

## **Celebrate the Dog Days of Summer with Continued Savings this July**

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**Adoption is the best option!!!** Head out to the Humane Society of Williamson County this July and give a homeless dog or cat a new chance at life and having a forever family and home by adopting!!

For the month of July, HSWC will be offering specials on pet adoption fees ranging from \$50 to \$130. On a special note, HSWC has kittens available for adoption at a low rate of \$95 each or a “two-fer” special of \$130, as well as another “two-fer” special of \$100 for two adult cats, even as young as seven months of age! Adult dogs and cats both are available for special rates ranging between \$50 and \$65, depending on the length of their stay at the shelter. Every cat and dog adopted from HSWC has already been spayed/ neutered, fully vetted according to age appropriateness, and micro-chipped. HSWC will also be sending all new pets home with: a \$30 gift certificate to Banfield the Pet Hospital at PetSmart, 30 days of *free* pet health insurance through ShelterCare, training videos, a starter bag of pet food, grooming coupons, and 1 night of *free* boarding and a *free* initial pet exam at Zoot Pet Hospital and Luxury Boarding, among many other great savings opportunities.

More exciting news for the month of July: Summer is upon us and with that brings lots of kittens, fleas, ticks, and mosquitoes. HSWC will host a Low-Cost Vaccination and Micro-chipping Clinic held at the shelter on July 24<sup>th</sup> from 1 – 3pm, along with the weekly Low-Cost Spay/Neuter Clinics offered every Tuesday and Thursday. Make sure you buy your preventative medications, vaccinate, and spay/neuter your animals! Off-site adoption and pet education booths will be hosted by HSWC at the following locations: PetSmart, located on 1431, only minutes away from HSWC every Saturday and Sunday. HSWC will also be participating in Bark in the Park Austin on Saturday, July 17<sup>th</sup> at Zilker Park. On Saturday, July 17<sup>th</sup>, HSWC will be at Tomlinson’s in Cedar Park for a very special off-site event and donation drive supported by Nature’s Variety. Jenny DiGaetano, spokesperson for Nature’s Variety, Inc., explains, “When a customer comes into Tomlinson’s [Cedar Park] location on July 17 and purchases any size bag of Nature’s Variety Prairie for donation to the [the Humane Society of Williamson County], we will match their food donation – pound for pound.”

In addition, HSWC will be hosting our annual Hot Dogs 4 Hot Dogs cookout to raise funds and continue saving animals’ lives on Saturday, July 24<sup>th</sup> from 1 – 3pm, in conjunction with HSWC’s Low-Cost Vaccination Clinic, and again from 6 – 8pm. Come out to this family-friendly event and enjoy hot dogs, drinks, and games for a good cause! Mark your calendars now for HSWC’s upcoming 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Bowl-a-Thon hosted at Mel’s Lonestar Lanes this August. Please contact HSWC for additional information on events and public clinics at 512/260-3602 or visit [www.hswc.net](http://www.hswc.net).

*The Humane Society of Williamson County (HSWC) is a not-for-profit 501(c)3 organization celebrating its 30<sup>th</sup> year of finding forever homes for deserving pets. HSWC is 100% funded by donations, grants and fees for services and receives no government funding. It is located at 10930 E. Crystal Falls Parkway, Leander, Texas, between 183A and Parmer Lane.*

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