**Do I have to pay to enter?**

Yes. Purchase of a cat cafe visit is required.

**Why do you charge an entrance donation?**  
Running a facility to house 20+ cats is expensive, and the entry donation is our only source of funding. We charge a fee in order to maintain quality of care for our residents, to pay for overhead costs like rent and electricity, and to take care of our staff. Our goal is to make the donation minimal as we grow.

**What is included in the purchase of a cat cafe visit?**

Quite a lot! We think $12 is a great value when it includes all of the following (while supplies last):

* 1 free cup of coffee/tea/juice/lemonade
* 1 free gourmet pastry
* 1 free Lap Cat reusable coaster
* No strict time limit in the cat cafe

**What kind of payments do you accept?**

Credit cards, debit cards, and NFC payments (e.g. Apple Pay, Android Pay) and cash.

**Do you offer student discounts?**Yes. High School and College students will receive a $5 dollar discount to hang out with a bunch of cats. That’s $20 bucks + free freshly brewed coffee or tea. Student ID is required.

**How many people and cats are in the cat lounges at one time?**15 people and 20+ cats. We will have, on average, 20+ cats based on adoptions and refills.

**What if I come into the cat lounges and all cats are sleeping?**Cats sleep up to 16 hours a day at random times. While we understand that guests hope to spend time with playful cats, it's important for the health of our cats that they be allowed to sleep when they need it.

**Are children allowed in the cat lounges?**Yes. However, at least one adult needs to be present per two children (5-10 years). Children under 5 years are not permitted. We ask all visitors to help us create a calm and quiet environment for the cats, anyone can be asked to leave (without reimbursement) if they are being disruptive or harmful to the residents.

**Can I make a reservation to visit the cat cafe?**

If you would like to organize a private exclusive event (e.g. party, gathering with friends, etc), we would happy to see if we can accommodate. Note that we must receive at least 72 hours advanced notice, so that we can make the best preparations for the event. Please email <a class="contacts\_\_link" href="mailto:info@lapcat.com">[info@lapcat.com</a](mailto:info@lapcat.com%3c/a)> for availability and a quote!

**Are the cats available for adoption?**

Yes. To learn more about adoption you can visit this this page.

**Can I bring my own food and drinks?**

Although we encourage you to give our locally-sourced gourmet coffee and pastries a chance, you may absolutely bring your own food and drink (except for alcohol), as long as the smell is not strong enough to cause offense to other customers and cats. (Otherwise, we reserve the right to remove the food.) Your drink must also have a lid or some other type of covering.

**Can I bring my own cats or other pets?**

No, as this would pose a potential safety hazard to both the cafe cats and customers. Bringing in cats from outside would not only be stressful for our cats, but likely stressful for your cat

**Which rescues do you work with for special on-site adoption events?**

We work with some of the most long-established and well-reputed non-profit cat rescues.

**Is the cafe air-conditioned/heated?**

Yes, there are HVAC ceiling units inside the cafe. Heating and cooling will be used depending on the outside temperature.

**Does the cafe have wifi?**

Yes. We offer wifi for our guests.

**Is the cafe wheelchair and handicap-friendly?**

Of course! The steps leading to the entrance can be removed, so the entrance can accommodate a portable ramp for anyone needing wheelchair assistance.

PARTNERSHIPS: CAT RESCUE ORGANIZATIONS

Cat welfare and rescue are very close to our heart. (The founder's cats Sigfrey & Sampson are adopted seniors!)

We strive to do our part in raising awareness about adoptions, resources, and trap/spay/neuter programs by holding special events with long-established and well-reputed L.A. County and Orange County cat rescue non-profit 501(c)(3) organizations.

For adoption events, we will always directly donate a percentage of the proceeds to our rescue partners, so they can continue doing great work on helping cats in need!

## CAT STATS ADOPTED : 95    SAVED : 130

We collaborate with two local shelters. A cat cafe is part cafe, part cat adoption center. Our purpose is to provide a temporary home for adoptable rescue cats.

Cats are well looked after, flea and worm free, spayed, up to date with injections and microchipped for safety. They are socialized by our cat staff from a feral kitten to a friendly cat.

Please note: You must be 21 or older to apply to adopt a cat. We also reserve the right to contact your landlord (if applicable) to ensure that you are allowed to adopt from us, as well as a veterinarian (if applicable) for records of any previously owned or currently owned pets.

To adopt a cat, you definitely should to meet them personally to learn their habits and temperament. Do not be shy to ask the administrator about a cat to learn the maximum amount of information about them. Discuss your decision with family members, objectively evaluate your ability to take care of the animal for the next 15-20 years.

When you are sure that you want to adopt a particular cat you must fill out the questionnaire. You can fill in the questionnaire in the cafe or request e-version.

After filling out the questionnaire a representative of the shelter will contact you and ask questions about the content of the pet.

We also reserve the right to refuse adoption to any applicant, in the best interest of our cats. Foster has the final say on all adoptions.

If the interview was successful, then we will agree with you about the date and time when the animal can be taken. You need to have your passport or ID and cat carrier. You must sign up an adoption contract.

We are always sad to see our kitties go but also very happy they have loving homes and we have an opportunity to help more kitties! We wish all cats and their owners long and happy years together.

ATTENTION: you can always return the animal to the cat-cafe if you have circumstances under which it’s no longer possible to keep it.