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Thinking of adopting a dog? October is Adopt-A-Dog Month

Consider adopting a dog from the Capital Area Humane Society. You can save a homeless dog and find a faithful companion who will be at your side for all of life's adventures by adopting a dog from the Capital Area Humane Society during Adopt-A-Dog Month in October. It's the perfect time to visit the shelter, meet potential sidekicks and discover how much fun and happiness a dog can add to your life.

Companionship, improved physical and emotional health, social interaction and devoted love are just a few of the benefits of having a dog. Dogs also encourage people to exercise, promote laughter and act as a nonjudgmental audience and sounding board.

"You will be rewarded in so many ways when you adopt a dog," said Executive Director Jodi Lytle Buckman. "By providing a forever home to an animal, you create a special bond between you and that dog and you are giving them a second chance."

The adoption fee for dogs includes:

- spay/neuter surgery
- first vaccinations
- rabies vaccine if the animal is old enough
- deworming medication
- flea control
- feline leukemia test for cats
- heartworm test for dogs
- microchip and registration

The Capital Area Humane Society is located at 3015 Scioto-Darby Executive Ct in Hilliard, Ohio and is open Monday – Friday from 2:00 pm – 7:00 pm and Saturday & Sunday from Noon – 5:00 pm.

The Capital Area Humane Society, a non-profit animal welfare organization founded in 1883, provides programs and services for animals and people in Central Ohio. It is our mission to fight animal cruelty, help animals in need and advocate for their well-being. More than 95 percent of our funding is provided by donations and fees for services, we are not a government agency and we do not receive operating support from national organizations. For more information about the Capital Area Humane Society, visit www.cahs-pets.org.