

# u•can•snip•its

November 2015



UCAN's mission is to provide professional, low-cost spay/neuter services to end the unnecessary deaths of homeless cats and dogs in shelters in the Greater Cincinnati area, including surrounding counties in Southwest Ohio, Northern Kentucky and Southeastern Indiana.

## RECORD CAT SURGERIES IN 2015!

UCAN has performed a record 7,048 cat surgeries in 2015, to date!

Thanks to a generous grant from The Joanie Bernard Foundation, UCAN has had a fantastic cat special in 2015: surgery is only \$20 and cats receive a free rabies vaccine and FVRCP vaccine. To help stop outdoor community cats from reproducing



**Our vet assistant Sarah Fortner caring for the cats as they recover on our Cat Beach.**

### Spay/Neuter Surgeries in 2015 (through 11/11/15)

<b>Cats:</b>	<b>7,048</b>
<b>Dogs:</b>	<b><u>3,653</u></b>
<b>Total:</b>	<b>10,701</b>

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unchecked, these cats brought in traps get **free** surgery.

**We are thrilled to announce that this cat special will continue in 2016!!** At this rate, we will be able to **substantially reduce** the number of unwanted cat litters and therefore the intake rates and euthanasia of cats at Greater Cincinnati shelters!

You can schedule an appointment on-line on our website, [www.ucancincinnati.org](http://www.ucancincinnati.org), or call 513-721-PETS (7387) on weekdays between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. to get an appointment while the special lasts!

## PET CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

November is Pet Cancer Awareness Month. To remind anyone who does not know, spay/neuter surgery eliminates or substantially reduces the risks of several types of cancer including ovarian, uterine, mammary and testicular cancer. Therefore, sterilized pets live longer, healthier lives!!



## UCAN'S Wish List

Donate items listed below to help us save money which helps us save more lives!

Paper Towels  
Ziplock Bags-all sizes  
Bleach  
Black Sharpies  
Black Pens  
Dryer Sheets  
Distilled Water  
Gently used towels  
Gently used blankets  
Recycled newspapers (no color ads, please)

New dog and cat collars and toys would also be greatly appreciated!!!

## Quick Links

[Visit UCAN's Website](#)

[Like UCAN on Facebook](#)

## LOW-COST CLINICS AT UCAN\*

To keep pets healthy and out of local shelters, we are offering low-cost vaccines, microchips, testing and other services on Fridays from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. (closed Nov. 27 and Dec. 25). No appointment is

necessary. You can get the following services for your pet:

**Services for Dogs:**

- Pre-Sterilization Surgery Bloodwork (CBC and Chemistry Panel) - \$40
- Bordetella (kennel cough) vaccine - \$15
- Dewormer (Panacur):  
Up to 20 lbs. - \$7  
20.1 to 40 lbs. - \$11  
40.1 lbs. & up - \$22
- Distemper/Parvo (Da2PP) vaccine - \$15
- Frontline (fleas, ticks, lice) - \$15 per dose
- Heartworm Test - \$20
- Heartworm Prevention (Heartgard - 6 mo. supply):  
0 to 25 lbs. - \$24  
26 to 50 lbs. - \$30  
51 to 100 lbs. - \$36
- Microchip (lifetime registration) - \$20
- Rabies vaccine (1 or 3 year) - \$10
- Toenail trim - \$5

**Services for Cats:**

- Pre-Sterilization Surgery Bloodwork (CBC and Chemistry Panel) - \$40
- Cardboard Cat Carrier - \$5
- Dewormer (Pyrantel) - \$5
- Distemper (FVRCP) vaccine - \$15
- Feline leukemia vaccine - \$15
- Felv/FIV combo test - \$20
- Frontline Plus - \$15 per dose
- Feral cat trap rental - \$50 cash deposit
- Microchip (lifetime registration) - \$20
- Rabies vaccine (1 or 3 year) - \$10
- Revolution (fleas, ear mites, hookworms, roundworms) - \$15
- Toenail trim - \$5

\*It is best for your pet to establish an on-going relationship with a full-service veterinarian who will be familiar with your pet's history and be able to treat illnesses or injuries. Our clinics are solely for people who cannot afford a full-service veterinarian because they are on a fixed income (social security, disability, etc.), their income is below the Federal poverty rate, or they are unemployed. **We do not treat sick or injured pets; you must see a full-service veterinarian for treatment.**

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## GIFTS THAT SAVE LIVES!



This year, *instead of a gift* for someone who has everything or is hard to buy for, *make a tax-deductible donation* in their name instead! We will send them a cute dog or cat card notifying them of your generous donation on their behalf. You both get the satisfaction of knowing that your donation will help provide spay/neuter surgery to dogs and cats who need it to end the deaths of homeless animals in Greater Cincinnati shelters.

We will send cards for birthdays, weddings, anniversaries, Mother's Day and other holidays. Please invite your friends and family to do the same and turn special events into an opportunity to give back to the community and save the lives of cats and dogs!

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