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San Diego Humane Society Extends Weekend Adoption Hours to Help More Pets Find Homes

New hours begin May 31, with Saturday and Sunday adoptions open until 7 p.m.

San Diego, CA — Just in time for the busy summer season, San Diego Humane Society is extending its weekend adoption hours to help more animals find loving homes.

Starting **May 31, 2025**, adoption hours on **Saturdays and Sundays will be extended to 10 a.m.–7 p.m.** at all San Diego Humane Society campuses. The expanded hours will run through **Friday, Oct. 25, 2025**, offering the community more flexibility to visit the shelter and meet adoptable pets.

With more than **1,800 animals currently in care** — including more than **700 ready for adoption** — the organization hopes these added hours will make a big difference for both pets and potential adopters.



Zara (904410) has been waiting for a home since May of 2024

“This is the second summer in a row we’ve expanded our hours, and we’ve seen firsthand the impact it can have,” said Dr. Gary Weitzman, president and CEO of San Diego Humane Society. “Last year, we found homes for more than **600 animals** during the extended weekend hours. This year, we’re aiming even higher.”

San Diego Humane Society’s campuses in **El Cajon, Escondido, Oceanside and San Diego** are open for adoptions:

- **Tuesday–Friday: 10 a.m.–5 p.m.**
- **Saturday–Sunday: 10 a.m.–7 p.m. (starting May 31)**

View adoptable animals and learn more at sdhumane.org/adopt.

Photos/video of pets and adoptions at San Diego Humane Society can be found here:

<https://spaces.hightail.com/space/jPUL9xpVWb>

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About San Diego Humane Society

San Diego Humane Society’s scope of social responsibility goes beyond adopting animals. We offer programs that strengthen the human-animal bond, prevent cruelty and neglect, provide medical care, educate the community and serve as a safety net for all pet families. Serving San Diego County since 1880, San Diego Humane Society has campuses in El Cajon, Escondido, Oceanside, Ramona and San Diego. For more information, please visit sdhumane.org.

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