

## **HSWC Volunteer Application (for Volunteers at PetSmart® in Henrietta, NY)**

The Humane Society of Wayne County (HSWC) is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization funded primarily through memberships, bequests, memorials, public donations from individuals and businesses, and fundraising events. The mission of the HSWC Animal Shelter is to provide a humane facility to shelter, feed, and care for lost, unwanted, or abused domestic animals of Wayne County, New York, and to provide a facility for humane education to the citizens of Wayne County. The Society welcomes the participation of those willing to volunteer and represent our Society at the adoption center in the PetSmart® store in Henrietta, NY in accordance with our mission and philosophies.

**After being properly trained, volunteer duties include, but are not limited to, cleaning cages, cleaning food/water dishes, cleaning litter pans, refilling food/water dishes, refilling litter pans, washing floors/windows, general maintenance/housekeeping of the adoption center, adoption counseling (match the right cat with the right person), assisting potential adopters with the adoption process, and releasing cats to approved applicants.**

Please complete this application and return it to the **Humane Society of Wayne County**, 1475 County House Road, Lyons, NY 14489 or to a HSWC volunteer at the **PetSmart® store in Henrietta, NY**.

Thank you!

**You must be at least 14 years old before you can assist HSWC in the adoption center at the PetSmart® store in Henrietta, NY. We apologize for this, but PetSmart® and HSWC policy/insurance regulations require our strict adherence to this policy.**

**Please CHECK the appropriate box that indicates your age**

Are you: Under 14?                       14-17?                       18 or older?

**Volunteers 14 – 17 years of age must have parental/guardianship permission (see reverse side). In addition, volunteers 14 – 17 must be accompanied by an adult while in the adoption center in the PetSmart® store in Henrietta, NY.**

What days and what hours would you be able to do volunteer work? \_\_\_\_\_

**Please PRINT the following information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Town: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ OK to Call at Work?    Yes     No

**HSWC strongly recommends all volunteers have a current tetanus vaccination.**

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**Please read the following carefully and acknowledge your understanding by signing and dating below.**

I, (please PRINT name) \_\_\_\_\_ hereby agree that I am providing volunteer services to the Humane Society of Wayne County, assisting in the care of cats and processing cat adoptions at the PetSmart® store in Henrietta, NY. I understand that neither the Humane Society of Wayne County nor PetSmart® are responsible for any illness or injury caused by any animals that I come into contact with during my volunteer work. I agree to hold harmless and release from liability the Humane Society of Wayne County and PetSmart® should I become sick or injured from any animals as a result of my volunteer work.

I confirm that the information provided on this application is correct. I agree to make every effort to perform my assigned tasks.

Volunteer's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

As a parent/guardian, I understand that my son/daughter volunteers at his/her own risk. I hereby grant permission for him/her to volunteer in the adoption center in the PetSmart® store in Henrietta, NY.

Parent's/Guardian's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

In case of an emergency, please provide a contact(s) name and phone number:

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate Phone #: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

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