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Shelter Offers Pets for Adoption Oct. 20-21 at PetSmart

FAYETTEVILLE, NC – In celebration of “Adopt a Shelter Dog Month,” animals from the Cumberland County Animal Shelter will be available for adoption at PetSmart on Ramsey Street over the weekend. The adoption event will be held in the store’s parking lot from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 20-21.

Cumberland County Animal Control Director Dr. John Lauby said the department has set a goal of finding homes for 200 animals during the two-day event. The animals will be available to adopt for a fee, which covers vaccinations, county tags, and spaying or neutering. Fees range from \$68 to \$117 depending on the size of the animal.

“This is a great opportunity for these animals to find homes,” Dr. Lauby said. “Adopting an animal from the shelter will save the life of the animal and make a difference in the new owner’s life.”

For more information on pet adoption, visit the Animal Control Department section of the county’s website, www.co.cumberland.nc.us, or call 910-321-6852.

The Animal Control Shelter is located at 4704 Corporation Dr. and is open for regular adoption hours Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and Saturdays from 1-4:30 p.m.

Pet Smart Charities provided a grant to pay for the supplies and permits required for the event.

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