



January 2012



February is Pet Dental Health Month!!

From February 1—March 2 we will offer 10% off of all Dental products and services including Dental cleanings! There will be prize giveaways and dental goodie bags!!

We would be happy to make up a dental estimate personalized for your pet. Call us today!

Product for Heartworm Treatment Unavailable

Ever since October 2011 Immiticide has been unavailable for purchase in the United States. To make matters worse, 6 dogs have tested positive for heartworms at NCPMC since November 19th, 2011. In the meantime, we are giving supportive care to heartworm positive dogs with a long-term treatment of Advantage Multi (Treatment time depends on the severity of the heartworm infection.) and doxycycline (an antibiotic to kill a parasite that lives in the heartworms).

This is just a reminder to all dog owners out there that heartworms can be contracted any time of the year in the Southeast (even if your dog is kept mostly indoors). Keep your dogs on heartworm prevention and have your dog tested annually for heartworms. Cats can get heartworms, too, so keep them on prevention year-round!

For more information on heartworms give us a call or visit www.heartwormsociety.org.

Half Price Baths ~ Thursday, January 26th!
We're doing it again! By appointment only and space is limited. Dogs must be current on Rabies, DA2PP and Bordetella; Cats must be current on Rabies and FVRCP. We can update vaccines the same day, though! Call us for more details!

HAPPY NEW YEAR from all of us at Nippers Corner!

Make a New Year's resolution to get your best buddy on the right track! Here are a few recommendations.... Have him examined at least once a year, maintain healthy teeth (dental cleanings as needed), stay on heartworm, flea and tick prevention, exercise with your pet and make sure he's eating a healthy diet.

Talk to us about specialized diets and toys we have to help get your pet reach his ideal weight!

A Cat's New Years Resolutions

I will not pounce on my human's chest in the middle of the night and stare into her eyes until she wakes up.

I will not stick my paw into any container to see if there is something in it. If I do, I will not hiss and scratch when my human has to shave me to get the rubber cement out of my fur.

I will not puff my entire body to twice its size for no reason after my human has finished watching a horror movie.

I will not swat my human's head repeatedly when she's on the family room floor trying to do sit-ups.

A Dog's New Years Resolutions

I must shake all rainwater off BEFORE entering the house.

The sofa is not a face towel. Neither are mom & dad's laps.

I will not roll on dead squirrels, skunks, mice, etc.

I will stop trying to find the few remaining clean pieces of carpet when I'm about to throw up.

To schedule an appointment, call (615) 833-PETS (7387).
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