



# CAT CHILLIN' ZONE NEWSLETTER

Martinez, CA

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CEASE AND DESIST  
CHANGE YOUR NAME!

*Good News! We installed our signage. Horrible news: La Jolla Cat Lounge has demanded we change our name. WHO trademarks Cat Lounge? Kinda like Coffee Shop or Grocery Store 🙄. Look for Go Fund Me for \$\$ for new signage, an opportunity to help!*

## NAME CONTEST WINNER

*After the initial threat, we have done some focus group research and the winner is The Cat Chillin' Zone. A canvas sign has been ordered and we are bidding the replacement sign.*



## 2ND PLACE RUNNER UP BEST NON PROFIT



*Imagine our glee and joy being nominating for Best of Martinez Non-Profit. Although Loaves and Fishes won, we made great contacts. In fact: our volunteer Owen Davidson won Young Man of the Year! Go Owen!*

ELIZABETH CRAWFORD & LEONA HARTMANN PATTERSON



## CHILLIN W CAT

*Volunteers get special time with our cats. Cat Socializer is an important factor in adoption. Cats, once out on the street fending for themselves, now find food, shelter and love. Of course the poop scoopin, pee wiping etc. Is also part of the territory.*

*Volunteer orientation every Wednesday Night at 6pm. Drop in.*



Volunteer Sabrina Kaminsky w Skinny zMinnie

## COOKIE TIME

*These two girls came from owner surrender special circumstance. Both Cookie and Spice are full of fun and love. Our second bonded pair. Both available for a loving family looking for frolic.*



Cookie

## JOIN OUR TEAM



Spice and Cordog Bonded pair

*Our most important quality is we care about your experience. Our friendly staff are striving to ensure you have a wonderful unforgettable time.*

*Applause for our conscientious volunteers!*

## Cat Traits



Cats have a variety of unique traits that make them fascinating creatures. Here are some common traits of cats:

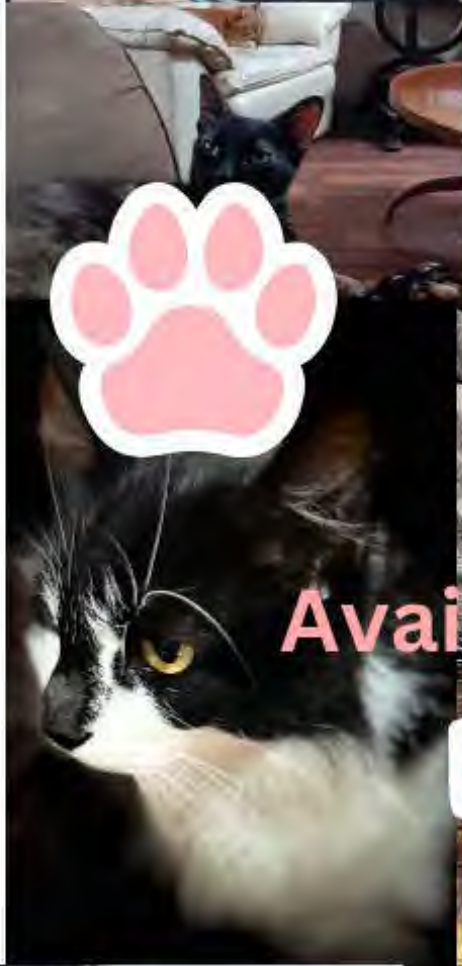
1. **Independence:** Cats are known for their independent nature. They have a strong sense of self and are often content spending time alone. Unlike dogs, cats don't rely as heavily on their human companions for constant attention and validation.
2. **Agility and Flexibility:** Cats are incredibly agile and flexible animals. They have the ability to jump to great heights, balance on narrow surfaces, and twist their bodies in remarkable ways. This agility allows them to navigate their environment with ease and grace.

3. **Curiosity:** Cats are curious by nature. They have a natural inclination to explore their surroundings, investigate new objects, and engage in playful behavior. This curiosity helps keep them mentally stimulated and allows them to learn about their environment.

4. **Grooming:** Cats are meticulous groomers. They spend a significant amount of time grooming themselves, using their tongues to clean their fur and keep it in good condition. Grooming also serves as a way for cats to relax and bond with their own scent.

These are just a few of the many traits that make cats unique and beloved companions. Each cat has its own personality and quirks, adding to the joy of having them as pets.



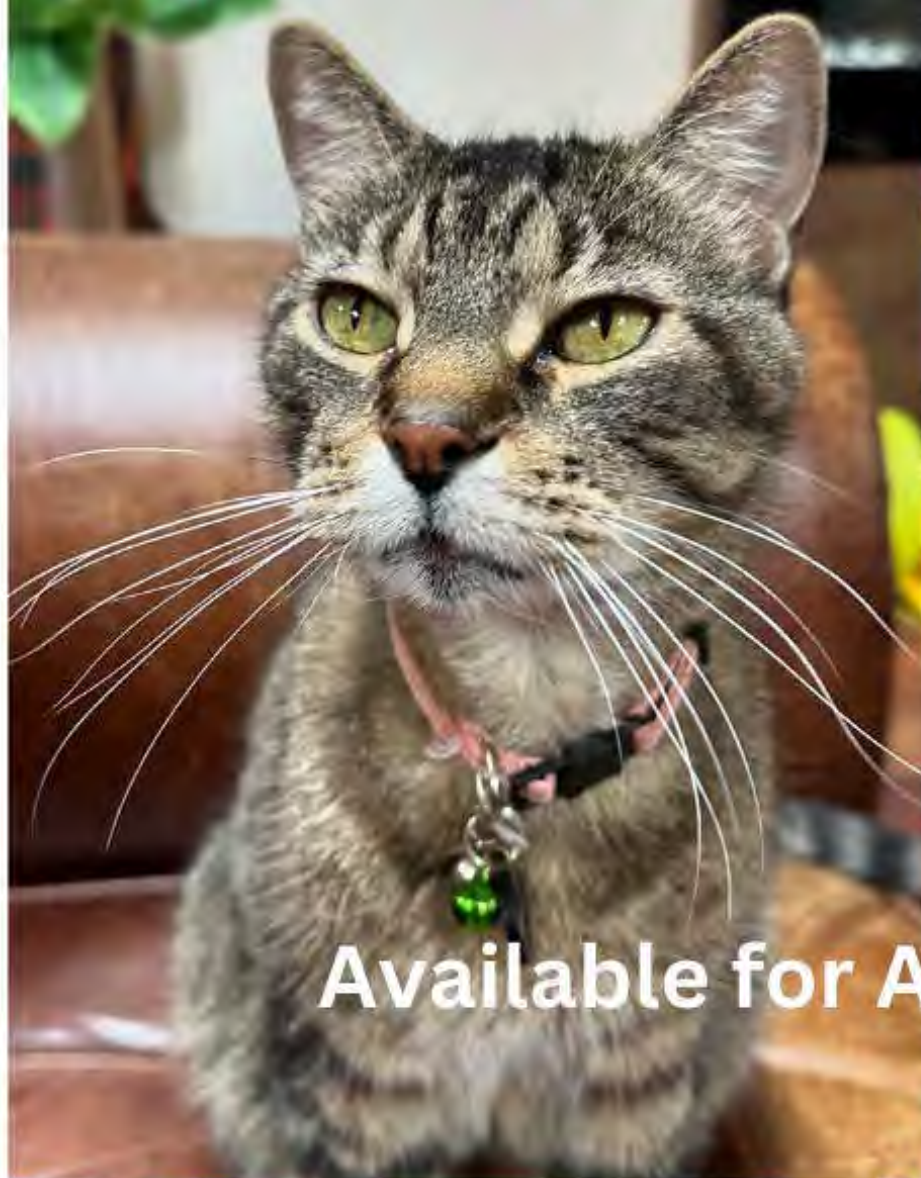


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### Watercolor Pet Portraits

Our human doesn't know how to write about her own cat. So, us cats are going to have to take a break from eating, sleeping, purring and playing to help her out. There are a few of us, and we are all beautiful, special, funny and sometimes a little crazy. Two of us were adopted into wonderful human homes, but we were not able to be brought back. We are model cats now mostly.

We do a lot for our human. We pose for paintings, inspire her, and teach her spiritual stuff, which she uses a lot. Each of us has a window looking out that butterfly, and appearing to ignore it. Or about reincarnation, meditation, attachment, and big questions concerning what is reality and what is illusion. We have tonnes, oh do we have tonnes!!

Our human takes very good care of us, which is incredible. So she got the idea to use watercolor to create paintings for people of their much loved cats, dogs, bunnies, goats, fish, birds - well you get it. Portraits that would be out of the ordinary, say something special, make them happy, and raise funds for our care. And to support our volunteer! Sign. There are other paintings too, landscapes in color to the sheer joy of it, landscapes, plus why not, just because and narrative paintings.

So have a look. Hope you enjoy and if the spirit moves you, buy a painting or contact us to arrange to a creative pet portrait!

**The Art Director**

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# Face paint and Henna Event

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# All Our Cats are available for adoption!



## MEET LOVEY AND BABY GURL

*Our first bonded pair. Lovey, 9 yrs old, is a male, part Himalayan and ragdoll. Baby Gurl is 36 weeks and has a bengal pattern, short hair. Available only as a pair! Delightfully playful.*

## SCOOPS

*One of our big boys wishes you a happy Fourth of July. He is a polydactyl (6 toes each foot, treat driven but has lost some weight 🥰). He is adorable and ready for new home.*



## VISTABILITY VOLUNTEERS TO SERVE



*Vistability is a non-profit community-based organization for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Mercy, John, Leslie and Wyatt did a stellar job serving Pasta Dinner. Vistability Staff also provide paid janitorial services for the lounge. Thank you for your service!*

# PASTA DINNER

# WITH CHEF ALAN A



# HUGE HIT!





# Best Pasta Fundraiser So FAR!

*The universe put us in contact with Chef Alan Skversky through Mike Enos and Steph Peterson.  
Thank you for the most incredible pasta meal at a fundraiser I have ever had so far!*

*Chef: A+ Reviews continue*

*Mike Enos: Thanks for serving and ingredients.*

*Steph: Once again your ingenuity put this collab together 🤗*

*This is the beginning of a beautiful relationship 🥰*

## Chef Alan Bio

*\*Chef Alan is a Cat Lover. His experience includes Wolfgang Puck Corporate Training Chef and catering chef for high end events, Corporate Chef for Chevy's Fresh Mex and food, recipe and menu development for Boudin. Chef Alan owns CABA: Chef Alan Bay Area where he develops meals for busy professionals.*

*Birthday or Other  
Private Parties*



**Thanks to Morello  
Hills Christian  
Church for  
hosting Cat  
Lounge Martinez  
Patrons**



**Sabrina Kaminsky awesome MC**



# Young Man Of The Year

*Owen Davidson volunteers along side his mom Vicki at The Zone. What an accomplishment to be named Best of Martinez " Young Man Of The Year". Congrats Owen. We knew you when...*

## Trademark

*Trademark lawsuits play a vital role in protecting intellectual property rights and maintaining fairness in the marketplace. They provide a legal avenue for businesses to defend their trademarks and prevent consumer confusion. Cat Lounge Martinez, La Jolla Cat Lounge. Makes you go hmmm*



CAT LOUNGE MARTINEZ  
RUNNER UP IN BEST OF MARTINEZ

# Kiwanis Club of Martinez Awards Cat Lounge Martinez \$1000 for Medical



## Disney Guy signed at Cat Lounge

Special Thanks to Joshua Shaffer for signing his book at Cat Lounge Martinez in Feb 2024....and designing our Pins and Stickers! Josh donated all proceeds to us. Pick up a copy of his book at The Zone.



# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## July and August

Mystic Mondays-Every Monday Evening 6-9 FREE Tarot Reading thru July 31.

July 27 (Saturday): Team Trivia Contest (max 20 people) Split the pot with Cat Chillin' Zone. \$50 per person included entry fee.

August coming soon: Sci Fi Movie Night, Backgammon Tourney, Swifty Night, Harry Potter Movie Night, Paint a Rock and much more. Karaoke too.



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**Special Thanks to all  
our contributors for  
the Silent Auction**



**and Raffle**

**ME**  **W**



**Angel contributors for Pasta Dinner**

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