

# SOCIETY

## The Shelter for Abused Women & Children events during National Domestic Violence Awareness Month



- Members of the shelter staff performed a special dance routine Oct. 24 during the DVAM Dance Party at Mercato.
- A Chihuahua receives a purple ribbon bandana during Paws For Peace Oct. 6 at Naples Botanical Garden. The event was co-sponsored by the Humane Society Naples.
- From left: Joe Charles, Marcie Charles, Brittany Cowan, Nick Christiano, Tai Rambert, Alexis Diaczynsky, Kelly Komor, Loan Trinh, Jennifer Gebeau and Michael Gebeau at The Shelter's NextGen Purple Party Oct. 11 at Bayfront Inn.
- A standard poodle enjoys the kissing booth during Paws for Peace at Naples Botanical Garden. The event was co-sponsored by the Humane Society Naples.
- Suited up in a hand-created BumbleBee costume, Miguel Guzman delighted young and old during the annual Immokalee Children's Peace Fair Oct. 21 at the Immokalee Sports Complex.
- Shelter advocate Sydney Snyder helps an attendee add her dog's paw print to the Paws for Peace banner at Naples Botanical Garden.
- Two canine attendees greet each other at Paws for Peace Oct. 6 at the Naples Botanical Garden.
- Local artist Adorable Monique presents the painting she created live during the Purple Party, Oct. 11, to top bidders Angela Easter and Alex Nicodemi.

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Florida Weekly welcomes submissions for the Society pages from charity galas and fundraising events, club meetings and other to-dos around town. We need 300-dpi photographs of groups of two or more people, facing the camera and identified by first and last names. Questions? Email editor Eric Strachan at [eric.strachan@floridaweekly.com](mailto:eric.strachan@floridaweekly.com).

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