SOCIEDAD PROTECTORA DE ANIMALES DE SAN MIGUEL DE ALLENDE, A.C.



November 2025

Paws & Claws



HOPE, HEALTH, HOMES FOR CATS AND DOGS IN NEED

From the Director

NOVEMBER IS ADOPT A SENIOR PET MONTH!

Let's expand the U.S. tradition into Mexico by encouraging potential pet owners to consider an older pet instead of a puppy or kitten. Older dogs are no longer in the "chewing everything in sight" stage. They usually need less exercise and are less demanding of attention. Older cats tend to relax more and don't get in as much mischief as a kitten. Because senior pets are typically calmer and less energetic than puppies and kittens, it is easier to teach them new tricks.

Senior pets are fully grown and their personalities are developed so there are few surprises. It's a great feeling to give an older pet a chance to become part of a family. A senior dog or cat is ready to become your devoted companion for the rest of their lives. They are particularly appropriate choices for an older person to adopt who would love to experience the joy of pet ownership, but probably doesn't have the energy level for a younger animal.

Our Pets of the Month this month are all seniors. We have included a "bonus" section showing all our senior cats and dogs available for adoption.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES: The S.P.A. has some of the sweetest dogs and cats in town! Take advantage of the chance to spend some time with them by volunteering for the S.P.A. We are looking for cat volunteers and able-bodied, fit dog-walkers to volunteer at the S.P.A. 1-2 days a week. If interested, please contact info@spasanmiguel.org

-Megan Gabel, General Director

Adoptions

	Dogs	Cats
October	3	4
YTD	18	33

Clinic/Office Hours:

Mon, Wed, Thu, Fri: 9am - 3pm Tue, Sat (**Discount Days**): 9am - 4pm

Adoptions, Visits, Volunteer:

Dogs: Mon - Sat: 11am - 2pm Cats: Mon - Sat: 11:30am - 2pm

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Easy Links

Website: www.spasanmiguel.org

Facebook: www.facebook.com/spasanmiguel Instagram: www.instagram.com/spasanmiguel

Donate and support our fundraisers: www.spasanmiguel.org/fundraisers

(Donate-Sponsor a Casita-Become a Member)

Volunteer Info: www.spasanmiguel.org/volunteer

Dogs available for adoption: www.spasanmiguel.org/adopt-me-dogs/ Cats available for adoption: www.spasanmiguel.org/adopt-me-dogs/

Membership questions: MembershipSPA@gmail.com

Casita questions: <u>SPACasita@gmail.com</u> Foster questions: <u>SPAFosters@gmail.com</u>

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October Adoptions

Dog adoptions: Canela, Lori, Manchas Cat adoptions: Cody, Bob, Tommy, Tyler



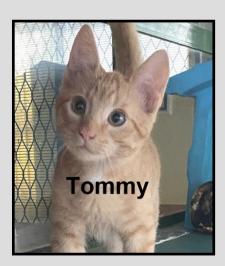












2025 Dog Adoptions
2025 Cat Adoptions

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November 2025 Pets of the Month By Megan Gabel

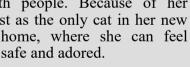
Apollo, now about 10 years old, is one of our long-term residents who we think would do very well in a home. He is a gorgeous dog, quiet and pensive. He loves to be petted and if you stop before he's ready, he will gently paws you to continue. Another endearing characteristic is that he pushes his head against your chest so he can be massaged all over. He's a strong boy, a slow-walker who ambles along until he's decided it's time to go back. Medium-sized, he's a little shy. It you are thinking about adding him to your family, it would be good to come to the S.P.A. and spend some time with him first – let him get to know you.





Miny has been at the S.P.A. for almost 12 years, having arrived when she was only five weeks old. A large, strong dog, she is playful, curious, friendly, and very sweet. She likes to splash in a tub of water in the dog exercise area. She's a little nervous on walks, wary of strangers, and occasionally throws off a bark at them. When she knows you, she is prone to stretching out across your lap for easy access to petting.

Mimi is a stunning 7-year-old Siamese with a gentle, loving nature. She's calm, affectionate, and enjoys human companionship. While her vision is very limited—she can likely make out shapes but not details—this doesn't stop her from interacting beautifully with people. Because of her special needs, Mimi would do best as the only cat in her new







Aussie is the first to ask for love and hugs when the volunteers arrive. He is very vocal about his desire for attention. The minute someone sits on the floor with a brush, he's one of the first to ask for affection. A handsome, talkative, social black and white tuxedo cat with short hair, Aussie is now around 9 years old, having been at the S.P.A. since 2016. He is more than ready for his forever home!

Adopt any of these Pets of the Month during November and receive a free adoption kit. Meet them and all our available cats

and dogs at the S.P.A., Los Pinos #7, Monday-Saturday between 11 and 2, 415-152-6124. Our adoption fee is 600 pesos which includes all current vaccinations, deworming, and sterilization. Preview all our dogs here: https://www.spasanmiguel.org/adopt-me-dogs/ and our cats here: https://www.spasanmiguel.org/adopt-me-cats/ Clicking on the animal's photo will take you to another page with a bigger photo, a bio, and, for dogs, a video.

More Senior S.P.A. Pets Who Would Love to Be Part of a Family













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