

November 2018 EFRC NEWS

THE EXOTIC FELINE RESCUE CENTER



Giving Big Cats a Second Chance



PUMPKIN PARTY 2018

Pumpkin Party 2018 was a roaring success. Our visitors enjoyed watching the BIG CATS dive, run, sneak up on and attack their meat-filled pumpkins. Above, Mickey loved getting her face painted and meeting our Mickey.

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Events

2019 Saving the Big Cats Charity Auction is on January 26, 2019 in Indianapolis, Indiana. The Grand Hall at Westlake Gardens will host the event for the second time. The festivities begin at 3:00 pm and continue to 7:00 pm. There will be food, drinks, music and awesome items to bid on. Check out the Saving the Big Cats Charity Auction website for details.

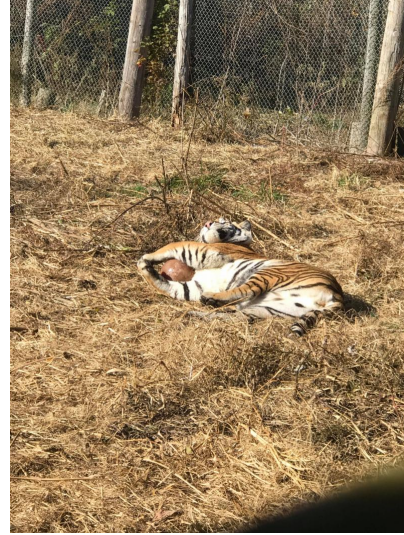
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Public Tour Cats

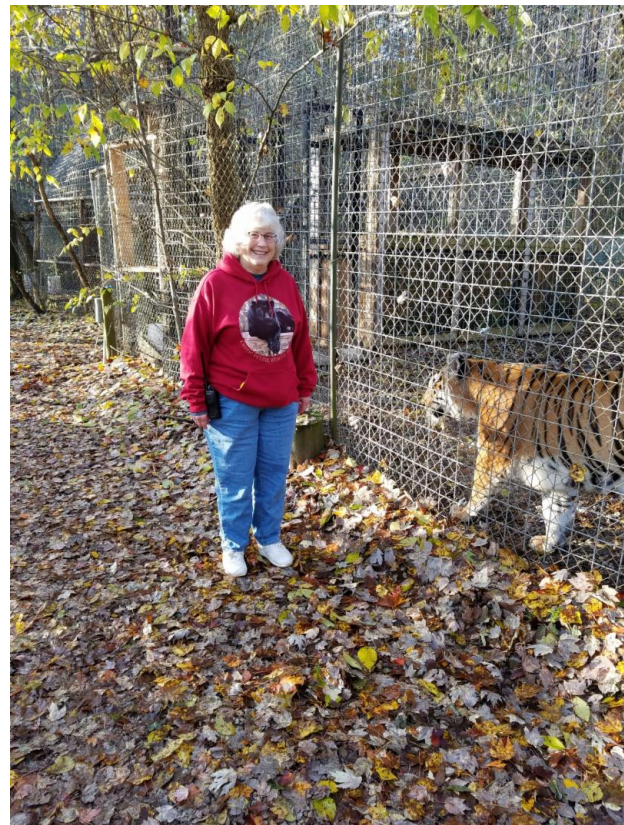
Jilly and Tiger Lilly, female tigers are now located in the large enclosure at the beginning of the public tour. These girls came to us from Topeka, Indiana last year. They are proving to be quite the playful girls with much energy.

When you visit them, don't be surprised if they are running from one end of their enclosure to the other.



Volunteer Spotlight

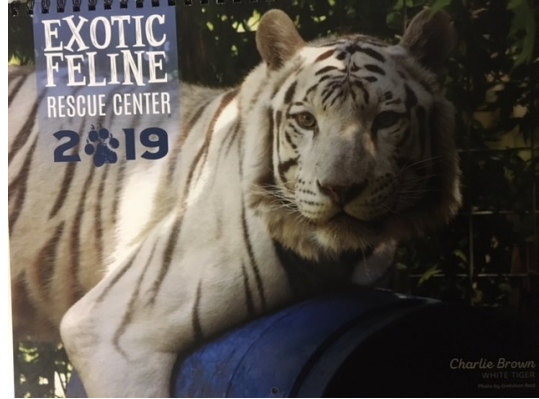
Kerry, in her own words: I started volunteering at the EFRC over 6 years ago. When I quit working, I was looking for opportunities to volunteer with cats, but the Humane society was not a good choice because I knew I'd want to take all the cats home with me. That is not an option at the EFRC so it is a perfect fit. I started coming every other week, but missed the cats so much that I changed to every week even though it is a 1 1/2 hour drive one way. I come early to visit the cats in the areas off the main tour because I love all the cats and they all like attention. They all have different personalities so its hard to pick any one cat or species that I like over all. I want to help in any way I can to provide a good "forever" home for these deserving cats who come from difficult situations. By giving tours and working at the front gate it frees the wonderful keepers and other people who work at the Center to concentrate on their main job of providing quality care for the cats. When cats come up to the fence to greet me with a chuff (tigers), a hum (lions), or a purr (cougars) it is very rewarding. I have had many memorable interactions with cats and visitors over the years. Here is just one. For several years I'd been talking to a grumpy leopard off the main tour called Bubbles. He would always greet me with a hiss and a snarl, typical greeting for a leopard, but one day he rubbed on the fence and rolled over and showed me his tummy.. I felt very privileged! I'm at the Rescue Center every Thursday, so come and say hi. I'd love to take you on a tour to visit the special cats that call the EFRC home!



Merchandise

New merchandise items are now available. This includes our 2019 calendar, a new Zoe hoodie and sweatshirt and a new Majae hoodie. The next time you visit the center be sure to bring lots of cash to stock up on all the new items. One can never have too many souvenirs from the rescue center!

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