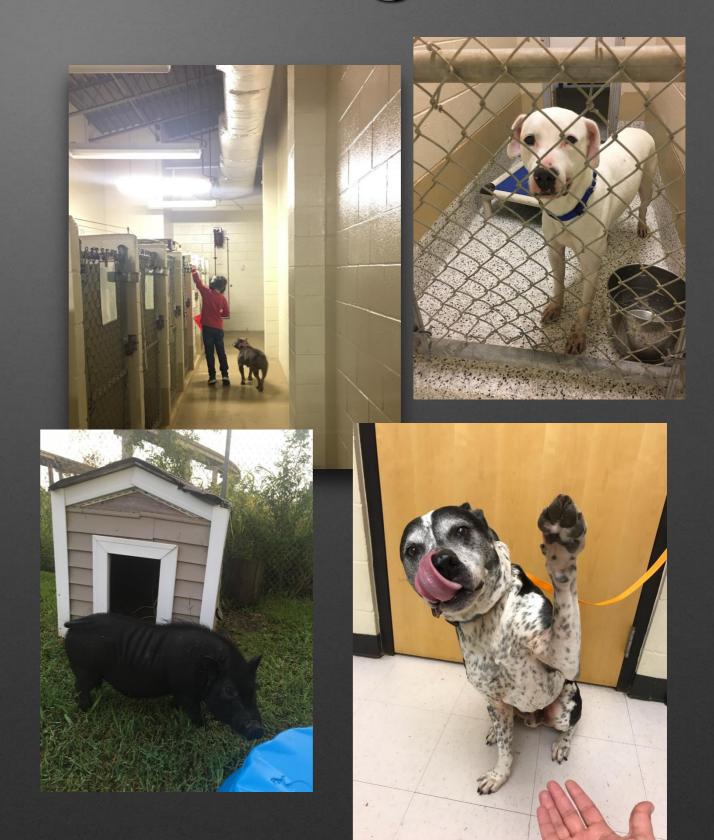
#### Animal Control-when to call

- Public health & safety
- A domestic animal is causing concern-not on leash/fence, human bites/scratches, loud, dog on dog attacks (1799 animals)
- Sick wildlife that is a rabies vector: racoon, coyote, bat
- Animal health questions
- Business hours: 985-783-5010
   M,W,R,F 8:30-4:00; T 8:30-5:00
- After hours: emergency operations center 985-783-5050



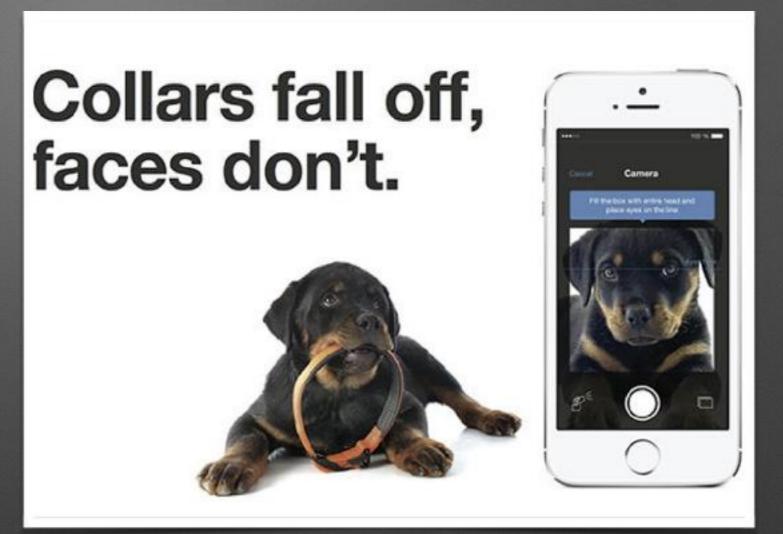
### **Animal Sheltering**

- From source to adoption (512 dogs, 672 cats)
- Sources: stray (5 business days), owner surrender, born in care, seizures
- Thorough to prevent animal & zoonotic disease: vaccination on intake if no immediate owner contact (microchip!)
- Puppies & nice felines: deworm, deflea, heart worm prevention
- Data: shelteranimalscount.org-Live release rate 95.7% cats, 95.4% dogs (minus HW+ bull types=99.9%).
- Department of Agriculture standard passed.



## Reunite your lost pet

- Microchip
- Tags
- www.findingrover.com
- Facebook
- Call & input into our lost log 985-783-5010

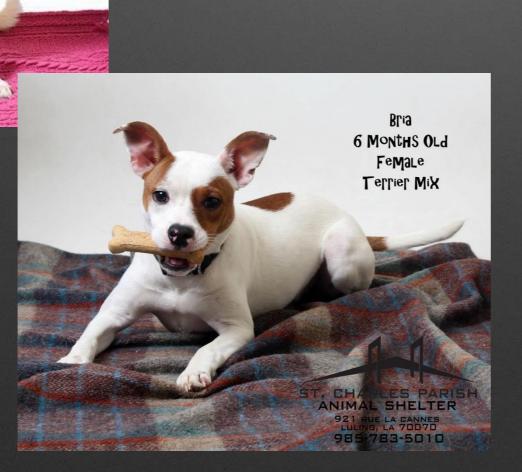




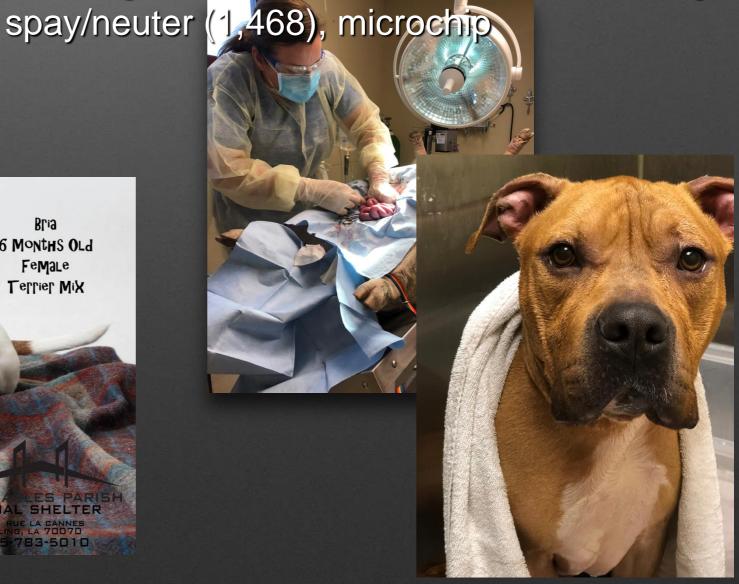
### What happens before

Vaccines, deworm, deflea, heart worm prevention, veterinary exam, behavior testing, heart worm & leukemia/FIV testing, spay/neuter (1,468), microchip

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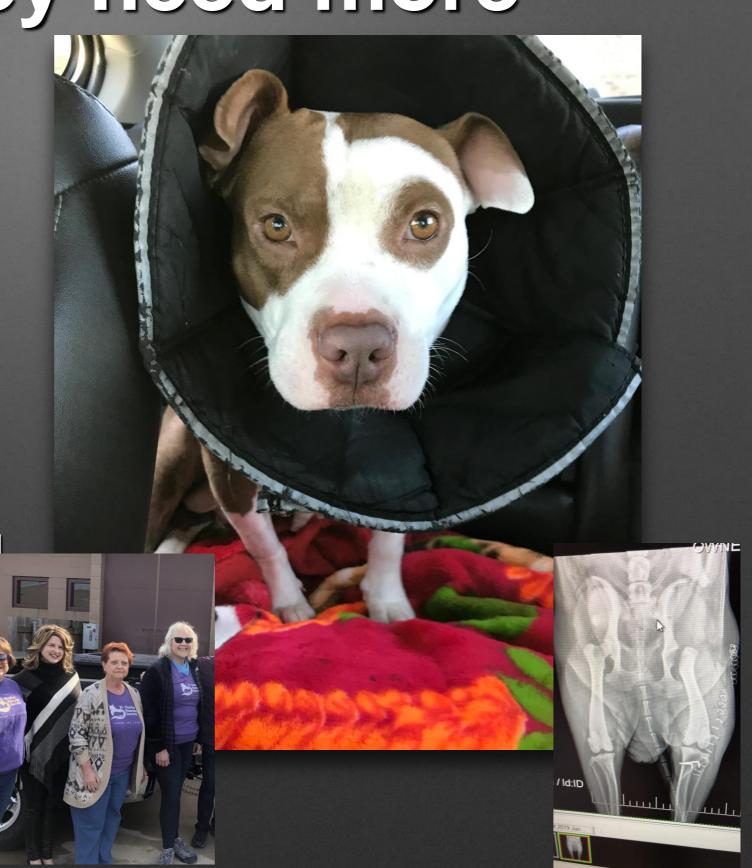


## When they need more

 St Charles Humane Society filters community donations back to the animals

When we need specialized care

 They buy rabies, microchips, testing supplies, medicine and surgical supplies



Adoption \$80 to SCHS



Apply
Coordinate
Meet-n-Greet
Foster
Adopt

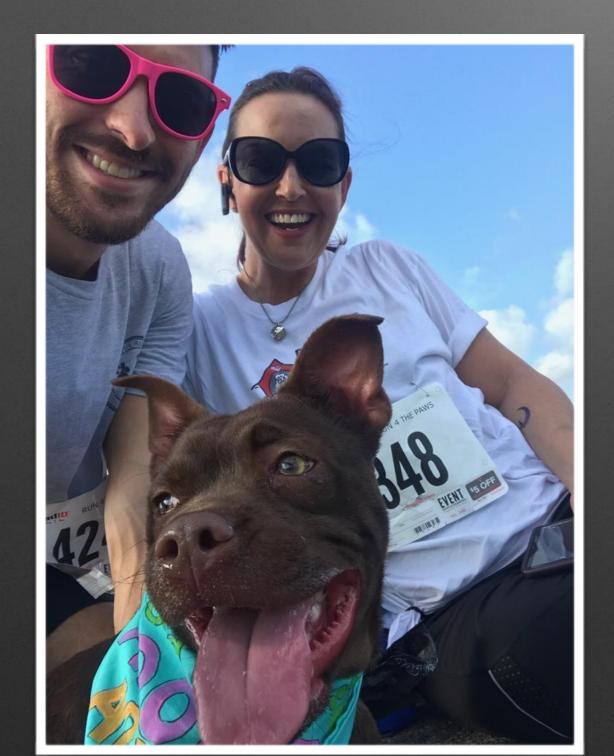


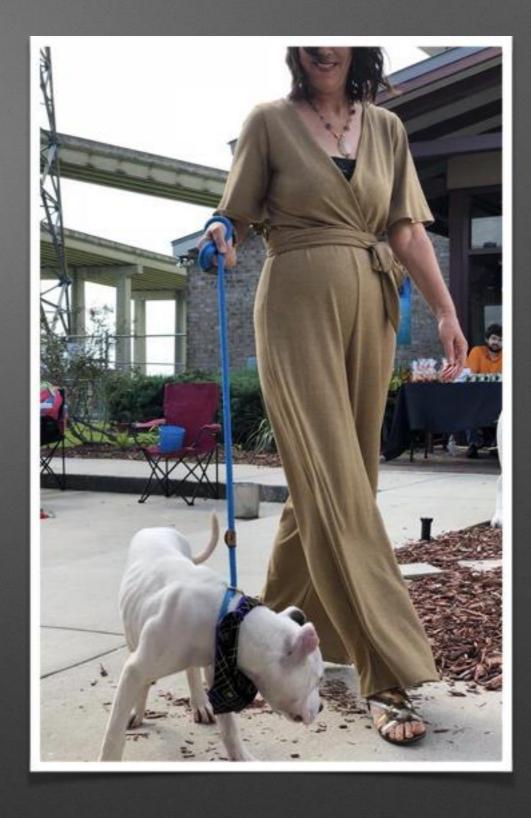
### Progress

- Feral cat program-spay/neuter, microchip, rabies, ear notch (236)sponsored by SCHS
- Took in 257 less animal in 2018 (188 less cats, 69 less dogs)
- Education, see something say something, humane law enforcement
- Nuisance 4-5 still applies for complaints
- LASPCA-low cost options

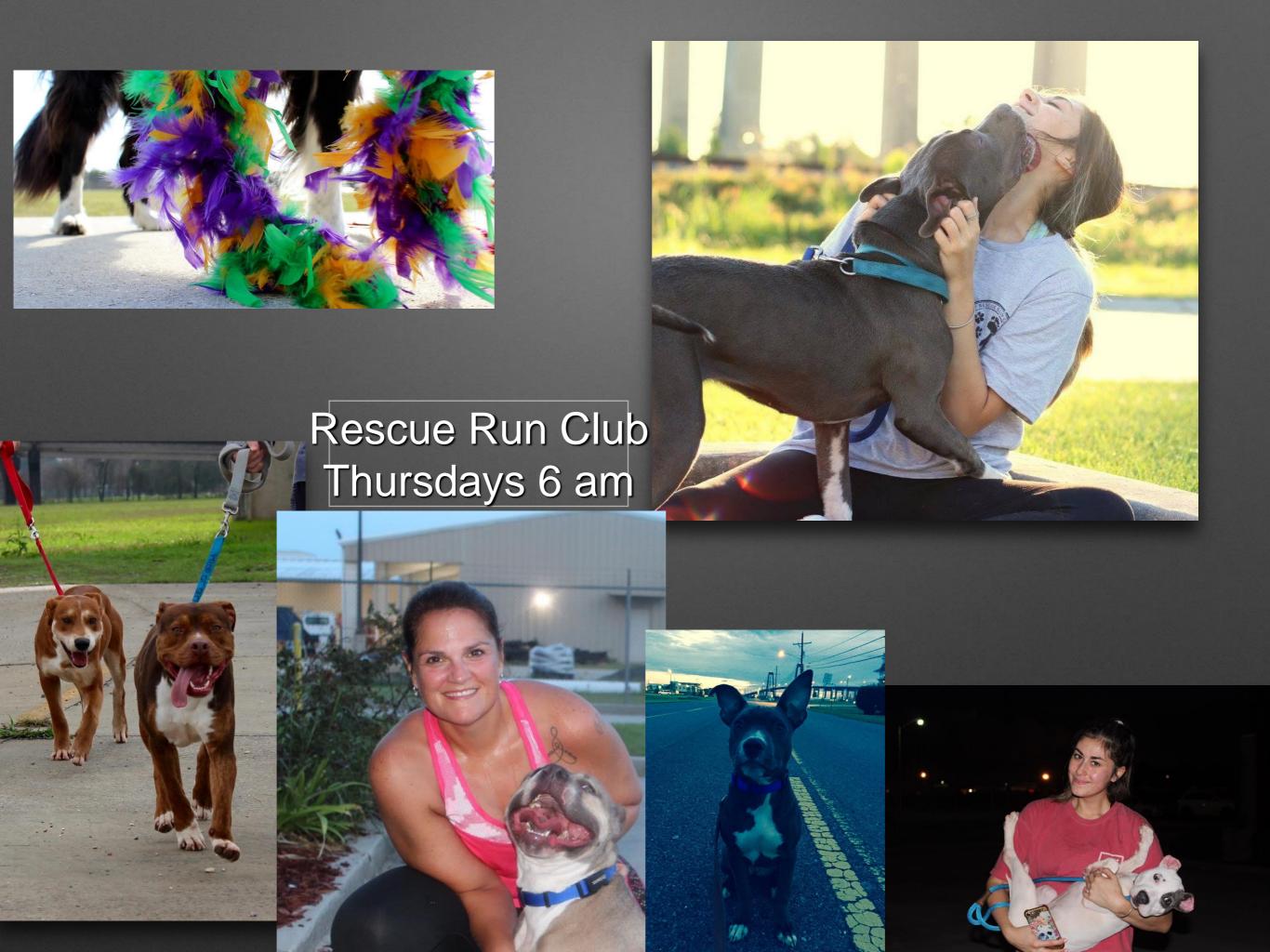


#### Run-4-the-Paws





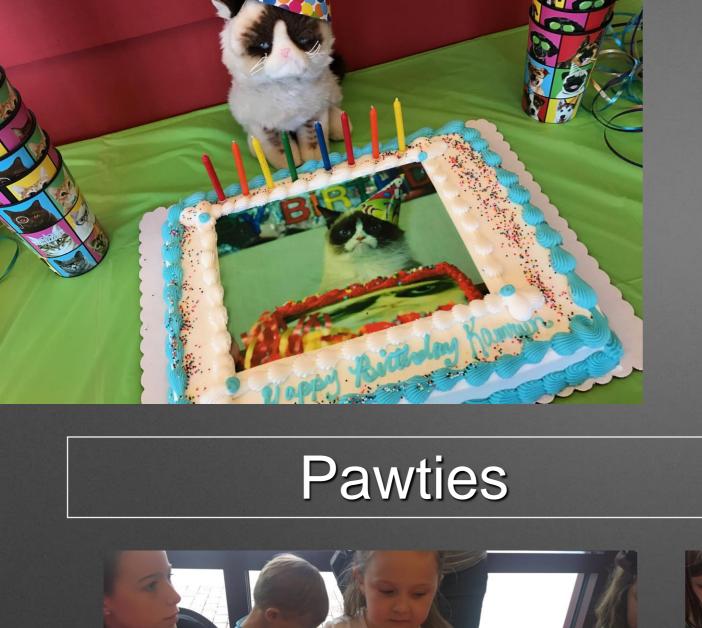


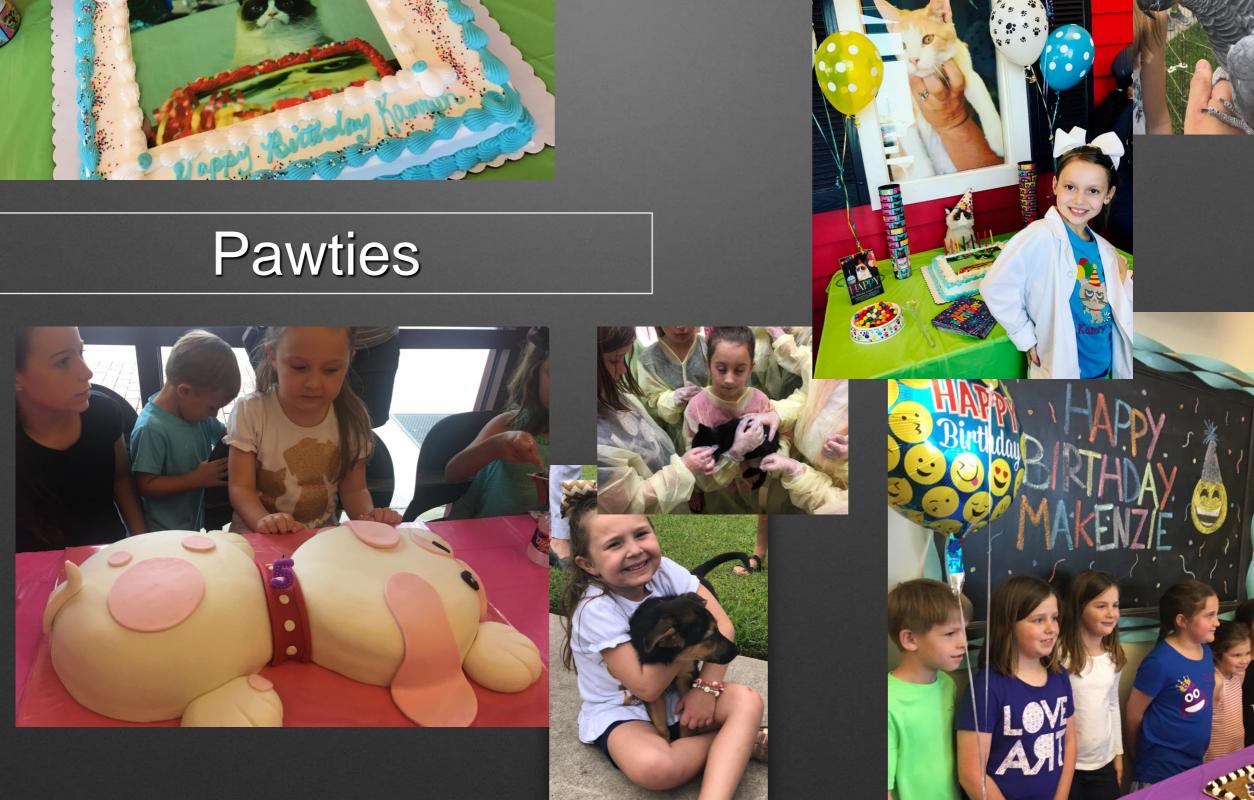


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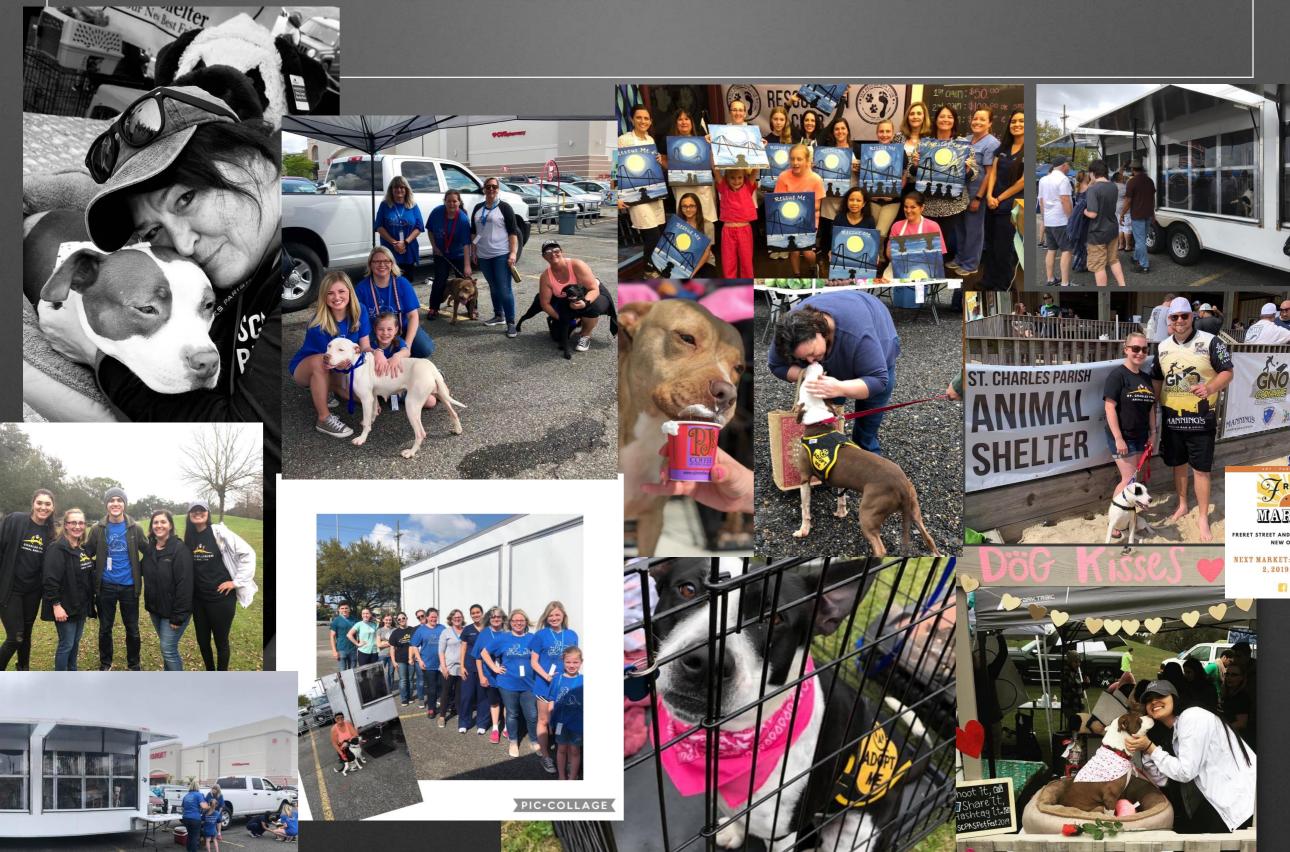
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#### Outside Events



#### Education





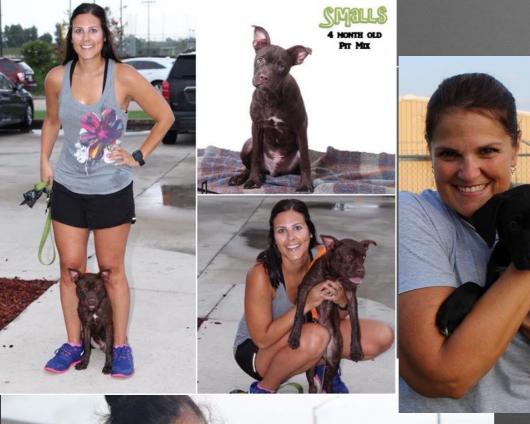
#### Tails Up & Out

Thursdays 10am-11pm



#### Enrich all lives-community

Volunteer training Wednesdays 10am Give-a-Lick quarterly



Behaviorist
Summer workers
Volunteers





## Humane Law Education Disaster Preparedness

- Hosted National Animal Control and Humane Officer module A (hosting module B in 2019)
- Participated in Louisiana State Animal Control Conference
- Staff trained in slack water rescue and animal disaster sheltering by the Louisiana State Animal Response Team



## Transfers to partner humane societies UNITED IS THE ONLY WAY



100 dogs 3 cats 2018







## QUESTIONS?



Catch Us Here!











