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Top 10 Pet Names at San Diego Humane Society in 2023

Luna and Max most popular shelter animal names across SDHS's campuses

SAN DIEGO — As the year draws to a close, San Diego Humane Society unveils the most popular names for its shelter animals in 2023. Topping the list for female names are Luna, Bella and Daisy, while Max, Milo and Zeus take the lead for male names. The graphic on the right shows you the full Top 10 list!

Many of the names are still going strong from their popularity last year. Luna, Bella, Daisy and Lucy were also the top four female names in 2022. Max and Milo were the top two male names in 2022.

San Diego Humane Society currently has 443 pets available for adoption — animals waiting and hoping to have a family by 2024. A special dog named <u>Luna Mae</u> has been with the organization for 707 days and another dog named <u>Daisy</u> for 405 days.



To help these wonderful pets find families and ring in a brighter future for 2024, San Diego Humane Society is reducing adoption fees for adult dogs (7 months+) to just \$24 through Dec. 31, 2023. The promotion is generously sponsored by Petco Love. In addition, all adoption fees for active military members, military families and veterans are waived through Dec. 31, 2023, thanks to Traci's Paws. San Diego Humane Society is open for walk-in adoptions Tuesday through Sunday, from 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. at its campuses in Escondido, El Cajon, Oceanside and San Diego. Visit sdhumane.org/adopt to view animals available for adoption.

Photos/b-roll of adoptable pets with Top 10 names for media use can be downloaded here: https://spaces.hightail.com/space/JPUXR2CqQM
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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, visit sdhumane.org.