Flanary Vet Clinic Newsletter 2025 - Issue 1

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We would like to start this new year by introducing our fantastic staff!



RACHEL grew up in Marshall County & is a licensed technician and our hospital manager. She helps keep us all straight, and on track throughout the day. She is a rockstar in emergency medicine and has experience at Nashville & Memphis emergency clinics. She rejoined our team in 2019, but has worked with Dr.Flanary since she was 12 years old!

MELISSA is next on our A+ team & wears many hats around here including office

manager! She has been with us for 16 YEARS and does a fantastic job of keeping us all running! She is such an important part of our team, and we look forward to many more years of working & laughing with her!



DENA is next and she plays a vital role in the care of our patients- she is our Lead Kennel Assistant and all-around helper! She grew up locally in Marshall County and is one of

our go-to cat whisperers and dog holders! From spa days to kennel care, she takes pride in the care & compassion shown to every pet that she works with. We are so grateful for all the help she provides to this team, and we are glad to say she is part of this group!

SAMANTHA is on our team of technicians & grew up in Livingston County. She is one of our licensed technicians on staff & joined us in 2019 from her previous clinic in Texas. We are glad to have her on the team with her top-shelf reaching skills, humor, and intelligence. You will find that she is one of the many horse enthusiasts here, and when the weather is right, you will find her on the trails.



KINSEY joined our team in 2021 and has been a rockstar since her first day. She is a hard worker, smart, and so helpful. From reception to becoming a veterinary assistant, she can do it all! She joined us from Vegas, and it's been a pleasure to have her on the team. With surgery quickly becoming her favorite part of veterinary medicine, she has a bright future ahead of her!





HANNAH T has been with us since 2018 but is officially off at college now! She is with us during her breaks as a kennel assistant and attending school to become a Veterinary Technician. She is a fun, caring, and bright young lady that is going to do great things! We are so excited to be part of her journey in the world of veterinary medicine and cannot wait to see where it takes her.

DACEY is one of our kennel assistants and joined us in the Fall of 2021. She has done so well learning about this field since her start! She is one of our younger ones on the team, and we are so proud of how hard she works, the effort she puts into everything she does, and her compassion!





ALI joined us in 2022 on our team of veterinary assistants. Since her start in the veterinary field in 2016, she has proven to be driven, compassionate, and caring to those in her care. She is a phenomenal cat- whisperer & aspires to become a veterinarian in the future. We know that she will accomplish her goal one day and will do great things.

AUTUMN joined us as a receptionist in 2022 and let me tell you she is one of the best. With her sweet demeanor, exceptional customer service skills, and multi-tasking abilities- she is truly a gem. She is a vital part of our amazing group, and we are so glad she moved from South Carolina to Kentucky!





LAKEN graduated from Caldwell County this year and is assisting us as an intern. She is currently a pre-vet student at MSU and has a bright future ahead of her! She is a quick learner & we are glad to help her work toward her goals!

Katie recently moved to Paducah with her family. She has a bachelor's degree in Art History, but has worked with pets professionally for over 15 years. Her favorite part about working at Flanary Vet is helping all the pets and their families. She loves being a part of the team, and looks forward to continuing to grow and learn. In her free time, she loves to garden and spend time with her husband and their three children.





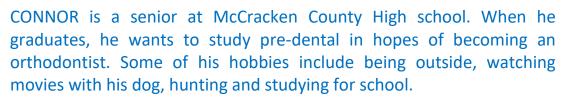
TIFFANI graduated from Murray State University in December 2023 with a BSA. In her free time, she likes to take her horse trail riding at Wranglers. She enjoys cooking and snuggling on the couch with her bloodhound.

AVA is currently a pre-vet student at MSU and has a bright future ahead of her. Since a young age she has always aspired to become a veterinarian. She loves helping animals in any way she can and learning from Dr. Flanary.





ZOEY has been a member of our team since graduating from college. She loves that every day at the clinic is unique and that she gets to learn new skills. She enjoys pampering each pet that comes in for a spa day. When not working at the clinic she loves spending time with friends, family and her own pets.







JESS is 32 years old. She has a passion for making a positive difference in the lives of others. She is a Language Arts teacher at RMS, a writer, a Christian, and LOVES animals. She has 1 fur kid: Cooper. She believes some of the greatest gifts God put on earth have paws. "Love changes everything, so fill the world with it."



Briana is a junior at Livingston Central High School. She is the schools FFA chapter secretary. When she graduates, she plans to go to Murray State to study volunteering at a rescue center. She loves being with family and spending time with her animals outdoors. pre vet medicine. She has known that she wanted to be a veterinarian since she was little but was absolutely certain after she spent a week in Costa Rica

Callie is a recent graduate from Murray State with a Bachelor of Science in agriculture as a pre-vet major. She has been with FVC since May 2024 and has loved learning from Dr. Flanary and the rest of the team. She is hoping to start vet school soon. She has two cats, Bucky and Steve.





Amber graduated from Graves County High school in 2012. She enjoys all things outdoors. In her spare time, she enjoys riding and showing horses, four-wheel riding, hunting, fishing, camping and can be seen at her kids' sports games cheering them on. She is a mom of 3 amazing children. She has 2 dogs, Harley & Axle and they love coming to work with mom. She grew up in Symsonia and spent her entire childhood wishing she could help animals and work with them daily.

TyAnn moved to Kentucky from northern Indiana. She is a wife, mom and Gigi to 4 grandsons. She loves to travel the country in her 5th wheel with her husband and their 3 fur babies as he works on the powerlines. Her favorite hobbies are crafting and working in the yard and LOVES Notre Dame football. She was looking to rejoin the workforce after 10 years of working at home and we are blessed to have her here at FVC.





Mallory is a senior at Marshall County High School. She is very active in her FFA Chapter. She plans to attend Murray State in the fall of 2025 to study agricultural education. Her favorite part of working at the vet clinic is spending time with the animals.





BRRR! It's cold outside! As this cold weather is rolling in we all feel it, but the cold air affects our pets suffering from arthritis even more! At Flanary Vet Clinic we offer multiple tools to diagnose pets with arthritis; then offer a wide array of treatments to fit the pet's needs and your pocketbook.

To diagnose arthritis, we will do a two-view x-ray of your pet. X-rays are used as the "window" to look inside the body. We can check for hip or elbow dysplasia, closed disc space, and degenerative changes in the spinal column. We can also see changes in the heart, lungs, liver, kidneys, and even bladder stones. Never underestimate the importance of these internal "pictures" as they provide lots of information.

Once diagnosed with arthritis the first step would be putting your pet on GCM or a Glucosamine Supplement. This natural daily dietary supplement



eases joint pain and improves joint function so your dog can have better mobility.

The second step would be Non-Steroidal Anti Inflammatories (NSAID). The NSAIDS we offer at FVC are Carprofen, Metacam, Deramaxx, and Galiprant. We also have a

one a month injection for arthritis in dogs called Librela. It is a nerve growth inhibitor and blocks arthritis pain but is not a NSAID that has negative effects long term on kidney and liver functions. If a pet has end-stage arthritic issues we can prescribe Gabapentin to manage pain. For our feline companions, Feline Cosequin is available as a glucosamine supplement. We are very excited to also have a once a month injection for our cats with arthritis called Solensia. It blocks pain with no side effects to the kidneys or liver. Kitties love laser therapy sessions for their arthritis as well!

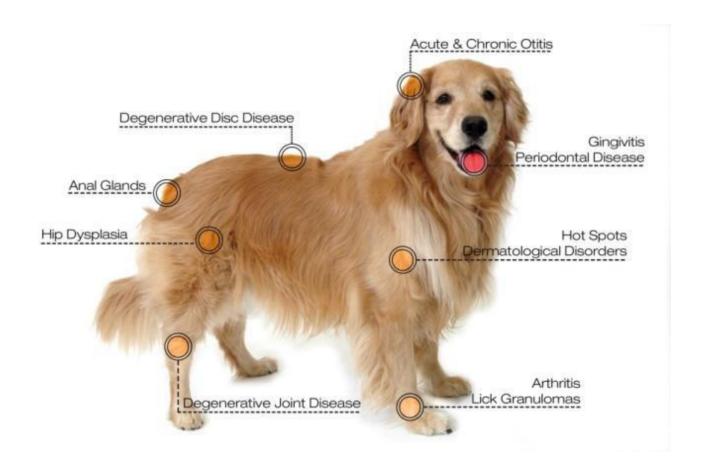


The third step would be getting the pet set up on a Laser Treatment Plan.

Flanary Vet Clinic is <u>EXCITED</u> to offer our clients painless Companion Laser Therapy. Laser therapy provides a non-invasive, pain-free, surgery-free, drug-free treatment that is used to treat a variety of conditions and can be performed with already existing treatment protocols. Relief and/or improvement is often noticed within hours depending on the condition and your pet's response. Whether your pet is rehabilitating from trauma

or injury, healing from wounds, or simply aging, your companion can benefit from this innovative approach to treating pain.





Applications for laser therapy include:

- Treatment of arthritis, degenerative joint disease, or hip dysplasia
- General pain management (sprains, strains, and stiffness)
- Post-surgery pain (spays, neuters, declaws, and other surgeries) and is now offered complimentary on all spay and neuter surgeries!
- Skin problems (hot spots, lick granulomas, and infections)
- Dental procedures
- Fractures and wounds (bites, abrasions, and lesions)
- Ear infections

Best of all, laser therapy is long-term pain relief with no side effects!

How does it work?

Laser therapy stimulates the body to heal from within. Non-thermal photons of light are administered to the body for about 3 to 8 minutes and absorbed by the injured cells. The cells are then stimulated and respond with a higher rate of metabolism. This results in relief from pain, increased circulation, reduced inflammation, and acceleration of the healing process.





What can my pet expect during a laser therapy treatment session?

Simply put, it provides relief! As the laser is administered, your pet will relax and enjoy the treatment. The almost immediate relief of pain will allow your pet to be comfortable and any anxiety that your pet initially experiences will dissipate. Often times cats will start to purr and many canine companions will fall asleep during their therapy session.

What can my pet expect after a laser therapy treatment session?

Frequently, after therapy, we hear from clients: "He's acting like a puppy again" or "She can actually jump onto the chair again." Pain relief is provided in just a few minutes of therapy and that alone improves the quality of life for your companion.

For more info, please visit the website at: www.litecure.com/laserliaison

Before & After Laser Pictures

*Multiple treatments necessary to see long-term results- These are actual pictures of a FVC Client & their results!









SPECIAL OFFER FOR OUR SENIOR

PETS!

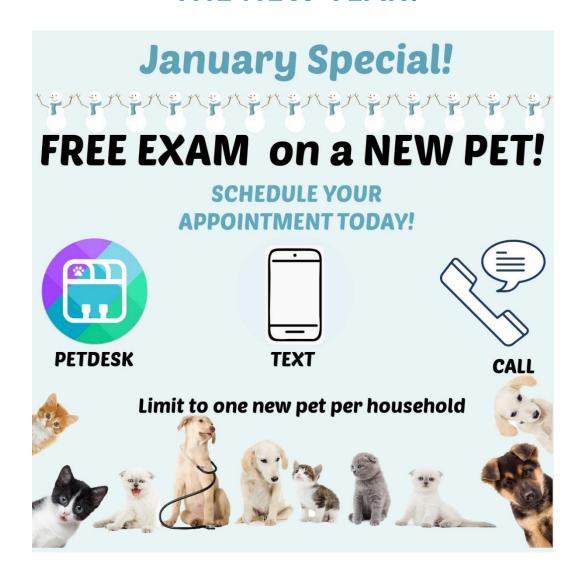


JANUARY
LASER SPECIAL

Package of 6 *single-site* arthritis laser therapy treatments \$125!!!

JANUARY SPECIAL-

START YOUR PET OFF ON THE RIGHT PAW FOR THE NEW YEAR!



*Applicable only to NEWLY ADOPTED PETS OR NEW PUPPY/KITTENS.

*Must provide proof of recent adoption or purchase to be eligible.

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From the FVC Spa

Start your pups off right in the new year by smelling fresh! Flanary Vet Clinic is offering winter wonderland spa days in the upcoming weeks. Spa days include a nail trim and bubble bath.

Spa Day Price List:

1-25 lbs -\$35

26-50 lbs -\$45

51-75lbs-\$55

76lbs- 100lbs- \$65

101+ lbs- \$75



Upcoming Spa Days:

Every Tuesday- Friday in the month of January!

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From the Boarding Suite



Planning a trip? Don't forget your pets' boarding reservations. At Flanary Vet Clinic we take pride in caring for your pet as if they were our own. You can be confident that they are receiving the care they deserve, and you demand! Flanary Vet Clinic proudly offers cute cat condos, spacious dog runs, 2 outdoor play areas, and as always, caring staff to make sure your pet is happy & healthy! NOW

INCLUDED WITH EVERY STAY is 1 round of play or snuggle time per day, and 1 complimentary picture texted to you of your pet during their stay with us. We also offer additional Treat Time & Play Time sessions. You can also receive a 20% discount on their bath during any stay! Call now to book your reservation!

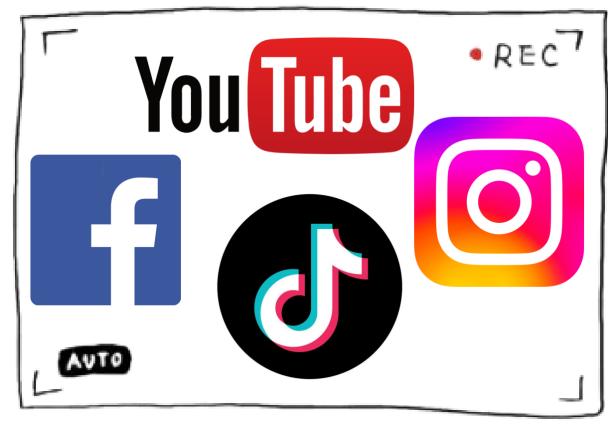
GET THE MOST OUT OF YOUR PETS' STAY!

Did you know that you can add on procedures to your pet's stay such as a dental cleaning or laser treatment? Ask about these services when calling for a reservation!

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DON'T MISS OUT- FOLLOW US!





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2025 is the year to get caught up! Did you get behind in 2024 on your pets'

essential vaccinations? Take

advantage of our BASIC VACCINES SPECIAL for just \$45!

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24/7 WE ARE HERE FOR YOU!

COMMON PET EMERGENCIES brought to you by **DVM**multimedia™ www.DVMmultimedia.com MOBILITY TRAUMA Chemicals, Foods, Allergic Reactions Seizures, Severe Limp Bites, Bleeding, Impacts Unconsciousness Heat Stroke, Heat Stress Choking, Severe Vomiting Eye Injury, Inability to Refusal to Drink/Eat Pass Waste, Blood in Waste You should always seek veterinary help if you suspect a pet emergency. Make sure you have your veterinarian and closest emergency service's contact information easily accessible.

Just call the clinic 270-898-9738

We take pride that...

Did you know there is always a veterinarian on call for our clients?

After- Hours doesn't mean your pet can't or won't receive help in emergency situations. Several vet clinics refer all their emergencies to Nashville or Clarksville, but we see them locally for the best care of your pet.

Remember to call 270-898-9738, and you will be put in touch with the local on call veterinarian to assist you with your pet.



DID YOU KNOW... that we are one of the few- if not the only- clinic in the Western Kentucky Area that offers both Endoscopy & Ultrasonography? Dr. Kayla Ferrell DVM has brought the skills & knowledge to utilize both instruments for the betterment of her patients to FVC. With the advantage of having both instruments in-house we can provide better diagnostics for our patients and provide our clients with answers to problems & questions in regard to their pets' health. Dr. Ferrell is a key example of what can be accomplished when you take education & training from one of the

best veterinary schools in the country and apply it. We are so glad that she has returned home to us here at Flanary Veterinary Clinic & has made the commitment to help the residents of her hometown & their pets!

In closing,

I have had several senior pets in my life time and I can tell you that once they hit a certain age then arthritis is bound to play a role in how they feel just like it does in humans. And the cold with winter, makes it worse. Our pets can not tell us they are hurting and sometimes as owners we do not recognize the subtle changes in our pets due to arthritis pain because we are with them every day. Be proactive and

have your senior pet evaluated with radiographs to see how bad the arthritis is and have your pet's veterinarian decide what is the best treatment protocol to help prevent or treat arthritis. I have used the Arthritis Monthly Injections on my senior pets in the last few years and have seen amazing results and no side effects at all!!

We are very excited about 2025 & this wonderful team! Keep up with us on our social media pages & our monthly newsletters for the

latest information and specials. We will continue to help your pets and keep them healthy with our curbside, in-clinic, and drop off appointment options. And guess What? March 2025 will bring two huge upgrades to our ability to care for your pets. First, Bailynn Peeler will be joining our staff as the next veterinarian. We are so proud of Bailynn and her accomplishments and glad to have her here! Secondly, "Sunshine Purrs & Wags" our new pet kennel and daycare facility will be open and we are thrilled to provide a new experience for your pets! Here is to a



prosperous 2025!



LaNita S. Flanary, DVM















