

Woodmen pledge matching funds for shelter's book sale

The Randolph County Animal Shelter's Book Sale is Saturday Oct. 10 and 17, at the old cotton warehouse on Main Street in Roanoke from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

"We are pleased to announce that the Randolph County Animal Shelter has been chosen as the recipient of The Woodmen Of America Matching Fund Project," said Evelyn Smith, fundraising chairwoman for the book sale.

"The Modern Woodmen of America is a fraternal financial service organization that will match up to \$2,500 to a deserving group. We are so appreciative of this decision made by Woodmen of America to help the shelter. All we have

to do is make sure we sell \$2,500 worth of books.

"Start collecting your books because we need them. They can be dropped at the shelter in Wedowee Tuesday through Saturday from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. or anytime at the warehouse in Roanoke. Just put them under the overhang on the front porch of the warehouse in case of rain. What a wonderful opportunity this is for all of us to support the shelter," she said.

Smith reminded people to come buy books that day and support the shelter, which is beginning its eighth year of operation. She said during that period of time they have adopted 3,074 animals.