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Let's be S.M.A.R.T. aims to educate about the importance of animals by raising the awareness level for their rights, well-being, and care.

We focus on bringing communities together to promote responsible care of animals through our educational projects, community projects and the organization of events for both children and adults. Let's be S.M.A.R.T. hopes to foster the practice of understanding and compassion with animals.

We believe in thinking globally while acting locally. Our local projects in the Attika region include S.M.A.R.T. Yards (community feeding stations for strays) and Feeding, Sterilization & Medical Care projects.

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The Let's be S.M.A.R.T. Greece organization is registered in Greece under the official name "ΕΠΙΤΥΧΗΣ ΔΙΑΧΕΙΡΙΣΗ ΤΩΝ ΔΙΚΑΙΩΜΑΤΩΝ ΤΩΝ ΖΩΩΝ ΣΗΜΕΡΑ". It is registered as a charity with Greek Tax ID # 996980059.



S.M.A.R.T. Yards



# S.M.A.R.T. YARDS

**S.M.A.R.T. Yards** are COMMUNITY YARDS that our Let's be S.M.A.R.T. organization is helping set up throughout local communities and with their agreement. Our yards help promote social responsibility toward our stray animal population and help share in the care for the same.

## WHO BENEFIT FROM THE S.M.A.R.T. YARDS

Designed primarily for the benefit of the stray population, the S.M.A.R.T. Yards provide protection, access to daily food and water and medical care when needed. The S.M.A.R.T. Yards help keep the stray population healthier and well taken care of.

The local community will benefit equally as the S.M.A.R.T. Yards keep the stray population under control and they keep the streets more free from strays (which eventually they can be harmed). In addition, cats naturally help with pest control (mice and roaches). Designing a fixed frame for taking care of the strays within the S.M.A.R.T. Yards will get local communities united towards a common goal.

Moreover, sterilizing and micro chipping the strays in the S.M.A.R.T. Yards provide the community with the awareness of the place, scope and current situation of the strays group.



# HOW IT WORKS

When the community/private building agrees to have a S.M.A.R.T. Yard set up (we will help to provide the legal details necessary in some cases if applicable), our organization will provide proper shelter in the form of a solid wooden outdoor rated cat/dog house (labeled with the S.M.A.R.T. Yard sign).

The community will agree to supply pet food and fresh water on daily basis as a part of the joint effort and a social responsibility.



Our Let's be S.M.A.R.T. team will help with coordination of sterilizations, micro chipping and medical care, if necessary. All costs related to food supply, sterilizations, micro chipping and medical attendance will be covered by each community. It is important to remember that the S.M.A.R.T. Yards should be kept neat and tidy in order to respect all residents of the community

# Contact us

If you are interested in setting up a S.M.A.R.T. Yard in your local community, please contact us at following e-mail: [administration@letsbesmart.org](mailto:administration@letsbesmart.org)

## Our S.M.A.R.T. Yard Inspiration

*Willow, Shadow and Flash were 3 cat siblings that were born in one of our S.M.A.R.T. Yards in Athens in June 2019. Their mom gave birth to them whereby the building had agreed to help look after them and a few other cats. Our Let's be S.M.A.R.T. organization has been providing proper shelter, daily food and medical care as needed in order to make sure all the yard cats are well cared for. The neighbors also help to keep their bowls full of biscuits and water as a joint effort! The siblings were living happily in the S.M.A.R.T. Yard until the autumn when they were eventually sterilized and brought inside to our nearby S.M.A.R.T. foster home in order to be domesticated and ready for loving forever homes. All 3 kitties found their adoptive homes abroad in 2020. Their mom is the neighborhood old timer and the neighbors agreed to help in the costs of finally sterilizing her as a part of the joint community effort, which was the best thing to do for her health.*

