Humane Society of Elmore County News - 26 Feb '18 Rea Cord Executive Director

Come by and check out our <u>Tail's End Thrift Store</u> this coming "Santuck Saturday," March 3, as we are having a March Madness \$3/bag Winter Clothes Sale! The Bag Sale will be held in our Clothes Sorting Building adjacent to the Shelter Building – just look for the line of folks from 9-3! Caution that with this being the first "Santuck Saturday" for 2018 the traffic on Hwy 9 is likely to be very heavy, and parking challenging in our own parking lot, so please be careful to avoid accidents. Remember, 100% of the proceeds from our store go directly to the care and well-being of the animals at the shelter. Thank you for your continued support!

Last week we noted about the wonderful door prizes that were given out at our 'Getting Down with the Dawgs' Drawdown and want to recognize everyone who donated all these exceptional gifts: Auburn Marriott Opelika Hotel & Conference Center at Grand National, Susan Barmby, PetSmart, Johnny Marvin's Paint and Furniture, Bob & Barbara Bryan, Our Place Café, Alan Hackel, Wetumpka Depot Players, Chrietzberg Photography, John Mills Fairway Independent Mortgage Corp, Connie Morrow Attorney at Law, Debra Summerlin, Jimmy & Kim Baker Lake Dog Realty, Oak Valley Heating Cooling & Plumbing & Dr. Ryan Peaden Chiropractic. Thank you all so very much as these door prizes given every 25<sup>th</sup> ticket drawn were very well received by all the excited winners!

Classic Country Radio Station 103.9 The Possum & Bluewater Broadcasting are hosting their first ever "Paw It Forward" Donation Drive beginning today, Mon, 26 Feb to collect supplies for all three River Region Humane Shelters! They have delivered all of their Bluewater collection barrels to their SIX sponsor locations and are ready to collect your donations! The participating sponsors are Montgomery Subaru, Montgomery Eye Physicians, Zap Pest Control, Velvet Pumpkin, Lewis Lawn Equipment and Pet Palace Hotels.

To donate just go to any of the above listed businesses, and you'll see the Bluewater donation barrel inside ready to collect your donations for the River Region Humane Societies! The best items to donate are cleaning supplies, bedding, pet treats & toys, dry & canned food! These barrels will be available for your drop-offs all through this three-week promotion. AND, the Bluewater Broadcasting Sprinter Van will be at the following locations and times this week for some live on-site broadcasts:

Monday, 11:30-1 at Lewis Lawn Equipment on N. Eastern Blvd Tuesday, 11:30-1 at Montgomery Eye on Zelda Road Wednesday, 11:30-1 at The Velvet Pumpkin on Vaughn Road Thursday, 11:30-1 at Zap Pest Control on US Hwy 231 in Wetumpka Friday, 11:30-1 at Montgomery Subaru on Eastern Blvd Saturday, 10:3-=12 at Pet Palace Hotels in Pike Road

We are immensely grateful to all of the businesses and individuals who support not only our shelter but our sister shelters in the River Region as we all work to help all the pets that need our care.