

# Brookhaven Animal Shelter to Host "Luck of the Irish" Weekend Event

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## ***Half price pet adoptions and family fun in celebration of St. Patrick's Day***

**Farmingville, NY** - Supervisor Ed Romaine and Councilwoman Jane Bonner have announced that the Town of Brookhaven Animal Shelter will celebrate "St. Patrick's Day" by hosting the "Luck of the Irish" weekend event on Saturday, March 16 and Sunday, March 17 at the Animal Shelter from 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. During the event the Animal Shelter will offer 50% off adoption fees, free refreshments, face painting and balloon animals for children.

"Maureen Schneider is doing a fabulous job getting the message out about pet adoption and the "Luck of the Irish" weekend should be another big success," said Supervisor Romaine. "Anyone looking to adopt a dog or cat should go to this event and bring a loving companion animal home with them."

Councilwoman Jane Bonner said "Once again, the Animal Shelter is providing our residents the opportunity to find their new best friend at a great event. I encourage everyone interested to stop by, enjoy the fun, and walk away with a new furry friend."

Animal lovers who would like to help support the Town's efforts at the Animal Shelter can do so by making donations to Help the Animals Fund. Their mission is to prevent cruelty to animals and to provide sick, neglected and injured stray animals at the Brookhaven Animal Shelter with much needed and deserved medical care that they would otherwise not receive. This fund is supported 100% by voluntary donations, which are tax deductible. Visit [www.htaf.org](http://www.htaf.org) for more information or to donate.

The Animal Shelter is open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (Closed Wednesdays), Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and Sunday from 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. It is located at 300 Horseblock Road in Brookhaven, New York, 11719. For more information, please call the Brookhaven Animal Shelter and Adoption Center at 631-286-4940 or visit [www.brookhaven.org/animalshelter](http://www.brookhaven.org/animalshelter).

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