



**The Kennelly 5k Run is named in memory of  
Sarah Lynn Kennelly**

A resident of Charlotte, Lynn died of metastatic breast cancer at age 50 on September 21, 2009. Lynn arranged for a substantial estate bequest which greatly helps fund the mission of the Humane Society of Charlotte. The Humane Society of Charlotte wanted to honor Lynn in a special way for her generosity and named the inaugural 5k run for Pet Palooza in her honor.

Lynn was a lifelong exercise enthusiast, and she ran, biked, walked, danced, practiced yoga and taught aerobics. Her high energy and generous spirit made her a friend to many. She is survived by her parents Eleanor and Jim Kennelly, her loyal pets Buca, Stretch and Botch, numerous aunts and cousins, and a host of loving friends.

Known for her quick wit, abundance of love and generous spirit, Lynn treasured her relationships with her family, friends and co-workers. Her passions included food, wine, travel, dancing, nature, sunsets and full moons. Lynn credited her friends when she said "because of my friends, I am who I am."