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## *Newsflash – 10 October 2008 – Distributed by Chameleon Innovation*

Thanks to everyone who indicated after our first Introduction Newsletter that they are still interested in our cause (by not "Unsubscribing" to our correspondence), this huge positive response was overwhelming! Your interest in what we do is much appreciated.



Our spayday on 28 October 2008 was a huge success. We had 16 dogs and 13 cats sterilised and a number of pets also received additional vet care. A total of 28 of the 29 pets sterilised on the day were from poor communities in Rusthof, Strand and were thus transported from and to their homes by the PetPals team. The other pet that was sterilised was a rescued kitty who was rehomed some time ago. We also rescued and removed a very thin and mal-nourished dog (see photo of Daniel in the ad below) and a kitten (see photo above) from Liberty Street in Rusthof on the day. The dog is still looking for a forever home, while the kitty has already been rehomed to a wonderful forever home.



## **Forever homes are urgently needed for the following pets:**

(Please note that adoption fees are asked to contribute towards vet expenses – thank you)



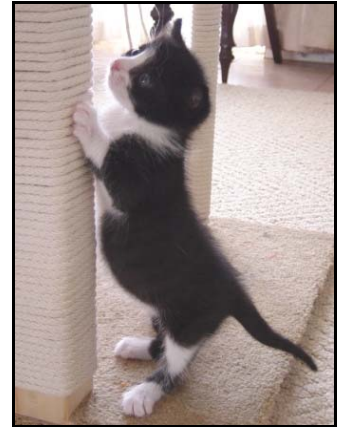
**GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF PET(S):** There are 5 female puppies from the Rusthof community who are urgently looking for forever homes. They are very healthy and approximately 6 weeks of age. Their mother is a medium-sized dog.

HAVE THE PET(S) BEEN :	YES	NO	OTHER NOTES:
TREATED FOR TICKS/FLEAS ?	✓		
DE-WORMED ?	✓		
INOCULATED ?	✓		
STERILISED ?		✓	Still too young
IS AN ADOPTION FEE APPLICABLE ?	✓		R 200 per puppy



**GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF PET(S):** Dawie & Yolanda found this dog (now called Daniel) tied down in a pool of water behind a house in Liberty Street, Strand. He was extremely thin and mal-nourished. He only weighed 8,5kg at the time of his rescue, while the vet said he should have weighed ±15kg at that stage. He has since put on a bit of weight and is currently fostered by Dawie & Yolanda. He is between 6 – 8 months of age. He is very loving and playful and will need doggie-playmates to keep him busy.

HAVE THE PET(S) BEEN :	YES	NO	OTHER NOTES:
TREATED FOR TICKS/FLEAS ?	✓		
DE-WORMED ?	✓		
INOCULATED ?	✓		
STERILISED ?	✓		
IS AN ADOPTION FEE APPLICABLE ?	✓		R 200



**GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF PET(S):** Somebody from Hopefield brought this kitten (who's mommy died) at the age of 2 weeks to our local vet and we took him into our care. We named him Solo because he was in this world without a mommy or siblings. Our temp mommy has bottle-fed him since then and he is now (at the age of ±4 weeks) starting to eat solids. He will need to go to a forever home where there are other young kitty-mates for him to play with, because we do not want him to grow up alone.

HAVE THE PET(S) BEEN :	YES	NO	OTHER NOTES:
TREATED FOR TICKS/FLEAS ?	✓		
DE-WORMED ?	✓		
INOCULATED ?		✓	Still too young
STERILISED ?		✓	Still too young
IS AN ADOPTION FEE APPLICABLE ?	✓		R 100



**GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF PET(S):** This mommy cat and one of her offspring stay in the Morkels Cottage township area. Their owner is moving away within a few days' time and has already indicated to Dawie & Yolanda that he is going to leave the cats behind. It would be preferable if they could find a forever home together.

HAVE THE PET(S) BEEN :	YES	NO	OTHER NOTES:
TREATED FOR TICKS/FLEAS ?	✓		
DE-WORMED ?	✓		
INOCULATED ?	✓		
STERILISED ?	✓		
IS AN ADOPTION FEE APPLICABLE ?	✓		R100 per cat

If you find it in your heart to give any of the above pet(s) the loving and secure home they deserve, please phone Dawie or Yolanda (Tel. 021 854 6317 / 083 411 0738). Once you have completed our pet adoption form (and we have considered your circumstances favourably in terms of this specific adoption), we will make the necessary arrangements for the pet(s) to be fetched and taken to their new forever home.

**ANY SUPPORT WILL BE APPRECIATED!**

Since PetPals' main objective is to improve the living conditions of the animals who stay behind in townships and poor communities, more specifically the Morkels Cottage and Beverly Hills communities in the Strand, Helderberg (like this doggie on his way home after being spayed), our need for support is ongoing. Any contribution (financially or by donating pet food, kennels, bedding, etc) will be much appreciated. PetPals solely relies on ad hoc donations / sponsors and we are very grateful for the support we have received so far. However, taking into account that our vet expenses alone during September 2008 were ±R4500, and in addition to that ±500 animals in the townships need to be fed on a weekly basis, **we are in dire need of dog and/or cat food sponsorships and financial support towards vet expenses.**



**NB Please donate any financial contribution directly into our bank account - we are a registered Non Profit Organisation (063-126-NPO) and the bank account is registered in the organisation's name (see letterhead for details of account). THANKS SO MUCH!!**

Please feel free to contact us should you have any further enquiries. Thank you for your time to read our Newsflash.

Friendly PetPals-regards

*Dawie & Yolanda Hamman and Johan & Azanne van Wyk*

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