

Fur Ball

**TO BENEFIT BC SPCA
KAMLOOPS & DISTRICT**

JUNE 7, 2025

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We value building strong relationships with local communities through proactive engagement.

To help ensure that local communities' voices are heard, we've set up the following ways for you to connect with us.

We want to hear from you.

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*animal featured is BC SPCA alum

Message from *Craig Daniell*
Chief Executive Officer | BC SPCA



A warm welcome to Fur Ball 2025! I am so moved to see the caring compassion for animals that this incredible community shows each year.

None of the life-changing work that we will share with you tonight would be possible without you. Your loving support is key to building a safety net for animals in the Kamloops community and beyond. I am truly honoured to be here with all of you for this very special evening and am excited to share how your kindness is transforming the lives of animals at BC SPCA Kamloops and the Kamloops Spay/Neuter Clinic.

A special thanks to our fantastic Fur Ball event committee, all of tonight's sponsors, donors, and friends for bringing this evening to life. Fur Ball is the special celebration that it is because of you and your compassionate commitment to helping animals and people thrive together.

On behalf of all of us at the BC SPCA, thank you for being a valued partner in our journey to improve the lives of our province's most vulnerable animals.

Craig Daniell



Message from *Ashley Fontaine-Ost*
Senior Manager, Thompson-Nicola & Okanagan Region | BC SPCA

Thank you for joining us this evening for our 10th Annual Fur Ball to benefit the BC SPCA Kamloops Community Animal Centre. We are excited to welcome you back!

The BC SPCA Kamloops has faced many challenges over the last year, from seeing a significant increase in urgent cases where we need to bring many vulnerable animals into care all at once, to needing to react quickly and thoughtfully to provide short

and long-term support to protect animals and support guardians in our communities during times of emergency. Despite the ever-changing and challenging circumstances, the BC SPCA Kamloops Community Animal Centre has continued to protect and care for vulnerable animals and members of our community. Our dedicated and passionate team could not conduct its lifesaving work without your love-filled compassionate support – we cannot thank you enough!

Thank you for being here with us today, and every day.

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Tonight's Program

5:00 PM

- ✧ Cocktail Reception with sponsored by Yellow Dog Brewing
 - ✧ Cuddle Lounge
 - ✧ Photos with Photography by Sammy
 - ✧ Entertainment by Jeremy Kneeshaw
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6:30 PM

- ✧ Welcome by Emcee Howie Reimer
 - ✧ Secwepemc Welcome and knowledge sharing with Paul Michel
 - ✧ Welcome by Craig Daniell (CEO)
 - ✧ Dinner
 - ✧ Entertainment by Common Sound
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8:30 PM

- ✧ Live Auction with Paul Bielby
 - ✧ Dessert
 - ✧ Marcie Moriarty, Chief Protection and Community Officer
 - ✧ Eileen Drever, Senior Officer, Protection & Stakeholder Relations
 - ✧ Fund-A-Need
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9:30 PM

- ✧ Heads or Tails
- ✧ 50/50 Draw
- ✧ Dance Floor Opens

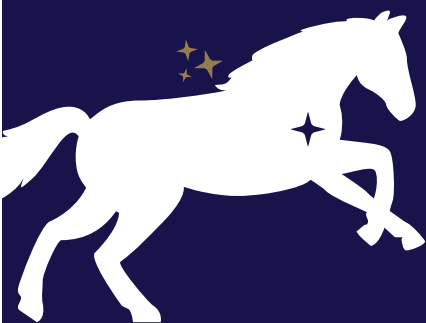


Heads or Tails **A Beach Resort Getaway!**



Join us for Heads or Tails! Purchase a silver bead necklace for just **\$50** for your chance to win a two night stay at the Watermark Beach Resort in Osoyoos. Nestled on the shores of Osoyoos Lake, each comfy condo-style suite has a fully equipped kitchen and any amenity you will need. Don't miss out on your chance to soak in the sun while relaxing on the white sand of Osoyoos Lake and enjoying a refreshing swim in the pristine waters.

See display signage in the room for more details.



50/50 Draw

Don't miss out on our 50/50 draw for a chance to win big! By purchasing tickets, you not only stand a chance to take home half of the jackpot, but you also provide loving support to animals in need in our community.
Buy your tickets before they sell out!

Menu

Starter

Cranberry Orange Asiago Greens

organic greens, mandarin orange segments, dried cranberries, crisp red onion
& asiago cheese, drizzled with raspberry vinaigrette
vegetarian, gluten free, nut free

Entrée

Garlic & Herb Organic Chicken Breast

served with a braised prairie mushroom, spring onion and red wine jus, seasoned
wild rice pilaf, seasonal vegetable medley, finished with micro greens
dairy free, gluten free, nut free

— or —

Garlic & Herb Seared Tofu & Roasted Zucchini Stack

served with fire roasted tomato and baby spinach jus, seasoned wild rice pilaf,
seasonal vegetable medley, finished with micro greens
vegan, dairy free, gluten free, nut free

Dessert

Chocolate Truffle Ganache Cake

delicate & rich with a sweet raspberry compote, sugared blueberries, toasted pecans
and chocolate chard, served with coffee and tea
vegetarian

coffee & tea also available at the self-serve station
in the Grand Hall



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Suki's Story

From the moment we met her, we could tell Suki had endured more than most. As the eldest cat in a heartbreaking case involving 83 cats in a single home, 8-year-old Suki had long served as the matriarch of the group. She had given birth to countless litters over the years, her small body bearing the quiet burden of overbreeding and neglect.

When she arrived in our care, Suki had just delivered yet another litter of kittens. But it wasn't only her own babies she was nursing—when other mother cats in the home rejected their litters, Suki took them in too. She ended up with seven kittens of different ages, all desperate for her care.

Her body simply couldn't keep up. Even with around-the-clock bottle feeding from our team, Suki developed painful mastitis, likely caused by the babies trying desperately to nurse.

We stepped in quickly—administering antibiotics, providing pain relief, and ensuring the kittens received the nutrition they needed. When Suki was strong enough, she underwent spay surgery. What our veterinary team found was heartbreaking: one side of her uterus was so scarred and damaged that it could no longer support life—a clear sign of how many litters she had endured.

Thanks to your support, Suki is now safe, spayed, and recovering with love. She'll soon receive a much-needed dental, and then, at last, she can enjoy her golden years simply being adored.



Suki's story is a powerful reminder of why spaying and neutering is so vital. No animal should suffer the way she has. And because of you, she never will again.

Rocky's Story

When Rocky first arrived at BC SPCA Kamloops, he was a frightened stray with a painful, badly broken leg—an injury so severe that amputation was the only way forward. At just a year old, this Lab/Border Collie mix had already endured more hardship than most dogs should in a lifetime... but Rocky's spirit proved stronger than his injury.



With the help of our dedicated veterinary team and the support of generous donors like you, Rocky underwent surgery and began the long road to healing. Day by day, he showed us what resilience looks like—greeting staff with a wagging tail and soft eyes that held both gratitude and hope. His quiet strength and gentle nature captured every heart he met.

Now a happy, three-legged boy, Rocky doesn't dwell on what he's lost. Instead, he embraces every moment, leaning into love—literally. He's become known as our “Velcro dog,” always close, always seeking connection. He reminds us that healing is not just physical—it's emotional too, and made possible by compassion, care, and community.

Tonight, we honour Rocky's journey as a testament to what your support makes possible. Because of you, animals like Rocky get a second chance—a chance to heal, to trust again, and to rediscover joy.

Silent Auction

We're going mobile again this year! To bid on Silent Auction items, visit **furballkamloops2025.com**. You can bid on your phone or on the tablet on your table.



If you need assistance, flag down one of our volunteers and they will be happy to help.





LIVE AUCTION



1. Gift of Flight

One roundtrip flight for two people to any regularly scheduled WestJet destination* - PLUS a stunning three-piece luggage set including a hard-side suitcase, duffel bag and matching toiletry bag.

*No cash value; fees, taxes, surcharges not included, blackout dates and restrictions apply.

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2. Macallan Classic Cut 2017 Highland Single Malt Scotch Whisky

Raise your glass to the 2017 Macallan Classic Cut Limited Edition, an exceptional single malt Scotch whisky crafted to showcase Macallan's signature richness and complexity. Bottled at a higher strength of 58.4% ABV, this rare release reveals bold notes of creamy vanilla, sweet caramel, and warming spices. A collector's treasure and connoisseur's delight, this limited-edition expression offers a memorable sip of Macallan's timeless mastery.

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LIVE AUCTION



3. Victoria Escape for Two

You deserve a treat. Get yourself on Island time! Soar over the stunning coast with a round-trip flight for two from Pacific Coastal Airlines, enjoy the sights and sounds of the city at your own pace, and spend a luxurious night at the iconic Fairmont Empress in Victoria.



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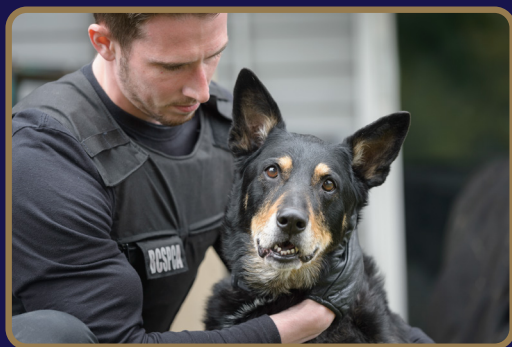
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4. Ride-Along with an APO

Join a BC SPCA Animal Protection Officer for a day and experience firsthand the complex and inspiring work officers tackle while helping animals across BC. This once in a lifetime experience is truly

unforgettable and will give you great insight into how the BC SPCA straddles dual roles as educator and enforcer. Your day will be unpredictable and moving – the course of an animal's life can change right in front of you.



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Pet Profile

GOOBER ✨

Meet Goober! He is a 2 year-old Staffordshire Terrier mix. Goober came to us as a surrendered sweetheart whose loving guardians could sadly no longer care for him, and he is now putting that nose to good use in searching for his forever home.

Goober's name really sums him up... he's just a goofy goober! This lovable guy has a heart of gold and a charming personality, so he's impossible not to love. A moderately energetic boy, he loves to go for a good long walk or romp around the field, but his favourite thing is to lay around and have a good cuddle. He is looking for patient pawrents who can help him with his training, as he can be a bit excitable.

Mr. Goob is a simple man. He wants happy, stable home filled with love, treats and in turn will show you what a goofy, fun, and loveable companion he is!



If Goober's story has inspired you to add a furry friend to your family, scan the QR code below for more animals in your community looking for their forever homes. Make sure to mention Fur Ball Kamloops so we can flag your application.





Our Mission

Protecting vulnerable animals and mobilizing communities so animals and people thrive together.

Our Values

We are caring and compassionate.

We work and learn with respect.

We collaborate to amplify our impact.

We are ethical, accountable and courageous.

Tonight's Beverages

The delicious welcome beverages served tonight were generously donated by Yellow Dog Beverage Co/Yellow Dog Spirits and Monte Creek Winery—thank you for supporting BC SPCA Kamloops & District Fur Ball!



Proceeds from Yellow Dog and Monte Creek Winery sales this evening will be donated to BC SPCA Kamloops!



★ ★ Thank you ★ ★

Special thanks to our amazing staff and volunteers! Their hard work and dedication to helping animals in need has made this night possible. Our Fur Ball Event Committee: Katie Klassen, Ronda Olds, Jennifer Brown, Daria Evans, Teresa Fedorak, and Lisa Fuller.



YOUR GENEROSITY IN ACTION

The BC SPCA has been protecting, caring and advocating for animals for 129 years. As a charitable organization we are reliant on the support of animal lovers like you! In 2024, your generosity empowered BC SPCA Kamloops and District to:

Help

Rescue and care for **2,374** injured, homeless, neglected, stray and abused animals throughout the Thompson-Okanagan region

Adopt

Find forever homes for **420** animals; cats, dogs, bunnies, rats, hamsters, guinea pigs, birds, goats, sheep and chickens

Support

Provide more than **10,000** kg of dog and cat food for vulnerable animals through food bank programs

Investigate

Conduct over **550** cruelty investigations in the Thompson Okanagan region

Educate

Reach **427** youth through virtual and in-person events, camps, workshops and school presentations

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