Fast & furriest...

Page 2B of the Sunday, May 5 e-edition reviews the annual Furry Scurry held by the Denver Dumb Friends League. Proceeds from the event help care for homeless animals in the organization’s shelters and centers. Five thousand dogs and 12,000 people scurried around the 2-mile course Saturday.

What is your favorite pet? This is a pet you had, have or would like to have.

Write a description of your favorite pet and explain why it’s your favorite.

Before you put pen to paper, here are some suggestions:

- Plan and organize your writing. - Use lists to identify important details you want to include. Prioritize the items on your lists.
- Your answer might be kittens, puppies, tarantulas, snakes, lizards, birds or even a cow. Use your growing list of adjectives to describe the pet; use an adverb or two to explain how the critter has captured or could capture your heart.
- Use interesting adjectives and adverbs to make your description visible to your readers.
- Write a draft. Proofread and edit the draft. Check spelling, sentence structure, capitalization, punctuation and transitions.