

# MAKE TOYS AND EARN SERVICE HOURS!!



**Just like us, dogs and cats need toys too!  
They help them get exercise and be happy and healthy!!**

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**Questions???**

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## WHAT'S IN THIS PACKET:

- How this program works
- Service hours form
- Where to drop off toys
- Project instructions

## HOW THIS WORKS:

- Choose a project in this packet
- Follow the instructions
- Record your information on the enclosed form
- Bring form with you to Peggy Adams when you drop off your toys
- Within a few days you will receive an e-letter confirming your service hours to submit to your organization.
- School forms can be signed by staff at the Adoption Center reception desk

**Thank you for volunteering to  
make toys for our shelter pets!**

# SERVICE HOURS FORM

**Name:**

**Phone:**

**Email:**

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**Project Name/Item:**

**Date Completed:**

**Number of items donated:**

**Hours Completed:**

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**Note to Peggy Adams Staff: these this form can be left in the folder labeled Service Hour Forms for Education, or given directly to Shellie.**



# WHERE TO DROP OFF TOYS

## Drop off location:

**Peggy Adams Animal Rescue  
Adoption Center  
3200 N. Military Trail,  
West Palm Beach, FL 33409**

**\*\*note: This is the first building on the LEFT when you enter  
from Military Trail.**

## When:

**Everyday between 11:00 am and 5:00 pm**

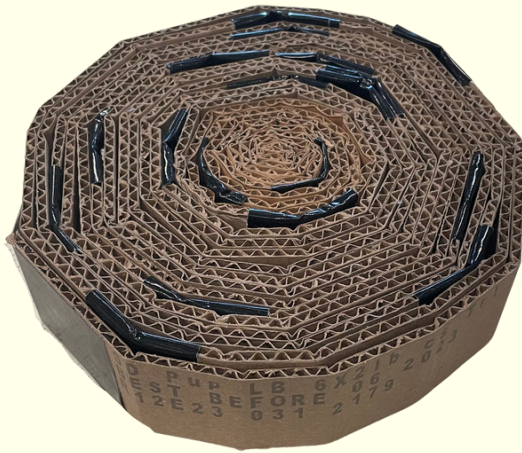
## Special Instructions:

**\*Make sure to bring your completed form!\***

**All TOYS can be placed in the Donation Bin located  
inside the Adoption Center**

# Round Cat Scratchers

2 cat scratchers = 1 hour



## Materials

- Corrugated cardboard
- Ruler
- Box cutters
- Duct tape or hot glue

## Instructions

1. Cut cardboard into two inch strips.
2. Choose one long strip, and begin to roll it up as tightly as you can. Roll evenly, so that the roll stays.
3. When you reach the end of a strip, use hot glue or tape to attach a new strip, then continue rolling.
4. When the round cat scratcher is as wide as you want, use the hot glue or tape to attach the final strip securely to the base. Make this VERY secure, because if it comes loose, then so does the entire cat scratcher!

# Cat Puzzle Feeder

3 boxes = 1 hour



## Materials

- shoebox
- toilet paper or paper towel rolls
- hot glue gun
- scissors

## Instructions

1. Cut toilet paper/paper towel rolls so they are the same length as height of box.
2. Place the tubes in the box, gluing each one in place as you go. Continue until the box is completely full with tubes.

# Catnip Sachets

15 catnip sachets= 1 hour



## Materials

- Fabric scraps or small/baby sock (please use only cotton fabric, socks or t-shirt material-- NO FLEECE or FELT)
- Dried Catnip
- Scissors
- optional: non-toxic markers

## Instructions

1. For the sock toy, put dried catnip in the sock and then stuff with fabric scraps.
2. Tie a knot to close off the top of the sock. If sock can't be knotted due to size- use fabric scrap to tie it securely. NO rubber bands, ribbon or string please.

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1. To make the fabric toy, measure and cut a circle, approximately 5-6" in diameter.
2. Gather the felt circle between your thumb and forefinger to make a small pouch.
3. Spoon some dried catnip in the pouch and then stuff tightly with fabric scraps.
4. Tie off and tightly knot the pouch with fabric scraps.
5. NO rubber bands, ribbon or string please.

~ If desired, draw cute faces for an added touch of fun! ~

# Cat Pom Poms

15 toys = 1 hour



## Materials

- fleece
- fabric scissors

## Instructions

1. Cut strips of fleece, approx. 1/4" by 2-3"
2. Stack at least 20 small strips together
3. Use another fleece strip to tie the stack together in the center and fluff into pom pom
4. Poms can be attached to the ends of a braided piece of fleece or left separately
5. For braids: use three 2" by 20" strips (with braid 10 toys = 1 hour)



# Cat Knotted Toy

15 toys = 1 hour



## Materials

- Old t-shirt/or fleece
- Ruler
- Pencil or Sharpie
- Scissors

## Instructions

Instructions:

1. Place t-shirt on a flat surface.
2. Starting at the bottom edge, draw 6 rectangles 1" wide by 10" long.
3. Cut the rectangles out until you have 6 long strips of fabric.
4. Stack all 6 strips together and tie together with a single knot at the center.

# Cat Fabric Braids

20 fabric braids = 1 hour



## Materials

- fleece, cotton fabric, or old t-shirts- any colors
- optional: plastic shower curtain ring

## Instructions

1. Cut fabric into strips-- approximately 2" wide and 20" long
2. (you can vary this and make some shorter as well)
3. Take 3 fabric strips, and knot them together at the top
4. Braid the strips together
5. Knot the end
6. tip: use shower curtain ring to help braiding by attaching it to a chair or other bar. The ring can be donated as well

# Box Cat Scratchers

1 cat scratcher = 1 hour



## Materials

- Corrugated cardboard
- Ruler
- Box cutters
- Hot glue

## Instructions

1. Cut the bottom off of a corrugated cardboard box. Make the cuts 2" from the bottom of the box, measured from the inside, so that what you're left with consists of the box's bottom with 2" sides all around.
2. Measure the 2" cardboard strips so that they exactly match the inside length of the cardboard box, then cut the strips to size.
3. Stack the cardboard strips in the box, cut sides up, securing with glue. Continue until you've filled the entire box bottom with these cardboard strips, placed tightly until there's no room for another strip.

# Catnip Fish Toy

5 fish toys = 1 hour



## Materials

- template (see next page)
- cotton fabric
- pins
- scissors/pinking shears
- cotton batting or fabric scraps
- paper
- cat nip

## Instructions

1. Trace template onto 2 pieces of fabric and cut out shapes.
2. Pin right sides together, leaving 1/4" seam.
3. Sew seam and leave 1.5" opening for filling.
4. Trim seams.
5. Turn right side out. Press seams flat.
6. Stuff with cotton batting or fabric scraps until firm.
7. Shape a piece of paper into a funnel and use it to add 1-2 tablespoons of catnip.
8. Sew up opening to seal.

# Cat Bouncy Toy

20 toys = 1 hour



## Materials

- 12" piece 3mm elastic cord
- suction cup
- cat plastic jingle ball toy
- feathers
- scissor / ruler
- ruler

## Instructions

1. Cut 12" length of elastic or other 3mm cord
2. Remove metal hanger from suction cup, if possible
3. Tie cord tightly to hanger or the knob of the suction cup
4. Tie feather to the cord towards the middle
5. Tie jingle ball to the end

Please double or triple each knot.