



**ARIZONA HUMANE SOCIETY**  
Improving the Lives of Animals Since 1957

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## **AHS CELEBRATES NEW SEASON WITH “SPRING FLING”**

***Give a pet in need a new home and let love bloom during April Adoption Special!***

(PHOENIX) – With spring in full bloom, the Arizona Humane Society is working to see adoptions blossom by reducing adoption fees. Because the shelter experiences an increase of animal turn-ins during the spring, this adoption special aims to find loving, responsible “forever homes” for as many shelter pets as possible

The “[Spring Fling](#)” adoption special runs all through the month of April at all three AHS adoption locations. Prospective pet parents can watch their love grow by adopting a dog, cat, puppy, kitten or small animal.

Adoption fees during “[Spring Fling](#)” have been reduced to \$10 for guinea pigs, \$25 for all rabbits, ferrets, cats and kittens (ages 8 weeks to 5 years), and \$50 for dogs and puppies (ages 8 weeks to 5 years). Through the “Twice as Nice” discount, qualifying adopters will receive 50% off the adoption of a second pet, if he or she is adopted within 30 days of the first! Cats and dogs older than 5 years are only \$20 and \$35 respectively *all year long!* All adopted animals receive a free, follow-up veterinary exam and all cats, kittens, puppies, dogs and rabbits are spayed or neutered. Dogs, cats, puppies and kittens are vaccinated as well. *Plus...*

- ✦ *Critter adopters (rabbits, mice, gerbils, hamsters, birds, guinea pigs, rabbits and ferrets) receive a voucher for 50% off same-day purchases on critter-care items at the AHS;*
- ✦ *Cats and kittens receive a free collar, ID tag and carrier; and*
- ✦ *Dogs and puppies go home with a free leash, collar and ID tag.*

Adopters must be at least 18 and must provide a valid ID and proof of address. Prospective adopters who live in a rental property must bring a copy of their lease, as well as a telephone number where their property manager can be reached, so AHS adoption counselors can verify that pets are welcome.

You can visit with adoptable animals at any AHS location. You can also view all adoptable pets at [www.azhumane.org/findapet](http://www.azhumane.org/findapet). For more information, please call (602) 997-7586.

### **AHS LOCATIONS AND HOURS:**

#### **SUNNYSLOPE FACILITY**

9226 N. 13<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Phoenix  
(13<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Hatcher Road; Hatcher is a ½ mile north of Dunlap)  
10 am to 5 pm, Tuesday-Sunday  
*Cats and critters only*

#### **NINA MASON PULLIAM**

**CAMPUS FOR COMPASSION**  
1521 West Dobbins Road, Phoenix  
(15<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Dobbins Road; Dobbins is 1 mile south of Baseline)  
10 am to 5 pm, Tuesday-Sunday  
*Dogs, cats and critters*

#### **DEER VALLEY PETSMART**

2901 West Agua Fria Freeway  
(29<sup>th</sup> Avenue and the Loop 101; just west of Interstate 17 at the Union Hills/Yorkshire exit)  
11 am to 6 pm Monday-Saturday  
and 11 am to 5 pm on Sunday  
*Dogs, cats and critters*

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Founded in 1957, the Arizona Humane Society is the state’s largest, nonprofit animal-welfare and protection agency. The mission of AHS is to improve the lives of animals, alleviate their suffering, and elevate their status in society.

Learn more at [www.azhumane.org](http://www.azhumane.org).

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