

Santa Cruz County Animal Shelter

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LIMITED TIME DOG AND PUPPY ADOPTION SPECIAL

The Santa Cruz County Animal Shelter (SCCAS) is experiencing an overload of adoptable dogs at their shelter and is seeking forever homes to help open up space at their open-admission shelter. To encourage more animal adoptions, the adoption price for all dogs is being reduced for a limited time.

Through Sunday, May 21st, the adoption fee for dogs up to six years old is just \$100, and \$150 for puppies six months and younger. Fees include spay/neuter, microchip (including registration), age-appropriate vaccinations, routine treatment for fleas/worms, and a free pet wellness exam with local participating veterinarians.

There are many reasons to adopt dogs and puppies from SCCAS. Shelter animals make great pets, and many have already lived with a human family and have the basic training, socialization and cooperative skills they need to become part of your household. For more information and to view adoptable animals, please visit our shelter locations at 1001 Rodriguez St., Santa Cruz (11 a.m.-6 p.m. daily), or 580 Airport Blvd., Watsonville (9:30 a.m.– noon & 1 p.m. – 5 p.m. Tues.– Sat.).

If your family is missing a dog, please visit the Santa Cruz County Animal Shelter website's Lost Pet Listings at <u>https://www.scanimalshelter.org/lost-pet-listings/</u> or visit the shelters in person.

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About Santa Cruz County Animal Shelter (SCCAS)

The Santa Cruz County Animal Shelter is an open admission shelter which welcomes EVERY animal in need. Our goal is to be a humane resource for the community by providing a safety net and second chance for local animals. There are two locations where owners can find and recover lost pets, adopt new animal companions, or sign up for PLANNED PetHood, our low cost spay/neuter program available for all resident pets. Learn more at www.wscanimalshelter.org.