



# Shelter Care Q2 Impact Report

**\$64**

The average cost of vet care per animal per day

**\$59**

The average cost of shelter care per animal per day

## Helping Toby Get Back on His Feet

One day Toby's curiosity got the better of him when he found himself on the ledge of a balcony. He slipped and fell 10 storeys. When he hit the ground, his back leg shattered in several places, leaving an open wound.

Toby received emergency medical care. Since he arrived in our care in April, Toby has been undergoing rehab to help him build up his strength and work on his flexibility, while also receiving ongoing support while in a foster home.

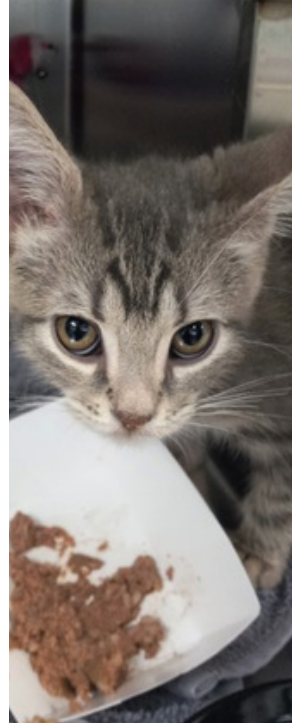


## Safely Dealing with Parvovirus

A colony caretaker brought in 14 stray cats during the month of June. They were cute and fluffy – but some tested positive for Parvovirus, including Porridge pictured here. Parvovirus is a highly contagious virus that can be fatal if it is not treated. Parvovirus can also contaminate everything in the environment and transmit it.

The kittens were isolated and biosecurity measures were put into effect. They received around the clock care with IV fluids, IV antibiotics, and close monitoring.

After completing their treatment and receiving their spay and neuter surgeries and up-to-date vaccines, all the kittens were adopted into their forever homes.



**95**

Animals, on average, are onsite everyday



**450**

Animals were adopted in April, May, and June



## Supporting Scarlett and Her Pups

Scarlett, a 3-year-old Husky, and her 6 puppies were transferred into our care from a remote community.

Before Scarlett's arrival we were informed that she may have a neurological issue. She could walk and trot in a straight line, but when she would turn her hind legs would give out and she would fall. She was also always bumping into things.

But Scarlett has significantly improved since being in our care. Her neurologic symptoms of incoordination, weakness, and vision impairment are most likely due to a nutritional deficiency. Pregnant and lactating dogs can be more prone to nutritional deficiencies when not eating a balanced diet because of the nutritional demands of supporting nursing pups. She was put on a balanced diet and she significantly improved.

Scarlett and her puppies received their vaccines, spay and neuter surgeries, and moved in with their families.



## Goose's Happy Tail

"We adopted Goose (formerly Girly-Girl) at the end of April 2022.

We fell in love with Goose the moment we saw her. Although Goose was hiding in her enclosure when the staff member went in to see her, Goose immediately came out when we went in and even jumped to a higher ledge to say hi. She gave us each a headbutt and asked for pets.

We were told Goose was a TLC cat as she had anxiety, so we were expecting Goose to hide under the bed for at least a week. To our surprise, as soon as we opened her carrier, she immediately explored her sanctuary room and spent her first night with us sleeping on the bed.

We can't imagine life without our sweet Goose, and we're so happy she chose us to be her forever home."

