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Come out for the East Bay SPCA's Annual Adopt-A-thon

More than 300 animals from 30 Bay Area rescue groups and shelters will be at Jack London Square in Oakland on Saturday, August 27, 2016

OAKLAND, Calif., Aug. 25, 2016 – Is your best friend fluffy, furry, feathered or scaly? Are you in the market for a new best friend? All things pet can be found on the Oakland waterfront on Saturday, August 27, from 10 am to 2 pm when the [East Bay SPCA](#) hosts the sixth annual [Adopt-a-thon](#) at Jack London Square. Presented by sponsor [Pet Food Express](#) the Adopt-a-thon features more than 300 adoptable animals from 35 Bay Area rescue groups and shelters, plus a pet supply vendors and service providers. From pigeons top ugs, there will be cats, dogs, rabbits, birds, guinea pigs, rats and reptiles on site and available for adoption.

Whether you are looking for a new best friend or just wanting to take care of the pets you have, the event has something for everyone, even people who come with their own dogs. HomeAgain will sponsor \$10 microchips to help owners track their dogs if they go missing.

“The East Bay SPCA is proud to host East Bay shelters and rescues for the largest animal adoption event in the region,” said Allison Lindquist, East Bay SPCA President and CEO. Adopting from a shelter or rescue helps decrease pet overpopulation—saving the life of the pet you adopt, and releasing shelter space for a new animal to find a loving family.”

The East Bay SPCA Adopt-a-thon is widely anticipated, bringing together 30 amazing rescue groups and shelters across the Bay Area who work tirelessly to find wonderful companion animals a forever home. The East Bay SPCA first established its Adopt-a-thon more than ten years ago as a 24-hour event held at the shelter but attendance and partners' presence was so large that it was moved to Jack London Square.

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| Contra Costa County Animal Services | Peninsula Humane Society & SPCA |
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About East Bay SPCA

The East Bay SPCA is a 501(c)3 nonprofit committed to the welfare of cats and dogs in Alameda and Contra Costa Counties that strives to eliminate animal cruelty, neglect and overpopulation by providing programs and education that support people and companion animals. Founded in 1874, the East Bay SPCA is one of the nation's oldest humane organizations. The East Bay SPCA is not affiliated with any other SPCA or Humane Society and receives no funding from the government, national or statewide organizations. We operate two [adoption centers](#) and two [spay/neuter centers](#), offer [dog training classes](#) and [humane education programs](#) in both Alameda and Contra Costa Counties, and a [full-service veterinary clinic](#) in Oakland. Information about the East Bay SPCA can be found at <http://www.eastbayspca.org> or by calling 510.569.0702.

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