



San Diego Humane Society's Critter Kids NEWS

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Welcome to San Diego Humane Society's Critter Kids News. We hope you have fun learning all about pets and wildlife in San Diego!

Campus locations in El Cajon, Escondido, Oceanside, Ramona and San Diego

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Shelter Mews

Spaying or neutering is a special surgery that prevents pets from having babies.

Even though we all love puppies and kittens, right now there are not enough homes for all the animals who need them. This problem is called pet overpopulation. Shelters like San Diego Humane Society work hard to make sure every animal finds a home. You can help both your pet and your community by getting your pet spayed or neutered! First, it helps to end the problem of overpopulation. Second, it can prevent your pet from developing health issues, such as certain types of cancer, and they can live a longer, healthier life. Finally, it can help your pet display more positive behaviors. For example, pets who are spayed or neutered are less likely to escape from your home or mark their territory. They are more likely to want to spend time relaxing with you!



Wildlife Window

Welcome Ramona Wildlife Center!



We recently joined forces with a wildlife center in Ramona, California. This location is equipped to help bigger animals like bobcats, coyotes, mountain lions and bears. With more space for large enclosures, Project Wildlife can now help wildlife of all sizes in San Diego County. The Ramona Wildlife Center is a special place because many resident sanctuary animals already call it home, including Shirley, the pigmy hippo, pictured here! These sanctuary animals cannot be released back to the wild for various reasons, so they will live out their lives being cared for by dedicated staff and volunteers.

Photo Credit: Meredith Lee/HSUS

Meet Our Staff

Meet Dr. Clem

Dr. Clem is the hospital director at our San Diego Campus. She makes sure our sick and injured patients always receive excellent veterinary care. She also provides spay and neuter surgeries for animals in our shelter and community. From the moment an animal enters our hospital until they leave the shelter, Dr. Clem ensures that we treat them as if they are our own pet, and we do everything to help them feel safe and comfortable. Our veterinary team works hard to ensure all our shelter pets go home happy and healthy. Dr. Clem believes that there is nothing more rewarding than seeing our efforts result in better comfort or health for an animal, bringing them one step closer to finding their new home!





Lend a Paw

You can help San Diego Humane Society find homes for animals! We host Virtual Adoption Events every third Friday of the month. Join us on Facebook Live and share our flyer with your friends and family to help us spread the word about animals in need of homes! Did you know? Every dog, cat and rabbit at San Diego Humane Society is spayed or neutered before adoption, so adopting a pet is a great way you can help control pet overpopulation!

HUMANE AT HOME

Virtual Adoption Event!

3rd Friday of the month | 4 p.m.

This event features adoptable animals from San Diego Humane Society as well as some of our Rescue Partners.

Join us for live introductions and Q&A!

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Check out our website at sdhumane.org for other fun events going on at San Diego Humane Society!

Join us for onsite programs: Pet Pals, Paws and Paperbacks, and Mini Camp.

Join us for virtual programs: Humane at Home Facebook Live every Friday at 4 p.m., Virtual Camp, and Paws and Paperbacks.