

## **Catawba County Animal Services**

Catawba County Animal Services gives 1 year rabies vaccines at the shelter Monday thru Friday from 11am to 5pm.

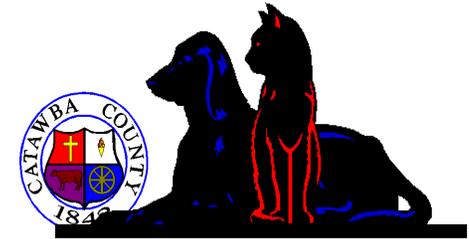
Not only do we give vaccines, but there are many animals that are in need of homes. Please consider adopting .



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# **Rabies Clinics 2011**



***Protect your pet. Protect your family!***

## Rabies info

Rabies is a preventable viral disease that is most commonly spread by saliva from a rabid animal through the form of a bite. Rabies is a disease that is transmissible to humans also.

The virus infects the central nervous system, and ultimately causes death.

Never approach a wild animal or a stray dog or cat as you run the risk of being bitten.

Always report animal bites to your local animal control and seek the medical advice of your physician immediately if you are bitten.

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## Rabies Clinics Facts

- All dogs must be on a leash and under the control of their owner at all times while at the Rabies Clinic.
- Cats must come in a pet carrier.
- The cost of the vaccinations are \$5.00 each pet.
- We will be giving the 1 year vaccine only.
- The pet must be at least 4 months of age.
- Owners must clean up after their pets by picking up waste.

## 2011 Schedule

<b>April 2nd</b> Catawba Fire Department 108 N. Main St. Catawba	<b>10am-12pm</b>
<b>May 7th</b> Riverbend Dog Park 6700 N. NC Hwy 16 Conover	<b>10am-12pm</b>
<b>June 4th</b> LP Frans Stadium 2500 Clement Blvd NW Hickory	<b>10am-12pm</b>
<b>July 2nd</b> Banoak Elementary 7651 W. NC10 Hwy Vale	<b>10am-12pm</b>
<b>August 6th</b> Tuttle Elementary School 2872 Water Plant Rd Maiden	<b>10am-12pm</b>
<b>September 3rd</b> Sherrills Ford Fire Dept 4011 Slanting Bridge Rd Sherrills Ford	<b>10am-12pm</b>

## DID YOU KNOW?.....

North Carolina State law says that every cat and dog 4 months of age or older must be vaccinated against rabies.

If you are a Catawba County resident and your pet is unvaccinated, you face receiving a 50 dollar citation and will be required to have your pet vaccinated.

Raccoons and skunks are 2 of the biggest rabies carriers.

Exposure of rabid animals happens in urban populations as well as rural.

Having your pets vaccinated is the best way to protect not only your pet but your family as well.

Animal Services is holding clinics around the county to make it more convenient for pet owners to get their vaccines

