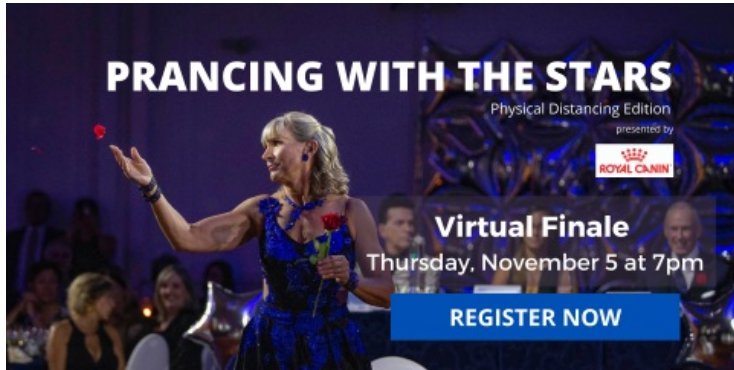


FETCH! November 2020

Join Our PWTS Virtual Finale Tonight!



Our finalists have been chosen! Now it's time to cast your vote to help choose the winners. Join us online tonight for our first-ever Prancing with the Stars [LIVE](#) Virtual Finale at 7 pm. The fun and

family-friendly hour-long Zoom broadcast wraps up our video dance competition and its **FREE!** So [register now](#) to join in on the fun and to vote for your favorite videos in each of our four categories!

Holiday Store Opens



Take Home a Hidden Treasure!

Our [Barkin' Bin](#) thrift shop has opened its Holiday Store with amazing gifts for everyone on your list. Located at 511 Pinegrove Rd. in Oakville you can shop Thursday to Saturday from 1 pm to 4 pm. All proceeds go directly to help the animals.



If you're moving, spring cleaning or downsizing, please consider donating new and gently used items to the Thrift Store.

Animal Rescue

The Long Journey to Find Their Forever Homes

The Oakville Milton Humane Society



(OMHS) does much more than just animal adoptions. For example, we actively support animal rescues who work in some of the most remote areas of Canada.

This includes our ongoing partnership with Northern Connection, a local animal rescue that works in northern Manitoba. Most recently we worked with their volunteer driver John (pictured here), who successfully transported over the Thanksgiving weekend a number of homeless dogs to other rescues, including five puppies that came to our shelter to receive life-saving care. We are thrilled to report the puppies have already found loving families who will soon be taking them home!



To support the efforts of Northern Connection's "Project Warm Dog" initiative to build dog houses in northern Manitoba, OMHS has also contributed nearly 1000 kilograms of pet food by connecting with Amazon, one of our donor partners. Thanks to OMHS volunteers we were able to take the food to a transfer station so it could make the long journey to Manitoba. Read [more](#).

2021 Calendar

YOUR GIFT WILL SAVE LIVES: The OMHS 2021 calendars are available [online here](#), at [these locations](#) and at the Oakville & Milton Humane Society.



THE 2021 CALENDAR IS HERE. ORDER YOURS NOW FOR \$15

Forever Home!



When Brenda and Jack went looking for their first dog, they knew they wanted a buddy like Barney that they could take for long walks and lounge with at home. It was love at first sight!



Hala and her family are delighted to bring home Elton. It's the family's first cat and they did a ton of research to help ensure they found the perfect match for them. Congratulations!

Development

Meet Robyn, our New Director of Development!

Robyn Dmytrow says she is thrilled to join OMHS as its new Director of Development where she can now combine her passion for animal care and education with her impressive development experience.

Before coming to OMHS, Robyn managed large campaigns at national and local charities including United Way Halton & Hamilton.

"I have learned so much about OMHS in this short



time. Our shelter does so much more for our community and animals than simply our adoptions. I feel privileged to work alongside a team of staff and volunteers who work tirelessly to make sure every single animal that comes into our care, or needs us, receives the support they deserve.” Read [more](#)

Thank You, Access Storage!

If you’ve been to the shelter, you know that space is at a premium. Every inch is used for animals, staff or programs. Closets are strategically organized as are the cupboards and shelves so that we are able to make the very best of the space we have. Unfortunately, it’s still not enough. Thankfully, this is where [AccessStorageOakville](#) comes in.



Our friends at Access Storage, 1195 North Service Road in Oakville, have generously provided OMHS with storage units at no charge for several years. This means that we are able to store items we need for events, surplus cages and other infrequently used items close at hand, and at a safe, secure, off-site location. This frees up the area inside the shelter so that we can use it in the most efficient way possible.

At OMHS we rely on the support of businesses like Access Storage for their ongoing and loyal support to ensure we can provide the level of care that our animals deserve. We couldn’t do what we do without their help. Thank you Access Storage!

Adoptable Animals



Cece was surrendered to the shelter when the cats in her previous home were no longer accepting of her. This adorable Rex rabbit is now searching for a forever home without cats to ensure she feels safe and secure.

She would do great in a home with older children that can respect when she needs space.

Cece is super soft and friendly. She has a hilarious personality and will keep you entertained. Her favourite toy is her small metal feeding bowl. She will bite the lip of the bowl and toss it into the air to chase after it.

To learn more about sweet Cece click [here](#).

Dogs of Oakville



The latest limited-edition of the Dogs of Oakville is now available! This year's beautiful book from local artist and pet photographer Maria Bell is entitled "Together" and is a warm and welcome reminder of how our beloved pets have helped us through a challenging and

difficult year. The Dogs of Oakville book makes a wonderful holiday gift for your pet-loving friends and family. [Visit us](#) at the shelter to purchase your copy for \$50 and support the animals - limited quantities available!

Giving Tuesday

[Giving Tuesday](#) is a global movement dedicated to giving back. It could not have been better timed for our animals. In the past months, the pandemic has affected our much-needed volunteer help, adoptions, community programs and our ability to fundraise. As a direct result, we are now assisting more animals with fewer resources.



GIVINGTUESDAY™

The need is so great that a loving donor has pledged to [match every dollar raised before midnight on Tuesday December 1 - up to \\$10,000](#). Help us meet the most urgent needs of homeless and abandoned animals and donate today.

[Lost a Pet?](#)

[Found a Pet?](#)

[Dog Licenses](#)

[Pet ID Kit](#)



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