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## **The SAHS Celebrates A Great Year!**



San Antonio, TX (December 31) – The San Antonio Humane Society is ecstatic to announce some big impacts from 2013! First, we had a staggering 4,961 dogs and cats adopted into loving homes with numerous success stories coming our way.

Second, we are extremely proud to have the opportunity to sterilize over 9,500 animals in 2013. With our low costs and great packages available to the San Antonio community and surrounding areas, our goal is to continue this mission and spread the word about spaying and neutering.

Third, through our Humane Education Programs including Camp Humane and numerous school visits, 6,277 kids and youth were educated about pet responsibility, spay neuter benefits, and companionship with all living creatures.

Furthermore, our growing Volunteer Program consisted of 1,015 active volunteers who earned 18,400 volunteer hours throughout 2013. Our Foster Care Program reached an astounding 25,000 hours with 150 wonderful volunteer foster families who opened their homes and hearts to 750 foster pets.

It is a strong bond that the SAHS shares with its volunteers, fosters, donors, and the community that allows us to change so many lives! We are grateful for 2013 and ready for what's to come in 2014!

For more info about the SAHS, please visit [SAhumane.org](http://SAhumane.org).

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**SAHS Info:** *The San Antonio Humane Society is a non-profit, no-kill organization that has served Bexar County and its surrounding areas since 1952. We are not affiliated with the Humane Society of the United States or the ASPCA. Every year, the San Antonio Humane Society shelters, medically treats, and rehabilitates more than 5,000 animals that have been injured, abused, or abandoned until they are ready for adoption. **Our mission is to protect and improve the lives of dogs and cats by providing shelter, care, adoption, rescue, spay and neuter programs, and community education.***