

# Welcome to Ladybird!





Duke Ella

**Duke** and **Ella** were brought into Hamilton Animal Services as strays and they were not claimed. These two were showing serious signs of neglect. Their fur was matted and dirty, their teeth are horrendous, and Ella has a large, pendulous mammary tumour that almost touches the floor when she walks. Duke is not neutered, and it's not likely that Ella is spayed. It's possible they were used for breeding and were discarded when they got too old to produce puppies, but we will never know...

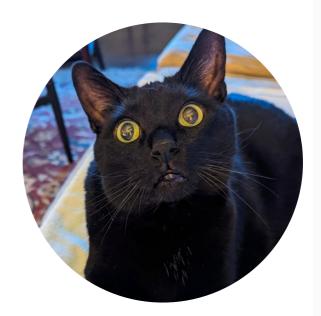
Duke and Ella are the sweetest, friendliest dogs. Even during their time at a loud, busy shelter, Duke and Ella had a wagging tail and happy smile for all the staff.

We were very thankful that an amazing foster home stepped up to take Duke and Ella in. **Learn more...** 

#### **Donate to Duke and Ella's Care**

# **Adoptable Animals**

**Shuri** came into Hamilton Animal Services as a stray. This poor guy was limping when he first arrived, so shelter staff sent him to the vet. There were no signs of injury, so Shuri was sent back to the shelter to wait out his stray time. During his time at the shelter, the limp subsided, and he quickly became a staff favourite due to his friendly nature. Shuri spent about a month at the shelter, but nobody came forward to claim him. The shelter is currently over capacity and more animals are coming in at an alarming rate, so Shuri ended up on the euthanasia list. We were very happy that a foster home opened up and we were able to get sweet Shuri out of the shelter to safety. Learn more...



**Available Animals** 

## **Success Stories**

**Gandalf** and **Roukie** were in Ladybird's care for just over a year. Sometimes getting adopted can take a pretty long time. We were happy to be a part of helping these sweet guinea pigs have a second chance at the very best life, and we're thrilled that they've now found a loving forever home together.

Congratulations, Gandalf and Roukie!



**Success Stories** 

## A Whitehorse Winter Classic

# Thursday, December 21st Burlington Performing Arts Centre

This holiday season join JUNO-award winning band Whitehorse for this inaugural live concert event. They will perform original songs from their catalogue including their holiday album A Whitehorse Winter Classic, and some festive classics. Special guest appearances by Jim Cuddy, Devin Cuddy and Sam Polley. The evening is a benefit for Ladybird Animal Sanctuary, a charity co-founded by Melissa McClelland from Whitehorse.



**TICKETS** 

Many thanks to our event sponsors















#### **Gift Memberships**

An enduring gift of help for animals in need. Dedicate a Ladybird Membership to your loved one as a gift today!



#### **Gift Donations**

Make a gift donation in honour of a loved-one. Where requested, we'll send a holiday card in the mail letting them know about your tribute.



#### Merchandise

Perfect gifts for the animal lover in your life! T-shirts and totes available from our Etsy shop!

## **Good Gift Guide**

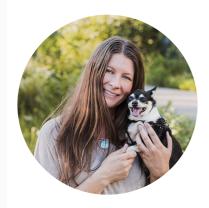
### Look what love can do!

On **Giving Tuesday** (November 28th), Ladybird rescued a very cute, but badly injured kitten. We fittingly named her "**Tuesday**".



Ladybird can give animals like Tuesday a second chance because of your support. We want to convey our deepest and most heartfelt gratitude to all those who generously donated, attended, or sponsored a Ladybird fundraising event. Your support, whether through membership, volunteering, fostering, or adopting a rescued animal, is the driving force behind everything Ladybird accomplishes. Your commitment and compassion make Ladybird's mission not only possible but truly impactful. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts for being the essential pillars of our community. Your kindness makes a world of difference.

Until next time, with love!







Lisa Winn, Janine Stoll and Melissa McClelland Founders of Ladybird Animal Sanctuary

## **Donate to Ladybird**



## **BUY EARLY AND SAVE!**

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