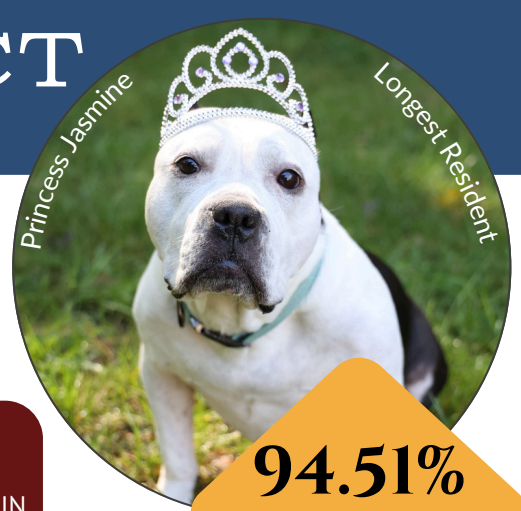


# 2025 IMPACT REPORT



Thanks to the support of our donors, volunteers, fosters, and staff, The Heritage Humane Society positively impacted thousands of pets and pet owners in 2025. Animals are the core of our mission, but our community is the reason we exist.

<b>1,927</b> SUCCESSFUL ANIMAL OUTCOMES	<b>244</b> HAPPY REUNIONS WITH OWNERS	<b>41</b> TRANSFERRED TO RESCUE PARTNERS	<b>216</b> TRANSFERRED IN FROM PARTNERS	<b>94.51%</b> LIVE ANIMAL RELEASE RATE
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<b>1,476</b> TOTAL ADOPTIONS	<b>498</b> DOG ADOPTIONS	<b>888</b> CAT ADOPTIONS	<b>90</b> OTHER ANIMALS	<b>33</b> CAREER CATS
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<b>22,900</b> VOLUNTEER HOURS	<b>1,366</b> FOSTER EXPERIENCES	<b>77</b> AUXILIARY VOLUNTEERS
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**17,895 FOLLOWERS**  
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**4,079 FOLLOWERS**  
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**109**  
ADOPTIONS AT SCHWARTZY'S CAT COVE

The Kibble Kitchen & Beyond program has provided pet food and supplies to struggling households. This vital service helps keep pets in their loving homes and out of the shelter.

EXPANDED PARTNERSHIP WITH VA DINER RESULTED IN...

**507** CANS OF NEUTER NUTS LINE SOLD

**648** TOTAL PRODUCTS SOLD

**HUMANE EDUCATION**

<b>42</b> ANIMAL ACES KIDS' CLUB MEMBERS	<b>35</b> BIRTHDAY PARTIES	<b>264</b> YOGA CLASS PARTICIPANTS	<b>85</b> ANIMAL CAMP PARTICIPANTS
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**-EVENTS-**

HOSTED OUR FIRST "BLACK TIE & TAILS" GALA

**351** GUESTS IN ATTENDANCE

**25TH** ANNIVERSARY OF THE HOLIDAY BAZAAR

**86¢** FROM EVERY DOLLAR GOES DIRECTLY TO ANIMAL CARE

Rescue Wagon 2.0 hit the road with hundreds of pets traveling throughout Hampton Roads to prepare for their adoption day by getting spayed or neutered.

**OTHER OUTCOMES:** In 2025, a total of 2,039 animals came through The Heritage Humane Society's doors. 165 pets remained in our care on Dec 31, 2025. The Heritage Humane Society is an open admission shelter and we take in animals in many different states of health. In addition, neonatal puppies and kittens born to mothers in stressful shelter situations face an uphill battle. Euthanasia at Heritage Humane Society is performed with kindness and dignity to relieve suffering and is part of providing humane care to animals who are suffering. In 2025, 28 animals died and 84 animals were euthanized at the Adoption Center or while in the care of our veterinary partners for extreme medical /quality of life concerns or severe behavior concerns.



# 2026 IMPORTANT DATES



There's always something exciting happening in support of the animals! We hope you'll join us at some of these fun upcoming events, all of which help homeless pets in our community find forever happiness inside of loving homes.

Find out more about these events online at [heritagehumane.org/events](http://heritagehumane.org/events), and we look forward to seeing you soon!

## SATURDAY, APRIL 18

DOUBLETREE BY HILTON HOTEL  
WILLIAMSBURG



## TUESDAY, MAY 5

GIVING DAY



## SATURDAY, JUNE 13

JAMESTOWN HIGH SCHOOL



## FRIDAY, SEPT 11

KINGSMILL RESORT



## SATURDAY, NOV 21

BRUTON PARISH HALL



## TUESDAY, DEC 1

GIVING DAY



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