



GARLAND

ANIMAL SERVICES



Community Outreach Coordinator Amy Dunphy joined our Mayor and other city representatives at the Viking Challenge hosted by the Jackson Technology Center as judges. Judges were tasked with selecting the best presentation and the winner of the competition. Students and teachers were all very appreciative of city representatives taking time out of their busy schedule to judge this competition. Way to GROW Garland!

Our Staff:

Animal Services Manager
Uriel Villalpando, MBA

Veterinarian
Autumn Paul, DVM

Vet Tech
Arsenio Araiza

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Brandon Williams
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Rudy Mancilla
Stephen Bernal
Travontay Jones
Trent Miller
Kelsie Rayner
Christian Rodriguez
Eddy Luna
Scarlette Hernandez

Kennel Technician
Reinaldo Zavala



Outreach Coordinator
Amy Vorster



In preparation for their upcoming adoption event, a group of volunteers from Crew 1020 came out to the shelter. They bathed about 13 dogs in an hour! Thanks for the help Crew 1020. The dogs loved getting freshened up!



We are so happy to see the adoptions that took place during the month of April! We would like to thank everybody who came out to our shelter to give these dogs a home!

Meet Scarlett Hernandez!

Scarlette is the new girl in town! She grew up in Dallas. Scarlett went to A&M University



where she earned her degree in Biomedical Science. Prior to coming to Animal Services, Scarlett worked at Hiller Funeral Home. She has a 2 year old husky and a 15 year old chihuahua that she loves very much! Scarlett's hobbies include being outdoors and playing softball. Scarlett is excited to be part of the team and can't wait to see what the future will bring. We are very happy to add her to our team!

Girls with Goals

Golden Meadows Elementary School



Community Outreach Coordinator, Amy Dunphy, visited Golden Meadows elementary school on April 16. She talked about responsible pet ownership and setting career goals! These young ladies made a huge donation of pet supplies for the shelter! Thanks girls!



April 8 - 13 was Animal Control Officer Appreciation week. The week is designed to say thank you and to show appreciation to all the animal control officers who are dedicated to helping pets and people in the community every day. Members of the community stopped by the shelter with gifts to show their appreciation. We are truly thankful for all the surprises at the shelter.



2 out of the 3 off-site adoption events that we planned were rained out. However, April 20 proved to be a beautiful day for an adoption event! Crew 1020 hosted an adoption event and helped 15 dogs out of their kennels for a day of walking and fresh air. 4 dogs found their forever homes at this event and have been very happy!



Earth Day Celebration

While we were hanging out and doing an adoption event with Crew 1020, some volunteers represented Garland Animal Services at the City of Garland's Earth Day Event! They shared educational material about volunteering and mandatory sterilization. They took a couple of dogs out for fresh air as well! We were happy to be apart of this event and we are excited to come out to Earth Day next year!



We sincerely appreciate our partners at Rowlett Animal Services assisting us in finding permanent homes for our pets! A total of 5 pets have changed homes from Garland Shelter to Rowlett shelter in search of their furever home. Thank you again Rowlett Animal Services!

Facebook Shout Outs!



Shelli Garcia
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Great place! They put up with my annoying calls and emails about this one dog that stole my heart. just adopted him last week and they were very helpful. They handled getting him neutered, up to date in shots, flea treatment, microchipping, and even provided the kibble they had been feeding him so he could easily transition to the puppy chow we are feeding him now.

My neighborhood was also having issues with a dog that kept getting loose and being aggressive towards people and dogs, and since their last check, we haven't had any issues. I can take my dogs on walks again 😊

Anyway, I have had very good experiences with them so far, and the dog I adopted (was Torro, now Saturn) is fitting in with my doberman Nora and doing well.

Lynn M. Rogers · 30:16 Thanks-Amy for these beautiful videos!



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Tracy Buck I really love that GAS shares these videos. I think it really helps to get these great dogs adopted. It really shows how all they want is someone to love them.

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Emma Davenport Thank you [Garland Animal Services](#) for working with rescues like ours in Wadena, MN to save more lives! We know it can be a lot of work organizing and are grateful for your partnership. - WCHS Shelter Manager

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Martha Duke Thank you on behalf of all the animals you rescue and save! God bless! shared

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Sharon Grant Porter Thank you guys!!!

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Shelli Garcia · 2:15 I always look forward to these walkthroughs! When I see pets that might fit in with friends, I show it to them. Hopefully one day it will result in a home for one of them 😊

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Carolyn Harris ❤️🌸❤️🌸 Many many thanks for all you do for animals. Woof woof meow meow tweet tweet neigh neigh oink oink squeak squeak and....wiggle wiggle. 😊

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Deborah Trussell Ty garland

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Audri Good Y'all do such a great job finding as many possibilities of hope for these fluffies as you can. You make me proud to live in Garland!

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Lee Lutz you all deserve to be spoiled

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Lori Barnett Dodson Another great partnership and work by Garland Animal Services. Thank you Garland and Rowlett!

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Lykinda Cross Love this! The general public has no idea the boots these men and women fill everyday.

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Tricia Dudley Beautiful!!!! Great work GAS!!

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Delia Faulk McLinden Such a great video! Keep up the good work! Shared!

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ANIMAL HOSPITAL OF GARLAND &
GARLAND ANIMAL SERVICES
INVITES YOU TO AN

ADOPTION EVENT

SATURDAY, MAY 4
9 AM - 12 PM
1305 NORTHWEST HWY,
GARLAND, TX 75041

All adoptions include spay/neuter,
microchip and rabies vaccination

Animal Hospital of Garland will give a
free exam certificate to all adopters



April Statistics

Animals Adopted 178

Sponsored Adoptions 28

Animals Adopted at
Pet Adoption Center 38

Animals Adopted by
Rescue Clubs 134



