



Last Saturday's Parade of Paws at the dog park here in Key West was a wonderful gathering of people and pets on a glorious, sunny day. We crowned this year's King and Queen and their court. Collectively, their owners raised an amazing \$10,000 for the shelter.

This popular event, usually held in December, was postponed because of Hurricane Irma, so photos with Santa became Valentine's Day photo ops. There was popcorn, hot dogs (of course!) vendors selling an array of interesting merchandise, raffles, and information booths, including our good friends from Marathon Veterinary Hospital.

Once again, our volunteers did their usual amazing job under the direction of Tiffany Dunsmore, who is not only our volunteer coordinator but orchestrates special events, too. A busy lady, who always has many balls in the air and juggles them all expertly.

My two golden retrievers, Bentley and Tinker, came along and had a grand time snuffing around for popcorn and other goodies that had been dropped on the grass. People are often surprised to find that my boys came from our shelter - several years apart. In fact, 25 percent of dogs in shelters are purebred. Cats, too. We've had American Curls, Siamese, Burmese, Himalayans, Birmanians and others as our guests.

So, if you have a particular fondness for a particular breed of dog or cat, check with us first. You never know! And we can refer you to breed rescue groups, too. Looking forward to seeing you at our Spring Social on March 23rd. Definitely not to be missed!

Yours in animal welfare,

Jane

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Jane Dawkins, Board President
Florida Keys SPCA



A Handsome Hunk of Love

Scout, is a medium size terrier mix. He is sweet and calm and loves to go on walks. He has been returned twice at no fault of his own, so we are hoping it's simply the "third time the charm."

His big ears and goofy personality will be sure to steal your heart! Get to know Scout, visit and walk with him at our Marathon Campus behind the airport. He will be worth it!

[Find out more](#)

A Special Valentine's Day Gift to Last Forever

Consider a dedication brick as a lasting tribute to your four-legged fur baby this Valentine's Day! You will not only help pave the way to the new shelter, but your brick purchase of \$250 also serves as an important donation to the new building fund, as we approach our opening in May!

[Find out more](#)



Bricks are 4x8, have 3 lines for text with up to 18 characters per line.



Meet "Reef"

Reef is a beautiful long haired calico. She came to us with an eye injury. The wonderful veterinarians in town took her on and removed her eye. She is healthy now and ready for her fur-ever home. She would love a window seat to sun herself. She has really take to a sunny ledge in our outdoor "catio" patio!

Swing by the [Marathon campus](#) to meet this gorgeous kitty. Call 305-743-4800 or see us at 10550 Aviation Blvd. for more information about Reef.

Join us for the 2nd annual



FLORIDA KEYS SPCA
Marathon Campus



PAWS in the PARK

Meet at the park off 7th street in KCB

February 24th

Registration begins at 10:00 AM



Bring your well behaved pet (on a leash) to walk around the

Key Colony Beach Golf Course

Entry is by donation to the shelter

A \$40 Donation gets you a T-Shirt!

Help us raise money to support our adoption, spay / neuter, foster, humane animal control and other programs.



Questions?

(305) 743-4800
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Meet "Luna"

Luna is a 4 ½ year old Pitbull/French Bulldog mix who was surrendered in October 2017 because her owner was moving and could not take her along.

She is silly, excited and ready for adventures. Because she

does get easily overexcited, she would do best in an adult only home without cats.

She loves treats and is very trainable with the right amount of patience and love. She is a ball of energy & once calm, makes a very good couch potato. This sweet girl needs a chance to be in a home whose humans think she's as wonderful as we do! Stop by [Key West Campus](#) to meet Luna today!



walk for a dog™
by WoofTrax



What If Your Daily (or Regular) Walk Helped an Animal at a Shelter? Would You Do it?

Join the new Walk & Win Spring Challenge for a chance at an extra \$1,000 donation to the FKSPCA, and for great motivation to keep your pet and yourself healthy!

IT'S EASY:

1. DOWNLOAD THE FREE "Walk for a Dog" APP

2. DESIGNATE "Florida Keys SPCA Key West Shelter" AS WHO YOU ARE WALKING FOR
3. START WALKING!

<http://www.wooftrax.com/walkandwin>



Meet "Gail"

Gail is a 13 ½ year old Domestic Shorthair senior sweetie looking for a fur-ever home. She was found as a stray in 2016 and nobody came to claim her.

Gail is incredibly cuddly, loves scratches, belly rubs and any kind of attention. As much as she loves people, she does need to be the only cat in the home. She prefers to be the Queen Bee! She's always relaxing on her own in our center cat room on the coziest bed she can find.

Stop by Key West Campus and meet her today!

Find out more

YAPPY HOUR

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23RD

THE GATES HOTEL

5-8PM AT RUM ROW

**KICK OFF THE WEEKEND WITH
SOME ADOPTABLE CRITTERS!**



**ALL PETS & THEIR
HUMANS WELCOME**

**\$1 FROM EACH DRINK
SPECIAL WILL GO TO THE
ANIMALS IN NEED AT THE SPCA**



**ADOPTABLE
MEET N' GREET**

**RAFFLE FOR PRIZES
A CASE OF WINE
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FLORIDA KEYS SPCA

Our FKSPCA campuses are graciously accepting toys and treats for the shelter animals.

Marathon wish list: <http://amzn.to/2iXTzO3>

Key West wish list: <http://amzn.to/2yijJAa>

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FLORIDA KEYS SPCA

Saturday March 3rd

12-4pm

535 Greene Street, Key West

Adoptable Animals!

Cocktails!



DIVERS DIRECT will be raffling off a

Go Pro Hero 5 Session

**All proceeds will directly benefit
the animals!**

For more information contact the FKSPCA at 305-294-4857



**OUR BIG
11TH ANNUAL
PARTY...**

CELEBRATING

**THE UPCOMING
OPENING
OF OUR NEW
FACILITY!**

FLORIDA KEYS SPCA
SPRING SOCIAL
FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 2018

5:30PM: VIP Champagne Reception & Appetizers

6:30PM: Doors open for General Admission

KEY WEST GOLF CLUB CLUBHOUSE

Parking provided at FKCC with HTA trolley service to Golf Club from 5:30pm-9:30pm

MC: RUDE GIRL • MUSIC BY CAPTN JOSH & BASSMAN BILL
AUCTIONEER: DR. CHRIS BENSON • COMPLIMENTARY BEER &
WINE WITH CASH LIQUOR BAR • SILENT AUCTION
LIVE AUCTION & 50/50 RAFFLE!

Complimentary Beer & Wine provided by Florida Keys Brewing Co. and LaTeDa
Dinner provided by Outback, Ocean Grill, New York Pasta Garden & Camille's

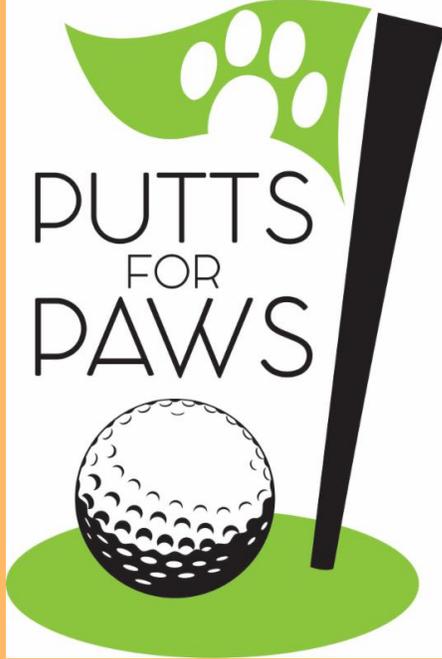
DONATION \$55 General Admission • \$125 VIP Preferred Dinner Seating,
\$800 VIP Preferred Dinner Seating for 8 • General Admission available at
the Shelter, the door and KeysTix.com • VIP Tickets available at KeysTix.com
Please leave your pets at home.

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**Mark Your Calendars: April
7, 2018**

Have fun while helping support your local Florida Keys SPCA animal shelter!

Tournament is to be held at Boondocks Grille & Draft House, MM 27, Ramrod Key. Cash, prizes and trophies will be awarded. Teams of 2 can enter.



Contact the Marathon Campus of FKSPCA to register, 305-743-4800.

**MORE FKSPCA ANIMALS
AVAILABLE FOR ADOPTION**

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