

WHAT IS H.A.L.O.?

Homeless Animals' Lifeline Organization (H.A.L.O.), founded in 2001, is a non-profit 501(c)(3) animal rescue organization. We have no paid staff or facilities. All dogs and cats are lovingly cared for in our fosters' homes.

As in many areas of the United States, local shelters are overwhelmed with adoptable dogs and cats and often have to euthanize these animals. Rescue organizations like H.A.L.O. help curb this issue. H.A.L.O. leads the way as one of the oldest and the most successful cat and dog rescue on the eastern side of Contra Costa County and to date has placed over 10,000 dogs and cats into loving homes.



OUR VISION

- Our shelters will no longer find it necessary to euthanize healthy, tame, adoptable dogs and cats.
- A loving home will be available for every companion animal.
- Pet abandonment and "dumping" will cease.
- All pet owners will have their dogs and cats spayed/neutered.
- The number of feral cats will reduce significantly. All those that are present will be spayed/neutered and will receive care for the remainder of their lives.
- Every child will be taught that animals have value and that they are feeling, living beings who enhance our existence on this earth.

OUR MISSION

We work to improve the lives of companion animals in East Contra Costa County through educational workshops, adoption events, and collaboration with other community groups.

RESOURCES

EMERGENCY **V**ETERINARY **C**ARE

East Bay Veterinary Emergency 1312 Sunset Drive • Antioch 925-754-5001 Monday - Friday 6:00p.m. - 8:00 a.m. Saturday, Sunday and Holidays 24 hours

CONTRA COSTA VETERINARY EMERGENCY HOSPITAL

1410 Monument Blvd, Ste 108 • Concord 925-798-4982 Open 24hrs per day year round

ANTIOCH ANIMAL SERVICES 300 L Street. Antioch 925-779-6989 Hours: call for operating hours www.ci.antioch.ca.us/CitySvcs/AntiochAnimalSvcs/

CONTRA COSTA ANIMAL SERVICES

Martinez Shelter 925-335-8300

Pinole Shelter 4800 Imhoff Place, Martinez 651 Pinole Shores Drive, Pinole 510-374-3966

> Hours: call for operating hours http://www.co.contra-costa.ca.us/depart/animal/

FURRY FRIENDS PET RELIEF PROGRAM

516 W Second Street #A Antioch, CA 94509 925-240-3178 http://furryfriendsfoodre.wixsite.com/fffr

LOST OR FOUND A PET?

Be sure to place an ad in the newspaper (no charge to place a FOUND ad in the Contra Costa Times). Visit all the animal shelters regularly and ask to look at the new arrivals. Be sure to fill out a lost or found report at the shelters as well. You can also post lost and found animals on Fido Alert and Nextdoor. You can find Fido Alert on Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/FidoAlertECCC/

H.A.L.O.

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East Contra Costa County Homeless Animals' Lifeline Organization









HOW YOU CAN HELP

Volunteering is a fun way to meet new people and form new friendships. It's also a great way to help your community.

Volunteers are the heart and soul of H.A.L.O. They provide necessary services that enable the organization to fulfill its mission. Imagine a world where every dog and cat has a warm bed to curl up on. Imagine a place where our furry friends have not a care in the world; their biggest concern being whether they can get everyone in the room to scratch behind their ear. This is the world our volunteers strive to create for thousands of abandoned and abused animals.

Here are some ways you can help:

 Monetary Donations: Monetary donations are always appreciated and needed. Because of your donations we are able to give the necessary medical care to every animal that is saved by our organization.

If you would like to make a monetary donation to HALO you can send checks to HALO - PO BOX 2011, Antioch CA 94531



or to donate on line please go to the Donate page on our website and click on the JustGive.org Link

- Fostering: Fostering an animal in your home. Allow HALO to cover all the expenses of medical care, food and supplies. You just give the animal a happy, safe home to temporarily be pampered in.
- Volunteering: H.A.L.O. is an all volunteer run organization. There are so many ways to volunteer your time from helping at our adoption locations, assisting at our fundraising events, administration duties and so much more. If you are interested in volunteering please fill out our volunteer application on our website and we will contact you with available opportunities.
- Amazon Smile: Sign up for Amazon Smile for free and choose "Homeless Animals Lifeline Organization (HALO)" as your charity and Amazon will donate a portion of any of your qualified purchases to our organization! No extra charge! You can find a link on our webiste.
- Donate your car, truck, RV or boat: The proceeds from the sale of your donated vehicle are very helpful to H.A.L.O.! Car Donation Services, Inc. is a local, registered commercial fundraiser that takes good care of our vehicle donors and us. To donate, please call 1-888-686-4483 and tell them you want to donate your vehicle to H.A.L.O., or complete the online donation form at www.cardonationservices.com.

For more information on ways you can help, or to check out our "Wish List" please go to our website at www.eccchalo.org and click on the "Donate" button or "How You Can Help" page.

ADOPTING A PET

You can view a listing of our available pets on our website at www.eccchalo.org or come to one of our adoption events held at the locations listed below.

***:** pet food express

Saturdays and Sundays 12-3 pm (cats) Second Sunday of the Month (dogs) Slatten Ranch Plaza, Antioch, CA



Saturdays 12-3 pm 4th Sunday of the month 12-3 pm 5481 Lone Tree Way, Brentwood *dogs only*

Dates may vary each month or additional special adoption events may be held. Please check out our website or facebook page for more information or contact us at contacthalo@yahoo.com



H.A.L.O. needs foster homes for our dogs and cats. You provide the love and care, we provide everything else. For more information please contact us at contacthalo@yahoo.com or Voice mail: 925-473-4642



Please like us on Facebook and get information on pets available for adoptions, upcoming events and fundraisers, Happy Tails from adopters, cute animal videos and more! www.facebook.com/ECCCHALO/

FUNDRAISING IN THE COMMUNITY

Fundraisers are a key part of HALO. With your support, our fundraisers continue to help HALO's animal community. They are also an opportunity to get animals and like minded people together to have a bit of fun while raising funds for the care of our animals.





Throughout the year we participate on various community events as well as host our own



events such as our Charity Golf Tournament and Public Dinner with Raffle and Silent Auction, Paint Nites, and Pet Photos with Santa. Please check out our website and facebook page for information on upcoming events.



"Pets are not our whole life, but they make our lives whole."

H.A.L.O'S ANGEL EARS PROGRAM

Angel Ears is a Therapy Dog/ Reading Assistance program that was founded by four H.A.L.O. volunteers. The Angel Ears teams, made up of dogs and their handlers, are certified Therapy Dogs and R.E.A.D. trained. The teams attend area libraries to help instill enthusiasm about reading in young people. They



also visit local extended care & transitional living facilities to help lift the spirits of the residents there. To view the Angel Ears schedule or for more information about the Angel Ears program, please visit H.A.L.O. website at www.eccchalo.org

