

animal crackers SUMMER 2019

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WITH OUR GRATITUDE

Our current facility celebrated its grand opening in April 1987. Thirty two years later we find ourselves in the same building — one needing TLC and major upgrades. The first step began in March with the installation of new flooring.

Thanks to a grant from the Hyde and Watson Foundation, along with generous donations from Brian and Tara Luing and their family (who donated in memory of their dog Marmaduke) and Edna Bailey, we now have beautiful new epoxy floors throughout the building. Not only is the floor durable, it is easy to clean and keep sanitary!

During this process, our fosters welcomed over 35 of our feline friends into their homes and provided them with food, shelter and most important — LOVE! **We couldn't have done this project without them!**

Once the flooring was complete, the process of putting the shelter back in order began! **Countless volunteers** cleaned, painted and returned four PODS worth of furniture and supplies to their original locations.

The staff, and animals in our care at MPAS, are so grateful to everyone who helped. Because of you, we were able to open our doors after being closed for just a week.

Please stop by and visit the shelter when you have a chance — we'd love to show off our new look!

A SPECIAL SHOUT OUT TO:

Pat D'Amico from Carpentry–N–More for installing the floor molding at the shelter.
Chris and Mike MacBurney for countless hours of painting and repair at the shelter.
Petsmart, East Hanover for a wonderful Adoption Event/Cookout held on May 18th and being our "partner" in finding loving homes for our animals.
Bill Cash, Sr. Systems Engineer at Green Lantern. Jet for pet donations.

GRANTS RECEIVED:

ASPCA — \$10,000 to be used for Nicky's Second Chance Fund. The Hyde and Watson Foundation — \$10,000 for floor installation. Columbia Bank — \$10,000 for Shelter improvements.





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THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS!

We are so grateful for all our wonderful Volunteers! Thousands of volunteer hours are donated to the shelter every year. If there is a need ... our volunteers rush to our rescue.

We have individuals that open up their homes to foster litters of kittens, pregnant dogs and their puppies, and older dogs and cats who might be ill or just need a break from the shelter environment for a short period of time.

We have dog walkers who spend time walking and playing with/socializing with our dogs. We even have some who take our favorite senior, Amber, out to the park with a stop at McDonald's on the way back to the shelter!





On June 17th we celebrated our volunteers with our annual Volunteer Dinner.

Other volunteers help us clean, socialize with our animals, and do maintenance projects, paint, build shelves and other much needed projects.

We WOULD NOT be able to function without this incredible group of individuals! If you don't already, please consider joining our volunteer "team" — stop by the shelter or visit our website, www.njshelter.org, for additional information.



Our staff is the BEST! They are a dedicated group who not only care for our animals but LOVE them as well.



If you are interested in being a sponsor or vendor for this event, please contact us at ed@njshelter.org or call 973-386-0590.

 MT. PLEASANT ANIMAL SHELTER CONSIGNMENT SHOP Located at 528 Bloomfield Ave, Verona, NJ
 HAD ITS GRAND OPENING ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 10TH
 Open: Monday 12 - 4, Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday 1 - 4 Donations and Consignments are much appreciated!

ADOPTION HOURS Tuesday & Thursday 12 – 7 • Monday, Wednesday, & Friday 12 – 4 Saturday & Sunday 12 – 5

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