Helping Animals Live Organization 615 Albany Street, Little Falls, NY 13365

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HALO is a not-for-profit animal rescue dedicated to a NO-Kill, CAGE-FREE living environment. We provide a home for life for stray and abandoned cats while teaching a philosophy of love and



responsible stewardship. We receive no local, county, state, or federal funding and must rely on the generosity of individuals, private organizations, and charitable foundations to support our cause. This is why your support is so important. Without it, we would not be able to help the many cats and kittens that come to us in need throughout the year. ALL donations received are used to support our rescue and adoption efforts. Please remember us with a donation this holiday time. And remember, When You Give, They Live.

December 2021 Newsletter



All matching campaign funds provided by the Staffworks Fund.

SAVE A LIFE PAYOUTS:

\$10,000 in donations = \$10,000 match PLUS \$500 for each additional \$5,000 in donations

Matching donations must be received as:

Checks payable to HALO matched, without processing fee, by mailing to: HALO, 615 Albany St, Little Falls, NY 13365 (remember to write Staffworks SAL campaign in the Memo of the check)

Online donation made by credit or debit card :
Click on the link on our webpage, halorescue.net

or

directly to HALO's GiveGab donation page.

https://savealife.staffworkscny.com/organizations/helping-animals-live-organization

If you need assistance making your donation, please call H.A.L.O. at 315-985-3738

Meet Lizzie

She is about 13 years old and is looking for a loving family to take her home. Adorable isn't she! Make 2022 the happiest year for Lizzie with a forever home.







You Won't Be Able to Resist These Two

Ozzie, left, we call our "Wizard of Oz" cat. Can you see the resemblance we're talking about? Ozzie makes a honking sound when he "talks" and he loves to talk! He loves cuddles and is as sweet as can be!

Joyce, right, is about three months old and is just as cute as can be. She is very affectionate and playful. She'll climb on your lap and be very happy there.

From Ozzie and Jovce

"We're both waiting patiently at the H.A.L.O. House for you to visit us, and we'll continue to wait in our wonderful but hopefully temporary home until we find our forever home with YOU."

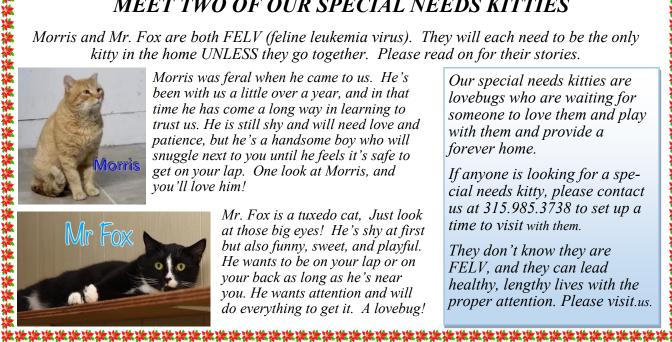


MEET TWO OF OUR SPECIAL NEEDS KITTIES

Morris and Mr. Fox are both FELV (feline leukemia virus). They will each need to be the only kitty in the home UNLESS they go together. Please read on for their stories.



Morris was feral when he came to us. He's been with us a little over a year, and in that time he has come a long way in learning to trust us. He is still shy and will need love and patience, but he's a handsome boy who will snuggle next to you until he feels it's safe to get on your lap. One look at Morris, and you'll love him!



Mr. Fox is a tuxedo cat, Just look at those big eyes! He's shy at first but also funny, sweet, and playful. He wants to be on your lap or on vour back as long as he's near vou. He wants attention and will do everything to get it. A lovebug! Our special needs kitties are lovebugs who are waiting for someone to love them and play with them and provide a forever home.

If anyone is looking for a special needs kitty, please contact us at 315.985.3738 to set up a time to visit with them.

They don't know they are FELV, and they can lead healthy, lengthy lives with the proper attention. Please visit.us.



THANK YOU FOR YOUR COMPASSION

On a hot summer day, Dana Dirienzo and staff of Swan Pools in Ilion, along with help from H.A.L.O. member Georgia Kaples, spent hours to capture a momma cat and her four kittens. (Picture of momma cat not available). All have been safe and happy together at the H.A.L.O. House (including momma cat who took some time to capture the following day) while waiting for their forever homes. H.A.L.O. wishes to thank Dana and Staff for the effort and compassion they showed to save these kittens and for their very generous donation.

Wish List Laundry Detergent Dish Detergent Dryer Sheets Paper Towels Friskies Can Food Cat Milk Purina Dry Food Postage Stamps

Interested in *Volunteering*

We can always use help at our events or at the HALO House. Just call us at 315. 985.3738 and tell us you'd like to help.

2022 Events

- April, Chinese Auction
- May, Flea Market
- Summer, Yard Sale/s
- October, Craft Show
- November, Pet Photos
- November, Vendor Fair
- Trash & Treasures, TBD
- OTHERS, to be Announced

Adoption Rates

\$80 Ĉats or Kittens Includes Spay/Neuter Rabies Shot Distemper Shots

Stop in to pick up an application.

- Please Spay/Neuter Your Cats To Help Control the Cat Population, It's Easy www.catcuddles.org

- An unneutered female cat can produce 2-3 litters/year.
- Cats can get pregnant at 4 months
- Each litter can produce 4+ kittens
- A spay/neutered cat is a healthier cat



Cats can't add but they do multiply!

In just 18 months, this female cat can have 2000 descendants.

- One female cat and her offspring can produce 100s or 1,000s of cats in their lifetime
- Thousands of cats end up in shelters, abandoned on the streets or euthanized every year.

"You cannot look at a sleeping cat and feel tense." — (Jane Pauley)

H.A.L.O. House has 50+ kitties, and do you know what they do a lot of? They Poo!!! Nominate H.A.L.O. between <u>January 1—March 31</u> Invite your family and friends to do the same. The more nominations, the more

Invite your family and friends to do the same. The more nominations, the more donated litter H.A.L.O. receives. Cat's Pride Litter for Good program donates a percentage of their sales to shelters in the form of free litter! But, we <u>need</u> your vote. **Here's what to do.**

- Visit catspride.com and click on Login, then Sign Up to register.
- Click on Nominate to find your favorite shelter, HALO of course. Search by zip code 13365.B
- BUT Do NOT do this until January 1. Otherwise, your vote won't count.
- H.A.L.O. will receive free litter around July. Last year we won 2,000 lbs of litter, about 6mos worth!

HALO's 8th ANNUAL TREE of LOVE 2021



In loving memory of the HALO residents who crossed the Rainbow Bridge before finding their forever homes. While at HALO, they knew love and happiness and they will never be forgotten.

We also remember our beloved family members and friends who are no longer with us

but are forever in our hearts,

AND we honor our pets and loved ones who, thankfully, are still with us.

For a donation of \$5 each, we will place an ornament on our tree in Memory of or in Honor of your pet or loved one.

Tree of Love Ceremony

Saturday, December 11 at 9:30 am, CVS, Main St., Little Falls Our tree will be showcased in the lobby for the month of December.

USE THE FORM BELOW TO SEND IN YOUR TREE OF LOVE DONATION.

Name:			
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"In ancient times, cats were worshipped as Gods. They have not forgotten this." — (Terry Pratchett)



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THANK YOU for supporting HALO. All that we do is only possible because of your generosity.