

FRIENDS FOR LIFE

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DEAR FRIENDS,

Sometimes, I just do not know.

I do not know why people abuse their pets, partners, and children. Or, how a tiny kitten could find himself lost, wandering the shores of Manhattan Beach.

Moses was one such animal – a two-month-old stray kitten who came to spcaLA as a tiny ball of black and white fluff.

Our staff noticed Moses had a pretty serious limp. Upon examination, our vet staff also noted a firm swelling on his leg – nearly the size of a golf ball.

We got right to work. We gave him antimicrobial treatments, radiographs, countless tests, and a biopsy.

Thankfully, his tests were negative, and the biopsy showed no signs of cancer. However, Moses did not respond to treatment. He was limping, in pain, and not getting any better.

Possibly because of a past trauma or prior fracture, he had a malunion of his bone. Like a house built on sticks, his limb was unstructured, painful, and likely to break with little provocation.

Amputation was the only option for Moses.

Making a full recovery after surgery, Moses is now a happy, rambunctious kitten living his very best life in his new home.

Your generosity allows spcaLA to provide pets like Moses – and thousands like him – the veterinary care, nourishing food, enrichment, and TLC they need.

If you are able, please make a donation to support spcaLA.

I know I can count on you.

Thank you,



Madeline Bernstein
President, spcaLA



P.S. There is no national spca or humane society, nor is spcaLA a chapter of any group.

48,266

animal treatments
were performed



Veterinary Services

Dogs, puppies, cats, kittens, small mammals, and other species received physical exams, procedures, treatments, diagnostic testing, spay/neuter, vaccinations, and microchipping.

61 Pets
&
42 Clients

helped by the
Animal Safety Net
(ASN)™



Animal Protection Services

Humane Officers protected 2,224 animals in the course of their investigations, including **785 dogs, 393 birds, 239 cats, 229 reptiles, 227 small mammals, 84 farm animals, 41 rabbits, 25 equines, 200 fish, and 1 arachnid.**

Humane Education Violence Prevention

This year, spcaLA began to expand the Animal Safety Net (ASN)™ program – providing temporary housing for the pets of domestic violence survivors, as well as others in crisis.

**spcaLA IS DEDICATED TO THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS
THROUGH EDUCATION, LAW ENFORCEMENT, INTERVENTION, & ADVOCACY.**

In-Shelter

188 spcaLA volunteers donated **17,220.25** hours of their time in the shelter. Corporate volunteers donated a total of **1,298** hours of their time.

Volunteers

spcaLA welcomed volunteers back to in-shelter work, and resumed new volunteer recruitment!

12,129

hours dedicated
to fostering

Adoption

We re-opened to the public in May of 2022, and continue to offer appointments for lost and found services.

2,017

pets in homes
(adopted, reunited
with their owners,
or sent to credible
rescue partners)



spcaLA EXPENSES

73% Programs
12% Fundraising
15% Management/General





Make a difference

spcaLA.com/gift



SEND A CARD

Use the enclosed envelope or donate online, and we'll send a card to celebrate the special people or pets in your life.



SEND AN E-CARD

Choose from a variety of holiday and other eCards, featuring spcaLA shelter pets.



NAMING OPPORTUNITY

Purchase online or call (323) 730-5300, x3600. Opportunities range from \$50 to \$2,500.

Give by December 14th to ensure Christmas delivery of cards & naming opportunity certificates.

LOCATIONS

spcaLA is now open for adoptions – no appointment necessary!
Visit spcaLA.com for directions and hours of operation.

spcaLA Administration

5026 West Jefferson Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90016
(323) 730-5300

spcaLA South Bay Pet Adoption Center

12910 Yukon Ave.
Hawthorne, CA 90250
(310) 676-1149

spcaLA P.D. Pitchford Companion Animal Village & Education Center

7700 East Spring St.
Long Beach, CA 90815
(562) 216-2542

spcaLA Marketplace (Located in the Village)

Visit the spcaLA Marketplace for all-natural pet foods and high quality treats and toys.
(562) 206-1376

REPORT ANIMAL CRUELTY:
800-540-7722





5026 West Jefferson Boulevard
Los Angeles, CA 90016
(888) 772-2521

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