

Meet the PAWS Camp Counselors

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Lila Hunter



Lila Hunter was raised in Alabama, on beautiful Lake Martin. This is where her love for both wild and companion animals started. She also loves children, and it was this passion that guided her to study special education and psychology at Auburn University.

After college, Lila moved to Anchorage, Alaska, where she met and married her husband, George. There, Lila served as director of a day care center.

The Hunters moved to Georgia in 2001. Lila has taught preschool at Simpsonwood United Methodist Church for 18 years, a job she loves. Lila has been volunteering with animal causes in some capacity since 1998, when she and George took in their first foster dog. The Hunters' concern with the tethering ordinance, passed in early 2015, connected them to a group of dedicated and effective animal advocates who understand the link between the humane treatment of animals and safe, fiscally responsible communities.

Lila currently serves as co chair of Animal Alliance of Georgia, an animal advocacy group and spay/neuter charity. She is also active with Canine Pet Rescue, serving as foster coordinator and fostering German shepherd dogs. Lastly, Lila works on humane animal legislation, at both state and local levels. George and Lila live in Duluth with their six rescued dogs. This is her fourth summer as a counselor at PAWS Pals Camp. Lila loves her summers at PAWS!