PET OF THE WEEK

Energetic Rebel seeks a loving home.

Submitted

September is Responsible Dog Ownership Month, and this week's featured dog, Rebel, is a pretty good example of what responsible ownership really looks like.

It doesn't mean having a perfectly behaved dog. It means recognizing where your dog needs help and being willing to teach them.

Rebel is young, playful, treat-motivated, and packed with energy! He's also still working on a few things, including potty training, channeling all that enthusiasm, and resisting the urge to test fences and kennels for possible escape routes.

None of those things make Rebel a bad dog. They simply mean he needs an adopter who is ready to give him structure, consistency, enrichment, and a little patience while he learns.

For a dog like Rebel, physical exercise is only part of the equation. Walks and playtime are important, but so are things that keep his brain busy, like sniffing safaris, food puzzles, training games, and other activities that give all that energy somewhere productive to go.

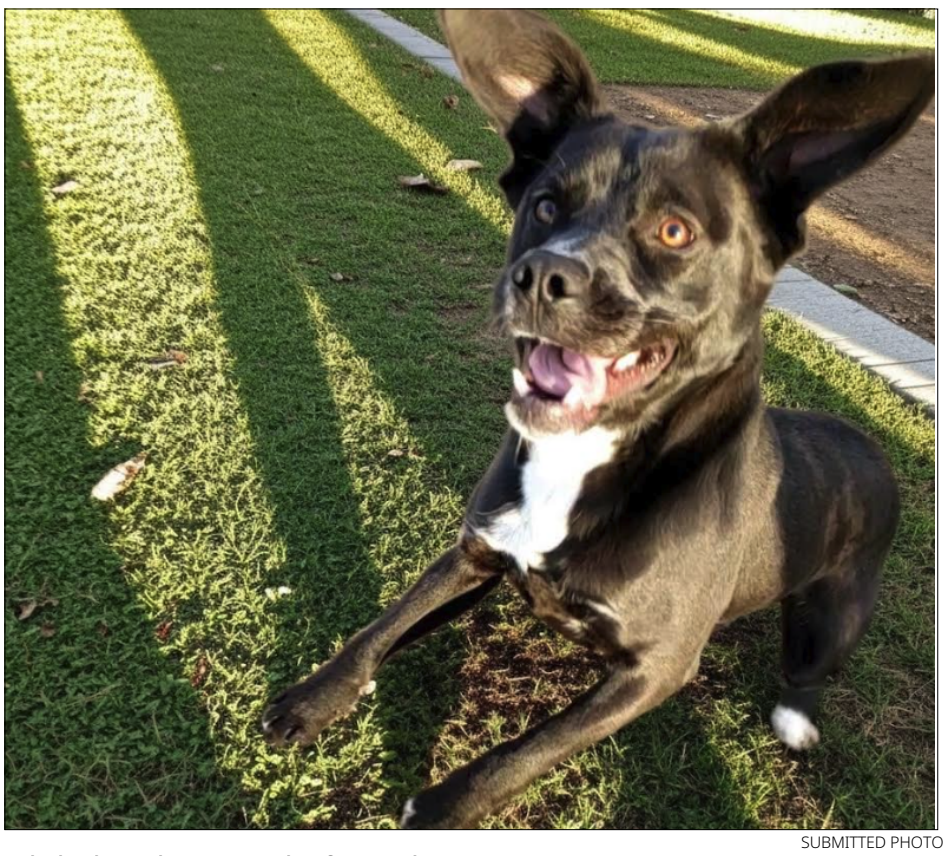
His future family will also need to make sure fences and gates are secure and supervise him outdoors, especially while he's settling into a new home. And when it comes to potty training, Rebel may need someone willing to go back to basics with frequent outdoor trips, lots of praise for success, and a consistent routine.

The good news? Rebel is eager, engaged, and motivated by treats (who isn't?!) which makes training a whole lot easier.

For the right person, Rebel isn't a project: he'll be an attentive student with four legs and a lot of enthusiasm. A whole lot!

Don't wait. Apply at dbchs.org/adopt and make plans to meet all of DBCHS' adoptable pets. DBCHS is open 1–5 pm Monday, 1–7 pm Tuesday & Wednesday, 1–5 pm Thursday, noon–4 pm Friday, and 10–3 pm Saturday. We hope to see you soon!

The Danville-Boyle County Humane Society, established in 1972, is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) that relies on your generosity. Current needs: wet and dry cat and kitten food. Stop by to donate or visit our Amazon Wishlist: https://rb.gy/hcozh.



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Rebel is happily awaiting his forever home.

Upcoming Boyle County Public Library events

News release

DANVILLE, Ky., August 31, 2026 – The Boyle County Public Library offers free activities, special events, online resources, and numerous services for the community. Programs often include storytime, crafting programs, art exhibits, and gaming events. Here is a closer look at some of the upcoming events at the library:

FEATURED PROGRAMS:

BCPL AFTER DARK: INTRO TO TAROT

Wednesday, September 9, 6:30-8 p.m.

BCPL After Dark is back at the library this month for a special program. This month we'll be exploring the practice of tarot reading with our special guest Mystical Bluegrass LLC. If you've always wanted to learn or are just plain curious, we hope you can join us. This event will be held in the Community Room at the library. (Adults; 18+)

"CREATIONS" EXHIBIT OPENING RECEPTION

Thursday, September 10, 6:30 p.m.

The September exhibit in the Georgia de Araujo Gallery will feature artwork from the Danville Creatives Club, an energetic community dedicated to fostering creativity through art. Whether you're a professional artist, hobbyist, or just someone passionate about exploring your creative side, this group is the perfect place to share ideas, get inspired, and collaborate with fellow artists. Their exhibition, "Creations," will be on display September 2-30, 2026. All are invited to the gallery opening reception. Light refreshments will be provided. (All Ages)

YOUTH PROGRAMS:

YA CREATIVE CLUB

Tuesday, September 8, 3:30-5 p.m.

Create fun crafts while you relax, eat snacks, and hang out at the library. Teens and tweens can experiment with a variety of materials from our collection of art and craft supplies. Paint with watercolors or acrylics, sculpt with clay, create beaded jewelry, make unique designs out of Perler beads, and more. This event will be held on Level 5. (Ages 11-17)

YA GAMING GUILD

Tuesday, September 10, 3:30-5 p.m.

Teens and tweens can play a variety of games while they relax, eat snacks, and hang out at the library. Participants can pick what they want to play from our large collection of board games, card games, puzzles, and video games for the Nintendo Switch. This event will be held on Level 5. (Ages 11-17)

WEE WONDERS

Friday, September 11, 3:30 p.m.

Wee Wonders is a program designed to help with literacy skills, creative play and problem solving, and social emotional learning for children ages 3-5. This month we're focusing on creative play with our Tape Town, featuring outlined roadways on the floor leading to different community centers within the town. Each community center stop will be its own activity station that will encourage children and their caregivers to imagine, create, and play! Some vehicles will be provided, but feel free to bring your own. This event will be held in the Community Room. (Ages 3-5)

KIDS ART STUDIO

Saturday, September 12, 1:30-3 p.m.

Come play, create, and get messy in our pop-up kids art studio. Kids will experiment using new and familiar art supplies with open-ended prompts designed to spark imagination and creativity. There will be opportunities to practice fine motor skills, focus, and self-expression. This event will be held in the Youth Department. (Ages 6-10)

RECURRING PROGRAMS:

STORYTIME

Tuesdays, 11 a.m.

BOYLE COUNTY WRITERS

Tuesday, September 8, 5:30-8 p.m.

KENTUCKY CAREER CENTER JOB ASSISTANCE

Wednesday, September 9, 2:30-4:30 p.m.

Information about library resources and all upcoming events can be found online at BoylePubLib.org. The main library is open Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, 9:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 9:30 a.m.-8 p.m.; and Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. The Story Center at Grayson's Tavern is open Tuesday-Friday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. The library will be closed on Monday, September 7 for Labor Day.

The Boyle County Public Library serves the city of Danville and all of Boyle County and is actively committed to enriching the lives of its patrons. The library is located at 307 W. Broadway in Danville.

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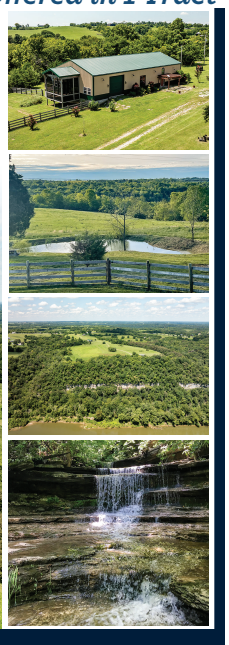
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