

A Note from H.A.L.O.'s Board of Directors

It's hard to believe that a year has already passed since our last newsletter - but here we are right in the middle of summer! On behalf of everyone here at H.A.L.O., we once again would like to give our heartfelt thanks to all of the individuals, organizations, and businesses that continue to support our mission of rescuing stray, abused, and abandoned animals.

Sadly, despite all pleas to caregivers to spay or neuter their pets, feline over-population continues to be a major problem and H.A.L.O., as well as all area rescue groups, are struggling to meet the current need. The situation is urgent and your cash contribution in any amount will go a long way towards defraying increased costs.

Nearly as urgent is our need for volunteers. PLEASE read our appeal for help and consider how YOU can help keep the doors of H.A.L.O. open for these helpless animals. Everything we do is only possible because of you!

Thank you from the H.A.L.O. Board of Directors.



H.A.L.O. Fundraising committee

We would like to acknowledge our fantastic new Fundraising Committee. Our committee includes Dave and Sandy Silverstein, Debra Estey, Barb Wilson, Andrea Heckel, and Nedda Thomes. They have truly done an amazing job! Their kindness and hard work has been essential to H.A.L.O., in our constant struggle against the ever-increasing costs of running a true, no-kill shelter. We couldn't do it without them and most definitely couldn't do it without the generous donations of our supporters! A heartfelt thanks to you all!

Vote for HALO Everyday and Help Us Win up to \$10,000!

You can help HALO win cash prizes just by visiting Petfinder.com and voting for us every day through August 23, 2010! Petfinder.com and The Animal Rescue Site have joined together to sponsor The Animal Rescue Site's \$100,000.00 Challenge. Participating is simple. You can cast one vote everyday for HALO and HALO has LOTS of chances to win some of the special funds that will be awarded. There are weekly \$1,000 prizes. There will also be a grand prize of \$10,000, which goes to the organization with the highest vote total for the duration of the challenge. There is also a second prize of \$7,000, third prize is \$5,000, and much more!

To vote, go to www.petfinder.com and click on the purple "Shelter's Challenge – Vote Every Day" button. On the next page you'll find additional information about the Challenge, including the rules, e-cards to tell others to vote for HALO, and much more. To cast your vote for HALO, simply scroll down to the purple box, type in **Helping Animals Live Organization**, choose **NY** state, and search. HALO will come up with a "VOTE" button. Click the button and you've voted for HALO!

Let's all join together and vote every single day – what a difference you can make!!!



Who We Are

Incorporated in 2003, H.A.L.O., Inc. is a non-profit, 501c (3) tax-exempt corporation as defined by the IRS code.

Dedicated to responsible and loving stewardship for every stray, lost and abandoned animal that comes into our care, we are a No-Kill, Cage - Free animal rescue/welfare group. In addition to rescuing animals in need, we offer Placement & Rehoming assistance for both dogs and cats and support caregivers tending feral cat colonies. We receive no local, county, state, or federal assistance and rely solely on contributions and grants to survive.

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One of the most important aspects of estate planning is preparing for your animal companions' future—for the time when you are no longer there to care for them yourself. Our companion animals are an integral part of our lives, and we know that they depend on us completely. So it is crucial to make careful preparations now for their future care. Did you know that you can incorporate important steps into your estate planning to ensure the long-term well-being of your animals and also make their transition to a life without you as stress-free as possible for them?

You can also make a lasting gift to future animals in need by naming H.A.L.O. Inc. as a beneficiary in your will or on your life insurance policy. Bequests are the simplest form of planned giving and can be easily arranged with your attorney. For more information on leaving a lasting legacy to needy animals, please call Barbara at 315-866-4968.

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 therefore that I can do,
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 show to any fellow creature,
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 --Anonymous



For you smart cats on Facebook, look for regular updates. Please add us as a friend. Search for *H.A.L.O. Helping Animals Live Organization* and our sister page, *HALO Animal Rescue Inc.*

Upcoming Fundraisers and Events!

HALO will be joining the Canal Days festivities in Little Falls again this year, held August 9-16 and HALO will be holding a Chinese Auction. We appreciate any donations, including items in good condition, gift cards and gift certificates, handmade items, and/or any animal related items. If you would like to help support HALO in our efforts to help the animals, and have items to donate for our Canal Days Chinese Auction, please call Faye at 315-823-0239 or Andrea at 315-823-4680. Thank you! Volunteers are needed to work a shift, too.

Sunday, August 29: **Fly Creek Cider Mill...H.A.L.O. and cider??** Sure, why not! Join us at the Fly Creek Cider Mill in Fly Creek on Sunday August 29th as we sell our Summer Raffle tickets, t-shirts, and catnip mice. While there, pick up some delicious apple cider, apple wine, cave-aged cheese, homemade fudge, and hundreds of other amazing products sold at the Mill! Cider Mill Bill and his wife Brenda have been great supporters of H.A.L.O. and we would like to thank them in advance for a fun-filled day at the Mill in August!

2nd Annual H.A.L.O. Hoedown!

Yes, it's back! H.A.L.O.'s 2nd annual Hoedown will take place on Sunday, September 19th at the Silverado in Herkimer. Join us for a family-friendly day of fun, food, raffles, a chinese auction, door prizes, and the best local country music around! Scheduled to appear: Splendorgrass, Rick Barnes & Cheyenne, TJ Saco & Electric Rodeo, Fulton Chain Gang, Jason Wicks & Pure Country, and 15 year old newcomer Kara Brown! It doesn't get much better than that! Sponsored by Bug Country 99.7 & 101.1 and hosted by Bug Country's Dave Silvers. Watch for additional details coming soon!

GERTRUDE HAWK WINTER SALE

YUMMMMM! Yet another very popular fundraiser will be back this fall! If you are interested in buying or selling Gertrude Hawk Chocolate to help HALO help the animals, please call and let us know!

Do you have an idea for a fundraiser? Let us know! We always welcome ideas from our kind and generous supporters! Even better? Suggest a fundraiser and help us out! If you have any ideas for fundraisers, please call Sandy or Dave at 315-733-6030!

Thank you, thank you....to.....

The Herkimer Polish Club for their \$750 donation to H.A.L.O. in March of 2010. Generous donations like these help H.A.L.O. continue our efforts to help the kitties. Thank you!

Chris Estey and the Velvet Dog in Herkimer for purchasing all of the lottery tickets needed for our Lottery Tree raffle.

The Enea Family Funeral Homes, a proud sponsor of our website, www.halorescue.net

Anita Vitullo in New Hartford, who has graciously designated her United Way contributions to H.A.L.O. in 2010. This is a new program, usually handled through your employer, and we at H.A.L.O. appreciate it so much. Thank you again Anita!

What a wonderful thing to do! Timothy, Caitlyn, and Lilli Johndrew asked their Aunt, Linda Pratt, to donate to H.A.L.O. in lieu of Christmas gifts last year. How generous and thoughtful! These amazing kids have 3 pets of their own: Gabriel, their dog and their 2 cats, Daisy and Maisey! Thank you from the bottom of our hearts!

Leslie Barthowski for making those adorable 'violet' catnip mice that we sold at this year's Violet Festival in Dolgeville!

Matt and Julie Ambrose. They held a "Dog Days of Summer" Chinese Auction in Little Falls last July to raise much needed funds for area animal groups. H.A.L.O. received \$225 from these kind and generous people!

Nancy Swienton, who generously donated funds to purchase air conditioners for H.A.L.O. House. Nancy also donated enough to help us purchase window blinds for 15 windows! The kitties and H.A.L.O. volunteers are very grateful. Thank you, Nancy!!

Brenda Naizby, Jan Shannon of Animal Lovers and C.A.P.P. in the Albany area have been instrumental in finding many homes for our H.A.L.O. kittys. A special thank you to Brenda who gives up so many of her Saturdays to transport our cats to Albany.

H.A.L.O. is extremely grateful to Anne White, our newest H.A.L.O. supporter! Anne writes a column for Examiner.com and has written several articles about H.A.L.O. in recent weeks. Anne has written about Joseph, our Featured Feline for this newsletter, as well as several of our events, and our need for foster homes. Thank you very much, Anne, for helping us to get the word out!

We would also like to thank our amazing volunteers! If we could get a few more volunteers like Eugene Davis, Barbara Murray, Joyce LaVenture, Emily Mayhew, Bob Meyers, Candy Dean, Bonnie & Wes Folsbee, and Heather Carpenter -- H.A.L.O. House would be in GREAT shape! These H.A.L.O. friends are faithful about helping on a regular basis: sometimes twice a week, sometimes daily!

Summer Pet Safety Tips

With summer here -- we all love to spend time with our pets in the summer...it's part of the fun! Whether taking a walk, a drive or just hanging out in the backyard, there are extra precautions that people can take to keep their four-legged family members happy and safe. The following tips are provided by the Humane Society of the United States.

1. Never leave a pet unattended in the car on a warm or sunny day. Cars quickly heat up to a dangerous temperature, even with the window slightly open.
2. Keep cats indoors to keep them safe. Cars, other pets and wild animals can all pose risks to cats' safety. By providing play time, cat trees and other enrichment, a cat will be happy and content to stay indoors.
3. Beware of cocoa mulch and other gardening products. Cocoa mulch can be deadly if ingested and has an appetizing scent to some animals. Pesticides, fertilizers and other harsh chemicals can also be quickly fatal if ingested.
4. When taking a dog for a walk on a hot day, plan for shorter midday walks, when temperatures peak, and longer walks in the morning and evening when it's cooler. Hot sidewalks can burn the pads on a dog's paws, so walk on the grass when possible.
5. Pet rabbits should be kept indoors because they don't tolerate heat well. Keeping a rabbit indoors will also provide protection from predators who might try to attack a rabbit in an outdoor hutch.



2010 Chinese Auction at the Silverado in Herkimer



Bottle & Can Drive & Bake Sale, Herkimer WalMart, 5/22/10



Recent Events

Spaghetti Suppers!

February and June, 2010

Fundraisers so nice, we did them twice! H.A.L.O.'s two spaghetti supper fundraisers were quite successful - earning a combined \$1,100! Lots of fun and good food were had by all - including our volunteers! Diners were treated to spaghetti and meatballs, salad, beverage, and yummy homemade desserts! Thanks to an anonymous donor for paying Holy Family Parish Church in Little Falls for use of their hall -- and a HUGE thanks to the Polish Community Club in Herkimer for donating the use of their building. A GREAT BIG paws up and thanks to all of our H.A.L.O. volunteers for making it a huge success. Watch for more suppers to come!

Ole VI Chili Fest

February 2010

What a tasty and fun way to help the H.A.L.O. kitties! In February, the Ole VI in Herkimer hosted a chili cookoff to benefit H.A.L.O. These very kind and generous people raised \$120 for H.A.L.O.! Lots of cat food donations were also received! Guest judges were Dave Silvers from Bug Country radio, Bob Thomes, and Dale Dygert. A HUGE thanks to the Ole VI and all of the participants for another successful fundraising event!

Bottle and Can Drive

May, 2010

Another first! On Saturday, May 22nd, the H.A.L.O. Fundraising Committee held its first ever Bottle and Can Drive and Bake Sale at the Herkimer Walmart. With the generous help of our supporters in the community, approximately \$400 was raised in just four hours! The bake sale raised a whopping \$127...and combined with our \$62 in donations and \$188.20 in bottles and cans..we can call this event a success! Special thanks to Herkimer Walmart, RD's Redemption Center, and our bakers: Deb Estey, Barb Wilson, Dave and Sandy Silverstein, Sue Heron, Marion Grandy, and David (who happens to love visiting the kitties of H.A.L.O. House on a regular basis!).



Bonnie Folnsbee's first 3 foster cats, Luna, Kaitie and Blizzard. See Bonnie's story in this Newsletter.

Spring Committee donation



THE SPIRIT COMMITTEE, a HERKIMER COUNTY EMPLOYEE BENEVOLENT GROUP, recently donated five humane traps to local animal welfare organizations Community Animal Programs (C.A.P.) and Helping Animals' Live Organization (H.A.L.O.). The traps will be used in situations where the groups have to humanely trap feral cats to be spayed or neutered. The donation was appreciated by both groups because they have few traps in their possession and it was difficult to help in these situations for that reason. Pictured, from left to right, are Spirit Committee member Vanessa Graham, C.A.P. president Larry Ortlieb, Spirit Committee members Laurel Morrisette, Debbie Roe and Cathy Lowell and H.A.L.O. volunteer Deb Estey.



Hershey, a beautiful HALO cat

2nd Annual H.A.L.O. Chinese Auction March 2010

Well, we did it again! H.A.L.O.'s 2nd Annual Chinese Auction was bigger and better this year! Thanks to the generous support of the community, we raised \$5,000 in just one day! Supporters came from far and wide to place bids on hundreds of auction items, including gift baskets, children's items, pet goods, and gift certificates. Food and drinks were available, and there were many raffles to participate in. Dave Silvers from Bug Country played music and emceed the festivities.

H.A.L.O. would like to give a special thanks to the following supporters: the Silverado for hosting the event, Bug Country radio - 99.7 and 101.1FM, WKTV and the Mohawk Valley Express for covering the event, the many local businesses that generously donated items, and our many volunteers. Without all of you, we would not be able to do what we do!



Special Thanks

We would like to extend our greatest thanks and appreciation to the following foundations that have awarded H.A.L.O. grant funding to support our programs.

C.J. Meiling Foundation: Unrestricted gift of \$2,500 in memory of beloved, 16 year old cat Rudy.

Samuel S. Dale Memorial Fund: A gift of \$500 to be used to waive the \$50 adoption fee for 10 residents of Little falls, age 65 or older.

Foundation M of Andover, MA gave us a grant of \$5000 for general operating support!!

This and That...

Our Gertrude Hawk candy fundraiser in March made a whopping \$2,489! Wow!

H.A.L.O.'s Spring Finders Keepers Sale, held in April, made \$1,100! Way to go! Please start saving your items for our upcoming Fall Finders Keepers Sale. We will pick up your donated items! In Utica call Sandy or Dave at 315-733-6030. In Herkimer or Little Falls, please call Deb at 315-866-8608 or Faye at 315-823-0239

Congratulations to our Mother's Day Raffle winners! Readoth Young was our Grand Prize winner of \$1,000! Dee Sauer took home a GORGEOUS ring valued at over \$600! We would like to thank everyone who sold and purchased tickets for helping us to raise approximately \$400 needed to care for the many rescued animals residing at the HALO House.

Ruth, our Featured Feline from our last newsletter, has been adopted by Shirley Potasiewicz of Cold Brook. Congrats to Shirley - and also to Ruth - for finding each other!

Congratulations to John Klein of Utica, winner of the 2009 Summer Raffle. John won a 40 inch Sony LCD High Definition TV!

Special thanks to Gary & Bev Zilkowski, who have generously donated several beautiful 14k gold rings and pearl necklace sets to HALO for use in future raffles.

We need volunteers!

Our work involves a lifetime commitment to many animals that would be considered unadoptable. They have a safe haven here, and we try to provide the best in veterinary and nutritional care and a pleasant living environment...But their needs are great and these needs continue to grow. We need your help as a volunteer and donor to improve their lives. If you've ever considered volunteering at the shelter, please consider doing so now. We have many cats and kittens that need and deserve love and attention. Can you spare an hour or two each week to help? Options abound. In addition to caring for the animals, opportunities include: Photographer, Fostering, Helping with our newsletter, Grant writing, fundraising events, crafters that can create pet beds and cat toys for the animals or to sell, drivers to transport animals to the vet, dropping off fliers, etc. Be creative! If you have a special talent, like woodworking, maybe you can help us build shelves or cupboards! If you can help in any way, please call Faye at 823-0230 or Andrea at 823-4680.

Welcome to our new volunteers!

H.A.L.O. would like to shine the spotlight on two of our newest volunteers - Wes and Bonnie Folsbee! Wes and Bonnie have proven to be an invaluable asset to H.A.L.O.! They do everything from fostering to emergency veterinary runs to daily care of our H.A.L.O. cats. And they are also pretty handy at making wood items for us to raffle at our fundraisers!

Bonnie explains her experience with H.A.L.O....

Foster Care Reality

What do you do with the empty bedrooms when the kids have gone out on their own? The possibilities are endless and my husband and I decided to open our home to cats who need foster care. With nearly 20 years of being involved with wildlife rehabilitation we had plenty of experience caring for animals. But due to financial constraints we decided we could no longer keep our doors open to wildlife. Over the years, we have taken in severely debilitated animals and raised many orphans who have lost their parents. We have successfully stabilized the most traumatically injured creatures and we wanted to continue to help animals in need; so we filled out a foster application for H.A.L.O. After all, with all of our experience, how hard could fostering be, right?

Well, before long we were asked to take in a beautiful and very pregnant cat, a pure white cat with ice blue eyes, which we named Katie. We got her maternity room ready, complete with a private area for her to birth her kittens but Katie spent most of the time lounging with our little Shih-Tzu and spending time with the family. She was very sweet and affectionate and we took an instant liking to her. We had no cats when Katie came to us and I kept telling my son and my husband--and myself--that this was temporary and we weren't keeping any of them. We were providing a temporary home. until they got adopted, we were giving Katie a safe haven to have her kittens in. "We aren't keeping any" was my mantra...famous last words!!!

At 1:15 AM on February 26th, I heard tiny little cries coming from the maternity room and realized that Katie was having her kittens. I stayed with her and assisted her, not that she needed any help. It quickly became apparent that she knew exactly what to do. What a loving and caring mama she was. By 4:00 AM, Katie had 5 beautiful kittens. Sadly, one kitten did not survive but I am thankful that the others did well. I had been updating my family and friends through the night of the progress. I was as excited as a new grandma. (continued next column)

As I sat and looked at these tiny kittens it suddenly hit me that these beautiful, half dollar sized faces were the faces of the homeless. They had a temporary home with me and I was willing see to their every need, but they had no forever home, no forever family to become familiar with and love, and this blessed event was tinged with sadness for me.

Well a week goes by and I inform my son that he may pick out one kitten and we will adopt it, and so Blizzard was chosen. We named him Blizzard because the night he was born there was a terrible blizzard going on outside. So, OK, I gave in and decided to adopt only one kitten. Well, after a couple of weeks of watching Katie so lovingly care for her kittens, I just fell in love with her and we added her to our family. Then there was a kitten who was all white except for a black splotch on her head, who really took to my husband. Wes would come home from work and sit in his recliner to watch the news and this kitten would climb up on his lap and fall asleep. This occurred every single evening. Well, we went on to name this kitten Luna and yes she is also a part of our family and every night she comes in the bedroom and stretches out on my husband's chest and sleeps. I'm happy to say that Katie's other two kittens found a forever home together and I was thrilled.

My first fostering experience with H.A.L.O. was a joy to say the least and I have since taken on another mommy cat and her 3 kittens and 5 other kittens who needed a loving home until a forever home can be found. You do get attached and you just know that no one can love and care for them the way you do. Of course, that's not true, but that's how you feel. The thing with fostering is you have to keep in mind that you are a temporary home and your role is to care, nurture and socialize these kitties and make it so they have the best chance of being adopted. You kiss them goodbye and you will cry when the time comes, but there are other kitties out there who need you. Unfortunately, with the over-population problem there will never be a shortage. My foster kitties have made me laugh with their antics and have caused a few sleepless nights when they were sick but foster homes are badly needed and they are a vital transition between homelessness and finding that forever home. If you are an animal lover and you have what it takes, I strongly urge you to become a foster parent to a homeless cat or kitten. The food, litter and vet care is provided to you, you provide all the love you want and reap the rewards--that doesn't cost a thing.

I can't adopt them all but I am so glad we have our three adopted kitties. I have announced to my family that we have enough cats now.....I think.

Good Search

Whenever you're searching the web you can help HALO by using www.GoodSearch.com. Just type in Helping Animals Live Organization as your charity of choice. When you surf, we earn!

Purina Weight Circles needed!

Please save and then give us the weight circles found on bags of Purina cat food. We receive rebates for them which help to reduce our food bill.

Our Wish List

- Volunteers! Would you like to help out at H.A.L.O. House? How about an event or two? Just let us know!
- Trash bags and paper products such as paper towels
- Laundry and dish detergent
- Gas cards to help with transport
- Cat toys
- Blankets, sheets, and towels
- Cat food (Purina or better quality dry food, Friskies or better quality canned food)!
- Gift cards to local Pet Supply stores
- If you can't decide, why not a Walmart gift card? This will help us to pick up last minute items that might be needed!

We would also LOVE and very much appreciate donated books of stamps with the new animal rescue theme! Not only do these stamps help us greatly, but they help us to get out the word about animal rescue. We would like to accumulate as many as possible before the USPS stops offering them. Please consider a donation of these stamps to H.A.L.O.!

We are currently in need of foster homes for 2 - 3 weeks. Some of our kitties go to Animal Lovers in Albany, where the adoption rate is higher! However, we are required to foster them before sending them to Animal Lovers. Won't you please consider fostering one of these hopeful kitties for just a few weeks so that they have a better chance of finding their furever home? Please contact us if interested!

Our Featured Feline!

Please meet Joseph! Joseph is an extremely loving, cuddly young cat with an unusual story. Not too long ago, Joseph was homeless and living in and around the park in Little Falls. He befriended several kind people who lived near the park. One nice lady in particular would feed him and pet him whenever he came around. One day, a neighbor working in her garden, noticed that Joseph had wandered into her yard. But he didn't look like his usual self - someone had spray painted him! The good samaritan fed Joseph and then brought him to Andrea Heckel, H.A.L.O.'s Treasurer and an all around wonderful lady. Andrea took one look at the colored kitty, fed him, and kept him with her. Joseph (named so because of this "technicolor dream coat") was taken to the vet, given a clean bill of health, neutered, and brought up to date on his vaccines. Now this sweet, loving young man needs a forever home. His coloring is already fading and his coat should be back to its gorgeous snow white color soon! Joseph loves people about as much as he loves food! He would do well in a home with an older person who would give him undivided attention, or with a family with children to play with him! Would you like to meet Joseph? To schedule an appointment, please contact Andrea at 315-823-4680 or Faye at 315-823-0239



This is Joseph

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Your contribution makes a great difference in the lives of the 100 or so cats being fed, housed and cared for at HALO.

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Mr. & Mrs. Mel Matteson
40th Anniversary by
Robin Hall & Phillip Parks

Fr. James Taylor
by Lynne Swartz

My sister, Jeanne Miller
by Jame Lombardo

Remembering Special People

Diane Fredericks

HALO lost a special friend with the passing of Diane Fredericks. We extend our condolences to her family & friends & remember her amazing spirit along with the many others listed below. She will be greatly missed!

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Rylee Nolan & Grandma

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Boomer #2
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Sicily by Helen Tripple

Shierpy
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cat) by Jane Vooris

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Wagner

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adopted from HALO -
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Sammy F. by Robin Hall

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& Janet Collins

Bobbin by Eleanor
Wolfe

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Misty by Susan & Frank
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Frisky & Boomer #1 by
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Precious, Pumpkin &
Joey by Donna & John
Carruth

KeeKee & Shadow
by Elva Ferris

Shadow Lombardo
by Sondra Roberts

Rocket - best friend for
16 years by Jane Vooris

Sam the Cat & Abby the
dog by Marie Diab

Abigail - my grandson's
dear cat - by Lois Long

Simba, Muffin & Emilio
by Sallie Backius

Snowball
by Gary Markowitz Sr. &
Janet Collins

Freddie
by Cindy Voight

Buffy, Brandy & Lucky
by Patricia Esposito

Rudy -16 years old-
by Debbie & Bill
LeCates

Remembering Special Pets

Lexie the cat is missed
by her sisters &
Katherine Krawecki

Abraham & Ebony
by Laurel Morrisette

Lexie & Nicki Krawecki
by Ira & Katherine &
S. Weston

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BORN SO
THEY CAN
LEARN TO
LIVE A GOOD
LIFE & LOVE
OTHERS.
ANIMALS
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TO DO THAT
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