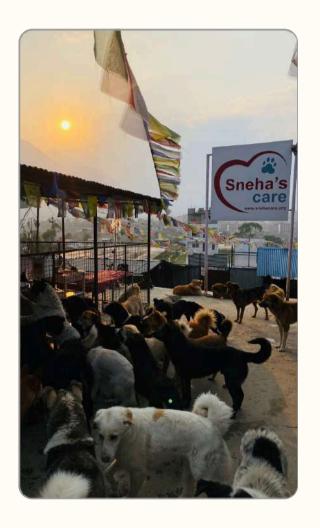
#### MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

JANUARY



## Welcoming a New Year with Hope and Compassion

As we step into a new year, we carry with us the unwavering hope that 2025 will be kinder to the animals in need. With every passing day, our commitment to creating a world free from human cruelty grows stronger.

Every new year brings new challenges, but it also brings new opportunities to rescue, heal, and protect those in need.





### Maicha's Got Godparent!

Our little Maicha just got extra lucky—she now has godparent! From the moment she was born, Maicha has been a symbol of resilience and love, bringing joy to everyone around her. And now, she has found incredible humans who have stepped up to be her godparents, ensuring she receives all the love, care, and support she deserves.

Maicha may not fully understand what it means to have godparent, but if she did, we're sure she'd be overjoyed! Whether it's enjoying her favorite treats, playing in the sun, or simply being her adorable self, she now has even more people looking out for her happiness. A huge thank you to Maicha's godparent for his kindness and generosity.

## Nepalese Pride Looks Even Cuter on Animals!



This Dhaka Topi Diwas, we didn't just wear our pride—we celebrated it with those who remind us of the true meaning of loyalty and resilience: our animals.

The Dhaka topi is more than just fabric; it is a symbol of Nepalese identity, history, and dignity. In the same way, our Nepalese breed dogs and other animals embody the spirit of Nepal.

By celebrating this day with them, we reaffirm our commitment–not just to our traditions but to kindness, protection, and care for every living being that shares our world.

May this year be one of compassion, unity, and love-for our culture, our people, and the kind souls who walk this journey with us.



### Vegan School Education Program

As part of our Vegan School Program, we had the privilege of reaching students across two schools in Lalitpur: Padma Prakash Mavi School & Shree Krishna Secondary School.



Our mission is to empower these young minds by providing knowledge about nutrition and the many benefits of a vegan, plant-based diet. We are committed to raising awareness about animal cruelty and demonstrating how a plant-based lifestyle not only supports human health but also contributes to environmental protection.



Our goal is to equip students with a deep understanding of the transformative power of a plant-based diet, the importance of good nutrition, and the profound connection between compassion for animals, human well-being, and the environment.



# Construction of Pigeon House at Gadhimai Temple



Spehas Care

We are overjoyed to announce the completion of the pigeon house construction at the Gadhimai Temple. As part of our bloodless Gadhimai campaign, we aim to build compassion amongst the locals. The estimated number of the pigeons offered to the Gadhimai exceeds ten hundred thousand in number. Young pigeons (squabs) are brought for offering which has been recently hatched, leaving them in the temple by themselves increases the risk of death, and does not ensure any safety nor the fulfilment of their basic requirements.

There has been ban in sacrificing these pigeons, but the devotees bring the young squabs to offer to Goddess. This conservation house is the symbol of compassionate shift away from animal cruelty. The construction of the pigeon houses has completed and thousands of pigeons have been thriving in the newly constructed house. We want to extend our gratitude to Help Animals India, for their immense support in this pigeon house construction.

# KMC-ANTI RABIES VACCINATION 2081

Working towards Zero by 30

We are proud to launch our Rabies Vaccination Campaign 2081, a vital step toward ensuring a safer, healthier future for both animals and humans. With every vaccine administered, we move closer to a rabies-free community, where our beloved street and companion animals can thrive without the fear of this deadly disease.

This campaign would not have been possible without the unwavering support of Kathmandu Metropolitan City (KMC) and the collective effort of our dedicated team and well-wishers. Your commitment to this cause is making a real difference, protecting countless lives, and strengthening the bond between humans and animals.

Together, we are building a compassionate world one where no life is lost to rabies. Thank you for being part of this mission!



# A Glimpse of Our Team in Action



We are thrilled to share that, as part of our KMC Rabies Vaccination Campaign 2081, we successfully vaccinated 819 animals in Ward 14 of Kathmandu in January!

# Discussion on the Draft of the Animal Welfare Act 2081



The discussion was organized by the Department of Livestock Services on the draft of the Animal Welfare Act. It was held with the participation of various stakeholders, including animal welfare professionals, government officials, and representatives from relevant organizations.

This gathering offered a valuable opportunity to explore the key areas covered by the act, highlighting its potential impact on animal welfare.





We would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to the stakeholders who participated in the discussion. We are truly grateful for your valuable contributions and for being part of this important conversation.

## Adopt Love Today!



### Tutu

Hi, I'm Tutu! I was found sick and weak on the roadside, struggling to eat because of a severe worm infestation in my stomach. Now, I am fully healed, vaccinated, and ready to start a new chapter in life—with a family who will love me forever!

Could that be you?

### Pluto

Hello, I'm Pluto. I was the victim of a heartbreaking hit-and-run accident that left my jaw completely shattered. Instead of receiving help, I was abandoned outside Sneha's Care. But the kind hearts here took me in, gave me the treatment I needed, and helped me heal.

Now, I am fully recovered, strong, and ready to find a loving home.

Will you be the one to give me a second chance at life?





### Puntu

Hi, I'm Puntu! My mother was badly injured when a human attacked her with a sharp object on her leg. At that time, I were just newborn, helpless and vulnerable. Thankfully, the compassionate team at Sneha's Care rescued us, giving my mom the treatment and care she needed.

Now, my mummy has fully healed, and I have grown into a healthy, vaccinated pup. I'm ready to start a

Could that be you?

new journey with a family who will love me forever.



# Meet the New Faces of Hope!



#### Newie

Newie was stuck on the electric pole and fell to the ground after getting a severe electric shock. Her body is covered in painful wounds, and she's now battling muscle necrosis, with her tissue slowly dying and sloughing off. We're doing everything we can to help her, but she needs your prayers. Please keep Newie in your thoughts and support her treatment.

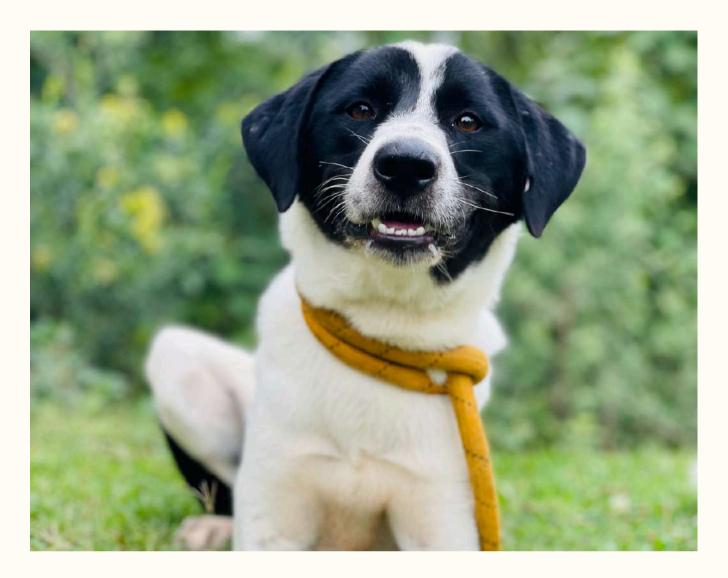
With your help, we can give her a chance to heal.











#### Blackpea

Blackpea was first rescued as an aggressive dog, but once in our care, he proved to be friendly and loving. After his recovery, we released him back into his community, hoping he could live peacefully.

However, acceptance did not come easy. The community feared him and started throwing stones, forcing him to defend himself. As a result, he was once again seen as aggressive, and we were called to rescue him again.

Blackpea has also fought through distemper in the past and has fully recovered. Now, he is back at our shelter, safe from harm, but still searching for a place where he will be truly accepted.









#### Khairu

Khairu was rescued from Tabahal, Tangal, after concerned locals informed us about him being suspected of rabies. He is now in isolation, safe at our shelter, where he is under close observation and receiving the care he needs.

Thank you to everyone who looks out for animals in need!









#### Nano

Nano was rescued as a victim of a hit-and-run case, suffering severe trauma that caused his eye to pop out. Thanks to your generous donations and support, we immediately took him to **Animal Medical Centre** for a check-up.

There, we discovered that Nano is also battling cancer. He needs chemotherapy, but before that, we must help him regain his strength. He is now under our care, and we are doing everything possible to help him heal. Please keep him in your thoughts and prayers for a speedy recovery. We will continue to update you on his progress. Thank you for standing by his side!







Hope Rescued Them, Love Will Heal Them!

#### Forever Loved, Forever Missed, Mayakumari



#### A Mother's Love, A Warrior's Spirit

On August 23, 2023, Mayakumari made a brave escape from a slaughterhouse. She was pregnant, injured, and in pain, but she ran because she wanted to protect her baby. She had been hit on the head with a hammer, yet she kept moving, desperate to find a safe place. She finally reached a school, hoping for shelter.

When we arrived to rescue her, we found her weak, terrified, and suffering from internal bleeding. She was exhausted, both physically and emotionally, but she was still fighting to survive. We immediately brought her to our shelter, where we provided her with the medical care and love she had never known before. Slowly, she began to heal. With time, she learned to trust again. She realized that not all humans would hurt her–some were there to comfort her, to care for her, and to give her the life she had always deserved.

Six months after her rescue, Mayakumari's resilience was rewarded. She gave birth to a beautiful, healthy calf, whom we lovingly named Maicha. From the moment Maicha was born, Mayakumari became a mother in every sense of the word. She adored her baby, showering her with love and watching over her with a tenderness that only a mother could provide. It was as if all the pain she had endured was worth it, just to see her child safe and loved.





But life, cruel as it sometimes is, had other plans. Mayakumari was diagnosed with hypocalcemia. We fought for her, just as she had once fought for herself and her baby. We did everything we could, refusing to give up on the soul that had given us so much. But on January 12, 2025, despite all our efforts, we lost her.

Our hearts broke that day. Mayakumari was not just an animal in our care—she was family. She had shown us resilience, love, and the strength of a mother's heart. Though she is no longer with us, her spirit lives on in Maicha, in the shelter she called home, and in the hearts of everyone who knew her story. Rest in peace, Mayakumari. You were loved beyond words, and you will never be forgotten.

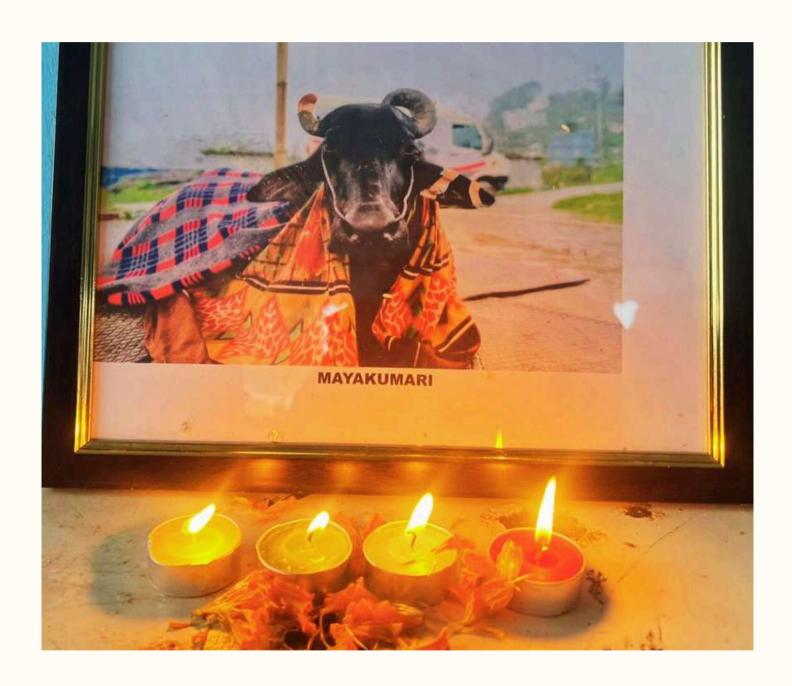
#### Rest in peace, Mayakumari. You were loved beyond words, and you will never be forgotten.







# Candle Lighting in tribute to Mayakumari



On the 13th day of Mayakumari's passing, we gathered for a candlelight vigil to honor her beautiful soul.

#### Forever cherished, Tikuli



#### A Warrior's Heart, A Gentle Soul

Tikuli's story began on the streets of Kalimati, where she lived as a community dog. One tragic day, she was hit by a vehicle, leaving her in unimaginable pain. Her forelimb was crushed beyond repair, and her future seemed uncertain. It was then that Ms. Sarmila K.C. found her and brought her to our shelter, giving her a second chance at life.

When we first examined her, our hearts ached at the sight of her injuries. The damage was severe, and at first, we thought we might have to amputate her leg. But Tikuli was a fighter, and so were we. We gave her all the medical care, love, and attention she needed, hoping that she wouldn't have to lose her limb. Slowly, she started to heal, proving to us once again that resilience can work miracles. Thankfully, the amputation was no longer needed—she overcame the odds and recovered.







Tikuli became more than just a rescue dog; she became the heart and soul of our shelter. Even with a permanent leg fracture, a constant reminder of her painful past, she never let it break her spirit. She greeted everyone with love, filled our days with warmth, and touched the hearts of everyone she met.

But time was not kind to her. As she grew older, she faced another cruel challenge–kidney failure. It was heartbreaking to see our brave girl, who had already fought so much, now battling yet another hardship. We did everything possible to keep her comfortable, to give her the love she had given us for so many years.



On January 17, 2025, we lost our beloved Tikuli. We are deeply grateful to Sarban Grimminck Sir, who became her godparent, loving and supporting her throughout her journey.

Rest in peace, Tikuli.
You were deeply loved, and you will never be forgotten.



# Be the reason a rescued animal feels love again.



Join us as a volunteer.



#### Every rescued animal has a story-be a part of their journey by volunteering.

Are you passionate about animals and want to make a real difference? Join our volunteer team and become a part of something truly meaningful! At Sneha's Care, every set of helping hands brings hope, healing, and happiness to animals in need. Whether it's feeding, cleaning, assisting with medical care, or simply giving love and attention, your time and compassion can change lives. Volunteering is not just about helping animals—it's about becoming their voice, their protector, and their family. If you're ready to make an impact, meet like-minded people, and experience the unconditional love of rescued animals, we'd love to have you on board. Sign up today and be a hero for those who need you the most!







## A Moment of Pride

We are truly beyond grateful to have had the honor of welcoming Mr. Chiri Babu Maharjan, the esteemed Mayor of Lalitpur Metropolitan City and Mrs. Rekha Das Shrestha, the Chief Administrative Officer of Lalitpur Metropolitan City Office to our shelter. They took the time to visit, and we are deeply touched that they personally met our beloved Maicha. This visit not only brought a sense of pride to our team but also a powerful reminder of the importance of collaboration between the government and organizations dedicated to the welfare of animals. It reminded us that we're not alone in our mission. With this we look forward to seeing more positive change for them with his continued support.



## Grateful for Every Visit, Every Smile





















# Did you know about our "Day-visit package"?

Experience a truly immersive day at the sanctuary with our exclusive Day Visit Package. Engage in hands-on interactions with our animals, hear their inspiring stories, and gain a deeper understanding of sanctuary life. Afterward, savor a delicious local meal included in the package. For your convenience, we offer pick-up and drop-off services from any hotel in Kathmandu.

## Mobile Treatment

Our goal is to reach and assist as many animals as possible through our mobile treatment service. While we strive to provide care in various locations, our ability to physically reach every area is limited by time and resources. Nevertheless, we are committed to offering treatment advice to responders and providing contact details for the nearest organizations, ensuring that animals receive the necessary help in a timely manner.

If you have any questions or need assistance, please don't hesitate to call us at 9808645023. We're here to help and ensure that every animal gets the care it deserves.



















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#### A seed for the new sanctuary







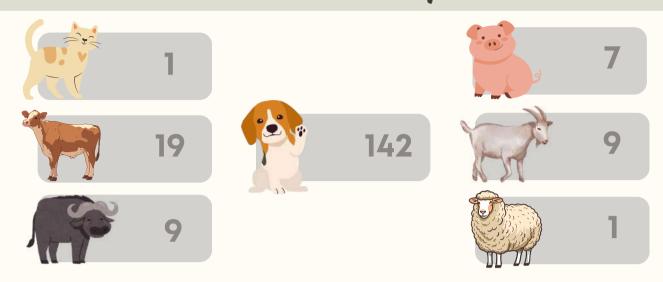
We know that not all of you can join us physically for the campaign, but you can help us in raising funds for the new sanctuary by purchasing our limited edition products.

Buy a rose for just Rs.250 Lock your love at the shelter at Rs.250 Bookmark for just Rs 120 Greetings card for just Rs 250





#### Shelter Residents Update



#### Shelter Activities







## fee you in February!