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## **MUTTS MANIA 2019**

There was a lot of tail wagging at Lurker Park, East Hanover on Sunday, September 22nd as **we celebrated our 21st annual Mutts Mania event!** Dogs and their humans enjoyed a beautiful day which included vendors, food trucks, and a whole lot more.

Terrie Carr from WDHA entertained our guests along with our Board Member, Evin Lyon's band, Beer Factor, who played Rock and Roll tunes throughout the day. Autosport Automotive Group, our Title Sponsor, provided a photo booth, and dogs tried their paws at an agility course courtesy of Paws-itive Experience. Families enjoyed showing their dogs off at our Pet Contests and many well-dressed pets showed just how beautiful they are in our Fashion Show.

Our favorite part of the day was when former adopters brought back their pets for the annual Adoption Reunion. It's wonderful to see the happiness the adoptee has brought to their new family.

Thanks to our Sponsors, Vendors, Volunteers, and Supporters for making the day a success!

We look forward to seeing you at future events!







# **NICKY'S SECOND CHANCE FUND**



LJ will be available in mid November for adoption and will make a family very happy with his playful nature!

### MT. PLEASANT'S ANNUAL HOLIDAY FAIR

Saturday, December 7th thru Sunday, December 15th, 2019
Saturdays 9:30 am - 5 pm & Sundays 11 am - 5 pm
Monday, December 9th thru Friday, December 13th
During regular adoption hours at Mt. Pleasant

Gifts of all kinds for people and pets:

• Designer Accessories • Holiday Items • Cosmetics •

• Leather Goods • and More •

Your Purchases Enable Us to Care For The Homeless Cats and Dogs At Our Shelter



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We are a 501(c)3 non-profit organization

Nicky's Second Chance Fund supports the medical needs of our cats and dogs here at Mt Pleasant Animal Shelter. **The fund allows us to treat animals that, otherwise, might be destined for euthanasia.** 

LJ (Lawrence Junior) is a perfect example. This poor, tiny kitten came to us one Sunday night right before closing. He was brought in by a family who saw him fall out of the engine of a car as it was pulling out of a parking space in front of them. LJ's mouth area was bloody and he had a series of burns from the engine along his side. He wasn't old enough to eat on his own so he went home with a foster who fed him with a dropper for a few weeks. He is recovering nicely and is the happiest kitten you would ever want to meet.

But our funds are running low! Please consider donating to Nicky's Second Chance Fund so that we can save more animals like LJ.

### **MEET OUR ANIMAL AMBASSADOR**



We were pleased to have Darius Brown as Mt Pleasant's very own Animal Ambassador! Darius is a 12-year-old who has a huge heart and big dreams. He has always loved bow ties and was able to convince his sister, Dazhai to show him how to make them. With time Darius got the idea to brighten up a few furry friends at a local animal shelter with his colorful handmade accessories, and an amazing thing happened — more of the animals were being adopted!

Darius has made hundreds of bow ties, appeared in People with our very own dog, Tootsie, and was featured with Mt Pleasant in Woman's World Magazine.

We look at Darius as a role model for other young people who can use their creativity to help our animals and look forward to working with him in the future.

#### **ADOPTION HOURS**

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

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