



Fort Wayne Pet Food Pantry, Inc.

“Keeping Pets at Home with Their Families”

We provide pet food at no cost to pet owners who are struggling financially and cannot afford to feed their pets.

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Hello Friends!

Spring time is a busy time! Our Fundraising Committee has been working hard to plan two events for June (Open House June 5 and Pedal for Whiskers & Wags June 22), and more! Our Board of Directors is preparing for their annual election of new officers. Our volunteers have been picking up A LOT of donations around town. Our client base continues to grow with each distribution. PAWSOME STUFF!

Thanks so much to all our generous donors, and to all our volunteers who step up every day to make it all happen! You all play a part in keeping pets at home with their families!

2019 Stats - We have served:

2,679 pet owners	6,162 pets	22,576 pounds dry food
3,423 cans food	2,824 pounds cat litter	490 volunteer hours

Donation Site Spotlight – New Haven Pet Hospital

This month, we are featuring New Haven Pet Hospital located on Hwy 930 across from Hall's. Their donation bin is located in the back, but they are happy to accept your donation at the front counter. This location has always provided a steady stream of donations for us. Thanks so much to everyone who helps to fill the bin! Special thanks to the staff who always take time out of their busy day to help us load, and to our newest volunteer, Sue Ann Childs, for picking up these donations! We appreciate everyone's support!

Thank You for Your Support!

- Summit City Parrot Head Club
- PETCO
- Animal Care & Control
- BAE
- Anonymous donation of 800 pounds of dry cat food
- Kroger on 14 & Scott Rd.
- Prince Chapman Academy

Join us at these upcoming events!

Wed. June 5 - Open House from 5-7pm

Fort Wayne Pet Food Pantry 2502 Church St. off Bluffton Rd.

We're celebrating nine PAWSOME years and our new building! Cake and door prizes! (extra parking at the church)

Sat. June 22 - Pedal for Whiskers & Wags at Pedal City from 3-7pm.

\$20 Admission, Pet friendly, silent auction, 50-50 raffle, enter to win a \$100 gift card!

Special thanks to our volunteer Amy Reff for designing both event flyers!

New Volunteer Opportunities!

Pick up pet food donations at Animal Care & Control on Hillegas twice a week, and bring to our pantry off Bluffton Rd. Could be up to 100 pounds of food each trip.

Drop off dog food at the Rescue Mission downtown on Superior St. once a week. Two boxes at 25 pounds per box. The Rescue Mission distributes this food to pets of the homeless.

Pick up donations at Pet Supplies Plus in Covington Plaza (by Office Depot) once a week and bring to our pantry.

There are a few openings on our Board of Directors. Contact us for an application.

If you are interested in any of the opportunities above, email us at info@fwpetfoodpantry.com for more details.

Help our Pedal for Whiskers & Wags event on June 22 be a PAWSOME success! (Free lunch and pantry shirt included). <https://bit.ly/30B6Rod> to sign up online.

Our Saturday distribution dates for all of 2019 are now on Sign Up Genius., along with our monthly Monday night bagging events. Go to www.fwpetfoodpantry.com/volunteer to sign up online for either one.

We are also looking for volunteers to staff our booth at the Pet Expo. Email us at info@fwpetfoodpantry.com

Pet food distributions - Saturdays 11am – Noon at 2502 Church Street

- June 1, 15, 29
- July 13, 27
- August 10, 24

Wish List – DRY CAT FOOD IS OUR GREATEST NEED

You can donate pet food from home and have it shipped to us using our Amazon Wish List at this link <http://smile.amazon.com/registry/wishlist/3AKQIT2H417W6> or you can drop off food donations at these locations:

H.O.P.E. for Animals Clinic - 1333 Maycrest off Lake Ave.

Miss Emily's Pet Salon - 3426 N Anthony

Pet Supplies Plus – all locations

Pine Valley Vet - Coldwater Rd

Pink Poodle - Covington Plaza

St. Joe Vet - Maplecrest & St. Joe Center Rd.

Flying Colors Canine Academy - 5200 Industrial Rd.

Dupont Veterinary Clinic - 11605 Coldwater Rd.

New Haven Pet Hospital - 227 State Road 930 West

Zach's Pet Services - 3335 E 850 N in Roanoke

Aboite Animal Hospital - Illinois Rd.

Waynedale Grooming Salon - Lower Huntington Rd. *NEW SITE*****

On behalf of everyone at Fort Wayne Pet Food Pantry, Thank you for helping to keep pets at home with their families!

Sincerely,

Pam Tracy

Founder/Director

Fort Wayne Pet Food Pantry Inc. is a 501(c)(3) non-profit public charity organization.

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Please consult a tax advisor for how this may apply to you.

Please remember Fort Wayne Pet Food Pantry in your estate planning.