

For Immediate Release
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The Humane Society Presents a Pet Costume Contest!

Lexington, SC... On Saturday, October 31st, The Humane Society, along with Chick-fil-A of Lexington and Pupcakes Pet Boutique, is hosting a Pet Costume Contest at the Chick-fil-A of Lexington, located at 5560 Sunset Blvd. from 8:30am-11am. Register ahead of time by emailing krenfro@humanesc.org with the number of dogs you will be bringing, or come to Chick-fil-A the morning of the event at 8:30am. Each participant will receive a FREE Chick-fil-A Stuffed Cow and Chick-fil-A chicken nuggets. Judging will be done by our *prestigious* panel of judges including the Chick-fil-A Cow, Wayne Brennessel (CEO of The Humane Society) and Marie Lipton (owner of Pupcakes Pet Boutique). The winner will receive a tray of Chick-fil-A chicken nuggets, a \$50 gift certificate to Pupcakes Pet Boutique and a bandanna or custom tee (depending on the dog's size) from Pupcakes Pet Boutique!

Bring the kids along, too, because we will also be taking pictures of your pet for just a \$10 donation! Patrons can also support The Humane Society by purchasing promotional items that will be offered for sale. There will be plenty of treats for the kids and your dogs!

To recap:

When: Saturday, October 31st

Time: 8:30am-11am

Where: Chick-fil-A of Lexington

5560 Sunset Blvd. (in front of Wal*Mart)

Details: Registration at 8:30am. Contest starts at 9:00am and will end at 10:30am. Judging will be at 10:30am with results announced by 11am.

Prizes: \$50 Pupcakes gift certificate, bandana or custom made tee (depending on the dog's size) from Pupcakes Pet Boutique and a FREE chicken nugget tray from Chick-fil-A!

Judges: Chick-fil-A Cow

Wayne Brennessel, HSPCA CEO

Marie Lipton, Pupcakes Pet Boutique Owner

The Humane Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is a non-profit, 501(c)(3) organization founded in 1902 to address animal welfare issues in central South Carolina. Since that time, The Humane Society has evolved into an organization focused on ending animal cruelty, neglect and overpopulation through spay/neuter surgeries and cruelty investigations. The Humane Society receives no government funding and is entirely supported through operations of its spay/neuter clinic and through generous donations from caring individuals like you.

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