

## Fall/Winter 2024 Newsletter



Hello, Angel Cat Family!

Here we come to the end of another year of rescuing cats and kittens in our neighborhoods of Orange County! What a year it's been! Since our last newsletter, we've taken in and rehomed 15 cats and kittens, and spayed or neutered 18 ferals, I know it doesn't sound like an awful lot, but there are only a few of us doing so much and helping where we can. It's difficult to get TNR appointments for ferals and surgery costs have escalated.

Currently, we have a semi friendly mama kitty, Silvie and her 6 little kittens, just about 6 weeks old as I'm writing this. They are Paris, Piper, Picasso, Pablo, Pedro and Parker! They will all be available for adoption close to Christmas. She was rescued from a yard in Garden Grove where she had her kittens in the driveway under a motorcycle. They are a playful sweet group of kittens, full of curiosity and spunk. We are so grateful we could help them and that they are safe indoors. See their pictures on the back side!

There have been a dozen or so other kittens this past summer, all coming from different areas, Orange, Santa Ana, Huntington Beach and Fountain Valley. Most have found wonderful homes already. Walter is the eldest of this group, he's now 6 months old. His friends are a bit younger, there's Wyatt, Westley, Sebastian and Stewart. We pray they have furever homes in the next few weeks. Wendy, Wilson, Winona and Sabrina have all been adopted.

All of the "M" litter have found their homes, Millie and Marina were adopted together just this last week! Mary and Mona earlier in the summer and the boys, Marvin and Melvin were also adopted together in early spring!

Our girls Thelma and Louise, who were adopted in January 2023, were returned in August after a year and a half due to some medical issues in the family but were only back with us for a few weeks when they found their true furever home and we couldn't be happier for them. Change like this is always so difficult for cats.

Our feral colonies have also increased. But some of the new additions weren't feral. They were cats that we can tell once had homes because they are so friendly. I suppose they found their way to our colonies looking for food. When this happens, we get them into foster homes asap and they frequently can be adopted. This is particularly sad, because they aren't used to fending for themselves and fighting for food. This past season, there were 5 cats that we were able to get back into homes and off the street. Paloma is one of these, her picture in on the other side of this newsletter. She is currently in a foster home, about a year old, had kittens that didn't survive her time on the street, but so very sweet and gentle. She is a very special girl, loves her foster friends (one is even a dog!) and we know there is a perfect home waiting for her.

Your tax-deductible donations go exclusively to vet care and food/litter for the cats in our care. 2025 will be our 17th year as a 501c3 non-profit rescue and we could not have come this far without all of you! It has been a blessing to serve our community and help cats and kittens be rehabilitated when sick, find homes for them and care for our colonies. We do still partner with the Petco Foundation, our adoption events take place in 4 locations, two in Huntington Beach, in Tustin and Mission Viejo. We are happy to collaborate with OCSP Cat Rescue and network in the spirit of working together for our feline friends.

We hope that this 2024 holiday season brings you blessings and joy! Happy Thanksgiving and Merry Christmas from all of us here at Angel Cats!

Hiss less, Purr more!

With sincere gratitude,

