

# Naperville Area Humane Society's 2017 Humane Education Activity Guide

## SPRINGTIME

### Spring Break Junior Internship (ages 12-15)

NAHS is looking for dedicated pre-teens and teens to spend their Spring Break with us. Join us on a week long journey of hands on working with the animals, learning about animal welfare issues and turning their passion into action!

\$150 per person

March 27-March 31, 2017 : (9am-12pm)



## SUMMERTIME

### Art with the Animals Mini-Camp (ages 4-5)

Art with the Animals is a 3-day mini-camp that incorporates animal themed art projects and lessons about pet care & safety.

\$90 per camper

June 7-June 9, 2017 : (9am-12pm)

July 5-July 7, 2017 : (9am-12pm)

### Friends for Life Day Camp (ages 6-8)

Friends for Life has special guests visit from NAHS and other local animal organizations to make each day a new adventure!

\$150 per camper

June 26-June 30, 2017 : (9am-12pm)

July 17-July 21, 2017 : (9am-12pm)

July 31-August 4, 2017 : (9am-12pm)

### Animal Neighbors Day Camp (ages 9-11)

Animal Neighbors allows campers to meet and learn about all kinds of animals with the help of our many special guests!

\$150 per camper

June 12-June 16, 2017 : (9am-12pm)

July 10-July 14, 2017 : (9am-12pm)

### Jumping for Joy (ages 11-13)

Jumping for Joy gives campers the chance to work with our dogs on the agility courses and learn from guest speakers.

\$150 per camper

July 24-July 28 : (9am-12pm)

## YEAR-ROUND

### Tours & Presentations (all ages)

We offer educational behind-the-scenes tours of our animal shelter to groups up to 15 people. Each tour is a \$25 donation.

NAHS also offers educational presentations on a variety of topics to the community throughout the year, and are offered free of charge.

### Adult Seminar Series (ages 18+)

NAHS hosts guest speakers to discuss a variety of subjects as an on-going educational series for adults (details on our website). There is a \$5 suggested donation for the seminars.

## WINTERTIME

### One-Day Camps (ages 8-11)

Through crafts, games, and activities we'll explore how we care for our animals at NAHS and how to be safe around all animals. Each camp will have specific lessons tailored to the holiday it is held on that will teach and entertain each camper!

\$50 per child : Each camp runs from 9am-12pm

Jan. 16, 2017 : Martin Luther King Holiday Camp

Feb. 20, 2017 : Presidents' Day Camp

Dec. 9, 2017 : Happy Holidogs Winter Camp

### Dog's Day Out Day Camp (ages 12-14)

Dog's Day Out gives campers a chance to, not only learn about NAHS, but also take field trips to visit other animal related organizations and observe first-hand how the community cares for and rescues all kinds of creatures big and small.

\$250 per camper

June 19-June 23, 2017 : (9am-2pm)

### K9 Manners Day Camp (ages 12-14)

K9 Manners gives campers the chance to work one-on-one with a humane society dog. Campers will learn positive reinforcement training techniques from trainers and then get a chance each day to work with our shelter dogs.

\$150 per camper

August 7-August 11, 2017 (9am-12pm)



### Kids' Night Out (ages 6-11)

Looking for a fun way to spend a Friday night? Why not enjoy a movie and popcorn while making friends with other animal lovers and getting cozy with canines in our outdoor area!

\$25 per camper

Friday, June 16 : (6pm-8pm)

Friday, July 14 : (6pm-8pm)

Friday, August 11 : (6pm-8pm)

### Pennies for Pets (all ages)

A spare coin drive competition between classrooms that show students that every penny counts towards helping animals!

### Birthday Parties (ages 4+)

We offer fun-filled two-hour parties for groups up to 15 people, that includes an educational talk and shelter tour, and a party coordinator who helps with games and/or crafts. Party date/time scheduling depends on shelter availability, and is by appointment only.

\$125 for weekdays / \$150 for weekends



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## SCHOOL YEAR

### After School Program (ages 8-10)

*The Animals & Kids After School Program is a six-class session held on Mondays from 4pm-4:45pm, which focuses on pet care and safety, but also incorporates lessons on animal habitats, dogs with jobs, wild animals, and much more!*

\$60 per student

#### Sessions for 2016-2017 School Year:

Session 4 : Feb. 13, 27 / Mar. 6, 13, 20 / Apr. 3

Session 5 : Apr. 10, 17, 24 / May 1, 8, 15

#### Sessions for the 2017-2018 School Year:

Session 1 : Sept. 11, 18, 25 / Oct. 2, 9, 16

Session 2 : Oct. 23, 30 / Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27

Session 3 : Dec. 4, 11, 18 / Jan. 8, 22, 29

Session 4 : Feb. 5, 12, 26 / Mar. 5, 12, 19

Session 5 : Apr. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 / May 7

### K9 Manners Class (ages 11-13)

*K9 Manners allows campers to work one-on-one with a humane society dog. Campers will learn positive reinforcement training techniques, and then get a chance each class to work with our shelter dogs. There are two 5-week sessions (spring and fall) for K9 Manners that are held on Thursdays from 4-4:45pm.*

\$50 per student

Spring Session : May 4, 11, 18, 25 / June 1

Fall Session : August 24, 31 / Sept. 7, 14, 21

### Homeschool Heroes (ages 7-10 & 11-14)

*Homeschool Heroes allows home-educated children to, not only learn about and enhance the lives of shelter animals, but also participate in hands-on STEM learning that incorporates humane education. These 6-class sessions are held on Thurs. from 1-2pm.*

\$60 per student

#### Sessions for the 2016-2017 School Year:

Session 4 (ages 11-14) : Feb. 9, 16, 23 / Mar. 2, 9, 16

Session 5 (ages 11-14) : Mar. 23 / Apr. 6, 13, 20, 27 / May 4

#### Sessions for 2017-2018 School Year:

Session 1 (ages 7-10) : Sept. 7, 14, 21, 28 / Oct. 5, 12

Session 2 (ages 7-10) : Oct. 19, 26 / Nov. 2, 9, 16, 30

Session 3 (ages 7-10) : Dec. 7, 14 / Jan. 4, 11, 18, 25

Session 4 (ages 11-14) : Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22 / Mar. 1, 8

Session 5 (ages 11-14) : Mar. 15, 22 / Apr. 5, 12, 19, 26

### Girl Scout & Boy Scout Patch Program

*At each level, scouts do a number of fun educational activities to learn about pet safety, the needs of pets, pet overpopulation, and the importance of having proper identification on pets are just a few of the subjects the scouts learn about. Pre-activities are available to troop leaders in advance for the scouts to complete, and then all lessons are tied together with an educational shelter tour! Tours are by appointment only.*

\$25 per tour & activity packet : \$2 per NAHS patch

## VOLUNTEER & INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

### Paws for Tales (ages 18+)

*Certified dog and volunteer teams help children feel more comfortable by reading aloud to a dog in a supportive environment. We are seeking additional volunteer-dog teams to participate in this reading program (details on website).*

### Jr. Camp Counselors (ages 14+)

*A great opportunity for teens who want to become a teacher or work with animals, as he or she will help create and execute lesson plans for our summer camps.*

### Kid's Night/Birthday Party Coordinator (ages 16+)

*Work with children and animals as a party coordinator who educates through a shelter tour and humane themed crafts.*

### Summer Internship (enrolled in college)

*An internship working with children and animals at our summer camps, which includes creating lesson plans, networking with other animal-related organizations, and learning about shelter operations. Internships are offered for college credit.*

For questions or registration help, please contact the Humane Education Manager, Kristen Funk, at 630.420.8989x117 or via email at [kfunk@napervilleareahumane.org](mailto:kfunk@napervilleareahumane.org)



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