

# KATS' TALES

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## JOIN OUR 1ST ANNUAL "BARK IN THE PARK" AT THE PET PARADE!

Would you like a chance to win \$200, \$100, or even \$50 in cool cash? Come join the Pet Parade in St. Johnsbury on June 22, where J. Police will be winning tennis balls. And your name could be inside that winning tennis ball for only \$5. Four lucky winners, and one of them could be you!



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## SPRING ADOPTION SPECIAL TO CONTINUE IN HONOR OF ADOPT-A-SHELTER-CAT MONTH

That's right. June is Adopt A Shelter Cat Month, so we are continuing our HALF-PRICE adoption special through the month of June. Stop by the shelter at 1664 Memorial Drive to find the purr-fect cat for you today! Every cat that gets adopted allows us to help at least one more waiting to come in....and waiting....



Lila is an approximately 6-month old female who was a stray, found sitting in the snow on the side of the road. She is friendly, talkative, playful, and loves attention. Won't you consider making her a lovable addition to your home?!

## KAS STILL IN NEED OF VOLUNTEERS

Summer is a busy time at the shelter, and we are finding it increasingly difficult to find volunteers. We need someone who can help with morning cleaning duties, as well as someone willing to be an adoption counselor. If you can help, call us today!

## RHONDA LIBBY MEMORIAL TRAIL RIDE POSTPONED

The Rhonda Libby Memorial Trail Ride, announced in the May edition of this newsletter and scheduled for June 8, has been postponed to June 23rd. If you are interested, you can pre-register by calling Connie 525-4003, Deb Libby 754-2587, Lesa Johnson 467-3912, Pam White 754-8416, or Wayne Libby 754-2139. Help local animal rescue groups / KAS by pledging a rider today!



## \*UPCOMING EVENTS\*

**Pets on Parade—Saturday, June 22**

Registration starts at 8:30 at the Father Lively, St. J., parade starts at 10:00.

**Cats & Roses—June 29 (rain date 6/30) 10:00 to 3:00, Rose garden tour, 206 Cliff St., St. J., 50/50 Raffle, Refreshments available.**

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Did you know.....cats can judge within 3 inches the precise location of a sound being made one yard away.

## 5 Reasons Your Cat Wakes You Up at the Same Time Every Day Without Fail (part 1)

By JaneA Kelley, posted in Catster Tips, Catster.com 6/14/13

Are you finding your cat to be a reliable alarm clock? JaneA Kelley, feline blogger, has some explanations for us. 1) Your cat is a creature of routine...After sharing a home with you for even a few days, your feline friend will get to know your schedule at least as well as you do. If you wake up at a certain time to get ready for work, your cat will figure that out— not because she can read a clock, but because she can read you. 2)...And "routine" means seven days a week.. It takes a while for a cat to grasp the concept of weekends, so get accustomed to being rousted out of bed at the same time or within an hour of your typical workday wake-up time. The good news is that as your cat settles in, she'll start to understand that you sleep later on your days off and will adapt to that schedule. These regularly occurring late sleep days become another routine. 3) Your cat can tell when you're waking up. Humans' sleep cycle consists of five stages, ranging in depth from barely napping to so deeply asleep it would be hard to rouse you even in an emergency. Through each stage of sleep, your respiration, heartbeat, and activity levels change, and you go through four or five of these cycles a night. Once you're at a light enough stage of sleep to respond to your cat's kind attentions, she'll be right over to help you start your day. (continued next month)



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**OUR MISSION STATEMENT** The purpose of the Kingdom Animal Shelter is to facilitate the placement of stray and unwanted animals and pets in desirable homes; to establish and maintain an animal shelter and associated procedures that promote health, care and handling; and to prevent overpopulation and the prevention of cruelty to animals. The animals in our care, our guests, are never euthanized merely because we lack space or because the animal's stay with us has exceeded a predefined amount of time.

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