



NATE'S

HONOR♥ANIMAL♥RESCUE

official kids
fundraising
manual

thank you for your interest in running a fundraiser for nate's honor animal rescue! nate's honor animal rescue is so excited that you're volunteering to help the animals!

But before we get started, here are a few things you should know:

Please call at 941-747-4900 or send an e-mail to info@honoranimalrescue.org if you have any questions.

You need a supervising adult(s), who will be responsible for overseeing your event. This person needs to be over the age of 18.

Because there are many other rescues in our area, we want people to know that you are helping Nate's Honor Animal Rescue. When you refer to us on event fliers or posters, please call us "Nate's Honor Animal Rescue." It's our official name and we're very proud that you chose us! If you would like a copy of our official logo, we would be happy to send it to you in an e-mail.

If you would like to borrow a large vinyl Honor banner, please contact us to arrange this. Sometimes there are several events taking place at the same time and a banner may not be available. Please contact us as soon as possible to reserve it.

Nate's Honor Animal Rescue has so many things going on that we can not provide staff or volunteers to help you run your event.

If you are interested in having a Nate's Honor Animal Rescue representative come to your school or organization to give a presentation about Honor, or receive an Honor tour, you will need to talk with Dari Oglesby. Call 941-302-0933.

Because Honor has many organizations interested in presentations, we ask that you schedule your presentation as early as possible, or at least two months in advance. There are nominal fees for presentations and tours.

In addition, because so many generous people are doing the same thing as you - helping Honor by organizing and holding a special event - Honor can not post fliers or other information about your event in the shelter. Also, Honor can not place information about your event in the animal adoption packets. The shelter would be over-run with event fliers! We hope you understand.

Nate's Honor Animal Rescue can not loan out any animals to you. Just like when you take your pet to the veterinarian's office, some pets don't mind traveling and other pets hate it! We want to make sure that all the animals at Honor are happy, so we don't allow the animals to leave Honor until they are adopted and going to their new homes.



Unfortunately, due to insurance concerns, your event can not take place on Honor grounds.

Lastly, Nate's Honor Animal Rescue must insist that you NOT go door-to-door asking for donations, even if it is in your own neighborhood. Unfortunately, it's just not safe and we do not want anyone getting hurt.

Nate's Honor Animal Rescue wants you to have fun and know how much your help means to us! Thank you for helping the animals! And, remember, we're here to help you, so if you have any questions, please call or send us an e-mail!



need some ideas about what you could do to help the animals at Nate's Honor Animal Rescue? check these out!

1. Using Nate's Honor Animal Rescue's Wish List (found on page 5), hold a pet supply drive at your school or with your friends and family.
2. Instead of gifts for your birthday or other special events, ask for donations or items on Nate's Honor Animal Rescue's Wish List (found on page 5) and donate the items and donations to Honor.
3. In the summer, stay cool and sell lemonade at a lemonade stand or at a sporting event, like your little siblings soccer game.
4. Hold a garage sale and donate the proceeds to Nate's Honor Animal Rescue.
5. Earn some money for Honor by helping your parents out by doing extra chores around the house.
6. Hold an event at your school or organization and call us to borrow one of our wishing wells. Donate the money raised to Nate's Honor Animal Rescue.
7. For one month, at the end of each day, empty the change that mysteriously accumulates in your pockets or backpack and donate it to Nate's Honor Animal Rescue. Ask your friends and family to do the same. You'll be surprised at how much change you'll have in one month!
8. Make catnip toys, cat blankets, and doggie swing ball toys for the animals at Nate's Honor Animal Rescue. Just follow the directions on page 6 and 7.
9. Hold an animal movie night with your friends and family. Pick a movie like "Air Bud," "The Cat in the Hat," "Lady and the Tramp" or any other movie that has animals as the main characters. Ask your friends to bring cat or dog toys to the festivities. Let them know that you will donate the toys to Nate's Honor Animal Rescue.
10. Hold a towel drive at your school. Nate's Honor Animal Rescue can always use towels, and quite often, people are looking for ways to get rid of their old towels!

nate's honor animal rescue's wish list

- Clumping Cat Litter (Adults)
- Non-clumping Cat litter (Kittens)
- Unsweetened Apple Sauce
- Low-Sodium chicken broth
- Peanut butter
- Peroxide and alcohol
- Fast-read digital thermometer
- KY jelly
- Latex gloves
- Bleach
- Rubbermaid storage containers with lids (all sizes)
- Postage stamps
- Copy Paper – white and colors
- Tall Kitchen Trash Bags
- Heavy Duty 30 gallon yard bags
- Laminating Sheets - 3 mil
- Zip-lock bags (All sizes)
- Hand Sanitizer
- Paper Towels
- Liquid Soap
- Toilet Paper
- Bottled Water
- OFF Bug Spray
- Large Baby Pools
- Kongs
- Kuranda beds (Cats and Dogs)
- Premier Brand Dog and Cat toys
- Soccer balls & Basketballs



How to Make Cat and Dog Toys

Make sure you have an adult supervising you and read all of the directions before you start either of these fun projects!

cat nip toys

Supplies

- Infant or child-size crew socks
- Cotton balls
- Dried catnip (Catnip can be purchased at any pet store.)
- Non-toxic permanent markers
- Non-toxic washable fabric glue



Instructions

1. Stuff the toe of the sock with 1 tablespoon of dried catnip.
2. Squeeze the fabric glue on the inside of the sock's ribbing to glue the sock closed, or knot the top of the sock.
3. Have fun, be creative, and decorate these kitty toys with fabric markers!

Note: Please do not use any additional fabric or yarn. These can be dangerous to the kitties!

doggie swing ball toy

Supplies

- 3 or 4 unmatched or holey socks
- 1 hard solid plastic ball
- Non-toxic permanent markers

Instructions

1. Find one or two of your longest socks.
2. Place ball in a smaller sock.
3. Roll sock with ball in it and stuff inside the longest sock.
4. Tie a knot in the base sock(s) above the stuffed area.
5. Have fun, be creative, and decorate these toys with the fabric markers!



no-sew cat fleece cat beds

Here are the directions for this quick and easy project!

Items you'll need:

- Two pieces of fleece fabric (1/3 yard each)
- Fabric scissors
- 4" x 4" piece of paper

Take your two pieces of fleece and put one piece on top of the other, lining up the edges so they are even.

Trim off any extra around the edges of your fleece. Remember, you need to try to cut straight, but it doesn't have to be.

Take your piece of 4" x 4" piece of paper and lay it on the corner of your blanket. Then cut out the corner through both layers. Do this on all four corners.

Now you are ready to cut your pieces of fringe. Cut 4" into both fleeces at 1" wide. Proceed to cut 1" intervals on all four sides.

Starting on one side and using one piece of fringe from each piece of fleece, tie using basic hand knots. Tie these knots on every piece of fringe around the entire blanket.

You're done! You've made a cute and cuddly blanket for the kitties!



it's always important to say thank you!

It is very important to thank everyone involved in your special event. You should thank your helpers, donors, and the principal at the school where the event took place.



It may seem like a time-consuming task, but, in the end, it is worth it! If you send a short note thanking people for their time and donations, they may be more willing to help you again with a future event.

The letters below are examples of letters that you can use. All you need to do is re-write the letter by filling in the missing information where indicated and print it.

If you are allowed to use the letterhead stationary for your school, after-school group, or community organization, it's nice to print your letters on this stationary for a more professional look. If you are not allowed to use their stationery, just create your own!

sample thank you letter for donors

Date

First Name, Last Name

Street Address

City, State Zip Code

Dear (*First Name, Last Name*),

On behalf of the staff, volunteers and students of (*your school or group name*), I want to write and thank you for your generous donation of (*type of donation*). Your donation will be given to Nate's Honor Animal Rescue.

Your contribution will help offset the cost of caring for the thousands of animals that Nate's Honor Animal Rescue assists each year.

Thanks to your donation, the (*event name*) was a great success.

Sincerely,

(*Your name*)

(*Name of supervising adult*)

thank you letter for your helpers

Date

First Name, Last Name

Street Address

City, State Zip Code

Dear (*First Name, Last Name*),

On behalf of the students of (*your school or group name*), I am writing to thank you for helping us with our (*type of donation drive*) drive. The donations we collected will be given to Nate's Honor Animal Rescue.

Your volunteer work was greatly appreciated, and I could not have presented such a successful event without your help.

I hope you will be able to join us at our next event.

Sincerely,

(*Your name*)

(*Name of supervising adult*)



Please fill this form out completely if you would like to hold a special event to benefit Nate's Honor Animal Rescue.

yes! i want to help nate's honor animal
rescue and run my own fundraising event!

Name of group or individual(s) planning the event _____

Age(s) of child(ren) participating _____

Name of supervising adult(s) (18 years or older) in charge of event _____

Address _____

Phone _____

E-mail address _____

Name of event _____

Date and time of event _____

Please describe the event and the fundraising components _____

If possible, would you like to have a representative from Nate's Honor Animal Rescue present at your event? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, what role will the representative play? (Please note that representatives are only available to answer questions about Nate's Honor Animal Rescue and not to help run the event.)

By checking this box, I promise that during this fundraiser, event organizers, including myself, my friends, my parents, and anyone else helping me, will NOT go door-to-door asking for donations.

Would you like to use Nate's Honor Animal Rescue's logo in any of your promotional materials? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, what address can we e-mail it to? _____

Child(ren): I have read and understood the guidelines for holding a fundraiser for Nate's Honor Animal Rescue. I promise to work very hard and do my very best!

Print name _____

Signature _____

Supervising Adult(s): I have read and understood the accompanying guidelines.

I hereby agree to abide by the aforementioned guidelines and provide all requested information in the manner described.

Print name _____

Signature _____

Date _____

Please return completed and signed contract to:

Nate's Honor Animal Rescue
4951 Lorraine Road
Bradenton, FL 34211

Questions? Call 941-747-4900, send an e-mail to info@honoranimalrescue.org, or send a fax to 941-552-3388.