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## **ARL Hosting Fee-Waived Small Animal Adoption Event**

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This weekend, the Animal Rescue League of Boston (ARL) will kick off summer by hosting a fee-waived adoption event for small animals, including guinea pigs, rabbits, mice, hamsters, and parakeets, at all three of its Animal Care and Adoption Centers. For those thinking of adding a small animal (or two) to the family, it's a perfect time to do so!

The event will run from Friday, June 23, through Sunday, June 16 at ARL's Boston, Dedham, and Brewster Animal Care and Adoption Centers. Hours of operation are 1-6 p.m.

Currently, ARL has well over 40 small animals available for adoption, with many more in foster care waiting their turn. The organization has seen a dramatic rise in small animal surrenders in the past few years, particularly guinea pigs.

Small animals make wonderful pets – they're social, relatively quiet, great for small living spaces, and may be an option for those living in properties that may not allow dogs or cats but do allow small animals.

During the adoption event, ARL's Adoption Forward process will remain the same and our adoption team will require prospective adopters to bring a photo of the enclosure their pet will live in to ensure it meets our requirements.

Visit an ARL Animal Care & Adoption Center from June 14 through June 16 from 1:00pm-6:00pm:

Boston: 10 Chandler Street

Dedham: 55 Anna's Place

Brewster (Cape Cod): 3981 Main Street

For photos of some of ARL's small animals, click the Dropbox link below: <a href="https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fo/sq6vh5wjsb1q3kxau53br/AMjIMBhXFWR806Ds1hkf2Fs?rlkey=0q47x2b9u6vprlgahiey7cnss&st=ki6a0aaa&dl=0">https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fo/sq6vh5wjsb1q3kxau53br/AMjIMBhXFWR806Ds1hkf2Fs?rlkey=0q47x2b9u6vprlgahiey7cnss&st=ki6a0aaa&dl=0</a>

## ABOUT THE ANIMAL RESCUE LEAGUE OF BOSTON:

The Animal Rescue League of Boston (ARL) is an unwavering champion for animals in need, committed to keeping them safe and healthy in habitats and homes. Founded in 1899, ARL provides high-quality veterinary care, adoption, and rescue services; while also confronting the root causes of animal cruelty and neglect through innovative community programs, police investigations, and public advocacy. In 2023, ARL served 20,964 animals throughout Massachusetts. ARL is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization. The Animal Rescue League of Boston does not receive government grants or public funding and relies on the generosity of our supporters to help animals in need. For more information please visit us online at <a href="mailto:arlboston.org">arlboston.org</a>; and be sure to follow us on <a href="mailto:Facebook">Facebook</a>, <a href="mailto:Twitter">Twitter</a>, and <a href="mailto:Instagram">Instagram</a>.

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