



LIFE WITH PIGS
FARM ANIMAL SANCTUARY

2020 Impact Report



2020

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Our story so far

Our Mission

Life with Pigs Farm Animal Sanctuary provides forever homes to farm animals in need and compassion-filled educational experiences to the public.

Life with Pigs is dedicated to educating people about the injustices faced by animals and how we can better coexist with our fellow earthlings. We operate under the guiding principle that animals are our equals and deserve equal consideration for their needs and desires.

2020 Rescues

Sassy the Parrot

Sassy lived with her human mother for the first 29 years of her life. And her mom was her person! She loved her so much and was loved right back. So, when her mother passed away, finding a perfect home for the adored parrot was a top priority.

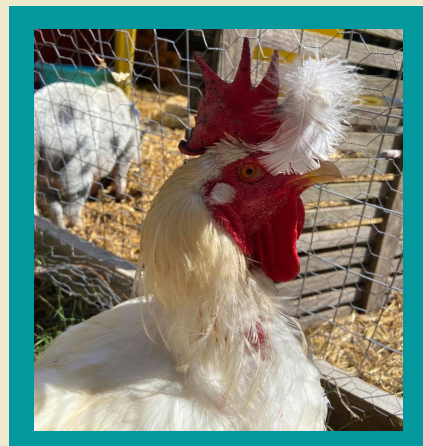
At 29, she is very old for her type of parrot. While we typically focus on farm animals, we felt we would be a perfect fit for this spirited little girl.



Billy the Rooster

Billy was picked up by Animal Control after running stray for several weeks. When we brought Billy home, he had wounds on his wings and feet, extensive feather loss, as well as being overweight. Billy is slowly learning to trust us, enjoys coming inside for cuddles, and likes to have his head pet and scratched.

One of his favorite things to do is to watch cartoons while he soaks his feet!

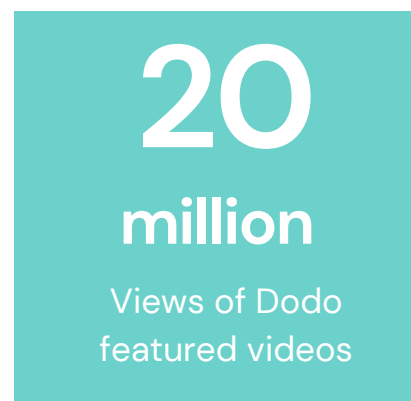
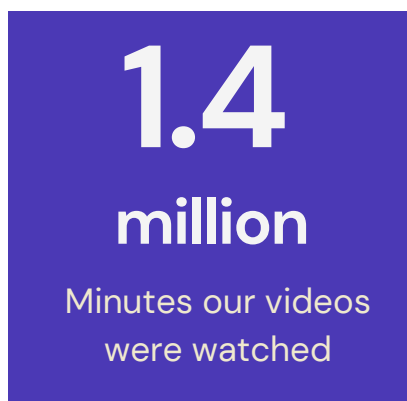
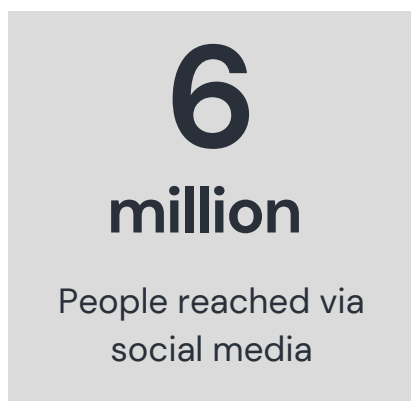


Worldwide Reach

2021 is already shaping up to be a great year for Life With Pigs. With our pages, videos, and message surpassing a reach of a million people a month, we are positioned to reach so many people and introduce them to just how truly friendly, intelligent, endearing, and emotional farm animals are.

Our two primary goals at Life With Pigs is to give rescue farm animals the happiest-ever-after that we can and to share their stories with the world. And thanks to media outlets like The Dodo, The Daily Mail, and others, Jenna the Calf Who Lived's story has been seen by millions and millions of people around the world. And this helps open the hearts and minds of people to reconsider how animals like Jenna should be treated.

Our Reach in 2020



Featured On:

- The Dodo (twice!)
- Fox News, Front Page Online
- New York Post
- Daily Mail Online
- DailyMailTV Interview
- Local Channel 3 Morning Live
- Nextdoor Magazine
- Two Species, One Love
- 99.1 Gloucester Weekly Radio

Our biggest projects of 2020

1



Quarantine / Medical Barn

We turned Jenna's first barn into a medical / quarantine area, for future new arrivals and any animals in need of special medical care or a temperature controlled environment. The new med barn has electricity, heat, AC, and a sink, along with an enclosed outdoor area. Mallory can also use this as her home office whenever anyone is temporarily residing in the barn, so that she can check on them as needed throughout the day.

2



Pasture Planting / Yard Division

After struggling to grow grass for quite some time, we realized we needed to make some changes in order to create the delicious pasture the animals deserve. We installed new fencing to divide the yard into three parts, so that we are able to seed each section, while ensuring the birds don't eat the seed, the pigs don't root up the young grass, and the over-exuberant cows don't pull up the new growth too soon.

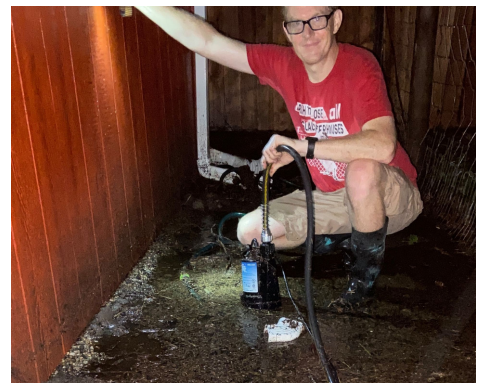
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Chicken Kingdom

With several chicken areas spread throughout the yard, we wanted to bring everyone together where they could have more social interaction but still be able to have their own spaces. We thought a castle theme would be perfect for them - so they now have a covered Kingdom with interactive toys and three coops, with a Special-Needs area for Wish and Devorah to stay safe while still being able to say hello to the others whenever they want.

4



Drainage System

This year, it rained, and then rained, and then for a change poured. Areas of the yard were washing away and the cow barn was struggling to stay dry. So, we added a drainage system that allowed water to flow into the gutters by the road. This helped keep everyone dry and safe.

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Pig Loft

When you share your home with 3 dogs, a rabbit, 3 pigs, and now a parrot, you have to make space where there seems to be none. That was the inspiration behind the pig loft.

We wanted to make sure everyone could be close but that the dogs and the pigs each had separate beds. So, we built a loft right behind the couch where we could snuggle with the pigs Pumpkin, Charlotte, and Millie and then on the couch right below we can cuddle with the dogs.

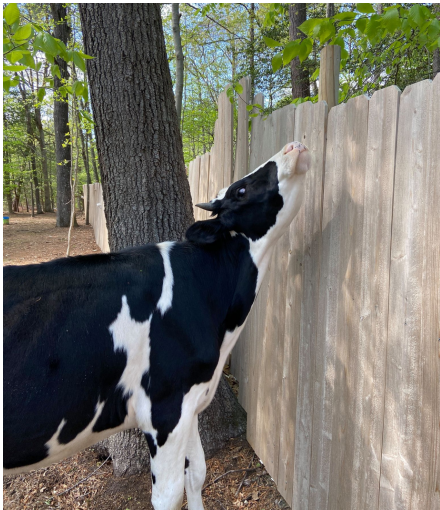
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Sassy's Outdoor Aviary

When Sassy the Parrot arrived, we wanted to let her experience the great outdoors. But we wanted to keep her safe and warm. Her aviary does both. With a heat lamp ready for colder days and shade and shelter from extreme heat, Sassy can look out on the woods at the back of our yard and feel apart of the world and talk to the other birds living and visiting our sanctuary.

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Security Improvements

Fortunately, we have had no deaths or injuries over the last year caused by intruders. Only one raccoon visited the chicken coops but was picked up on the security camera and we were able to make sure everyone remained safe. The overall safety is thanks to our secure fences and cameras allowing us to monitor how everyone is doing regardless of where we are. This ensures no one attempts to come into the yard and make mischief without us knowing.

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Cow Wash / Cow Scratch / Cow Medical Area

Welcome to the Cow Wash! Or as Jenna wishes it wasn't also known, the Vet Area. She may not love baths, but she hates getting shots. There are also plenty of scratch posts, brushes and more to try and make an area that isn't always fun less dreaded by Maisie and Jenna.

2020

Highlights



Engaged!

While we reserve the cow barn mostly for sleepy animals and cuddle time with the animals, it was the scene of an important moment here at Life With Pigs.

With the help of Jenna, who horned Ryan down onto one knee at the appropriate time, Ryan proposed to Mallory - making it official that her non-paying fulltime job of helping with the sanctuary was secure.

Inside sources from the pig loft speaking on condition of anonymity report that Millie is planning to object at the ceremony. But Ryan and Mallory couldn't be happier to have found their soulmates and someone equally devoted to animals!

www.WingCowWedding.com



Piggy Pool!

It helps if the pigs can get clean after a long, hot summer day after attempting to cover themselves entirely with mud, before they can get inside to enjoy their beloved air-conditioning.

And so we added a piggy bathtub/pool to our yard thanks to generous donations! The pigs love it right up until they realize there may be a bath involved. Then they tolerated it.

Having this also helps cut down on the number of times we end up finding the dreaded pig-fish in the community water trough. Poor Maisie doesn't know what to make of the pig-fish!



Our Plans for 2021

Every day, we are working on new and creative ways to share the message of compassion for all. We aim to be the 'World's Sanctuary' by allowing people around the world to come into our home and yard and become part of our global family.

So, as we head into 2021, our mission is to become even better at providing the best lives possible to our animal family while improving and refining our ability to share their stories in a way that allows people to truly connect with and get to know the personalities and individuals that we call family.

PROJECTS	DETAILS	OUTCOME
Grow our Volunteer Program	Weekly Dedicated Volunteers - working with the animals, fundraising, social media, etc.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• More time to focus on growing the sanctuary's reach and donor base
Increase Media Exposure	Maintain current relationships with media reps and find new avenues for exposure	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Share our animals' stories with a wider audience
Events (in person or online)	COVID allowing, more events at the sanctuary - movie nights in the barn, classes, homeschool visits	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Increase community involvement and connection with animals

How You Can Help

We Couldn't Do This Without Our
Extended Life With Pigs Family!

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Life With Pigs Merchandise

Sweatshirts and Hoodies



T-Shirts, Tank Tops, and Swimsuits



Mugs and Holiday Ornaments



2021 Calendar



Visit our store: www.lifewithpigs.com/lwpstore.html



We want our global family to know what it is like to have a chicken cuddle in their lap while smacking their beak happily, how it feels to have a pig nudge you to let you know more loving is needed, and even what it is like to have Jenna kicking her legs and swinging her head as she chases them around a tree in her cow version of tag.

So, we hope all of you will continue to join us and help us spread our message as we try to make the world a better place for animals everywhere.



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