



The Octavio Feline Foundation News

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From the President's desk;

Have you seen the article with great pictures that were published in Eventos Magazine? The magazine is free and you can get it in any Ocean Bank or CommerceBank. I have asked for copies to give to members but I haven't been able to pick them up. As soon as I have them, I will let you know.

Also, I have very good news to share with all the members, thanks to the generosity of the New World Symphony who donated 4 tickets for the new 2006-2007 season, we will be able to assist to 2 concerts! One in Jan. and one in March. For the January tickets I will be having a contest and the winner will be the one that during the month of December fix the higher number of cats/kittens and for the concert in March, it will be the one fixing more cats/kittens in February.

How will I know how many cats you fix? Easy, send me copies of your vet bill and I will be able to select the winners.

I would like to announce that starting in November 2006, we will be able to offer our members with non-prescription supplies that will include, deworming, vitamins, vaccines, ear/eye care and flea products. I will be sending a list of the items as well as the prices and instructions on how to get them.

Our members are asking to have monthly meeting but unfortunately we do not have a facility, if you happen to know of a good place to hold our meetings, please contact me and I will work on it.

Keep fixing all those cats and have a Happy and Safe Halloween!!!

By Silvia M. Valles



Happy Halloween!!!!

Total cats sterilized: 29
Pregnant females: 9
Unborn kittens: 33
Non-pregnant females: 9
Males: 11
These numbers do not include the cats taken directly to the participating vets by members.

Help needed from members!!!!

We need to create a team to assist elderly members who due to their age or an illness cannot do TNR by themselves. There are other members who have no transportation but need help taking cats and kittens to/from the vets. If you would like to assist these members, please contact me @ 305-267-0511

T-shirts are for sale now: Members \$ 12.00
Non-members \$ 15.00
2007 Cat Calendars \$ 5.00

Did you know that:

.... If you are feeding an orphan kitty you have to stimulate them to go to the bathroom?

... a heating pad should be used for kittens less than 4-5 weeks old because they cannot keep their temperature?

Special Thanks to:

Dr. Pablo Perez and all the staff at the MAC Unit, for their continuing help fixing most of our stray cats.

All Veterinary Supply, for their monthly contributions.

Drs. Gladys and Maria Soto, from West Miami Animal Clinic for helping me with all the kitties I rescue.

In need have:

- A used car or mini-van
- Food and litter for low-income members
- Monetary donations to sterilize cats in low-income areas

If you have a cat question, please, do not hesitate to call me @ 305-267-0511, I always say that it is better to ask a dumb question than to make a dumb mistake!!!!