



# Paw Talk



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## **Shreddies Search for Goodness contest**

### **FUNDRAISING GARAGE SALE JULY 4**

Beamsville 4 Paw Rescue is run entirely by volunteers with no funding source. The rescue relies on adoption fees and fundraisers to keep its doors open. The next fundraising garage sale will take place Saturday, July 4 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at 4311 Victoria Ave., Vineland. Community members wishing to donate no-longer-needed items to the garage sale can call 289-447-1108 to donate.

Grimsby Lincoln News, By [Amanda Moore](#)

BEAMSVILLE — Pam Huson doesn't consider her extensive animal rescue work to be anything special. It's just something she has always done.

When she was asked why she does what she does by the folks running the Shreddies Search for Goodness Contest, in which she is a top 10 finalist, she was stumped.

"Why do you breathe? You see a hurt animal, and you just can't pass. It's in your blood," says Huson, founder of Beamsville 4 Paw Rescue. "It's in your blood."



Pam Huson of Beamsville 4 Paw Rescue is a top 10 finalist in the Shreddies Search for Goodness contest. She is pictured with Niles, one of many kittens cared for by the rescue.

Huson has been rescuing animals for as long as she can remember. She remembers seeing a dog run out into the road when she was walking with her mom as an eight-year-old girl. She let go of her mom's hand and ran out to the dog. When her mom asked her why, her answer was "The car wouldn't stop for the dog, but it would for me."

Huson has been offering a helping hands to animals in need ever since.

"When you do something that's so natural to you, you don't think of it as special," said Huson, who was blown away when one of her volunteers nominated her for the contest and is even more shocked to be a finalist. "When you are recognized and see the votes, it's amazing."

But Huson still doesn't consider herself as special. She says she wouldn't be able to do what she does without the network of support from her volunteers and animal foster parents.

"It's not about me, it's about my volunteers, the whole organization," says Huson, who shies away from the spotlight. "It's about the animals."

Beamsville 4 Paw Rescue takes in between 200 and 300 animals a year, most of them cats. Huson started rescuing cats in the area when she moved to Beamsville in 1997. Back then she was known as the "crazy cat lady from Beamsville". In 2005, when newer homes were constructed near her residence, she started to see an influx of homeless cats who were displaced when the barns and trees were felled.

"We just started rescuing cats," she said. "And it just became Beamsville 4 Paw Rescue."

**For Full Story please visit our website at [www.beamsville4pawrescue.com](http://www.beamsville4pawrescue.com)**





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## Pet Education Seminars!

*Livingston Animal Hospital* is celebrating 10 years in business in 2015. To celebrate and say thanks Dr. Mayanna Burmeister and her staff are holding a series of guest speakers in the coming months. The money raised from this fundraising event will be donated to Beamsville 4Paws Rescue and Adoption.

Over the years, **Livingston** has strived to provide the best preventative care for your family pet. Do not miss out on this opportunity to gain some valuable information. The speakers we have selected are proven experts in both the **traditional and alternative methods of pet care.**

**These talks will be held at Trinity United Church, 100 Main St W, Grimsby**

### Speaker Dates:

March.7, 2015 2:30-4:00pm Dave and Kathy from Teecreek Training

April.11, 2015 2:30-4:00pm Laura Arseneau – Certified Pet Massage Practitioner

May. 30, 2015 2:30-4:00pm Hilary Watson- Pet Nutrition Consultant

September 19, 2015 2:30-4:00pm Livingston’s Own Tiffany and Irene- “Tales From The Whisker”

October. 25, 2015 2:30-4:00pm Dave McMahan- Dog Behaviourist

November.7, 2015 2:30-4:00pm Gary Jack- St. John Ambulance, Emergencies For Pets

### Ticket Information:

Adults 19 and over, tickets are \$20 each or \$25 at the door. For the series of 6 speakers, tickets are \$100

Youth 18 and under, tickets will be \$15 each, or \$20 at the door

For families of up to 4 members, tickets will be \$30 per speaker, or \$150 for the series of 6 speakers

Tickets can be purchased through Livingston Animal Hospital, Pam from 4Paws 289-447-1108 , and Marilyn Jefferies at [mar03@hotmail.com](mailto:mar03@hotmail.com)

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Or call us at 289-447-1108 or [info@beamsville4pawrescue.com](mailto:info@beamsville4pawrescue.com)



**Livingston's goal is to improve the *total* quality of life for your pets.**

