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HSWC Celebrates March Madness with Adoption Specials!

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Spring is just around the corner and the days are warming up to provide the perfect setting to spend time outdoors with your new forever family member. Give a homeless dog or cat a “spring clean” start by adopting this month!

For the month of March, HSWC will be offering specials on pet adoption fees ranging from \$50 to \$120. 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. Another way that HSWC will be thanking their new pet parents is by giving a Free HSWC Frisbee with all dog adoptions and a brand new surprise Cat Toy with all cat adoptions!

In an effort to find forever homes for longer-term resident dogs, HSWC is now offering the *Foster to Adopt* Program for all qualifying dogs that have been at the shelter for more than 3 months. Potential adopters will be able to foster the dog for up to 3 days while deciding if the match is right for their family. Interested participants are urged to contact the Foster Program Coordinator at HSWC for further details.

More exciting news for the month of March: HSWC will be hosting off-site adoption and pet education booths at the following locations: PetSmart, located on 1431, only minutes away from HSWC every Saturday and Sunday. On Saturday, March 13th, HSWC will be at PetSense in the Round Rock Outlet Center. HSWC will also be offering a Low-Cost Vaccination and Micro-chipping Clinic at the shelter on March 27th from 1 – 3pm, along with the weekly Low-Cost Spay/Neuter Clinics every Tuesday and Thursday.

The Humane Society of Williamson County's 5th Annual Dog Leg Classic Golf Tournament will be hosted on Monday, April 19th. Please visit www.hswc.net for additional registration or volunteer details on this fundraising event!

The Humane Society of Williamson County (HSWC) is a not-for-profit 501(c)3 organization celebrating its 30th 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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