

JAN-MAR  
2026

# THE SPARKY SCOOP



## SAVE THE DATES

- Thursdays: Pet of the Week @ WBKR, @ AMR
- Saturdays, 12-2 pm- Dog's Day Out (Must pre-register- see page 2 for more info)
- February 28- Community Pet Pantry (see page 2 for info)
- March 21- "Load The Lifesaver" with AMR
- April 4, 11:30am-1:30pm- Easter Bone Hunt @ Ben Hawes Park
- April 25, 5pm- Bark In Style Fashion Show @ Grand Stables Venue
- JUNE 6- Motorcycle & Car Show @ Island Cycle Works
- June 13- Dog Walk Day With Chad



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[SPARKYRESCUE.COM/EVENTS](http://SPARKYRESCUE.COM/EVENTS)

## VOLUNTEER OPPS

Social Media Support \* Groups coordinator \* Community outreach coordinator \* Animal transport \* Animal Care \* Spay/Neuter Clinic Support \* Foster Family \* & more! Flyer distribution (great opp for someone who takes kids to school- drop flyers off on your way home!)

[www.sparkyrescue.com/volunteering](http://www.sparkyrescue.com/volunteering)

CHECK OUT OUR NEW FAQ PAGE WITH ANSWERS TO COMMON QUESTIONS, AND RESOURCES!



## HELP CONTROL OVERPOPULATION

Spay & Neuter Your Pets!



SPACE IS LIMITED!

Low cost spay & neuter services

MUST PREPAY

NO REFUNDS

[WWW.SPARKYRESCUE.COM/SPAY-NEUTER-CLINIC/](http://WWW.SPARKYRESCUE.COM/SPAY-NEUTER-CLINIC/)

[INFO@SPARKYRESCUE.COM](mailto:INFO@SPARKYRESCUE.COM)



REGISTRATION



## 13TH ANNUAL EASTER BONE HUNT

SATURDAY APRIL 4TH  
11:30 AM TO 1:30 PM  
BEN HAWES PARK

\$15 PER DOG TO HUNT

## Community Pet Pantry

Application is required and can be completed on site.  
Follow us on Facebook for monthly location announcements!



[www.sparkyrescue.com](http://www.sparkyrescue.com) | @Saving Paws Animal Rescue of Kentucky

### TO BE ELIGIBLE:

- you must be 18+ & the pets owner
- present a photo ID with current address each visit
- amounts are given based on need and available inventory
- \*pets must be spayed or neutered to participate OR willing to work with us to get them spayed or neutered.

### Apply for Pet Pantry Assistance here:

Food, leashes, collars, toys will be available; first come, first serve



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Community Pet Pantry  
Keeping Pets Fed & Families Together

- Effective Jan 1, 2026: ALL pets must be spayed/neutered or scheduled for spay/neuter to receive assistance.
- Vouchers are valid for 12 months- assistance will be provided up to 6 months, applicants choice.
- Participants will be disqualified for: adding a pet; failure to spay/neuter, or 2 No Shows without prior notice.



## 2025 Impact Report



## Confident Conversations: Moving Beyond Breed Labels

### 1 "What Breed is she?"

"Great question! Since most dogs are mixed breeds, we focus on what we actually know about them. Pierogi is about 45 pounds, enjoys tug toys & slow walks, and absolutely loves other dogs. Tell me more about what you're looking for in a dog."

### 2 "I'm only interested in [specific breed]."

"I understand, you have something specific in mind! What is it about that breed that appeals to you? If we can figure out what traits matter most, I can introduce you to dogs who might be a great fit, even if they don't look like what you expected."

### 3 "He's clearly [breed]. Why won't you say?"

"You might be right, but most shelter dogs are mixes, and their looks don't always predict their behavior. What I can tell you is what we've learned about this dog's personality and needs while they've been here."

LEARN MORE: [animalfarmfoundation.org](http://animalfarmfoundation.org)



Homes by Benny Clark proudly presents  
Silent Auction Dinner Fashion Show  
April 25, 2026 at Grand Stable  
Emcee - Chad Benefield



BARK in  
STYLE  
HOMES BY Benny Clark  
SILVER B BARCLAY  
JIK exp  
S&V Fabrication  
BYRON B BARCLAY  
the earlitz  
Rizz  
Boutique  
Grand Mile  
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## DONATION NEEDS

- Purina Food
- Collars & leashes for dogs
- Dog toys
- Cat litter- pellet type
- Small & large pet beds
- 1 & 2.5 gallon slider bags
- **Greenies** pill pockets
- Paper towels
- bleach, **Odaban** cleaner
- Rescue disinfectant

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