

## **Pensioner puss gets to live the high life after adopted to popular North London pub**

18-year old rescue cat gets re homed to trendy local drinking hole, The Mason's Arms

North London –The Mayhew Animal Home in Kensal Green often has trouble finding homes for the older animals that come into their care, but not for one such puss -18 year old Luck - who has gone to live at The Mason's Arms on the Harrow Road –a popular hangout for local resident celebrity, Craig Kelly.

The landlord and lady of The Mason's Arms were looking to re home a cat and so headed to their local rescue centre, The Mayhew in Trenmar Gardens where they fell in love with the pensioner puss.

Landlady Louise Erskine said: *"We weren't really looking for an older cat at all, but it was just love at first sight with Lucky, he has so much personality and I couldn't bear thinking about him left alone in the Cattery –I wanted him home with me! He is so affectionate and everyone who meets him just falls in love. It's sad to think that older cats stand less of a chance of finding a good home, I would certainly recommend them to anyone!"*

Mayhew Cat Adoption Officer, Lucy Edwards, said: *"Lucky is a super cat and we are thrilled he has gone to live at The Mason's Arms. As he is a bit of an older chap he has a medical condition called hyperthyroid, but we carried out an operation at our vet clinic here and he recovered brilliantly. We couldn't be happier to see him in his forever home."*

For anyone wanting to enquire about adopting any of the animals at The Mayhew, they can call 0208 969 0178

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### **For the Editor**

**The Mayhew Animal Home** was established in 1886 for the benefit of "the lost and starving dogs and cats of London so that they should have sanctuary from the cold inhumanity they are being dealt outside". Today, The Mayhew is one of the busiest animal sanctuaries in London, rescuing thousands of animals from cruelty and neglect each year. We provide shelter and care for cats, dogs, rabbits and when the need arises, for a wide variety of other animals.

The Mayhew Animal Home strives to tackle the companion animal welfare crisis from every possible angle. The organisation is pro-active, innovative and continually works to assist animals and their carers. The Mayhew offers a wide variety of community services providing advice, care and assistance to animals and their carers whatever their circumstances.