



**Mutts & Martinis - Only Three Weeks Away!**

**Get out your cocktail attire because Mutts & Martinis is back again on October 16th!**

Join us at [Glen Erin Golf Club](#) for delicious food, specialty martinis, silent and live auctions, and more! You will spend the evening sipping delicious drinks, socializing, and making memories while supporting HSSW's mission to help pets go home.

During cocktail and networking time, enjoy light appetizers, place your bids at our Silent Auction, take your chances at our Wine Pull, and visit with adoptable HSSW dogs.

Dinner will follow these activities. All dinners will be served with Rolls & Butter, Salad, Yukon Mashed Potatoes, and Bourbon Glazed Carrots. When purchasing your ticket(s), you will choose one of the following for you entree:

- 8oz Prime Top Sirloin with Béarnaise Sauce
- Celtic Chicken Signature (Spinach, Boursin Cheese, Artichoke, and Mushrooms with Parmesan Cream Sauce)
- Teriyaki Grilled Salmon
- Herb Parmesan Risotto with Blistered Tomatoes & Roasted Green Onions (gluten-free and vegetarian)

During dinner, you can enjoy a presentation by our Executive Director about all that HSSW has been up to in 2025, while indulge in a slice of Turtle Cheesecake. To finish the night and back by popular demand will be our Live Auction of HSSW animal-made art, a one-of-a-kind experience!

**Tickets can be purchased here:** <https://events.humanitix.com/mutts-and-martinis-2025>

*We promise you'll have a PAWsome time, and we really hope to see you all there!*

**I Want to Go to Mutts & Martinis!**



## Our 2026 Calendar is ALMOST Ready!

As we are wrapping up our final photoshoots, we just wanted to take a moment to say **THANK YOU** to everyone that has participated in our 2026 Calendar!

In case you missed it - this calendar will feature local businesses and adoptable pets on each month PLUS a coupon sheet at the end and should be available in the next few weeks! We won't reveal all the photos that will be included in the final calendar, but the photos above can give you a little sneak peak.

So, without further ado - thank you to [Moore Moments Photography](#) & [Have Camera Wisconsin](#) for capturing all of these beautiful images!

Thank you to [Culver's](#) on Midland in Janesville, [TriCor Insurance](#), [Janesville Veterinary Clinic](#), [Rotary Gardens](#), [Blain's Farm & Fleet](#), Colleen Frentzel with [American Family Insurance](#), [Hesser Toyota](#), [Willowdale Tavern](#), [Realty Executives](#), & [Rhuester's Friendly Village Tavern](#) for welcoming our adoptable pets at their locations and for being our featured businesses throughout the calendar!

Thank you to [Timber Hill Winery](#), [Dairyhaus](#), [Milwaukee Street Pizza](#), [Sharla's Coffee](#), [Rotary Gardens](#), [Garden of Eaton](#), [A&B Acai](#), [Good Works Brewing](#), [Rhuester's Friendly Village Tavern](#), [My Apartment Pub & Grill](#), [Charlie's Place](#), [Willowdale Tavern](#), [M&M Dari Ripple](#), [Red Zone Pub & Grill](#), [Jerry's Mexican Kitchen & Bar](#), & [Sugardust Cookies](#) for adding coupons to the calendar!

**Keep an eye out for the 'Calendars are Ready' announcement to see the final photos and get your amazing coupons!!**

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## September Adoption Events Recap

Recently, we have had two great adoption events - the first one was September 12th - September 14th for our long-staying resident dogs. Thanks to our friends at the [ASPCA](#), two of our long-staying resident dogs, Danny and Kilo, have found their way to new loving families!! These two have been with us for over 3 months searching for their people! And we're so happy to have found them!

The second event was September 20th - 21st in conjunction with our [Foster Fest](#) event. For this event, adoption fees for pets that were currently or had been previously in foster care with HSSW were lowered by 25%! Through this event we found homes for several cats - Pepper, Freya, Elvira, Noodle, Tin Man, Princess, Spider, Salmon, Shuffle, Canasta, Rummy, & Toothless!

Thank you to everyone that adopted during these events (and beyond these events)! You have all truly made a difference to not only the pet(s) you adopted, but to those we can help afterwards too.

[See Our Adoptable Pets!](#)



## Dog Treats Needed!

Gatsby has a question for you - could you send him and his friends some soft doggy treats? Pretty please?

Soft treats help us to teach the dogs to be more mannerly, to be more calm in their kennels, for enrichment, and - of course - for a little snack every now and again! You can shop locally and drop off these treats at HSSW in our Donation Area any time or you can [shop online](#) and have them shipped directly to us as well. Or you could send us a donation on Venmo (@petsgohome) and we'll do the shopping!

**Thank you for your continued support!**

## Check Out Our Wish List



## August Events Recap

This August, we had our annual [Donut Dash](#) with [Skelly's Farm Market](#) and two [Wineo Bingo](#) nights with [Timber Hill Winery](#)!

At this year's Donut Dash - we had 100 participants, beautiful weather, the cutest dogs, and gorgeous sunflowers! Truly we could not have asked for anything more. Please join us in giving a special thank you to our sponsors - [Generac](#), [Janesville Veterinary Clinic](#), [TRICOR Insurance](#)!

Thank you to the team at [Skelly's Farm Market](#) for all your hard work preparing for this event and for hosting each year! Thank you to everyone that donated items for the goodie bags - [Bobo's Oat Bars](#), [DripDrop](#), & [Eco Lips](#)! Thank you to [Tiffany Ann Photography](#) for capturing the incredible photos!

And of course, thank you to everyone that participated in this event, helped promote it, & to our staff and volunteers that helped plan and carry out this event! Together we raised over \$5,200!! That's over \$5,200 to help pets go home again!!

At our Wineo Bingo nights, we raised over \$1,600! Thank you to [Timber Hill Winery](#) for hosting us, everyone that came out to play bingo, buy raffle tickets, and support HSSW, our volunteers and staff for all their help, and everyone that helped promote this event! We couldn't do what we do without your support!

*See you at one of our upcoming events!*

## August Shelter Data Recap



Pets that found loving homes in August:

**232**



Pets that were in foster care in August:

**195**



Pets reunited with their owners in August:

**23**



## Upcoming Events

### Dine Around Town - September 24th



Throughout the year, a local restaurant partners with the Humane Society of Southern Wisconsin for one night and a portion of the proceeds that night is donated back to help pets go home!

***This Dine Around Town is hosted at [Chubby Bubba's](#) in Janesville from 11am-9pm TODAY!***

Chubby Bubba's will be donating 10% of sales all day back to HSSW!

*Hope to see you there!*

### Lick-or-Treat - October 26th



**Join us at HSSW on Sunday, October 26th from 12p-3p for a spooky day of kid & dog-friendly fun!**

This event is FREE but if you'd like to donate, we suggest a \$5 donation. Start your Halloween afternoon with some trick-or-trunk style trick-or-treating around the shelter's parking lot. We'll have trunks decorated for the holiday and treats will be available for children and canines alike!

Costumes welcome and encouraged! Don't forget to stop by our Spooky Snacks and Raffle Basket table!

Get Involved at HSSW!



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