

Tales from the Riverside

Newsletter July 2017

Downham Market Adoption Centre



Registered Charity No 203644 (England & Wales)

Welcome to the Newsletter of Cats Protection Downham Market Adoption Centre

We are all very busy at the Centre this month, finalising all the plans for our Annual Open Day which is being held next month.

We have all the usual fun and games planned, together with charity and craft stalls, birds of prey, bouncy castle, raffle, tombola and BBQ.

This is our biggest event of the year and we hope you will be able to come along and support us:

Downham Market Adoption Centre



Wards Chase, Stowbridge, PE34 3NN

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Family Open Day



Sat 5th Aug

11am - 3pm



Admission =
1 Tin of Cat Food :)



Refreshments

Crafts



Birds of
Prey Static
Display



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Cats Protection Lottery



Launched in 2013, our Weekly Lottery is just £1 to play each week and you have great odds of winning! There are 200 cash prizes each week to be won from £5 to £1,000. Plus all players are automatically entered into a Quarterly Super Draw, with a top prize of £10,000!

The Cats Protection Weekly Lottery is a fun way to help us provide unwanted and abandoned cats with the food, shelter and the veterinary care they need until they find a loving forever home. The more you play, the more cats you'll help and you will have the chance to win one of our fantastic prizes too!

You can support Downham Market Adoption Centre by selecting us in the donation options when you sign up in person, by telephone 01628 825 928 or online at <http://www.cats.org.uk/get-involved/support-us/lottery>

Each draw will take place on a Friday and we will send winners a cheque or payment via BACS within 14 days of winning. A list of winners will be available online on the following Monday here: www.winwithcats.cats.org.uk/winners

As with all gambling/lotteries you must be over 18 years old to play.

Good Luck!

Rocket

Last month we featured Rocky, a cat who came into our care in a sorry state and he ended up having to have his eye removed, but with the love and support of all the staff and volunteers at Downham Market Adoption Centre and the kind generosity of our loyal supporters Rocket is doing really well and we are very pleased to say that he has now gone to his forever home.

If you would like to help us care for more cats like Rocket or help us to recover some of the costs of his treatment then donations can still be made to the Centre.



Cat of the Month – Little One

Here is a fabulous cat who out grew his name long ago! Little One is quite frankly one of the nicest cats around. Having come from a home, where he was very much loved, Little One adores lots of fuss and attention, regularly choosing to sleep on his previous owners lap or chest!



He'd be a wonderful companion for any family that could offer him plenty of love and attention. We can't believe that there's anybody who could meet this boy and not fall in love with him.

If you'd like to meet Little One, or would like some more information about him, or any other cat in our care, then please get in touch.

Events

Last month was a busy time for some of our fundraising volunteers who attended a few events on our behalf and raised over £200 for the cats at the Centre, together with reminding people we are in their community and answering cat based questions. Well done and thank you.

First they were at the Marham Fun Day, where they made just under £70. Then they were at Watlington



Village Fete, which was a stifling hot day and made just over £90 profit. And then we had some volunteers at Stoke Ferry Summer Fete on the last weekend in June and they raised just over £50.

Dates for your Diary

Date	Time	Description
Sat 1 st July	11 - 3	Nelson Academy Summer Fair, Nursery Road, Downham
Sat 15 th July	9 - 5	Rehoming Day Tottenham Supawstore A10 Retail Park
Sun 30 th July	11 - 4	Narborough Village Fair, Community Centre Narborough
Sat 5 th Aug	11 - 3	Cats Protection Open Day, Adoption Centre, Stowbridge
Sun 20 th Aug	10 - 5	West Norfolk Riding for the Disabled Craft and Country Fair, PE33 OEP
Sun 19 th Nov	10 - 2	Christmas Craft Fair, Town Hall, Downham Market

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The Centre is open 6 days a week,
closed Tuesday's.

