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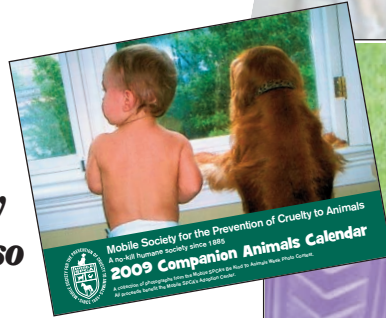
SERVING MOBILE & BALDWIN COUNTIES
& MOBILE BAY
MONTHLY
present the

Be Kind To Animals PHOTO CONTEST

A competition of photographs of companion animals.

Winning photos will appear in the Mobile Bay Monthly. Winners and the best entries will also appear in the 2010 Mobile SPCA calendar!

Semi-finalists will be determined by a panel of judges and will be published in the May issue of the *Mobile Bay Monthly*. Thirteen finalists will be determined by public voting and these photos will appear as the cover and 12 monthly pictures in our 2010 full color calendar. Winners will be notified by e-mail and will be announced in the September issue of the *Mobile Bay Monthly*. Some of the best entries will be chosen and published in the calendar. Digital photos on a cd are encouraged.* The public is invited to vote for their favorite photograph for \$1.00 per vote. There is no limit to the number of times a person can enter or vote. Calendars will go on sale in October 2009.



1st Place \$100 • 2nd Place \$75 • 3rd Place \$50

2009 Mobile SPCA Photo Contest Entry Form

Attach to back of photograph. One per photograph.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Email Address _____

Photograph Title _____

This form must be securely attached to the back of the photo.
The Mobile SPCA reserves the right to use any photograph
entered in the contest for publicity purposes.

ENTRY FEE:

\$10.00 for each photograph entered.

Make checks payable to the Mobile SPCA.

DEADLINE:

Entries must be received by Feb. 28, 2009

MAIL OR DELIVER ENTRIES TO:

Mobile SPCA Photo Contest
620 Zeigler Circle West • Mobile, AL 36608
Tuesday - Saturday • 10 am - 3 pm

RULES FOR THE PHOTO CONTEST

1. Entry fee is \$10 per photograph. (\$30.00 fee for returned checks.) There is no limit to the number of photographs you can enter.
2. Each entry must be an original photograph taken by the person entering, identified by the above ENTRY FORM permanently attached to the back of the photograph.
3. No names will be allowed on the front of the photographs.
4. Photos will not be returned.
5. Any deviation from these rules will result in the photograph not being judged and forfeiture of the entry fee. Decisions made by the Exhibition Committee will be final.
6. The Mobile SPCA reserves the right to disqualify any photograph that it feels may have endangered the animal in its staging.
7. Prizes will be awarded after June 15, 2009. Winners will be notified by e-mail and will appear in the September issue of the *Mobile Bay Monthly*.
8. The top photographs will be selected by a panel of judges. These will be published in the May issue of *Mobile Bay Monthly* and the cover and main calendar month photos in the 2010 calendar will be selected from the winners.
9. The public is invited to vote for their favorite photograph for \$1 per vote. There is no limit to the number of times a person can vote. Votes must be postmarked by June 15, 2009.
10. The Mobile SPCA reserves the right to use any photograph entered in the contest for publicity purposes.

* Digital files are encouraged. Please put photo on a CD in a sleeve and identify it by an ENTRY FORM permanently attached to the sleeve. Please clearly identify the CD as well. Supplying a digital file on a CD will save us the cost of the scan if photo is chosen to be included in the calendar. You can put more than one entry on a CD.

For more information call the Mobile SPCA at 633-3531 or www.mobilespca.org