

*PAWS for Celebration*



**10 YEARS OF COMPASSION**

**2026**

**Sponsorship Opportunities  
to  
Support the  
Wayne County Dog Shelter  
&  
Adoption Center.**

# Celebrating 10 Years of Compassion

For the past decade, the Wayne County Dog Shelter has been a safe haven for thousands of lost, abandoned, and surrendered dogs in our community. Our mission has always been rooted in compassion - providing care, shelter, and second chances to every dog who walks through our doors.

## Over the last 10 years, we've:

- Reunited countless dogs with their families
- Found loving forever homes for shelter dogs
- Offered vital medical care and rehabilitation
- Promoted responsible pet ownership, and community education
- Built a dedicated network of volunteers, fosters, and supporters

## By the Numbers - 10 Years of Impact (2015-2025):

### Total Dogs Cared For: 6,706

- Strays: 5,040
  - Owner Surrenders: 1,244
  - Seized/Transferred In/Special Circumstances: 422
- (Including dogs brought in due to house fires, car accidents, arrests, etc.)

### Outcomes:

- Adoptions: 3,302
- Reunited with Owners: 2,443



### Invested in Medical Care



**\$427,257.42**

Includes, but not limited to: routine care, vaccinations, spay/neuter, emergency treatments and rehabilitation


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*This milestone isn't just about the passing of time - it is about lives saved, the hearts touched, and the unwavering dedication of those who believe every dog deserves love and a future.*

# SUPPORTING SHELTER DOGS, STRENGTHENING OUR COMMUNITY

PAWS for the Wayne County Dog Shelter is proud to celebrate this milestone by continuing to grow our mission and impact through community partnerships and compassionate supporters like you.

**Join us as we celebrate this incredible journey - and help us build an even brighter future for the dogs of Wayne County.**




## YOUR SPONSORSHIP HELPS FUND TWO VITAL INITIATIVES THAT ENSURE BRIGHTER FUTURES FOR SHELTER DOGS.

### **Medical Fund:**


Providing essential and sometimes life-saving veterinary care — from routine vaccinations to critical surgeries — ensuring every dog is healthy and ready for adoption.

### **Capital Campaign:**

Funding the purchase of a mobile spay/neuter and adoption trailer. This trailer will stay onsite at the shelter, allowing every dog to be altered before adoption and expanding our ability to host adoption events throughout the community.



We offer a variety of sponsorship levels, each designed to recognize our valued partners while making a tangible difference in the lives of Wayne County's shelter dogs.



# CELEBRATING 10 YEARS OF SECOND CHANCES!

Our top-tier \$10,000 ~  
“Legacy Sponsorship” honors the past 10 years  
while investing in the next 10.

## **LEGACY SPONSOR - \$10,000**

As a Legacy Sponsor you're leading the way in transforming the lives of shelter dogs. Your generosity helps fund critical medical care and major initiatives like the new mobile spay/neuter and adoption trailer — ensuring a lasting legacy of compassion for years to come.

### Exclusive Perks:

- Two (2) VIP King Tables at the Bow Wow Ball
- Twelve (12) Tickets to any 2026 Yappy Hour at Lincoln Way Vineyards
- Full-page ad in the Bow Wow Ball Program
- Premier recognition on all PAWS for WCDS & Wayne County Dog Shelter social media outlets
- Adoption Program Sponsor ( One Year) - your company's name and logo will shine onsite and on every adoption bag that heads home with new pet parents all year long - spreading smiles and tail wags with every adoption!

Together, we can continue this legacy of compassion,  
care, and community.

# Additional Sponsorship Opportunities & Inclusions

## **CHAMPION SPONSOR – \$7,500**

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Champion Sponsors stand tall for shelter dogs in need. Your support provides life-saving treatments, surgeries, and resources that give every dog the chance to live pain-free and find a loving home.

### **INCLUSIONS:**

- One (1) VIP King Table at the Bow Wow Ball
- Ten (10) Tickets to any 2026 Yappy Hour at Lincoln Way Vineyards
- ¾- page ad in the Bow Wow Ball Program
- Acknowledgement on all PAWS for WCDS & Wayne County Dog Shelter social media outlets

## **LEADER OF THE PACK – \$5,000**

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As a Leader of the Pack, you help guide our mission forward. Your sponsorship supports ongoing medical needs and contributes to expanding adoption opportunities across Wayne County.

### **INCLUSIONS:**

- One table for eight (8) at the Bow Wow Ball
- Eight (8) Tickets to any 2026 Yappy Hour at Lincoln Way Vineyards
- 1/2- page ad in the Bow Wow Ball Program
- Acknowledgement on all PAWS for WCDS & Wayne County Dog Shelter social media outlets



A shelter pet waits to be your greatest gift.





## BEST FRIEND SPONSOR – \$2,500

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Best Friends make everything better — including a shelter dog's journey to adoption. Your gift ensures each dog receives the care, comfort, and attention they need while waiting for their forever family.

### INCLUSIONS:

- Six (6) Tickets to the 2026 Bow Wow Ball
- Six (6) Tickets to any 2026 Yappy Hour at Lincoln Way Vineyards
- ¼ - page ad in the Bow Wow Ball Program
- Acknowledgement on all PAWS for WCDS & Wayne County Dog Shelter social media outlets



## TAIL WAGGER SPONSOR – \$1,000

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Your support brings joy, comfort, and wagging tails to the shelter every day. Tail Wagger Sponsors help cover essential supplies, preventative care, and adoption preparation for dogs of all shapes and sizes

### INCLUSIONS:

- Four (4) Tickets to the 2026 Bow Wow Ball
- Four (4) Tickets to any 2026 Yappy Hour at Lincoln Way Vineyards
- Business & logo recognition in the Bow Wow Ball Program
- Acknowledgement on all PAWS for WCDS & Wayne County Dog Shelter social media outlets



You can't change a dog's past, but you  
can rewrite their future.



## FAITHFUL FRIEND SPONSOR – \$500

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Faithful Friends are the heart of our community. Your sponsorship helps provide daily necessities — food, bedding, enrichment, and medical support — for the dogs who call the shelter home while they wait for adoption.

### INCLUSIONS:

- Two (2) Tickets to the 2026 Bow Wow Ball
- Two (2) Tickets to any 2026 Yappy Hour at Lincoln Way Vineyards
- Acknowledgement in the Bow Wow Ball Program
- Acknowledgement on all PAWS for WCDS & Wayne County Dog Shelter Social Media Outlets

## PUPPY PAL SPONSOR – \$250

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Every act of kindness counts. Puppy Pals help ensure that even the smallest needs — from toys to treats — are met, keeping tails wagging and spirits high.

### INCLUSIONS:

- One Ticket to the 2026 Bow Wow Ball
- Two (2) Tickets to any 2026 Yappy Hour at Lincoln Way Vineyards
- Acknowledgement in the Bow Wow Ball Program
- Acknowledgement on all PAWS for WCDS & Wayne County Dog Shelter Social Media Outlets



The best things in life are rescued!



# THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION.



*Your kindness and generosity brings hope, care  
and a second chance to shelter dogs in need.*

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Legacy ( )

Champion ( ) Leader of the Pack ( )

Best Friend ( ) Tail Wagger ( ) Faithful Friend ( ) Puppy Pal ( )  
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- Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_
- City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_
- Contact Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_
- Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_
- Website: \_\_\_\_\_

***Please forward your business logo to ~ [sponsor@pawsforwcds.org](mailto:sponsor@pawsforwcds.org)***



## **Method of Payment:**

Check: ( ) Check Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card: ( ) Credit Card #: \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_ CVS #: \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete the form, and mail to  
PAWS for WCDS, 5694 Burbank Rd., Wooster, OH 44691 or  
email the completed form to us at [sponsor@pawsforwcds.org](mailto:sponsor@pawsforwcds.org)  
You also can visit our website at [www.pawsforwcds.org/paws-sponsorship/](http://www.pawsforwcds.org/paws-sponsorship/)

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# THANK YOU FOR HELPING US ~ HELP THEM!

PAWS for WCDS would like to express our heartfelt gratitude for considering a partnership with us.

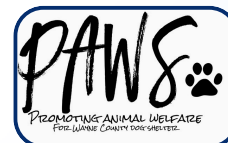
Your potential support means the world to us, and the shelter pups who rely on our efforts.

With your help, we can continue to provide care, comfort, and loving homes for the dogs at the Wayne County Dog Shelter & Adoption Center. Your commitment to our cause will make a lasting impact on the lives of these deserving dogs.

Thank you once again for considering this partnership. We look forward to working together to create a brighter future for the shelter pups.

WITH HEARTFELT GRATITUDE ~  
THE PAWS FOR WCDS TEAM  
&

WAYNE COUNTY DOG SHELTER AND ADOPTION  
SHELTER TEAM



TOGETHER,  
WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE,  
ONE PAW AT A TIME.....

**CELEBRATING A DECADE OF IMPACT AND GIVING BACK**

**SPOTLIGHT EVENT:  
10<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL BOW WOW BALL**

**EVENT DETAILS:**

- Date: Saturday, February 14, 2026
- Time: 5:00 PM - 10:00 PM
- Location: Greystone Event Center
- Audience: 300+ guests, including community leaders, business owners and animal advocates

**WHAT TO EXPECT:**

- Semi-Formal Evening - Dress to impress and celebrate in style!
- Cocktail Hour - Sip, mingle and enjoy light hors d'oeuvres
- Buffet Style Dinner & Decadent Desserts - A delicious spread for every taste.
- Dancing - Move to the music and celebrate with friends old and new
- Auctions - Exciting live, silent and bag auctions full of treasures
- Wine Pull & Bourbon Grab - Try your luck and take home a bottle (or two)!
- Valentines Day Card Raffle - Win something sweet for someone special
- Heartwarming Stories - Celebrate the lives changed through your support



**Join us for an unforgettable night full of laughs, love and pawstive energy-  
all to support our four legged friends of the  
Wayne County Dog Sheltet & Adoption Center**

