

Humane Society of Elmore County News – 6 Aug '18
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Last week we noted how incredibly successful our [Wags & Whiskers Auction](#) was. One big reason for our success was an absolutely wonderful group of sponsors who came on board to further our fund-raising goal by sponsoring to help offset costs. So please help us thank these area businesses and individuals who stepped up to make sure our 13th annual [Wags & Whiskers Auction](#) was the best auction ever: [PrimeSouth Bank](#), [Zap Pest Control](#), [Riverside Chevrolet](#), [First Community Bank](#), [River Bank & Trust](#), [Farmers Feed Service](#), Malessa Williams, [Lee's Auto Repair](#), [Jackson Thornton](#), [Guardian Credit Union](#), Earl Singleton, Valley National Bank, Lee Greer & [Taylor Athletic Wear](#). Thank you all so very much for supporting our shelter and Auction as valuable and most appreciated sponsors!

If you came to our Shelter or Thrift Store on Saturday you might have been floored at the cars and people simply packing our parking lot! Thank you to everyone who came out to shop at our [Tail's End Thrift Store](#) Summer Clothing Bag Sale! We virtually emptied the sale building and that helps us get ready for the transition to fall and winter clothing shortly. We sold over 150 bags of clothes so we also hope this helped many a family. And please thank our Thrift Store Volunteers as there was a lot of preparation & hard work that had to be done a week or more in advance and the day of the sale. We are immensely grateful for our Volunteers who give so much of themselves to help our animals and ensure our shelter's success!

And finally – the details are out! Only three weeks until our first ever [Alabama News Network PUTTS FORE PAWS Golf Tournament](#) at the [Emerald Mountain Golf Club](#) in Wetumpka on Thursday, 23 August, 8 am – 1 pm. Entry fee is \$300 per four-person scramble and the team fee includes green fees, golf carts, door prizes and more! Registration will begin at 6:30 a.m. with a shotgun start at 8 a.m. For more information or to become an event sponsor, call 334-270-2834. Many thanks to [Montgomery Subaru](#), [Greenville Foot Care](#) and [Harriott II Riverboat](#) for coming on board as sponsors already! To register, submit and fill out the [On-Line Registration Form](#) and all teams must be registered prior to the 23rd. We will also be out at Emerald Mountain with a few of our pets and sure hope to see a LOT of teams enjoying a morning of golf while also supporting our shelter and the hard work of the Montgomery CW!

Most people know that our shelter was burglarized on Monday, 23 August and three individuals stole two of our shelter trucks. The good news is we recovered our trucks that night thanks to the Wetumpka and Montgomery Police Departments – special shout out to Detective Reid with the Wetumpka PD and Officers Patterson and Taylor with the Montgomery PD. We are also grateful to WSFA and other media outlets who got the word out, and a tip called in as a result of all the coverage. Two individuals have been arrested while the third is still unknown. We greatly appreciate the quick response of Malone Construction who came to repair damage to the shelter and a very special thanks to Ryan Forbus of Keys4U, 4450 Wetumpka Hwy, Montgomery, AL 36110 for rekeying our two recovered trucks so we could put them back into service for shelter work. Thank you to everyone who showed such support and care – shows just what a great community we serve. If anyone may have information leading to the identity of the third individual or just to bolster the case against those involved, please call the Wetumpka Police Department at 334-567-5321 and ask to speak to Detective Reid. Thank you!