

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



December 2022

Paws & Claws

HOPE, HEALTH, HOMES FOR CATS AND DOGS IN NEED



From the Director

HAPPY HOLIDAYS! Thanks to anonymous donors, all new donations to the S.P.A. through the end of the year up to a total of \$2,500 USD will be matched! Please help us take full advantage of this generous offer to double contributions through December 31, 2022. For an instant donation through PayPal, click the "Donate" button below. Other methods for donating are described on page 3 of this issue.

Supporting the S.P.A. is a great way to make the gift-giver, gift-recipient, and the S.P.A. feel happy! Please consider making a donation to the S.P.A.—as a present to yourself and to others. Celebrate Christmas, New Year's, Chanukah, Día de Reyes, birthdays, anniversaries, and just the joy of living with the gift of an "In Honor Of" donation to the S.P.A. An In Honor Of donation can be completed through our website [HERE](#) using PayPal. It's a safe, easy way to celebrate the season (no mask required). Other options for donating are listed on that same page. If you need more information, please email info@spasanmiguel.org

As our moto states, our goal is to provide hope, health, and homes for cats and dogs in need. The S.P.A. relies on donations from generous souls in this community and elsewhere (including the U.S. and Canada). Every penny/centavo you contribute will be used for the benefit of the cats and dogs sheltered at the S.P.A. who are waiting to become a part of loving families. There is never a shortage of homeless, needy animals for your donations to help.

We wish you all a wonderful holiday season and best wishes for a better, healthy, safe year in 2023!

-Megan Gabel, General Director

Adoptions

	Dogs	Cats
November	0	1
YTD	23	39

Clinic/Office Hours:

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

Adoptions & Volunteer* Hours:

Mon - Sat: 11am - 2pm
Masks required.

Los Pinos 7, Col. Lindavista
San Miguel de Allende,
GTO 37736 Mexico
Ph: 415-152-6124

U.S. Mailing Address:

S.P.A., PMB No. 18
220 N. Zapata Hwy. #11
Laredo, Texas 78043-4464 U.S.A.

Easy Links

Website: www.spasanmiguel.org

Facebook: www.facebook.com/spasanmiguel

Donate and support our fundraisers: www.spasanmiguel.org/fundraisers
(Donate-Sponsor a Casita-Become a Member)

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

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

Membership questions: MembershipSPA@gmail.com

Casita questions: SPACasita@gmail.com

Foster questions: SPAFosters@gmail.com

See what your donation dollars and pesos support: youtu.be/6grULRHi6Sk

*For a required volunteer interview, email info@spasanmiguel.org Volunteers must be fully vaccinated.

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Please Donate for the Benefit of Our Cats and Dogs!

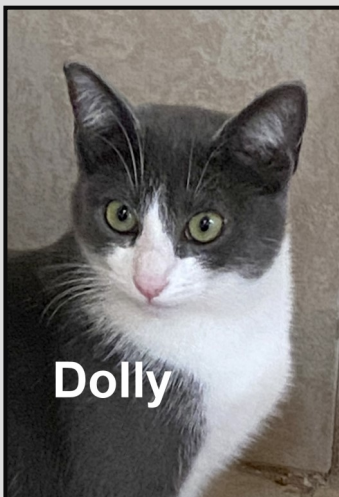
The Sociedad Protectora de Animales de San Miguel de Allende, A. C. is the oldest no-kill shelter for cats and dogs in San Miguel de Allende. We have been providing food, shelter, and care for unwanted and abandoned animals since 1980. Our goal has always been to find permanent, loving homes for our cats and dogs. We have an on-site clinic that provides veterinary services for our own animals and those belonging to the public. Without donations from our supporters, the S.P.A., a non-profit organization, could not exist. **SEE MATCHING DONATIONS OFFER ON NEXT PAGE!**

This year, we have continued to focus on taking in dogs from the Canine Control Center (the government kill shelter), saving them from certain death. Grace, Charlie, and Annie are among those we rescued from that facility in 2022. Grace is a sweet, gentle hound dog who loves affection. Charley is a hugger, friendly to people and other dogs. Annie is a lover, eager to go for a walk. She welcomes attention. Each is a wonderful dog and would do very well as a member of any family.

**Grace****Charlie****Annie**

We so pleased that we were able to save them and more from Canine Control this past year, including Champ, Ruby, Maggie, Sammy, Clara, Sierra, Angel, Lizzy, Canela, Gigi, Brandy, and Poppy.

We also provide a safe haven for cats in need. Salem was homeless, living in a property with her three young daughters. They were not welcome to stay there. The whole family came to the S.P.A. in March 2022. Salem avoids other cats at the S.P.A. because they aren't very kind to her. However, she loves people and is a great cat!

**Dolly**

Dolly was discovered in the trash in the campo about six months ago. Something or someone in her past taught her to be terribly afraid of people. She will require a very patient owner while she gets over her fear. She needs a home she can call her own.

**Salem**

These are just a few examples of what we face every day, year round. We have many tales of animals in need and how the S.P.A. comes to their rescue. Thanks to our hardworking volunteers and staff combined with ever-important donations from supporters like you, we also have countless happy endings.

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Please Donate for the Benefit of Our Cats and Dogs! (continued)

PLEASE HELP US HELP THEM BY DONATING TO THE S.P.A.! Our major expenses are food, medications, vaccines, and litter for our shelter animals; clinic medical supplies, lab costs, and equipment; facility maintenance; cleaning costs for our population of dogs and cats; office supplies; and salaries for our small staff. We do not receive government assistance. It takes the ongoing support of our animal-loving donors to keep us in operation. The cost of caring for all of our animals and the beloved pets of our clients **exceeds \$2 million pesos per year.**

EXCITING NEWS: Now, through the end of the year, all new donations to the S.P.A. up to a total of \$2,500 USD will be **MATCHED!!**

We hope this will give you additional motivation to make as generous a gift as you can. All funds received will be used to benefit our animals. Please review the form below for details about how to donate. Thank you for becoming a part of our effort to provide a refuge for cats and dogs, regardless of how long it takes to find homes for them.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Country _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____

PAY BY CHECK (enclose completed form with payment):

- Pay by Mexican or U.S. check to **Sociedad Protectora de Animales de San Miguel de Allende, A.C.** (the full name is required or the bank will not accept the check); or
- Pay by U.S. check to San Miguel Community Foundation (**for a U.S. tax receipt**) (mark for S.P.A.).

Your check may be dropped off:

- At the S.P.A., Los Pinos #7, Col. Lindavista, San Miguel de Allende (phone: 415-152-6124); or
- At any La Conexion location (mark envelope "S.P.A., PMB 18").

Or your check may be mailed to:

- ❖ Sociedad Protectora de Animales (S.P.A.), Los Pinos #7, Col. Lindavista, San Miguel de Allende, GTO, 37736, Mexico; or
- ❖ S.P.A., PMB No. 18, 220 N. Zapata Hwy. No. 11, Laredo, Texas 78043-4464 U.S.A..

**CLICK HERE TO DONATE VIA PAYPAL INSTANTLY
OR DONATE:**



At www.facebook.com/spasanmiguel, the "Shop on Website" button is just below the banner at the top.

At www.spasanmiguel.org, click the "Donate" button at the top of any page. Click "Donate with PayPal" and login to PayPal to complete the donation. You may also choose to donate using a debit or credit card; then follow the directions to create a PayPal account.

BY CASH: Please bring cash donations to the S.P.A., Los Pinos #7.
For directions, call 415-152-6124.

THANK YOU!

November Adoptions

Dog adoptions: None for the month

Cat adoptions: Bombay



Annual Meeting Report

The S.P.A. held its 2022 annual meeting on November 29, 2022. The S.P.A.'s 2022 board of directors is now comprised of: Megan Gabel, General Director; Harry Burrus, Vice Director; Jayn Corral, Secretary; Jayn Corral, Treasurer, and Marthe Fraser, Member at Large.

2022 Dog Adoptions

2022 Cat Adoptions

“Like” our [Facebook page](#) to get the latest news!

December Pets of the Month

By Megan Gabel and Jayn Corral

Among those who will benefit from your donations to the S.P.A. are our December Pets of the Month – Clara and Champ and Ginger and Eva. The S.P.A. rescued Clara and Champ from Canine Control, the city's kill shelter. They are both small/medium sized, love to go for a walk on the street, and clearly wish they had homes instead of S.P.A. casitas. Champ, about 3 years old, is an alert, happy, energetic terrier mix. He bounces along the street when he's on a walk, eager to continue. He is friendly with people and other dogs and is very playful. About 1 year old, Clara is a very pretty sweetheart. She relishes attention and would love to be petted for an extended period. It obviously calms her and reassures her that she is safe.

Ginger, about 2-1/2 years old, is happy to spend time with both cats and people. She has found a new love for playing with toys, especially laser lights. She likes to dine in peace and enjoys her treats and special attention. About 3 years old, Eva has an old soul. She enjoys being pampered and having private time with the volunteers, sitting in the sun and contemplating the day while the others play and romp around.

Adopt any of these Pets of the Month during December 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 (masks required). Our adoption fee is 600 pesos. For dogs, it includes sterilization, all current vaccinations, deworming, and the leptospirosis booster. For cats, the fee includes sterilization, all current vaccinations, deworming, and the feline leukemia vaccine and booster. You can 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.





Sponsor a Kitty or Doggy Casita.

Your generous support will help with the enormous cost of care, food and shelter for our approximately 100 resident cats and dogs waiting for their forever homes.

Only \$30 a month for one year, or about \$1 a day.*



For information on monthly or annual payment options, send us an email at SPACasita@gmail.com
Questions? Call the S.P.A. office: 415-152-6124

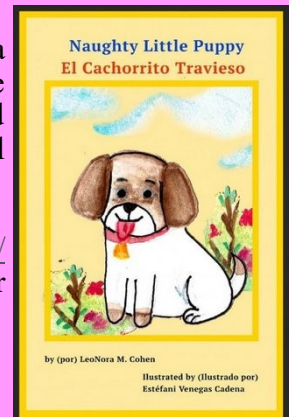
* or peso equivalent

Royalties from Children's Book Will Be Donated to the S.P.A.!

Naughty Little Puppy (El Cachorrito Travieso) by Leonora M. Cohen is a bilingual, charming story about what it means to have a puppy as a pet. Suitable for 5-10 year olds, the story is beautifully illustrated and can be sung to the old folk tune, "Down by the Station Early in the Morning." In a subtle and delightful way, it teaches children how to be responsible pet owners.

To learn more about the book and purchase one (or more), click here: http://leonoracohenbooks.webstarts.com/naughty_little_puppy.html - a great gift for any child who dreams of having a puppy.

The author has generously agreed to donate all royalties from sales to the S.P.A.



THANK YOU, ROSS MACDONALD, FOR HELPING THE S.P.A.!

Waiving or reducing the normal fee charged by MacDonald Package Delivery Services (<https://www.macdonaldspackages.com/>) is a HUGE benefit to the S.P.A.!

We appreciate Ross's help and support!

Did you know that:

- the S.P.A. has been around since 1980 and is the only no-kill shelter for cats and dogs in San Miguel?
- we house an average of 100 animals (cats and dogs), providing food, vet care (including vaccinations and sterilization), and shelter for them until they are adopted?
- the S.P.A.'s clinic is a community clinic, open to the public?
- the S.P.A. relies SOLELY on donations to survive—we receive no government support?

Please consider helping us by becoming a member of the S.P.A., sponsoring a casita, and supporting other S.P.A. fundraisers. Our website details our fundraisers here: www.spasanmiguel.org/fundraisers and itemizes how to donate by PayPal, check, or cash. Call us if you have questions: 415-152-6124. Thank you!

Every dollar and peso you donate helps the S.P.A. survive.

Maggie and Sofia, Subtle Sweethearts

By Megan Gabel

Maggie and Sofia are among the smaller dogs at the S.P.A. They are both shy when meeting new people, although Maggie warms up faster than Sofia. It takes a little more effort to gain Sofia's trust. Both about 2-1/2 years old, they are leery of cars and motorcycles and approach their walks outside the S.P.A. with caution. It really sets their minds at ease if walked with another dog. Neither is demanding of attention or time. Both have the capacity to be affectionate and loyal. We've seen that transformation as our volunteers relate to them. Reluctance becomes willingness.

Maggie rolls on her back, feet in the air, when you try to put a harness on her for a walk. She gives little kisses at the same time. Limp as a noodle, she can be slid across the floor, rolled back over, her little body twisted so you can reach the snap for the harness.

Sofia often hides in the back of her casita as you wait to put a harness on her. She ventures out slowly, crouches flat on the floor, and lets you prepare her for a walk. No resistance anymore.

So, what kind of home would be best for them? They would need families willing to give them a period of adjustment, not only to the adopters, but to being in a new home. Sofia might hide. Maggie might bark. They both might resist going for a walk. All of that can be overcome with time and patience.

They probably would do best with another dog in the house. Adopting them together would work just great!

Meet them and all our cats and dogs at the S.P.A. any day, Monday-Saturday, during adoption hours (11-2). Our address is Los Pinos 7; phone number 415-152-6124. There is a map showing our location on the home page of our website: <https://www.spasanmiguel.org>

How do you adopt? "Adoption Basics" for dogs: <https://www.spasanmiguel.org/how-to-adopt-a-dog> "Adoption Basics" for cats: <https://www.spasanmiguel.org/adoption-basics-cats> Our website automatically translates to Spanish by clicking the button at the top right corner and choosing "Español."



Enrich Your Life by Adopting a Senior Dog

By Megan Gabel

Please consider opening your heart to a senior pet. A win-win situation! The dog benefits and you benefit. What more could you ask?

Adopting older dogs has many advantages. Older dogs are calmer than youngsters and need less exercise. Their personalities are developed and they're fully grown so there are few surprises. They are eager to learn new tricks and are less demanding of attention. 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. Older adopted pets seem to understand what you have done for them by taking them into your family and they return your kindness with uncommon love and devotion.

Senior animals are also good for your health and well-being! Companion animals can help lower blood pressure and reduce stress. They provide unconditional love and friendship which, in turn, reduce depression and the feeling of isolation and loneliness. Take your dog for daily walks and meet your neighbors. Social interactions and activities increase when you're holding a dog's leash.

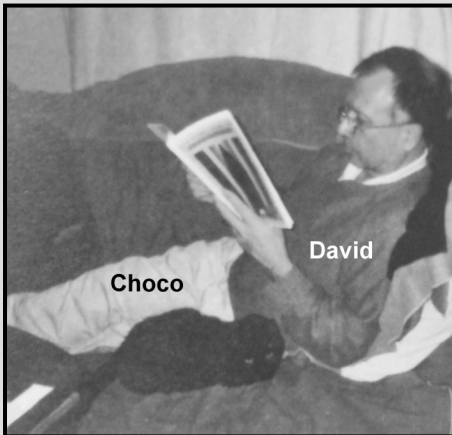
There is no standard definition of "senior," but the consensus is that a dog older than 7 (depending upon size) falls within this category. Among the senior S.P.A. dogs are Dulce (11), Rita (11), Tessie (9), Apollo (7), Miny (9), Shy (13-1/2), Susie (13-1/2), Sonny (9), and Lola (9). Learn about them here www.spasanmiguel.org/adopt-me-dogs/ by clicking on the photo of the dog. That will take you to another page with the dog's bio and a video.

These dogs have spent almost their entire lives at the S.P.A. We have not given up on them. Each could be a great family pet. We hope they will be given the opportunity to become part of loving families. Please email info@spasanmiguel.org if you have questions.



Choco

By David Stone



I am an avid reader of the S.P.A.'s monthly newsletter, Paws & Claws. I have particularly enjoyed the articles about the cats. Reading them has inspired me to write about my cat and what a joy she was in my life.

When we lived in Delavan, Wisconsin in the 90s, my wife and son saw a small black Burmese kitten, apparently abandoned on the main avenue of the downtown area. She looked up at them with beckoning green eyes. They brought her home and named her for her color, which in bright light, had a deep chocolate sheen.

As she grew, Choco raced around the big Victorian house, flying like a bat with her pointed ears, running so fast that she ran on the walls of the upstairs hallway. At the time, I had an upstairs library with a large Persian carpet. One time, Choco raced into the library when I opened the door to go in. She loved to roll on the thick carpet, explore the books on the lower shelves and the artifacts on the upper shelves. She jumped up onto the upper shelves, walked daintily among the small items without touching or disturbing the position of anything.

She was a "princess" who swatted the other pets: Amber, a big, friendly Calico cat and Lydia, a large, friendly wolf-looking dog. Unlike Amber, Choco resisted being put in a cat carrier to visit the vet or to move. On the big move to Maryland, Amber slept quietly in her carrier while Choco complained. After the move to the house in Baltimore, when everything was still in boxes, Choco was nowhere to be seen and I worried that somehow she got lost or was injured in the move. But when everything calmed down, she emerged from hiding.

In smaller quarters with fewer rooms and no separate library room, fewer bookshelves and no big carpet, I slept on a couch in the same room as my desk and fewer bookshelves and allowed Choco to sleep on the couch. I became active in mail art, including stamp art. I used a Choco stamp in my mail art. Choco walked on my table where I kept art supplies, flipped open the lid of an ink stamp pad, put her paw on the pad, then on a piece of paper which was next to the pad and left her paw print. She lived to the age of 21 and was buried in the yard of the house.

Adopt a cat from the S.P.A., Los Pinos 7, 415-152.6124. All their cats are shown on this page of their website: <https://www.spasanmiguel.org/adopt-me-cats> I feel confident that among them is the perfect cat for you, one that will have an everlasting impact on your life as my Choco has had on mine. I've heard that Max, Pierre, Luke, and Salem would be wonderful family pets.



The Poetry of Transition



Miny



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S.P.A. T-shirts & Caps

Pick up one for yourself, a family member, and as a terrific present! Available at the S.P.A.



(Front)



(Back)

Unisex T-shirts: white or black (youth, S, M, L, and XL). This style is perfect for both cat and dog lovers and a meaningful souvenir of San Miguel de Allende!

Women's T-shirts: red, white, or black (S, M, L, and XL).

Men's T-shirts: white or black (M, L, XL, and XXL).



All T-shirts: donation of 200 pesos each.

Caps: red, black or khaki (donation of 150 pesos each).



Our Daily Supplies Always Need Replenishing

The items below are supplies we replace on a regular basis. Please drop off donations at the S.P.A. during our regular office hours.

- Batteries (AA)
- Brooms
- Cat baskets for kittens/cats to sleep in
- Cat food—Felix canned
- Cat food—Royal Canin Development for cats (soft & dry)
- Cat food—Royal Canin Gastrointestinal for cats (soft & dry)
- Cat food—Royal Canin Babycat Milk (dry powdered milk for kittens)
- Cat food platters (plastic, divided, circular trays)
- Cat litter (we use Petco bulk litter)
- Cat /kitten toys
- Cat scoops for litter
- Cat treats: catnip and other treats
- Cats: Feliway Spray and Feliway Diffuser
- Cleaning supplies: dishwashing soap, bleach, pinol or equivalent
- Dog collars (medium-sized)
- Dog leashes (1" wide)
- Dog food—Pedigree canned adult dog food and puppy food
- Dog food—Royal Canin Puppy Development for young puppies
- Dog sweaters and jackets: all sizes
- Dog toys for puppies and older dogs: heavy-duty balls, ropes, stuffed animals
- Dog treats: biscuits, and other treats (no rawhide or pig's ears)
- Hand sanitizer
- Hand soap (bar)
- Laundry detergent for washing machine (powder)
- Lysol spray (or equivalent)
- Mops (string mops)
- Office supplies: ball point pens (black); Sharpies permanent markers (black fine point); copy paper, laminating sheets, Brother TN450 laser printer cartridge
- Paper goods: paper towels and toilet paper
- Plastic bags: 48 cm x 60 cm (comes in a box) (not zip-lock)
- Plastic bags: 62 cm x 85 cm (comes in a box) (not zip-lock)
- Surgical gloves (size 6.5 and 8.5 preferably brands Protect or Ambiderm)
- Surgical masks
- Squeegees (long-handled floor squeegees – used to clean cage floors)

THANK YOU!

All new donations to the S.P.A. through 12/31/22 up to a total of \$2,500 USD will be MATCHED!!

See: <https://www.spasanmiquel.org/please-help-now>

Preferred Providers

Our Preferred Providers offer a range of goods and services at a discount to S.P.A. members. Just show your current S.P.A. membership card at the time of purchase to receive the discounts specified below. Please patronize our Preferred Providers as a way of thanking them for their support of the S.P.A.

VETERINARIANS

MVZ RICARDO LOPEZ LANDEROS - Rio Grijalva No. 10 - Nuevo Mexiquito - Ph. 415-152 6977
Hours: Monday-Friday 9am-2pm; 4pm-7pm Saturday 9am-2pm
Consultations - 10%, X-Rays - 10%, Regular Teeth Cleaning - 10%, Vaccinations - 10%

MVZ EDGARDO R. VAZQUEZ OLMOS - Plaza Primavera #16 on Salida a Queretaro - Ph. 415-152 6273
Hours: Monday-Friday 9am-2pm; Saturday 9am-12 noon.
Consultations - 10%

MVZ MICHAEL KRONISH - Salida a Celaya #57 - Ph. 415-185-8185; 415-109-9957
Hours: Monday-Friday 9am-6.30pm; Saturday 9am-2pm.
Consultations - 10%, Routine Vaccinations - 5%, Spaying/Neutering - 5%

MVZ ALMA RUTH MIRANDA - Stirling Dickinson #27 - Ph. 415-152-2341
Hours: Monday-Saturday 9am-6pm
General Surgery - 10%, X-Rays & Ultrasounds 10%, Hospitalization - 10%, Medications - 10%,
Vaccinations - 10%

RETAILERS AND GROOMERS

EL DESPACHO - Las Moras #13 - Colonia Guadiana - Ph. 415-154-7195
Hours: Monday-Saturday 9am-3pm; 5pm-8pm
Food - 5-10%

DUSTY PUPPIES - Guadiana #17A - Colonia Guadiana - Ph. 415-154- 4555.
Hours: Monday-Friday 10am-6pm
Diamond Naturals - Dog/Cat Food - 10%, Regular Teeth Cleaning - 20%, SPA Bath Only - No Clipping -
By Appointment - 10%, Pet Supplies - 10%

Being able to take advantage of our Preferred Providers program is just one benefit of becoming a member of the S.P.A. Members receive a 10% discount off the S.P.A. vet consultation fee every day.

If you are a member or join at the time you adopt, you will receive 10% off of the adoption fee (600 pesos). Please JOIN US! Individual memberships are \$40 US/500 pesos and family memberships (2 person limit) are \$50/600 pesos.

Join online here www.spasanmiguel.org/members/ (via PayPal) or in our office.

Please email MembershipSPA@gmail.com if you have questions.

The S.P.A.'s clinic is open to the public! The S.P.A. can meet your pet's needs, from routine preventative care to diagnosis and treatment of problems to surgical procedures and more. We have a well-equipped clinic and offer packages to help you save on vaccinations and sterilization. Under the current circumstances, we prefer that no one enters the clinic other than S.P.A. personnel. If critical, only 1 person may enter the S.P.A. with his animal and that person must wear a mask and stay 6 feet (2 meters) away from S.P.A. personnel. Thank you for your consideration in following these rules.

Please call 415-152-6124 for an appointment with our vet, Dr. Omar Córdova.

Rewarding Memberships

We are fresh off the heels of Thanksgiving and I hope you all had a wonderful time and the chance to reflect on what you are grateful for. I hope the list is long and the holiday was good to you and yours. Remember that every moment is a chance to be grateful. In the words of Elie Wiesel, "For me, every hour is grace. And I feel gratitude in my heart each time I can meet someone and look at his or her smile." Give and accept as many smiles as you can; be grateful and find grace.

The S.P.A. is grateful for and would like to thank **Kay and Jack Latona** (family) for renewing their membership. We couldn't do what we do without you.

You can join or renew online via PayPal through our website [HERE](#), in our office (by cash or check), or via other methods (see same website page). Please email MembershipSPA@gmail.com if you have questions. We accept checks for membership dues as follows: (1) by check (**U.S. or Mexican**) to **Sociedad Protectora de Animales de San Miguel de Allende, A.C.** (full name required by bank); or (2) by U.S. check to San Miguel Community Foundation (for a U.S. tax receipt) (mark for S.P.A.). Your membership dues (\$40/500 pesos-individual, \$50/600 pesos-family [2 members]) will help the S.P.A. continue its wonderful work caring for many of the unwanted cats and dogs of San Miguel while they wait for their forever homes.

-Randy

Learn About Us and Our Cats and Dogs

***The S.P.A. is open for adoptions as long as certain precautions are followed. If you come to the S.P.A. with family or friends, only one person will be allowed to enter the S.P.A. to be interviewed for an adoption of a cat or dog. That person must wear a mask and stay at least 6 feet (2 meters) away from S.P.A. personnel. Adoption hours are Monday-Saturday, 11-2.**

***Check our website:** www.spasanmiguel.org for our available cats and dogs (photos, biographies, and videos) ("Adopt Me" pages) and to learn about us and how you can help. Please remember that adopting a shelter animal saves two lives—the one that is adopted and the one we now have room to take in.

***Follow us on Facebook** at www.facebook.com/spasanmiguel, stay up to date, and see our happy albums of success stories—those S.P.A. animals now in forever homes.

EDITOR: Harry Burrus

If you need or want to contact me for any reason regarding Paws & Claws — to submit a story, send a photo, just to make a comment — please email me at SPAPawsandClaws@gmail.com
It would be great to hear from you!

Advertise in Paws & Claws and reach a large audience of animal lovers and consumers. Our rates are reasonable and our readership is large. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have questions.

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3 monthly issues	500 MXN	450 MXN	375 MXN
12 monthly issues	1800 MXN	1500 MXN	1300 MXN

**Preferred Providers: ask about our 15% discount.
 To convert to dollars, use current conversion rate.**

