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## A 12-year-old's Dream to Feed Shelter Pets Comes True for the Cat Adoption Team in Sherwood

FreeKibbleKat.com donates to CAT

(October 14, 2008) — What started as a desire to feed the dogs at Bend's Humane Society of Central Oregon earlier this year is now a nation-wide success for Oregonian Mimi Ausland, and the Cat Adoption Team in Sherwood is a happy recipient of the outpouring of generosity to FreeKibbleKat.com.

"I chose the Cat Adoption Team to give kibble to because Lynne Ouchida, who works at the Humane Society of Central Oregon, told us about their shelter. Lynne said they were very kind and a great example of a good place for homeless animals! They help all the cats they can in the Portland area and make a great difference!" comments Mimi.

In September, the Cat Adoption Team received 3,325 pounds of Castor & Pollux cat food. This will feed 917 cats for 29 days (the average amount of time a cat is at CAT before adopted). As part of this partnership, CAT is also receiving, later this month, about 500 pounds of FELIDAE cat food (an all natural cat food formula) from CANIDAE Corporation.

CAT will continue to receive cat food donations through FreeKibbleKat's partner organizations on a scheduled basis. The food will feed the cats in the shelter, those felines living in temporary foster care, and some may be incorporated into CAT's Cat Food Bank. The Food Bank provides cat/kitten food for cat owners in financial need and has already distributed over a ton of food in just five months.

Web browsers to Freekibblekat.com are asked a daily feline trivia question and, right or wrong, the answer earns another 10 pieces of kibble for the nonprofit charities. The trivia ranges from the mainstream to the sublime in feline-related knowledge.

Visit [catadoptionteam.org](http://catadoptionteam.org) to learn more about all the cats and kittens in the shelter who are now well fed thanks to Mimi.

Click on [freekibblekat.com](http://freekibblekat.com) and answer the daily trivia question to keep our cats fed.

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*The Cat Adoption Team (CAT) is the Pacific Northwest's largest non-profit, feline-only shelter with its own full service veterinary hospital on site. CAT's mission is to work with the community to save the lives of homeless, sick, and injured cats and kittens by offering shelter, adoption, foster, hospice, spay/neuter, and veterinary services to end needless feline euthanasia. CAT will find homes for over 3,200 felines this year. As a 501(c)(3) publicly-supported charity, CAT relies on the generous support of the public and volunteers.*

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