

# NEWS FROM THE SHELTER

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FROM THE LEFT: SALEM AND ELVIS

FROM THE CAT'S DESK

## OUR FIRST TWO MONTHS

SALEM SHARES HIS VIEW OF LIFE AT THE SHELTER, WITH A LITTLE HELP FROM HIS BUDDY ELVIS.

Hi everyone! My name is Salem and this is my buddy Elvis. I'm a curious young black cat and also the resident writer here. Elvis is a friendly dog who loves to chat from his play yard next to our screened-in cat porch. Together, we want to tell you about life at our new shelter.

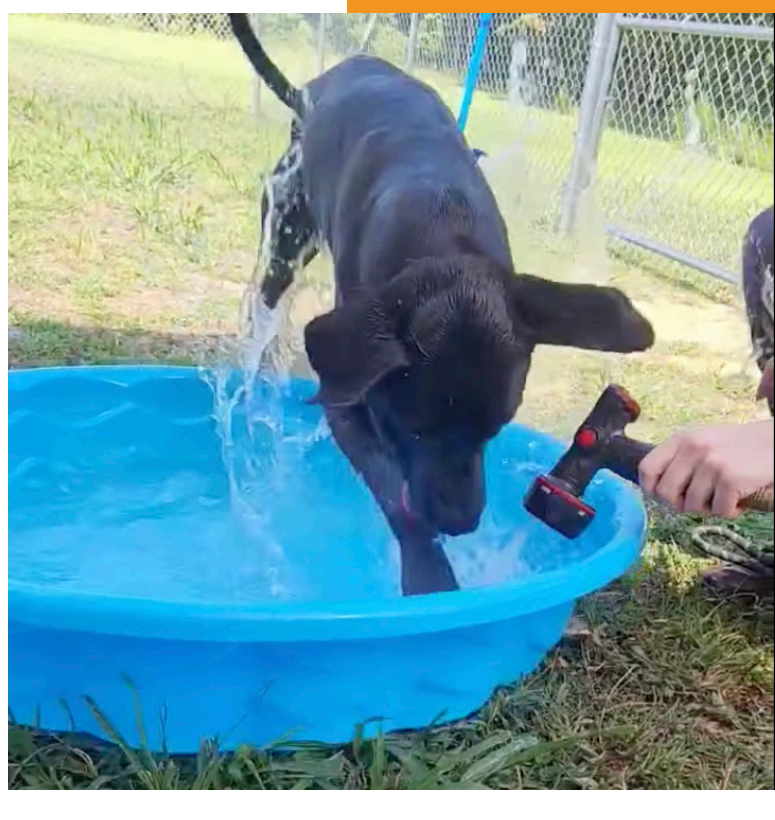
We're lucky to have Malea Wolfe as our Shelter Manager. She knows all about animal care and even lets me walk across her keyboard without getting mad! Elvis often visits the lobby to greet visitors, and that's how we became friends.

FULL HOUSE, HAPPY PETS.

## LIFE AT THE SHELTER

When the shelter opened in June, it filled up fast. All 23 dog kennels and the cat room, too! We're always fed, litter boxes stay clean, and Mondays are "Deep Clean Days." The volunteers here work so hard and even fold towels for us.

Elvis says the dogs are grateful for walks, belly rubs, and especially their doggie swimming pools during the hot summer. Nothing makes their tails wag more!



SMALL NEEDS, BIG IMPACT.

## BEHIND THE SCENES

Miss Dort (our president) and Miss Vicki (our Cat Angel) say the little things can be the hardest. Backordered beds, lamps, and storage bins are always needed. Vet bills pile up fast because every animal needs exams, shots, and sometimes treatment for infections or injuries. Donations really help!



OUR FIRST PUPPIES

## SECOND CHANCES

We even welcomed our first mom dog with six tiny puppies. She's gentle and sweet, and we know she'll find a home once her pups are ready.

Not everything is happy. Some pets are surrendered by their families. We don't judge, but it makes us sad. The staff promise to give them love, food, and a safe place until the right adopter comes along.



HOPE & THANKS

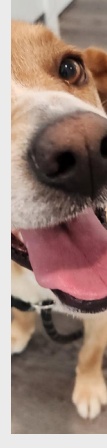
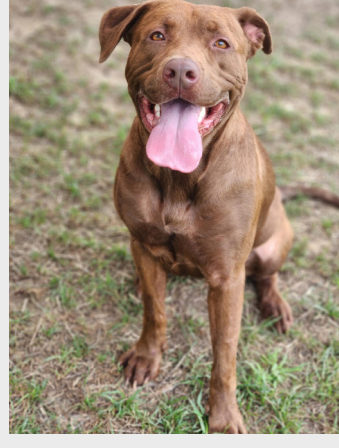
## YOU KEEP HOPE ALIVE.

When animals find homes, the whole shelter celebrates. Elvis and I just want to say thank you. Your visits, donations, and kindness keep us safe, healthy, and hopeful.

SHELTER HOURS

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