



Sand Creek Animal Hospital

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Special Edition *Saying Goodbye and Wishing Luck to Dr. Matthew McDaniel and Dr. Anne Marie Carmichael*



As most of you know, our beloved founders, Dr. McDaniel and Dr. Carmichael retired, as of January 1, 2026. The two of them went to vet school together, and opened up this practice as young graduates in 2002. At that time, the practice was on Sand Creek Road, and just ten short years later, they were able to fully design and open their very own building, at the location we all know and love today on Wolf Road!

There is quite a lot to say about Dr. Carmichael and Dr. McDaniel as bosses, as veterinarians, and as people. Anyone who has had the pleasure of calling either of them their veterinarian knows they are both incredible doctors, whose commitment to Fear Free medicine has truly made such a difference for the animals in their care.

When it comes down to it, what sets them apart as leaders in veterinary medicine is their commitment to fostering a safe and happy environment for not only their patients, but the people who work with them. Anyone who has been a part of our practice over the years would certainly agree that you could not ask for doctors who are more hospitable and empathetic. From the good times, like our annual pool parties at the McDaniel/Carmichael house and our holiday potluck lunch feasts, to the tougher times, these two have always been there for anything we could ever need or want! To say the least, this place will never be the same without the two of them.

Many of you, our clients, have shared stories, memories, and photos of special times you've had with our founders. We cannot thank you all enough for the outpouring of love and support from you all, and those sentiments will be shared with Dr. McDaniel and Dr. Carmichael! We would also love to share some of the photos we have gathered over the years.



Sand Creek Animal Hospital will be having an Open House on 3/7/26. Please keep an eye out for an email with further details. Dr. McDaniel and Dr. Carmichael will be in attendance, and it will be a fantastic opportunity to get to know some of the other associate veterinarians!

