JULY VOLUNTEER OF THE MONTH

MICHAEL REBAR



What I like best about volunteering at Colony Cats:

I really enjoy spending time caring for the cats in intake. I find it extremely rewarding when a cat that is having a rough day is excited to interact with me in a positive manner.

My pets at home:

My Colony Cats adoptee, *Oreo*! I don't know if I would be at Colony Cats today if I had not met this amazing guy!

What I'd like you to know about me:

I really enjoy learning new things. I did not grow up with cats, so just about every week I find myself heading home having learned something new. I always enjoy when fellow volunteers take time out of their day to educate me on whatever task they are working on. I am also an "adrenaline junkie" so I enjoy fast paced tasks. If anyone ever needs me to drop what I am doing around the shelter in order to assist them, they should know that I will always be happy to help!

Where you can find me when I'm not volunteering for Colony Cats:

When I am not volunteering I enjoy pursuing my career in civil engineering, jogging, biking, and playing ice hockey.

Dogs or Cats Rule?:

I grew up with dogs most of my life, but Cats Rule!

What's your advice to a new Colony Cats volunteer?:

Embrace every new opportunity as you are learning the ropes. You never know what you might end up really enjoying doing around the shelter! Don't be afraid to ask for help when you need it, Colony Cats is full of awesome people who are always more than willing to assist you.





