



Peggy and Alan Bialosky (PAWS 4 a cause)



Jeanie Antonacci, Jeanne Bones and Anita Silverman (Happy Tails)



Marcia and Sara Maness (Happy Tails)



Dr. Lisa Hart and Sheila Heyman (PAWS 4 a cause)



Amy Beichler and Sue Boyle (PAWS 4 a cause)



Dina Frymier, Christine James and Mary Aho (Happy Tails)



Doreen Lazarus and Dr. Lisa Hart (Happy Tails)

Happy Tails Cat Sanctuary "Breakfast Benefit"

There's no one quite like Jeanne Bones, who for the past 25 years has operated Happy Tails Cat Sanctuary in Chester. She's developed many feline friends along the way, along with a host of volunteers who care about her and her mission.

A breakfast benefit for Happy Tails was held at Max Doogan's featuring a buffet of Belgian waffles, French toast, bacon, sausage, eggs, home fries and much more. Doreen Lazarus brought Geauga County real maple syrup.

More than 70 people attended the animal-lovers gathering and helped raise more than \$4,000 to keep the mission going. Guests also donated cat food, kitty litter, paper towels and trash bags and participated in the Chinese auction that featured pet photography and art, gift baskets and kitty turtle necks, among other cute items, as well as a raffle.

It was a great show of support for Ms. Bones, who currently has about 70 cats at her Cat Sanctuary and knows all their names. Just like one potato chip, you can't have just one, pointed out Michelle Brady, who emceed the program.

Since 1982, cats of all ages with varying degrees of needs have found refuge at Happy Tails. The sanctuary has found adoptive homes for numerous cats and others will spend the rest of their lives at Happy Tails because they are not traditionally "adoptable" due to their age or disabilities. All of them receive shots and are spayed or neutered.

Mrs. Lazarus, of H & L Communications in Chester which helped sponsor the event, was recognized for her efforts to help. Veterinarian Lisa Hart, who has been called with "outrageous demands" for help from the sanctuary, was also honored as a major benefactor of Happy Tails.

The sanctuary is pushing a new creative program called "Pay for a Spay" which costs the donor \$45. The donor will receive a photo of the kitty it has paid

Public Animal Welfare Society "PAWS 4 a Cause"

Find your friend forever was the mission at Public Animal Welfare Society's third annual "PAWS 4 a Cause" held at Cleveland Metroparks Polo Field in Moreland Hills.

The special day was patterned after the popular "meet your best friend at the zoo." From basset hounds and greyhounds to fabulous felines, there was a friend to be found for everyone. Animals from PAWS and other local animal rescue groups were available for adoption. The day also featured a two-mile walk around the park for guests and their best friends.

The event was full of incredible animal-related demonstrations such as Rockwood's Flying Giblets, Heel 'N Time Drill Team, Fur in a Blur Flyball Club, Rockwood's Utility Obedience Dogs and Janice

She is a therapy dog and knows about 70 different commands, and she loves praise more than treats!

There were also pet-related vendors, homemade baked goods and a Chinese auction for great prizes. Guests also enjoyed the raffle for \$500 cash and an "extravagant dining experience" package valued at more than \$650. Kids had fun, too, at the "Kids Corner" which featured games, prizes and face painting.

PAWS has been helping stray and abused animals for more than 20 years. It promotes spay and neuter programs through referrals and humane education, places as many homeless animals as possible in foster care until an adoptive home is found, and provides lost and found assistance. The organization also offers