



March 2022

Wild Babies Are Being Born!



It's baby season! We are embarking on our busiest time of the year. Many species of animals give birth in the spring, and we need supplies to care for all the orphans coming our way. Will you help us prepare? Shop the [Amazon Charity List](#) which will ship items directly to our Center. You can also [shop from our wish list](#) and drop off supplies in person at either the Center from 9:00am – 4:00pm daily (please call first—303-823-8455) or at our stores (3600 Arapahoe, Boulder) 11:00am – 5:00pm, Wednesday through Saturday and 12:00 - 4:00pm Sunday.

Donations are tax-deductible. Thanks in advance for your generosity!

[Shop our list](#)

Staff Comings and Goings

GREENWOOD EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO RETIRE

After more than 13 years, Linda Tyler will retire this coming September. She has served Boulder County nonprofits for the



past 45 years. “I’m proud of the difference I’ve made in this incredible community. It’s time to move on to my next adventure, whatever that might be.” To quote Paul Lavell, former board member and current volunteer, “When I joined Greenwood in 2001, it struggled each year to meet a minimal budget and was run almost strictly by volunteers. During Linda’s tenure, her fundraising and organizational talents have built Greenwood into a strong and viable organization. Greenwood has also increased its patient numbers as other rehabilitation centers failed. Linda has truly earned her retirement!” Amanda Lau, Associate Director, will be taking over the Executive Director position. We all look forward to Greenwood’s continued success with her at the helm.

NEW TALENT AT THE CENTER

We'd like to introduce you to two new team members—Tessa, Animal Care Assistant, and Andrea, Administrative Specialist.



Animal Care Assistant: Tessa Parish
Tessa was born and raised in Ithaca, New York, where she grew up surrounded by pets. She graduated from Colorado State University with a degree in Zoology. While in school, Tessa interned with the primate and small mammal department at the Rosamond Gifford Zoo and spent five months in Tanzania studying wildlife management and human-wildlife conflict. In 2018, Tessa completed an internship at



Administrative Specialist: Andrea Ferguson
Andrea was raised in Boulder County. She started at the Humane Society of Boulder Valley (HSBV) in 2006 and fell in love with the world of animal welfare. After a stint in Texas, she returned to Colorado and employment at HSBV. She spent the last 10 years there working in both direct animal care and administration. Andrea loves hippos and enjoys spending time with

Greenwood, followed by two seasons as Mammal Nursery Staff. After a brief return to New York where she worked as an Animal Care Technician at Cornell University, Tessa is excited to provide compassionate care to Colorado wildlife once again.

her son and gardening.

Want to join the Greenwood team? There are several [job openings](#) and [internships](#) now listed on our [website](#).

Wild Night for Wildlife 2022 Coming This Autumn!

We hope you'll join us for Wild Night for Wildlife on September 16th at the Boulder Jewish Community Center (JCC). The event will be packed with feel-good fun and heart-warming moments that benefit the wildlife we treat each year. Take part in the online auction and an exhilarating live auction led by Don Martin.

[Save the date!](#)



Interested in sponsoring, donating, or want to learn more about the event?
Email Amanda

Thrift Shop & Consignment Gallery

The Thrift Shop & Consignment Gallery are now open for additional shopping on Sundays from 12:00 - 4:00pm.

Have you heard?

Greenwood Thrift Shop & Consignment Gallery has been chosen as the BEST in Colorado by [Apartment Therapy](#).

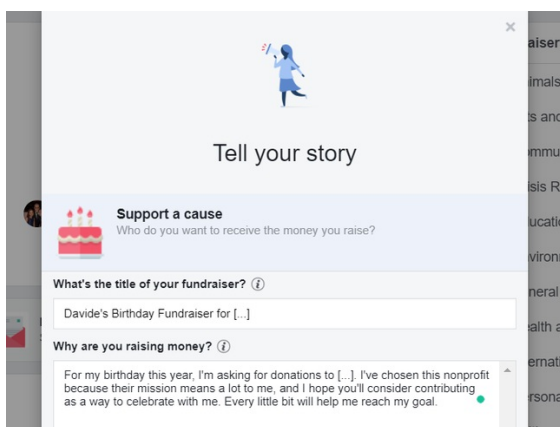


[Storage Chest, \\$349](#)

While you are dreaming of fresh possibilities for your home, consider consigning with Greenwood Consignment and get paid for items sold. Learn more about the consignment process [here](#).

GreenwoodConsignment.org

[View Online Gallery](#)



Use Facebook to Fundraise on your Birthday!

You and your friends can support wildlife by using [Facebook](#) fundraisers. This easy tool has raised hundreds of dollars for Greenwood's patients. Let's keep the momentum going! To get started, click the + "Create" symbol near your profile picture and scroll down to "Fundraiser". Share your stories about Greenwood!

Watch Episode one of our education mini-series

What do you do if you find a baby squirrel?



Wildlife Stories



Domestic shelters are known for their love of animals. That was very apparent when a Humane Society of Boulder Valley staff member noticed a Canada Goose in need and ensured it came to Greenwood for help.

The bird was found near its dead mate outside the HSBV facility, either too heartbroken or too sick to fly. In Greenwood's intake room, it waddled pensively out of its transport crate with an obvious limp that must have been causing it pain. Staff helped it along with medication and a cozy enclosure to rest after its long day. We are still waiting on test results to diagnose the bird's injuries. Until a complete care plan is drafted, the goose will rest, be given pain reducers, and enjoy highly nutritious food.



On the CU campus in Boulder, a Goldeneye Duck was in need of help. Luckily, a caring passerby noticed it was unable to fly and brought it to our Center.

The medical team performed a full evaluation, looking for clues on why the duck was unable to fly. After checking for wounds and fractures, they concluded that the critter most likely had hit a building, causing a spinal injury.

Our rehabilitators administered pain medication to help the duck deal with the obvious soreness it was experiencing. This Goldeneye would need plenty of rest and swim therapy if it was going to recover from this injury. Nearly two weeks after it arrived, it was much healthier and more active. By the third week of care, it was time for release. It was set free on open water where five other Goldeneyes were seen floating.



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