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# Volunteer

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Voice



**DEPARTMENT OF  
ANIMAL SERVICES**

Riverside County Community Health Agency

## Upcoming Events

### April

Pet Expo

Salute to Veterans Day Parade

### May

Car Show / Art Exhibit

## Recent Events

### March

Legally Blonde



## Volunteer of the Month

Dayna Pittman



## AMERICA'S FAMILY PET EXPO

April 15-17, 2011

### The World's Largest Pet and Pet Products Expo

#### Everything you need to know for a happier, healthier pet.

The purpose of AMERICA'S FAMILY PET EXPO is to promote responsible pet care to current and future generations of animal lovers. As a leading company within the pet industry it is important to maximize your product and service exposure by sharing it directly with your customer – the pet owner. AMERICA'S FAMILY PET EXPO is an ideal way to build loyalty, obtain valuable market research, maximize market penetration and build brand awareness. Investing in your future starts today!

At AMERICA'S FAMILY PET EXPO, pet lovers find spectacular exhibits and attractions, demonstrations, hands-on pet interaction, educational programs, pet adoptions, product samples, entertainment and so much more. Join us!



"AMERICA'S FAMILY PET EXPO is the perfect venue to align with your real customer – the pet owner!"



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America's Family Pet Expo

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[www.worldpetassociation.org](http://www.worldpetassociation.org)

(626) 447-2222, (800) 999-7295

California, April 15-17, 2011

Washington, July 8-10, 2011

[afpe.net](http://afpe.net)

# Veterans Day Parade

★ Walk With Your Dog ★

Saturday - April 16th at 10:00 A.M.

Walk from R.C.C. through downtown ending at 13th and Main St.  
Animals will be one of the first groups out

Download parade route @ [asalutetoveterans.com](http://asalutetoveterans.com)

Meet @ lower parking lot R.C.C. Lot # TBD

Animal control and spay & neuter truck will be present

Sign up sheet at front desk

Email contact: Nicole - [nwarring@rivcocha.org](mailto:nwarring@rivcocha.org)

- ★ Make sure your dog is used to walking on warm blacktop
- ★ Attire - Wear Red / White shirts with blue jeans or blue shorts
- ★ No dog required to participate



# PARK N' BARK CLASSIC CAR SHOW

Saturday, May 14, 2011 11:00-2:00 pm

# Art for the Animals Juried Outdoor Exhibition and Sale CALL FOR ARTISTS



**SATURDAY, MAY 14, 2011**

To secure your space and for more information

Email: [cmegrew@rivcocha.org](mailto:cmegrew@rivcocha.org) or call  
(951) 358-7467

The entry fee is one piece of artwork (matted) and

8:00am: Booth Set-up, 9:00-11:00am- Judging, 11:00AM-5:00pm- Public Viewing and Sale  
Art Festival, Inland Empire Classic Mustang Club & Car Show,  
Adopt-A-Thon Pet Adoptions, Food, Opportunity Drawings, and Live Music

# Peace Love & Pets!

Riverside County Department  
of  
Animal Services

Art for the Animals  
is an online art auction and  
fundraiser to help homeless shelter  
animals.

Sponsored by:

**The ASK Foundation**



# LEGALLY BLONDE

The Event!

Great job everyone!! This event was a great success. We were able to adopt three dogs and raise spay & neuter awareness. Come join us at some of our up and coming events this month.



# Volunteer of the Month

## Dayna Pittman

Dayna Pittman loves working as a volunteer and she has a passion for learning new things. She has been volunteering her time in our spay and neuter clinic for the past few months and has been doing so well that she was promoted to a Docent Level Volunteer. She has also volunteered as a Pet Adoption Assistant, she has helped reunite lost pets with their owners, worked as a greeter at the information desk, and cleaned kennels; she is willing to do any job and get it done right!

When she is not volunteering at the shelter she enjoys gardening and yard work, cooking and baking, and riding 4 wheelers and wave runners. She considers herself to be a head banger because she really loves hard rock music.

Dayna is a joy to be around, she always has a positive attitude and is so much fun to work with. Thank you Dayna for all the hard work and dedication that you provide to the animals and our staff.



# Classified

## Events

Veterans Day Parade Saturday April 16th  
10:00AM sign up to bring your dog and walk  
in the parade route.

## Open Shelter Jobs

These Jobs are still open and need to be  
filled

### **\*Pet Expo (2 Volunteer Adoption Assistant Positions)**

This is an all day event  
14th 15th and 17th  
6am to 10pm  
**Job Duties:** Adoptions

### **\*Front Information Desk (up to 6 Volunteers needed 2 per shift)**

The hours are Saturdays  
10:45am to 1:00pm  
12:30pm to 4:00pm  
3:30pm to 6:00pm

**Job Duties:** Adults 18 and over  
Directing customers to areas of interest

### **\* Clinic (up to 9 Volunteers needed 3 per shift)**

The hours are Monday to Saturday  
8:00am to 12:00pm  
1:00pm to 4:00pm

3:30pm to 6:00pm

**Job Duties:** 13 and up only responsible hard  
working  
may apply.

General Spay and Neuter Clinic Duties

### **\*New Volunteer Buddies/ Lead/ Front Kiosk Docent, Reunion Docent (up to 10 Volunteers needed)**

The hours are TBA

**Job Duties:** Adults 18 and over. Meeting and  
Greeting new volunteers for their first week of  
volunteer service

**If you are able to fill any of these days  
or hours please reply to the volunteer  
office**

## Training classes

**Want training or just need a refresher  
class.**

**Cat** - 1st and 3rd Wednesday 4-5 p.m.

**Dogs**– Every Thursday 10– 12 noon

**Clinic**- Every Tuesday Wednesday 8:30  
am to 10:30 am Thursday 8am to 9 am

**Grooming** –Every Wednesdays 4 to  
5:30 and Sunday 1:30 to 3:30



# Volunteer April 2011 Birthdays

Ibrahim Abdi 4/29  
Aspen Angel 4/24  
Trevor Beard 4/21  
Carole Byrne 4/10  
Sonia Calkins 4/19  
Samantha Clawson 4/7  
Sarah Crow 4/11  
Maureen (Reni) Cunningham 4/4  
Laura Decker 4/15  
Maggie Drake 4/11  
Ismael Esquivel 4/8  
Joseph Figueroa 4/22  
Erica Franco 4/21  
Antonia Gommerman 4/16  
Lisa Green 4/9

Bonnie Haislet 4/28  
Christine Harbour 4/19  
Mary Harmon 4/4  
McKenzie Hollowell 4/19  
Krystine Johnson 4/18  
Fatima Jones 4/3  
Judie Kaczoroski 4/15  
Peggy Koehn 4/28  
Alejandra Lara 4/29  
Karen Leduc 4/14  
Tuzday Martinez 4/28  
Connor McCallick 4/20  
Dara-Lynn McFarlin 4/8  
Selina Meraz 4/27  
Erin Monise 4/13

Jesse Morales 4/16  
Zachary Morris 4/4  
Sharon (Judy) Namak 4/8  
Robert Nicholls 4/19  
Brian Ordonez 4/29  
Maria Perez 4/22  
Deleane Raley 4/7  
Kimberly Roman 4/6  
Amelia Romo 4/24  
Christianna Sierra 4/10  
Ana Soria 4/8  
Darren Thompson 4/19  
Linda Tucker 4/1  
Melissa Velasco 4/11  
Brooke Wagner 4/27



## Welcome All Of Our New Volunteers

Arambula Cynthia  
Becerra, Karina  
Bemis, Steven  
Briscoe, Brittany  
Canady, Ebony  
Chaney, Melissa  
Clawson, Samantha  
Collett, Ashley  
De Anda, Adriana  
Dunn-Ryan, Jennifer  
Esquivel, Ismael

Flores, Nancy  
Gonzalez, Melissa  
Harbour, Christine  
Hernandez, Christine  
Hernandez, Cassandra  
Hernandez, Maria  
Hernando, Analy  
Hudson, Karen  
Koehn, Peggy  
Lepez, Stacy  
Perez, Ivette

Petrarca, Signe  
Ponce, Chris  
Ramirez, Nicholas  
Salinas, Antony  
Sanchez, Rob  
Savage James  
Seebert, Andrea  
Steffen, Katherine  
Tesler, Jojean  
Vigil, Wendy  
Wagner, Brooke

### Reminders

\*The grooming area is in need of a few things so we are asking all volunteers to bring in any bath size towels, old dish washing liquid bottles ( like Dawn bottles), hair dryers, or space heaters.

\*Build your resume, get free training/job skills in areas like Spay & Neuter clinic, Pet adoptions, Dog grooming, Photographer, Newsletter Editor, Event planner, Animal behavior skills, and much more all while contributing to a worthy cause at Riverside Animals Services ".

\*Please donate your used cells phone at the Front Kiosk where the A.S.K. Foundation can turn them in for money that goes back to the shelter animals.