

The Purrfect Pals

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2023 Event Calendar

March 18: Spring Open House & Kitten Shower

(see back for details!)

May 2-3: Give Big WA Giving Campaign

June 14-30: Summer Supply Drive

September 11: Founder Kathy Centala's Birthday

October 14th: Black Cat Ball (more details below!)

November 28: Giving Tuesday

December 9: Holiday Open House & Giving Tree

December 15-31: Holiday Supply Drive



Two-year-old Dutch "high-fives" Cat Care Manager Natasha Fletcher for treats!

Can You Train a Cat?! Absolutely, Pawsitively!

By Crystal Chiechi, Outreach Manager

One of the most pervasive myths about cats is that, unlike dogs, they are untrainable. At Purrfect Pals, we know for a fact that is simply not true.

In 2018, Purrfect Pals was chosen to participate in Cat Pawsitive Pro (CPP), an initiative of the Jackson Galaxy Project. The main goal of the program is to help improve the adoptability of cats in shelters by reducing stress through rewards-based, positive reinforcement clicker training.

With this program, trainers can build confidence in shy cats, improve the

behavior of feisty cats and teach out-going cats more ways to get the adoration they are seeking.

Teaching shelter cats skills – like sit, come, nose bump, ring a bell, and go through a tunnel – stimulates their minds, gives them exercise and helps them connect with staff, volunteers and, most importantly, potential adopters!

Shannon McGatlin-Maas, one of our Renton PetSmart volunteers, has experience clicker training her late cat named Catman. "Catman was

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Please Join Us for the 25th Annual Black Cat Ball:

October 14th, 2023

5:00pm - 9:00pm

**Lynnwood Convention Center
3711 196th Street SW
Lynnwood, WA 98036**

Save the date!
Tickets will be available later!
bcb@purrfectpals.org

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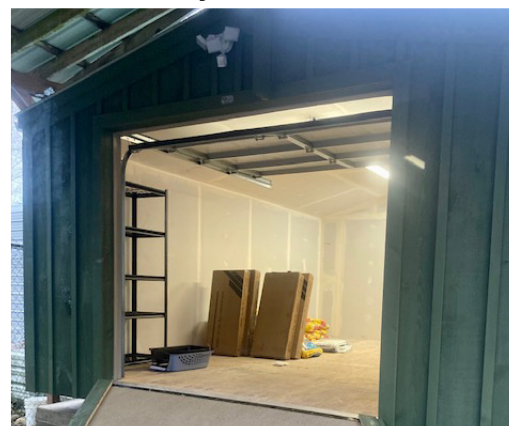
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From the Desk of Executive Director Kathleen Olson:

Thank you to everyone who donated to our campaigns for shelter improvements last year!

With your kind support, we removed our old supply shed that was unsafe and, frankly, too small for our growing needs. The replacement is a beautiful new 14 x 20 foot wood shed, complete with a concrete pad to keep critters from sneaking in.



Our newly completed supply shed.

We also built a 24 x 60 metal utility storage garage with leveled-out gravel and a drainage system that is completely weather-proof to safely store our cat carriers out of the elements.

Additionally, we replaced several outdated computers that were no longer compatible for software updates and a sorely needed touchscreen laptop for our volunteer sign-in station in the C building lobby.

Another recently completed project was renovations in the Pending Procedures Room in C Building. This room was outfitted with new wall panels, brand-new trim and a fresh coat of paint. Our Pending Procedures Room sees a higher volume of cats in and out than our other rooms, so these updates were critical as we head into the New Year with a fresh outlook and more kitties to save!

Every dollar given to Purrfect Pals helps us maintain our facilities and the highest standards of care possible for the precious cats under our care. We are grateful for your continued support toward this goal!

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my dearest buddy,” Shannon says. “We did everything together and developed a close bond over the years.”

Shannon taught Catman to get up on her shoulder, go through a hula hoop, spin, sit, beg, lie down and high five. Sadly, Catman passed away from bladder cancer in August 2022 and Shannon misses him terribly.

Volunteering helps Shannon cope with her loss, as she pays forward the training skills she developed with Catman as her loving pupil to enrich the lives of kitties awaiting adoption.

“I am so happy to be a part of Purrfect Pals where I get to fulfill my cat needs and to provide enriching content for the shelter cats,” Shannon exclaims.

The “pawsibilities” really are endless once the cat gets the hang of their training. One recent example of a Purrfect Pals cat who is benefitting from the CPP program is Dutch; a

handsome two-year-old black and white boy who was having trouble adjusting to shelter life.

During the first few months he was with us, Dutch bit a few staff members and volunteers. We think he was lashing out not out of aggression, but because he desired more interaction and the only way he knew how to communicate this was by biting.

Once he moved into a more controlled environment in a pod room, Dutch’s clicker training began. Dutch quickly mastered commands like go into a carrier and sit on a scale, behaviors that help our staff safely interact with him every day while cleaning his space and monitoring his health.

“The clicker training has ensured that the Cat Care Team and Dutch have positive interactions. The protocols we use to keep our staff safe is seen by Dutch as play,” Cat Care Manager Natasha Fletcher states, “and staff can

be confident that Dutch will respond to the commands on cue.”

Dutch is in good company among the MANY shelter kitties who have found success through Cat Pawsitive Pro. These are all the Purrfect Pals cats enrolled in the CPP Program who have gone on to find forever homes:

**ADOPTED
CPP CATS**

1. Miss Lucy	19. Abigail Adams
2. Thunder	20. Khiana
3. Captain Kitty	21. Hermie
4. Licorice	22. Pineapple
5. Sasha	23. Gepetto
6. Stormy	24. Peach
7. Janis Vaughan	25. Perch
8. Einstein	26. Dmitri
9. Lady Bug	27. Daniel
10. Topaz	28. Alfie
11. Mr. Kitty	29. Professor
12. Sophie	30. Paws Drake
13. Shaleah	31. Chloe
14. Olive	32. Zach
15. Baby Bella	33. Cricket
16. Vader	34. Gus
17. Zed Mr. Gray	35. George Yoda
18. Vincent	35. Taz



Renton PetSmart Volunteer Shannon McGatlin-Maas taught her late cat Catman (pictured below) many tricks using clicker training.



For more information on Cat Pawsitive Pro, please check out the Jackson Galaxy Project’s website: <https://greatergood.org/jackson-galaxy>

Meet the Purrfect Pals Clinic Team!



Clinic Team (left to right): Aurora McCarter, Sierra Wharen, Dr. Lisa Thompson, MJ Zelinka, and Marcella Ruiz

We asked and they answered!

Learn more about the pawsome ladies from the Purrfect Pals Clinic Team who work behind-the-scenes to ensure all of our kitties are healthy and happy:

- Aurora McCarter, Vet Assistant
- Sierra Wharen, Clinic Manager
 - Dr. Lisa Thompson, DVM
- MJ Zelinka, Licensed Veterinary Technician
 - Marcella Ruiz, Vet Assistant

What kinds of pets do you have at home?

Aurora: 2 cats - a chaotic orange tabby named Oliver and a lovebug brown tabby named Gizmo. Oliver teaches Gizmo how to be naughty and Gizmo teaches Oliver how to be affectionate.

Sierra: 2 dogs - a German Shepherd mix named Pepper and Ada, a Shiba Inu.

Dr. T.: 1 dog - Jack a pittie mix; 3 cats -

Bean and Radar, senior house panthers, and Lewis, a young tabby;
4 rats - Piffle, Dagnabbit, Fiddlesticks and Dadgummit; and a 400 gal freshwater aquarium.

MJ: 1 Cat - Theodore "Teddy"; 2 Dogs - Tootsie Pop & Tinkerbelle.

Marcella: I own a zoo! 4 cats - Isis, Horus, Set and Bean; 1 dog - Scout, a great pyrenees puppy; 3 rats - Puzzle, Sprout & Nimbus; 2 guinea pigs - Crème Puff & Cheese Puff; 2 rabbits - Biscuit & Cupcake; 4 leopard geckos - Maple, Dot, Almond & Spud; 3 ball pythons - Java, Freckles & Pie; 2 snakes - Mantis, a green tree python, and Mocha, a boa constrictor.

What is your favorite thing about working in the clinic?

Aurora: My favorite thing about working in the clinic is how rewarding and fulfilled I am at the end of each day.

Everything we do, we do for the cats to make sure they're living their best life.

Sierra: I love the medical side of working with animals. It is very rewarding when we are able to treat and help the incoming cats get healthy. Then to see them find their forever homes with a family who loves and adores them is the best part.

Dr. T.: Working closely with a small team.

MJ: The variety of cats and monitoring their health and wellness.

Marcella: Knowing that everything I do translates to cats being healthy. Medicating is a big part, but even cleaning isn't bad because it means everyone has a clean environment to live in.

What advice would you give someone looking to work at a vet clinic?

Aurora: Vet medicine can be very rewarding, but you have to be prepared for the hardships that come with working with animals.

Sierra: If you want to work at a vet clinic, I would recommend volunteering or job shadowing first. Working at a vet clinic is a very rewarding job, but it can also be very physically and mentally taxing. There is such a high rate of job turnover in the veterinary field. I would say make sure you are truly passionate about helping animals before joining a vet team.

Dr. T.: It's a lot more poop and stinky things than it is playing with kittens. :)

MJ: It's not all about snuggling cats/dogs all day. It's hard, yet rewarding work.

Marcella: Be ready to get hurt. You might love cats, but they won't love you when you shove your fingers in their

mouths or poke at them.

What surprising thing about cats have you learned while working at Purrfect Pals?

Aurora: How well cats hide illnesses and how crucial it is to stay up-to-date on annual vet exams and taking your cat in when you notice changes to their behavior.

Sierra: Leukemia positive cats can live long and happy lives. There are still a lot of places that euthanize and it is amazing that Purrfect Pals has a safe space for these special kitties.

Dr. T.: That I've only adopted 1 of them so far?

MJ: That nothing can surprise me anymore, LOL!

Marcella: This might sound obvious and juvenile, but the different textures of fur cats can have. All short hairs feel slightly different from each other. Long hairs can have very different feels to their fur.

What do you do in your downtime?

Aurora: Besides spending time with my pets? Hiking and paddle boarding during our warm months and playing games on my PC during the cold months.

Sierra: I like to read and relax at home. I also love to go camping and hiking with my dogs in the summer.

Dr. T.: Play Xbox.

MJ: Binge watch TV with my hubby and pets.

Marcella: I do art and play video games. (And take care of my zoo.)

In Honor and In Memory

In Honor of Bishy.

In Honor of Grandma & Grandpa Monego.

In Honor of Dustin Miller.

In Honor of Kay Joubert.

In Honor of Tracy Van Woert.

In Honor of Tim, Laura, & Sophie Onders.

In Memory of Gabriel.

In Honor of Tim Onders & Laura Wilbur.

In Honor of Susan Schrier.

In Honor of David & Joani Shannon.

In Honor of Shadow.

In Memory of Eline Kennedy.

In Memory of Grey.

In Honor of Debra Plotkin.

In Memory of Jay Florey, for all the cats we have loved.

In Memory of beloved, beautiful Muffins.

In Memory of Cleo.

In Honor of Lynette, Baxter, & Wentworth.

In Honor of Teri Balderson & Krieger Cat.

In Honor of Kristina & Emelia Grace.

In Honor of FIV+ kitties Peach Cobbler & KC.

In Honor of Michelle Sherwin.

In Honor of Dona & Walt Bubelis.

In Honor of Sydney.

In Honor of Mary Ellen Remerind.

In Honor of Gail & Chris Rautmann.

In Memory of Luna Cat.

In Memory of Julian Cat.

In Honor of Kitty Kitty.

In Memory of all my cats; Puss, Butters, Jacque, Turtle, Cookie, Snookie, & Bert. I miss them.

In Memory of Bailey who I miss every day.

In Honor of 19 year-old Squeek.

In Honor of Harley.

In Honor of Tifa.

In Memory of Skippy & Joey.

In Memory of Dexter.

In Memory of Panda Lind.

In Memory of Stuart our outstanding cat.

In Memory of John & Rosemary Riddington.

In Memory of Bella & Stewey.

In Memory of Chloe.

In Memory of Ike & Gina.

In Honor of Casey & Simon our Purrfect pals.

In Honor of Snowie.

In Honor of all the kitties from the Gargoyles.

In Memory of Bonnie & Bobby, loving cats adopted from Purrfect Pals.

In Memory of Mrs. Candy Dickard.

In Memory of Emmett.

In Honor of Tansy Grace.

In Memory of my mother and all the cats she loved.

In Memory of Dorothy, friend to all animals.

In Memory of Dunnia Minnium.

In Memory of Vic Stonehouse. She was a well-loved cat.

In Honor of Spooky.

In Memory of Tuffy Diaz.

In Memory of Sweet Pepper Girl.

In Honor of Jacob's Engineering.

In Memory of Toby Jo from his sister Buttons.

In Honor of Foster Dad John.

In Honor of Dave & Peg Tovrea.

In Memory of Panda Lind. He was a wonderful cat, always, the gentleman. We are grateful to Purrfect Pals and past board member and volunteer, Mary Cathey, for fourteen years with him.

In Memory of Emma.

In Memory of Louis the best cat ever.

In Memory of Isabelle Boots.

In Memory of Grandma Moshu, who was such a lovely cat, and will be missed. We know that she is looking down on us... with full judgement.

In Honor of Ginger.

In Honor of the Huntley family.

In Honor and In Memory

In Memory of Nancy Wolf.

In Memory of Cody, our special cat who crossed the Rainbow Bridge on Oct 1st. He is loved so much and is greatly missed. Thank you Cody for being part of our lives for over thirteen years. P, S, M & E.

In Memory of Freddie.

In Honor of Emma.

In Honor of Rosebud & Jules.

In Memory of Shelby Weaver.

In Memory of Larry Bailey.

In Memory of M&M.

In Memory of Carmel.

In Memory of Starla.

In Honor of Mitzy Marbles.

In Honor of Dree Ritter.

In Memory of Perry, Smokey, Max, Hamilton & Chester.

In Memory of Murka Trixter.

In Honor of Oliver's adopter.

In Memory of Annie & Maggie who brought so much joy to our lives. We miss them very much.

In Memory of Peewee & Missee.

In Honor of Gremlin & Bogey.

In Honor of Kevin & Karl Ritter-Smith.

In Honor of Jameson Ritter.

In Honor of Ninja (formerly Lisette).

In Memory of Kinglsey McDermott.

In Memory of Wilbur.

In Honor of Wendy Alex.

In Memory of Kitty.

In Memory of Holly aka Mama Llama.

In Memory of Buggy.

In Honor of Joi & Erg.

In Memory of Artemis & Orion.

In Memory of Freddie, Sweet Pea & Tina Turner.

In Memory of Selmer, Sonora, Fresno & Mena.

In Honor of Holly.

In Memory of Fwooper, the tabby polydactyl from the Critter Room.

In Memory of Liam, a fine handsome boy who was always giving love.

In Honor of my Siamese mix cat who turned seventeen years old in May. Zoe is very special to me.

In Memory of Shelby, our daughter and grandson's kitty. A gentle little calico who left us to soon.

In Memory of Mary Ann Colburn.

In Memory of my precious friend, Joy Gulman-Huri.

In Memory of Miles, the most amazing cat.

In Memory of Valerie Snapps.

In Memory of Mary Christensen.

In Honor of Nancy McInnis.

In Memory of Tripod.

In Memory of McAlex, who was adopted from Purrfect Pals around eleven years ago. He was an excellent cat.

In Memory of Loki.

In Memory of Marjorie Waldheim.

In Memory of my darling cat, Midnight Blue.

In Memory of Harriet.

In Memory of Bailey.

In Memory of my daughter, Jeanne Robinson, who supported Purrfect Pals & adopted kitties.

Precious 18-year-old Murka Trixter went over the rainbow bridge in November.



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In Honor and In Memory

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In Honor of Marianne Gregersen's 84th Birthday.

In Honor of Ben Zarlino.

In Memory of our cat Georgie, who we adopted from Purrfect Pals about fifteen years ago. She turned out to be the absolute sweetest cat we've ever known and brought us joy ever day of her life.

In Honor of Wednesday.

In Honor of the six cats Purrfect Pals took from CRAFT & Ginger.

In Memory of Jane Ferguson.

In Honor of Delia, Gryff, & Ray (formerly Buff & Shy).

In Honor of Gail Daschel's Birthday.

In Memory of sweet Josie.

In Memory of Asia Repas.

In Honor of Dirty Frank.

In Honor of Tom Carter.

In Memory of Tika.

In Memory of Peaches.

In Honor of Fernando & Winston.

In Memory of Ginger Belle Matson.

In Memory of Karla Nail.

In Memory of Mittens.

In Memory of Bootz, she brightened our lives.

In Honor of Allison Quinn.

In Memory of Jim Garrett.

In Memory of Monte.

In Memory of Montgomery Joseph



Handsome FIV+ Fernando went to his forever home in January!

Monte Mojo Sunshine Kitty.

In Memory of our good neighbor and friend, Willie Jinka.

In Memory of John & Rosemary Riddington.

In Memory of Stuart.

In Memory of Ike & Gina.

In Memory of Chloe.

In Honor of Snowie.

In Memory of Emmett.

In Honor of Tansy Grace.

In Honor of Dunia Minnium.

In Memory of Dorothy Tuma.

In Memory of my sweet FIV+ rescue Tuffy Diaz. May his memory live on.

In Memory of all lost cat lovers.

In Honor of Leo Oscar.

In Honor of Marco "SLTS" Rochler Day.

In Memory of Coco, the sweetest girl around. She was a wonderful companion and will be missed and loved, always.

In Honor of Katy Bigelow. Thank you for the catnip, for your work to help the kitties, and for your help with our trees these last several years.

In Honor of Sweetpea Rockabilly's Birthday.

In Memory of London.

In Honor of Leigh G.

In Honor of Gary Grantq.

In Honor of Tom Wells.

In Memory of Heather DeHart.

In Honor of Carla.

In Honor of Colleen Chambers.

In Memory of Charles Symens.

In Honor of Gary.

In Memory of my cat Rafa.

In Memory of Brenda Marie.

In Honor of Wendy.

In Memory of Opie & Footie.

In Honor of Massa & his human family the Weldons.

In Honor and In Memory

In Honor of Doreen McConnachie.

In Memory of Wanda Fletcher.

In Memory of Mama Midnight.

In Honor of Kristina Chilcote's
Birthday.

In Memory of Connie Keith-Kerns &
Craig Kerns.

In Memory of Sandy Gibson.

In Memory of Jefferson, he will be
missed.

In Honor of Marilyn & Joe.

In Memory of Bisou who was such a
special cat and companion.

In Honor of Meghan Elkey. Thank
you for giving Buster & Lucy the best
home ever and for building them a
special catio.

In Honor of Heidi Furseth. Your
kindness and compassion for our
feline companions is admirable.

In Memory of James (Jim) Tedford. An
incredibly kind, mild mannered man
and I greatly appreciated his calmness
and kindness.

In Memory of Sid. We feel so lucky to
have known him, he was an amazing
cat and companion.

In Memory of Sir Gerrit. He was a very
special kitty from the time he was a
little fellow. An excellent foster failure.

In Memory of Aaron Sittauer. Aaron
was very special to us all.

In Memory of James (Jim) Tedford. I
am heartbroken by Jim's loss. He did
so much good in the world.

In Memory of James Tedford. He was
a wonderful man. I will especially

remember him by his humor and by
the respect he gave those around
him.

In Honor of Misty.

In Memory of Hobbsie.

In Memory of Robert & Elaine
Pintado.

In Honor of Vickie Kurtz.

In Memory of Panda.

In Memory of John Wall.

In Memory of Sunny & Sebastian.

In Memory of Worp, Tawney, Becca &
Kassy.

In Honor of Susan Bark, Janet Bircher
& the Monroe Prison.

In Memory of Potato.

In Honor of my Millie Girl.

In Memory of Mike Doran.

In Memory of Tommy.

In Memory of Judith M. Brendemihl.

In Honor of Oliver.

In Honor of Vivian Lieb.

In Honor of Marla Peele's Birthday.

In Honor of the Sherrys.

In Memory of Tifa.

In Memory of Skipper & Joey.

In Memory of Dexter.

In Memory of Julian.

In Memory of Luna Cat.

In Honor of Dona & Walt Bubelis.

In Honor of Michelle Sherwin.

In Memory of Sydney.

In Honor of Jay Florey.

In Honor of Lynette, Baxter, &
Wentworth.

In Honor of Kristina Chilcote.

In Honor of Max & Payton Walmsley.

In Honor of Tim & Holly R.

In Honor of David & Joani Shannon.

In Memory of Barbara my very dear
friend who introduced us to the
Critter Room.

In Honor of Maron Resur & Bob
Branigin.

In Honor of Ari Choquette & Christian
Roy.

In Honor of Peggy Lynn.

In Honor of Clarissa Cole's Birthday.

In Honor of Cianna Monego.

In Honor of the best animal person I
know, Kay Joubert.

In Honor of Dustie Miller.

*Sweet Winston from our Feline Leukemia
Room was adopted in January!*



Purrfect Endings



ability to figure out! He is also such an athletic boy! During play-time each evening, he does big back flips in the air chasing the feather wand. He doesn't even seem to care about catching the feather wand - he just uses it as an excuse to do his acrobatics!

We take him to the vet regularly, and two years ago we took him to a specialist for his nasal problems and then we got air purifiers throughout the house to help clean the air for him, and his breathing isn't audible at all now (he used to sound like a sweet little Darth Vader)!

I give him saline solution in his nose when he gets a little congested, but other than that his nose is doing just great.

We all love him like crazy and are so grateful for Purrfect Pals' care of him! He sends his love!!

Love,

Karena (& Merlin Blackjack!) 🐾

Merlin loves his double-stacked cat bed!



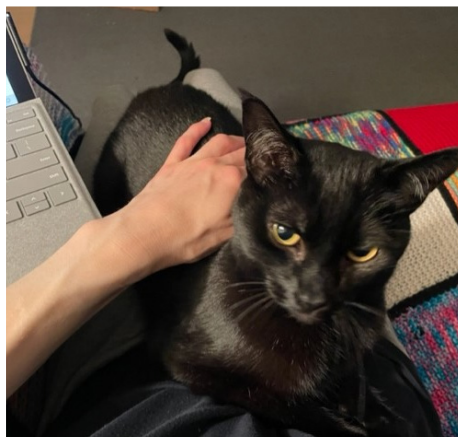
Six-year-old house panther Merlin (formerly Blackjack) shows off his vam-purr teeth :)

Just as an update on Merlin (formerly Blackjack) - he is just the best, snuggliest, sweetest, smartest wizard-cat we can imagine!

He has a special red ball that he throws around the house in the afternoon, and he sometimes brings it to us to throw for him! He actually is a cat that will play fetch!

He has multiple beds around the house that he shares with his two feline sisters, but his favorite is a cat bed stacked inside of another cat bed. I stacked them when I was vacuuming once, and he decided he liked it that way, so we have left them stacked!

Merlin's meowmy says he is the snuggliest cat who can't get enough affection.



In the evening, he sleeps between my knees and one of our female cats sleeps between my ankles (so it is required that I stay on my back all night!).

When I wake up in the middle of the night, he always seems to know and comes up by my shoulders for hugs and snuggles, and he purrs with a deep, throaty purr. He loves affection, and loves to be petted - he will head butt my head if I don't keep petting him!

He knows how to open our closet doors, our internal bedroom doors, and our cupboard doors.... nothing is beyond this wizard's

Carson + Firefly = True Bromance!



FIV Besties Firefly (left) & Carson (right) need a forever home!

A good samaritan found three-year-old tabby Firefly living outside their home and took him to their veterinarian to get neutered in the hopes of making him part of their indoor cat family. While under-going routine blood tests, Firefly tested positive for Feline Immunodeficiency Virus (FIV), so they unfortunately couldn't keep him and risk passing on the virus to their other cats.

Purrfect Pals provides sanctuary for FIV cats so they aren't euthanized at other shelters simply because FIV is transmissible between cats. Firefly became part of the Purrfect Pals family in April 2021. Then one day in late August 2021, in walked Carson.

Carson is a curious, active four-year-old Chocolate Point Siamese who was transferred from another shelter after also testing positive for FIV. The very first time they met in our FIV Room, Firefly locked eyes with Carson, Carson rolled over and bopped him, then they immediately began playing and wrestling.

It seemed like Carson breathed new life into Firefly and this is what was missing all along: a best buddy to let off steam and do everything with. Firefly and Carson love to dash around their room, playing with toys, running through tunnels, cuddling in beds, relaxing on their patio, and grooming each other. Having Carson as his BFF helped Firefly feel happier and his behavior has improved by leaps and bounds.

Not long after they met, Firefly and Carson were officially bonded and have to be adopted together. These two buddies spend all their time together and wherever one is, the other is not far behind. It is a True Bromance and whomever ends up adopting these two special boys will be incredibly lucky and constantly entertained!

If you're interested in learning more about adopting Carson & Firefly, please contact our Adoption Coordinator: adopt@purrfectpals.org

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Here is my tax-deductible charitable gift of:

\$50 (can provide KMR milk replacement formula for a litter of kittens)

\$100 (can provide for ten days of care for a sanctuary kitty)

\$250 (can provide a dental cleaning and extractions for an older cat)

\$500 (can help us spay/neuter two litters of kittens and their moms)

Other Amount: \$ _____



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Saturday, March 18th
11am to 2pm
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Kitten Season by
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