

2009 New Mexico Humane Conference

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Monday, August 24, 2009

7:00 - 8:00	Breakfast, Sponsored by Alpha Dog			
8:00 - 9:00	Welcome: Ray Powell, Roots & Shoots			
9:00 - 10:00	Keynote: Susana della Maddalena, PetSmart Charities			
10:00 - 10:30	Break, Sponsored by Alliance for Albuquerque Animals			
	Track 1	Track 2	Track 3	Track 4
10:30 - 12:00	Biological Risk Management in Shelters: LeMac' Morris, DVM, MPH, Fort Dodge Animal Health	Fundraising for Fido and Fluffy Through Direct Marketing: Mike Monk, Alpha Dog	Legal Issues for Horse Shelters: Laura Allen, Esq., Animal Law Coalition	Using the Media Effectively: Deanna Saucedo, Ben Swan, Alison Attwood, Sophie Martin, moderated by Peggy Weigle
12:00 - 1:30	Lunch, Sponsored by PetSmart Charities			
1:30 - 3:00	Managing Feral Cat Colonies: Kathy Pierce, Animal Humane New Mexico	Legislative and Animal Sheltering Board Updates: Heather Ferguson, Steve Suttle and Patricia Feeser	Nutrition for Horses in Shelters: Richard Patton, PhD	Spokesperson Training for Rookies, Regulars and the Reluctant: Mike Smith, VP Fenton Communications
3:00 - 3:30	Break, Sponsored by Pecos Animal Welfare Society (Pecos PAWS)			
3:30 - 5:00	The Skinny Horse on the Side of the Road: What We Need to Know About Horse Rescue! Speakers include: Kathy Hamm, Myles Culbertson, Georgia Smith, Laura Allen, Richard Patton, Sherry Mangold, Laura Bonar; moderated by Emily Esterson		The Four Points of Focus for Companion Animal Overpopulation: Judah Battista, Best Friends Animal Society	
5:00 - 7:00	Annual Animal Advocate of the Year Awards Ceremony and Reception: Attorney General Gary King			



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you always have the same view!

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Tuesday, August 25, 2009

7:00 - 8:00	Breakfast, Sponsored by the ASPCA		
	<i>Shelter Medicine Track, ↓ Sandra Newbury, DVM ↓</i>		
8:00 - 9:30	Turning Dog Fighting Around: Tio Hardiman and Jeff Jenkins, The Humane Society of the United States	Just the Way to Start Your Day! Daily rounds for Animal Welfare Organizations	
9:30 - 9:45	Break, Sponsored by the ASPCA		
9:45 - 11:30	Welcome from the Petco Foundation/Marketing Your Pets Online: Tips and Tricks to Increase Adoptions, Susan Rosenberg and Kim Saunders*	Difficult Conversations I, Lauren Glickman	Putting Your Statistics to Work: Shelter Health Planning Tools to Fit Every Shape and Size
11:30 - 12:30	Lunch, Sponsored by Fort Dodge Animal Health		
12:30 - 2:00	Open Adoptions, Lasting Relationships, Nick Gilman*	Difficult Conversations II, Lauren Glickman	Live Release and Beyond: Actionable Statistics: Measuring for Evaluating the Health of a Shelter
2:00 - 2:30	Break, Sponsored by Shelter Buddy		
2:30 - 5:00	Reading Dog Behavior, Sue Sternberg*	Cats Are Complex Individuals, Grant Gugisberg, DVM*	Kitten Milking and Adventures with Foster Pups: Fostering, Foster Programs, and Experiences from the Field



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