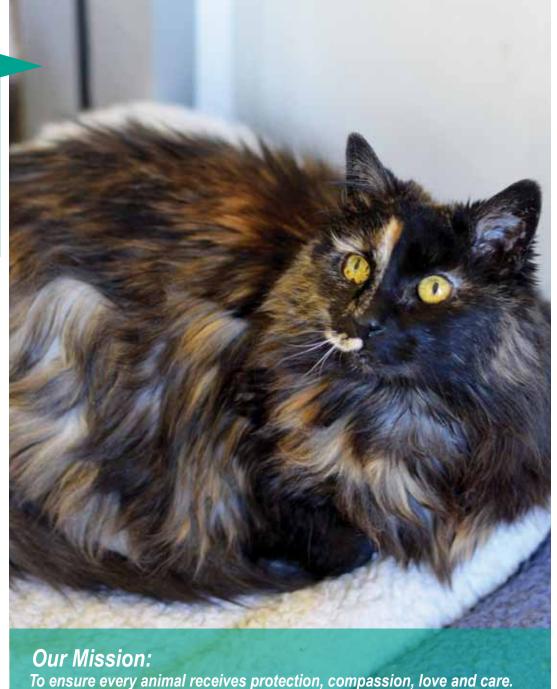
## ANNUAL REPORT

January 1- December 31, 2013



#### Featured cat: Nutmeg

This 12-year-old Tortoiseshell beauty is looking for her forever home. Nutmeg came to Sonoma Humane Society as a stray. While she has adapted to living with other cats in our shelter, she'll thrive in a home where she can be the only cat. Like many mature kitties, she likes to balance her need for human affection with plenty of quiet time for feline contemplation. Nutmeg is part of our Medical Incentive Adoptions program. When you open your heart and home to this wonderful cat, she'll receive complimentary annual veterinary exams and vaccinations from SHS for life.



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Total number of animals rescued	1956
Strays	739
Owner Surrenders	845
From other shelters/rescue organizations	372
Fospice Care	61
Foster Care	738
Animals returned to their guardians	217
Live Release Rate	96%
Shelter capacity	200

Low-cost feline spay/neuters	2395
Public spay/neuters	146
Shelter spay/neuters	317

### Preventing overpopulation where it starts

dogs, cats and rabbits

spayed or neutered

**Giving Hope** 

Nurturing

**Relationships** 

animals were given a second chance for a better future

956

at-risk youth engaged in Forget-Me-Not Farm's animalassisted and horticultural therapy activities

> Forget-Me-Not Farm Total children served 406 Number of agencies served 12

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## Saving lives, improving lives

# better health and behavior for **490000** animals



## Heroes make a difference for the 39,092 animals 39,092

volunteer hours worked

Number of volunteers Number of volunteer hours Full-time employee equivalent (persons) Equivalent employee compensation 760 39,092 19.55 \$371,374

Shelter medical cases treated	1760
Number of animals served at SHS public hospital	1746
Charity Medical Services	\$31,878
Number of public dogs trained	1076
Number of shelter dogs trained	407

children participated in humane education programs

unconditional love

Inspiring

Summer/Winter Camps239Mentoring and Community Service146Library and Reading Dog Program860Youth Tours and Outreach111Total children served (ages 7-18)1356

# Numbers are important...

but not as important as each life they represent

# Give local. Give hope.

	Income	
Donations, Events, Grants and Bequests	\$2,106,361	55%
Hospital, Adoption,	\$1,507,431	40%
Training and Service Fees Pet Supply Shop Sales	\$93,910	2%
Grants and Contracts	\$78,569	2%
Investment and Rental Income/Loss	\$28,918	1%
Total	\$3,815,189	100%

Ex	penses
	- ions and Animal Care

Adoptions and Animal Care	\$2,210,832	63%
Education, Outreach	\$347,113	10%
and Abuse Prevention		
Management & General	\$292,788	8%
Donor Development	\$307,605	9%
and Fundraising		
Cost of Sales	\$328,074	9%
Total	\$3,486,412	100%



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#### Give local.

Founded in 1931, the Sonoma Humane Society is a local donor-supported safe haven for animals. Providing life-saving medical procedures to behavior training and adoption into forever homes, we believe that every animal deserves love and compassion.

With our roots firmly planted in Sonoma County, your charitable contributions help rebuild the lives of homeless animals. We do not receive federal or state funding or financial aid from any other humane society or shelter. When you support Sonoma Humane Society you can rest assured that your donations stay local, and that 83¢ of every dollar donated directly helps the animals in our care.

#### Give hope.

With your support, homeless animals in our community have hope for a brighter future. Join us today!

- Contact Cindy Roach, Development Director, at (707) 577-1912 or croach@sonomahumane.org
- Donate online by visiting sonomahumane.org and clicking on **DONATE**.



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