

From Foster to Feather Friends...

Owner of "Wild Birds Unlimited Nature Shop" in Sinking Spring, PA, Sandra Gerhart, is not just a bird lover. She is passionate about all aspects of nature. It's quite ironic that a store, whose main focus wild birds, would choose to greet customers with a cat! This has become a tradition, and a huge part of this business' history.

Sandy recalls from the very beginning: "When we opened our nature shop in 1993, we decided we needed a store cat--both for us and the customers to enjoy. Success! We adopted Oscar from the Kutztown shelter (I'm sure a lot of you remember Oscar!)--a big 20 pound red tiger. He had spent his pre-One by One days as an indoor/outdoor pet in the heart of Reading. He was a tough guy with an attitude! But no matter how cranky he was (he often swatted people from his perch on the bird-seed bags) everyone loved him. The years have passed and so have some store cats. Presently, we have our 5th cat--a dilute calico named Callie. She's a very busy girl, loves to play, and the customers adore her. The reason I write about our store cats; is with the hope that other small (or large, who knows??) businesses will consider adopting a cat.



Customers tell us that our shop feels friendly with a little four legged friend. Of course we tell everyone where our cats come from and have a donation can on our counter. Every little bit helps! "

Wild Birds Unlimited also hosts a yearly Wine and Cheese event to help raise proceeds for One by One, too! Thank you, Sandy for your continued support of One By One. Please stop in to meet Callie at" Wild Birds Unlimited" 60 Shillington Road Sinking Spring PA 19608



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Upcoming Events

July 21 & 22 - Karousel Kats 2012 Mid Atlantic Regional Cat Show @ the Riveredge, Reading
Aug. 12 - Bags & Basket Bingo Grill Fire Company
Sept. 1 - Hamburger Festival in Hamburg
Sept. 7 & 8 - Chili Pepper Festival in Bowers
Sept. 16 - Fiddle Festival in Lyons
Sept. 29 - Walk for the Animals Reading Phillies
Oct. 6 - Blessing of the Animals Lehigh Valley

For a detailed list of our events visit us at <u>http://</u><u>www.petfinder.com/shelters/PA02.html</u>

From the Kitty Kitchen

Cat Attack Cookies

 c. whole wheat flour 1 egg 2 T butter or vegetable oil
 4 c. soy flour ¹/³ c. powdered milk
 t. catnip ¹/³ c. milk or cat's milk
 T wheat germ 1 T unsulfurated molasses

Preheat oven to 350° F. Combine dry ingredients. Add molasses, egg, oil and milk. Roll out flat on an oiled cookie sheet and cut into small, cat bite-sized pieces. Bake for 20 minutes

Pussycat Pantry

Help stock the shelter shelves

Royal Canin Baby CatBleadRoyal Canin Special 33PapCanned Kitten or Cat FoodHarKMR - Kitten Milk ReplacerDrawstring Kitchen Garbage BagsLiquid Laundry DetergentHar

Bleach Paper Towels Hand Sanitizer

Summer is our busiest time of year and our supplies run low rather quickly. Please help us to stock our shelves!

Save The Date!

This is an event you will not want to miss!! An all time favorite this year we added Vera Bradley Bags to our Basket Bingo! We are excited to add a little twist to our event but guaranteed that you will have a wonderful time. Besides the bingo we will once again have lots of food and plenty of exciting raffle baskets! This year Grill Fire Company will be hosting the event. Make sure to mark your calendars for August 12th!

Affectionate and Inseparable



Mushu & Ember came to One By One from a local shelter in June of 2011, along with another kitty who was adopted. Ember, mama, is a 12 year old female flame point Siamese, and Mushu, daughter, is a female torti point Siamese mix who is 10 years old. Both girls are spayed and up-to-date on vaccines. This loving mother/ daughter crew need a forever home together, they are inseparable. Both are very affectionate to people and themselves, but would probably do best with no other kitties. They do respond nicely to calm well-mannered dogs, they only to want to chat to dog friends.



Our Facebook page is updating daily of new cats coming into One by One, make sure to check it out!

Who Knew Raising Funds would be such a Pawty?/

Donations are a must in order to provide care to the cats One by One helps each year. What amazes us the most, are the fun and unique ways in which people are able to raise money, so that we can help more cats. We'd like to introduce you to one furry and one "stuffed" friend who have the same interest in mind, helping other kitties. Thank you Boris and Edgar daKitty, we cannot express how grateful we are that you use your unique ways to help us! Many cats are saved because of you!



Boris and Edgar daKitty



Edgar daKitty is the stand-in kitty for Boris (BorisKitty.com). Edgar travels with Human2 to our events and to deliver donations to area shelters. Boris does all the hard work and Edgar gets all the glory. Edgar daKitty and Boris have raised funds for us on several occasions. For example, when the box kitties were taken in, Boris hopped online and raised \$300 to help cover their vet bills and sent Edgar out to deliver the money.

Each year they hold a virtual Science Fiction Convention on Twitter to help raise money and just have fun! What is SCIFIpawty? SCIFIpawty is quite simply a virtual science fiction convention & party hosted by animals for animals on Twitter.com. There are DJs spinning our favorite tunes, bartenders offering up out of this world food & drinks, security (red shirts) to keep the spammers and scammers away, a costume contest, and quizmasters tasking us with fast paced, fun trivia with a chance to win door prizes. All this is achieved though the help of many wonderful volunteers and sponsors. This event is used to raise awareness of animals in shelters and to raise funds to help local animals. We have had prizes donated from CatToys.com, DogToys.com, Nylabone, OurPets, ThinkGeek.com and even Jane Wiedlin of the Go-Gos. This is an annual event and 2013 will be our fourth year doing it!

This years fund raising page is still accepting donations. To help them out visit: <u>http://www.firstgiving.com/</u><u>fundraiser/human2/3rd-annual-scifipawty</u> More info can be found at www.SCIFIpawty.com



Edgar daKitty was also caught helping out at the Santa photo events plus we hear that he has been traveling around the globe (even visited TokiPoki.com in Texas) to raise \$\$ to help even more One by One kitties too! These are two silly kitties that we give extra purs to because of their hard work and dedication. Their Human is pretty cool too! Thanks for all your hard work!

If you want to have a fun and exciting event to help raise funds for One by One please let us know!

Your generosity continues to touch more lives!

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Every life that enters One By One has meaning and is one more life saved! We are only able to provide for our animals through voluntary efforts and your donations. Our funds are used to keep our cats healthy– spay/neuters, dental work, vaccines, vet visits, and medications prove to be very costly, yet necessary expenses.

Please continue to support our no-kill mission, where our goal is to adopt out every cat who enters our organization one by one (or two by two, whenever possible). Donations to all non-profit organizations across the world have decreased due to the troubled economy. We are no exception, our funds are desperately low. Please help in any way possible. We really appreciate your contributions. Thank you!



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