

# Flanary Vet Clinic Newsletter

2026 – Issue 6



## GUESS WHAT?

We have a Secret and we are excited to finally be able to share it with all of you! Starting July 27, 2026.....

Meet our new doctor —  
Dr. Nick Prather, DVM

Please join us in welcoming Dr. Prather to the team!

Nick is a Northern Kentucky native and a University of Kentucky alumnus (BS, Animal Sciences). He earned his Doctorate of Veterinary Medicine degree from Auburn University in 2024. He loves caring for all species — large, small, exotics, and wildlife — and enjoys treating goats, cattle, horses, birds, bearded dragons, and especially dogs and cats.

Outside the clinic you will find him on the golf course or the water fishing, cheering for UK and Auburn, and spending time with his wife, Kelsie, and their dog, Theo. Nick is also an active member of St. Francis De Sales Catholic Church.

Dr. Prather is a go-getter who enjoys unusual and challenging cases. He is a self-described “pharmaceutical nerd” when it comes to finding the best medical options for every patient. We are excited to add his modern internal-medicine skills and wide-ranging interests to our practice — all to give your pets the absolute best care. On a personal note, Nick is easy to talk to and is passionate about every case he sees.

Drop by to say hello or call to schedule an appointment with Dr. Prather beginning July 27, 2026. You will not be disappointed!!



## Let's Talk About Cats!



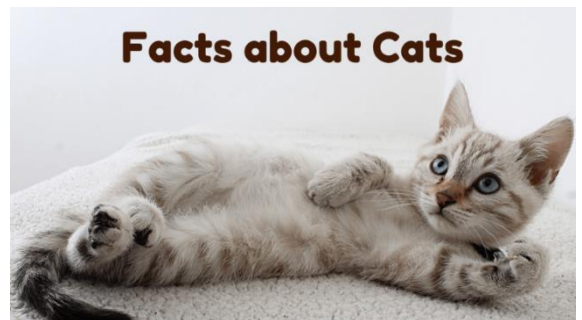
Everyone has heard the comment...

**Cats own us; we do not own them.**

This, my friends, is very true. Cats are not dogs. They rarely beg for our attention, commonly amuse themselves, have a mind of their own and don't like to be told what to do. They have a unique way of intriguing us and making us "their" humans. So, the month of June is devoted to them!

### Interesting Feline Facts

- Cats do not have sweat glands.
- Cats can rotate their ears 180°
- The oldest cat to live on record was 38 years and 3 days.
- A cat can jump as much as seven times its height.
- Cats cannot taste sweetness.
- The heaviest domesticated cat on record weighed 46.8 lbs
- A pack of adult cats is called a clowder.
- An adult cat can run about 12 miles per hour and can sprint at nearly thirty miles per hour.
- A cat's tongue is rough because it's lined with papillae—tiny elevated backwards hooks that help to hold prey in place.
- The nose pad of each cat has ridges in a unique pattern not unlike a person's fingerprints.
- Cats' bodies are extremely flexible; the cat skeleton contains more than 230 bones.
- There are 30-40 MILLION community cats in the US as of 2020.
- The average lifespan of an indoor cat is 15 years, while the average lifespan of an outdoor cat is 6 years.



Did you know....

# Your companion will live a longer, healthier life if the following health needs are performed.

## Vaccinations:

In adult cats it is recommended to vaccinate them once yearly for Rabies, Leukemia, Distemper, and other upper respiratory diseases.

There are several life-threatening diseases and conditions that can be prevented with proper vaccinations.

## Yearly Veterinarian Examination

Help detect various health issues Such as:

Dental Disease, Skin Allergies, Heart Disease, Cancer and more

## Proper Nutrition

Prevent Hairballs, Deficiencies, Obesity, & Maximize Health

## Intestinal Deworming

2-4 times per year depending on your cats hunting habits. Small rodents often carry worms that pass to your cat.

## Parasite Prevention

Consistent application of a veterinarian approved product to protect your cat from contracting life-threatening diseases or conditions from parasites such as Fleas, Ticks, Heartworms, and other parasites.

## Bloodwork

Evaluates Kidney, Liver, Gallbladder Function, and monitors for Diabetes to help keep your pet healthy overall

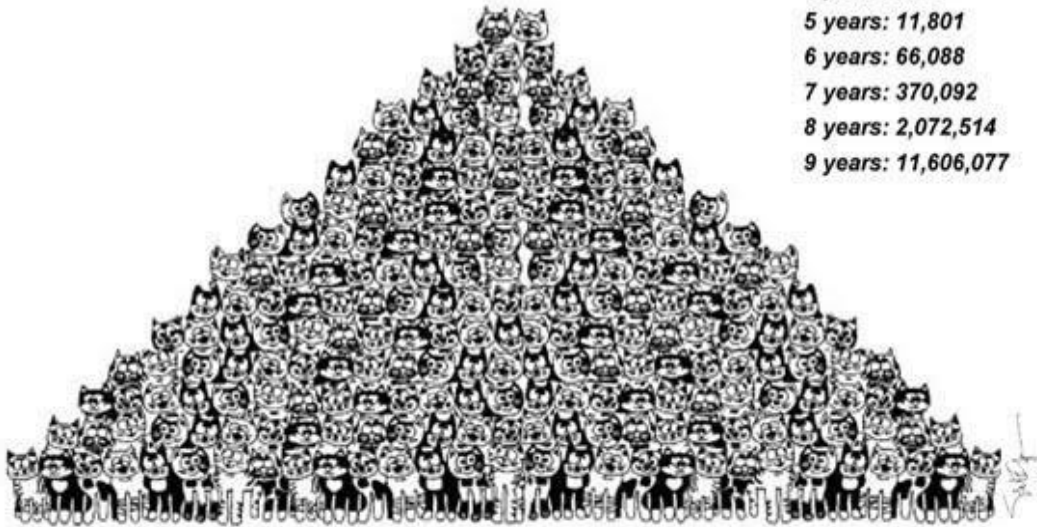
## Spaying & neutering reduces or eliminates:

- The odds of breast cancer and dangerous uterine infections in females and prostate problems and testicular cancer in males.
- Frustration in resisting the natural urge to mate. Your companion will be less distracted, more easily trained and a more content member of your family.
- The animal's need to roam in search of a mate decreases the chances that your pet will become lost, get into fights with other animals or hit by a car.
- No messy heat cycles in females that attract unwanted males.



An unspayed female cat, her mate and all of their offspring, producing 2 litters per year, with 2.8 surviving kittens per litter can total:

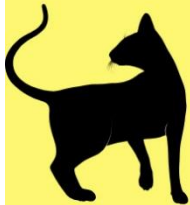
1 year: 12  
2 years: 67  
3 years: 376  
4 years: 2,107  
5 years: 11,801  
6 years: 66,088  
7 years: 370,092  
8 years: 2,072,514  
9 years: 11,606,077



## June Cat Specials!



Basic Feline Spay  
Procedure: \$142



Basic Feline Neuter  
Procedure: \$72

## Feline Vaccine Special!

Exam

FVRCP Vaccine (Feline Distemper)

Leukemia

Rabies Vaccine

Deworming

**\$100**



# Flea, Tick, & Heartworm Prevention for Dogs



**Bravecto: Fleas and Ticks**  
**Lasts 1 month or 3 months**  
 (Rebates not applicable on 1 month option)

**Buy 2 boxes get \$20 off instantly**  
**Buy 4 boxes get \$45 off instantly**



**Credelio Quattro: Fleas, Ticks, Heartworms, Roundworms, Tapeworms, Hookworms,**  
**Lasts 1 month**

**Buy 6 months get \$25 off instantly**  
**Buy 12 months get \$65 off instantly**



**Interceptor Plus:**  
**Heartworms, Roundworms, Hookworms, Whipworms, & Tapeworms**  
**Lasts 1 month**

**Buy 6 months get \$6 off instantly**  
**Buy 12 months get \$12 off instantly**



**ProHeart Injection: Heartworm Prevention**  
**Lasts 6 or 12 months**

**Buy 6 month injection get \$5 Online Rebate**  
**Buy 12 month injection get \$15 Online Rebate**



**Bravecto Quantum Injection:**  
**Injection for fleas and ticks**  
**Lasts 12 months**



# Flea, Tick, Heartworm, & Intestinal Worm Prevention for Cats



## Bravecto Topical for Cats

**Lasts 3 months  
(Fleas & Ticks ONLY)**

**Buy 2 boxes get \$20  
instant rebate**

**Buy 4 boxes get \$45  
instant rebate**

## Nexgard Combo for Cats (Fleas, Ticks, Heartworms, & all Intestinal Worms)

**Lasts 1 month**

**Buy 6 months get  
\$20 mail in rebate**

**Buy 12 months get  
\$50 instant rebate**



## Product Spotlight for Cats

**Solensia™** - A new arthritis management option for our feline friends! It is the first and only once-monthly, FDA-approved treatment to control osteoarthritis (OA) pain in cats.

Meet my 19-year-old barn kitty Mickey Mouser. He had been having severe issues with arthritis, until I tried this new arthritis injection, which helped him move much better around the cow lot!



A hand holding a box of NexGard COMBO for cats. The box is white and green, featuring a picture of a cat and the text "NexGard COMBO (esafloxolaner, eprinomectin, and praziquantel topical solution)". To the right of the box, there is a large text overlay: "THE FIRST AND ONLY FELINE BROAD-SPECTRUM PARASITE PROTECTION THAT KILLS TAPEWORMS". Below this text are six circular icons representing different parasites: Fleas, Ticks, Heartworm Disease, Roundworms, Hookworms, and Tapeworms.

- It's the only feline parasiticide with broad-spectrum protection that includes tapeworm protection.
- Easy-to-apply topical solution provides a month of protection.
- Safe for use in kittens as young as 8 weeks, weighing 1.8lbs or more
- Tapeworms come from eating fleas or small rodents like mice
- Protects against fleas, ticks, heartworms, roundworms, hookworms, & tapeworms.



**SAVE TIME  
WITH FREE  
DELIVERY**



We are excited to introduce a new program we will be utilizing by Hills- the brand that has 95 years of history & research behind their products.

The Hill's to Home program will now deliver top quality food to your door!

Call us at 270-898-9738 for details on how to get 35% off your first order.

# COOKIE SHEET

PEANUT BUTTER  
CUPS \$1.75



TEENIE BONES  
\$1.25



ICE CREAM  
CONE \$1.25



TRUFFLES  
\$1.25



DRAGONFLY \$2.50



SUN BONE \$3.00



SUNDAE \$1.50



CAMP BONE \$5.50

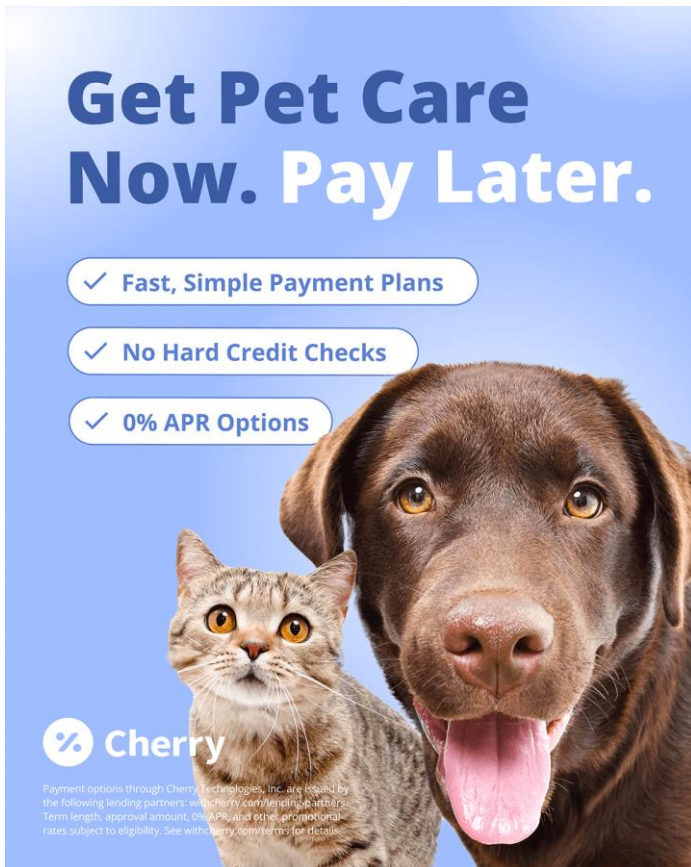


CELEBRATION BONE \$4.00



# \*\*How Can We Help Make Vet Care Affordable??？\*\*

## CHERRY:



**Get Pet Care Now. Pay Later.**

- ✓ Fast, Simple Payment Plans
- ✓ No Hard Credit Checks
- ✓ 0% APR Options

**Cherry**

Payment options through Cherry Technologies, Inc. are issued by the following lending partners: withcherry.com/lending-partners. Term length, approval amount, 0% APR, and other promotional rates subject to eligibility. See withcherry.com/terms for details.

Your pets give you unconditional love; now you can return the favor with the care they deserve. Don't let finances stand in the way of your pet's health. With our monthly payment plans, quality veterinary care is within reach.

**Comprehensive Care for Your Canine Companion!**  
With our new monthly finance plan, your furry friend can receive complete yearly care, including:

- **Annual Exam**
- **Vaccinations**
- **Lab Work**
- **Heartworm Injection (lasting a full year)**
- **Flea and Tick Control Injection (lasting a full year)**

All of this can be yours for just \$50-60 a month! Don't wait! Secure your pet's health and happiness today. 92% of all applicants are approved. Applying literally takes less than 5 minutes.



**Cherry PAYMENT PLANS**

### PAY OVER TIME

- TRUE 0% APR OPTIONS
- APPLY IN SECONDS
- NO HIDDEN FEES

**EASY TO SCAN AND APPLY**



**NEAR PERFECT CUSTOMER SATISFACTION**

**APPLYING DOES NOT AFFECT YOUR CREDIT SCORE**

Questions? Visit [withcherry.com/clients](https://withcherry.com/clients)

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# Financed Wellness Plans



Complete Yearly, 12 Months Proheart Injection, & 12 month Bravecto Quantum Injection

0-22lbs	\$536.36	6m plan \$76.62/month	9m plan \$53.64/month
22-44lbs	\$594.66	6m plan \$84.95/month	9m plan \$59.47/month
44-66lbs	\$652.96	6m plan \$93.28/month	9m plan \$65.30/month
66-88lbs	\$668.86	6m plan \$95.55/month	9m plan \$66.89/month
88+ lbs	\$684.76	6m plan \$97.82/month	9m plan \$68.48/month

Premium Yearly, 12 Months Proheart Injection, & 12 month Bravecto Quantum Injection

0-22lbs	\$567.10	6m plan \$81.01/month	9m plan \$56.71/month
22-44lbs	\$625.40	6m plan \$89.34/month	9m plan \$62.54/month
44-66lbs	\$683.70	6m plan \$97.67/month	9m plan \$68.37/month
66-88lbs	\$699.60	6m plan \$99.94/month	9m plan \$69.96/month
88+lbs	\$715.30	6m plan \$102.19/month	9m plan \$71.53/month

## CARE CREDIT:



CareCredit is a credit card that offers interest free options for purchases at many businesses such as veterinarian clinics. It can also be used at businesses such as dental, vision care, cosmetic surgery, and chiropractic offices. Just to name a few.

### Care Credit Specials

**Any purchase of \$200-\$300 is interest free for 6 months. Any purchase over \$300 is interest free for 12-18 months.**

To apply for CareCredit:

- Go to [www.carecredit.com](http://www.carecredit.com) and fill out the application.

Call (800) 365-8295 and follow prompts.

You will get an immediate response to your application.

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[www.flanaryvet.com](http://www.flanaryvet.com)

[www.sunshinepurrsandwags.com](http://www.sunshinepurrsandwags.com)

# What's Going On at Sunshine Purrs & Wags?

It's hot outside and  
your pet needs a Spa  
Day!



Sunshine Purrs & Wags  
Spa Day!

The Fur Fresh and Fluff \$15  
The Classic Shampoo  
0-30lbs: \$25 31-60lbs: \$35  
61-90lbs: \$45 91+lbs: \$55

The Spaw-Tacular Special  
0-30lbs: \$35 31-60lbs: \$45  
61-90lbs: \$55 91+lbs: \$65

BowWow Blowout \$35

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SUNSHINE PURRS & WAGS

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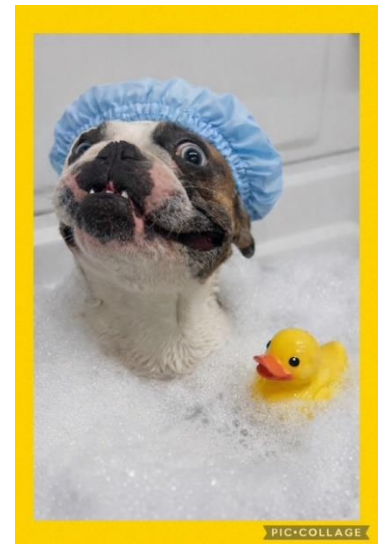
## Spa Services Menu –



**The Fur Fresh and Fluff** – After a day of playing who couldn't use a quick brushing and an aromatic spritzing of their fur coat to go home smelling and feeling fur fabulous?

**The Classic Shampoo** – This option provides a quick brushing, soothing bath in our moisturizing shampoo a towel drying and aromatic spritz.

**The Spaw-Tacular Special** – This includes a quick brushing, soothing bath in moisturizing shampoo, peticure, light blow dry, bandana, and aromatic spritz.



June Pawty – Who doesn't want to go to a party?



June 19, 2026 all are invited to the “Camp BOW WOW Pawty”. Drop your furry campers off for a day of unleashed adventures and tail wagging fun. Woofastic memories await as your pet joins the friendly pack for a howling good time. All campers will receive a smore treat, a camp picture, playtime, bacon bubbles, & turkey hotdogs!

Don't Forget to get this months craft. It is only \$10!

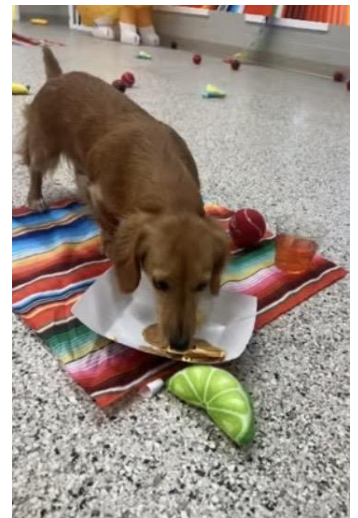




The May “Cinco de Meowy & Fido Fiesta” Pawty was definitely a “Fiesta Fur All” that attended. There was a Pawsome Pinata filled with



treats. Chicken flavored dog chips and cheese were served along with strawberry Dogritas. And as always lots of playtime with fur friends as they dressed in their sombreros and poncho’s.



Let the Summer Fun Begin at Sunshine Purrs & Wags

# At Sunshine Purrs & Wags it's Travel Time!



**Big City Kitty Condos..... \$25/day**  
**Itty Bitty Estates..... \$35/day**  
**Adventure Suites..... \$45/day**  
**B&B's..... \$25/day**  
**Add on a Pampered, Lavish,  
LUXURY package or even a spa day  
your special pet!**  
**270-228-9247**



**SUNSHINE PURRS & WAGS**  
A PAWSITIVELY BRIGHT STAY WHILE YOU'RE AWAY

LET YOUR PET VACATION IN  
COMFORT WITH US!

**-Adventure Suites-** make a reservation in one of our 4 adventure suites and you'll have a happy hound! Our premium Adventure Suites are beautifully tiled for homey comfort and easy cleaning and feature unbreakable glass doors that offer your dog a view of the activities outside their room. These suites can accommodate a fur family! Each suite boasts unique and whimsical décor that brings the energy of a dream vacation retreat to your pup. Cushy beds and a downy soft snuggle blanket create the ultimate comfort for lounging and sleeping. Nightly relaxation music, ambient lighting, and aromatherapy help your pooch unwind, promising calm and tranquil evenings.



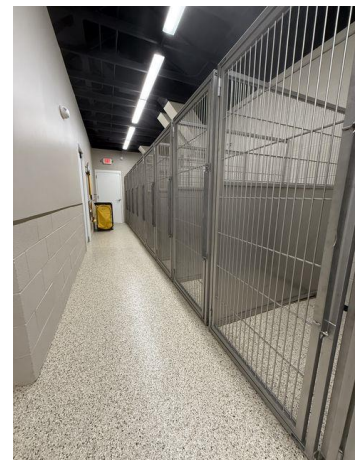
**-Itty Bitty Estates-** reserve a royal retreat for your pint-sized pooch where they'll be waited on paw and foot. At Sunshine Purrs and Wags, the safety and comfort of your pets is our first priority. That's why we created Itty Bitty Estates to house our tiny tail wagers in a lavish complex designed especially for them. Tucked securely away from the roughhousing of much bigger dogs, this peaceful, private room offers a haven of protection and tranquility without cages. The spacious chambers are furnished with comfy bedding, and your pup will enjoy the ultimate restful night's sleep. Bowls are provided for dining, and daily housekeeping is included for all our guests.



**-Big City Kitty Condos** reserve the purr-fect getaway for your finicky feline. Designed with their exact standards in mind, these 4-level condos offer all the luxury, style, and functionality that your cat's aristocratic sensibility craves. Each of our condo's features: basement floor Paw-ty area, second story luxury dining, a cozy third floor bedroom for catnaps, and a rooftop lounge for leisurely loafing.



• **B & B's** provide boarding on a budget. Check your furry friend into one of our "B&B's" for a comfortable and affordable stay with the same great care that Sunshine Purrs and Wags provides every valued guest. Our economy lodging consists of 34 smooth-edged, chew proof, stainless steel kennels of varying dimensions to perfectly accommodate your pet as well as 6'x3' stainless steel runs, fitted with privacy panels to ensure safety and security.



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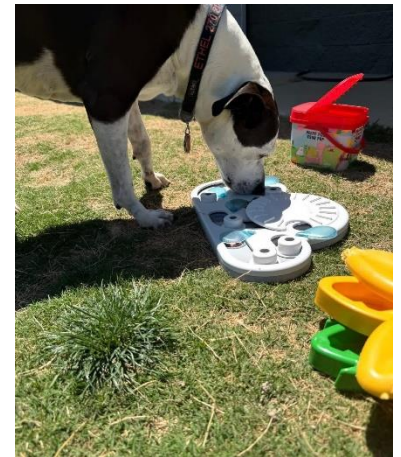
While boarding your pet can experience one of our packages...

1) "The Pampered," This package consists of room service with 3 Gourmet Treats ... \$5/day. You can also buy their favorite treats that they pick out from our **Biscuit Bar** or all the other specialties we have like Pupcream, Pup-Pop, Muttmellows, Dogstoppers, Pup Happy Meals, Kitty Churu or Surf & Turf Treats.





2) "The Lavish" This package consists of the "pampered package" + Outdoor Courtyard/Indoor Pup Plaza/Feline Fitness Center or Cuddle time... \$10/day. We have 13 play areas outside and you can customize your pet with private potty time or group play for their size! If your pet is a cuddler they may even choose to be rocked in our rocking chair in the Itty-Bitty Estates room. Cats have their private fitness center with a climbing gym.



3) "The Luxury" This package consists of the "Pampered" and the "Lavish" package + a "Tail Wagging Good Time activity... \$15/day Every weekday at Sunshine Purrs & Wags, we have a different activity to stimulate your pet's minds, senses and provide physical exercise to enliven all their senses, prevent boredom and bring them pure joy!!! These may include Pupcorn & Flicks (a relaxing movie night with pupcorn), Wiggle Waggle Walk (pups walk a path & sniff out treats inside or through the courtyard), Bubble – Pop Party (We bring out the bubble guns & encourage pups to jump & chase the bubbles), Ball Pit Blitz (We fill our ball pit with hidden treats or toys & let the pups loose to find them).



# Doggie DayCare

Spread the word to all your friends- First Day your pet tries Doggie DayCare it's free! It's life changing for your pet because they will love it & love you more for bringing them.

## Sunshine Purrs & Wags



## Daycare \$18/day



### DOG DAYS OF SUMMER START HERE!



### KICK OFF SUMMER FUN,

### LET YOUR PET STAY COOL AT DAYCARE!



SUNSHINE PURRS & WAGS

## 270-228-9247



Does leaving your dog home alone for the majority of the day make them anxious, depressed, or lonely? Does this lead to destructive behavior or poor health due to inactivity? Sunshine Purrs and Wags has the answer! Our Doggy Daycare is the perfect way to fill your dog's days with

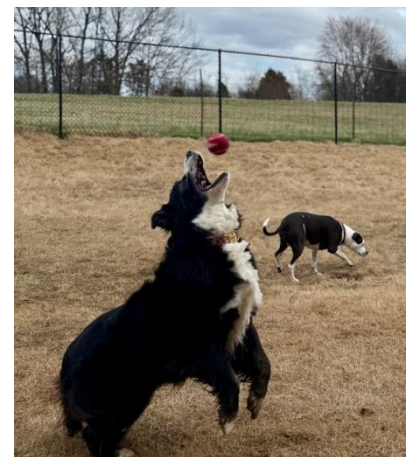


the ideal balance of socialization, physical exercise, and enrichment activities in a safe and loving environment. With knowledgeable, caring staff who work closely with Flanary Vet Clinic, your pup will be carefully supervised as they make new friends, romp and play in our spacious Pup Plaza Indoor Playroom and explore our expansive Outdoor Canine Courtyard. And if that's not enough..... here is what makes Sunshine Purrs and Wags Daycare definitely a bright stay different from other doggy daycares!!!



Each day our furry guests will participate in Sunshine Purrs and Wags unique "Tail Wagging Good Time Activity" to stimulate their minds, enliven their senses, and stave off boredom. This activity changes daily throughout the year to

always create excitement. We want to provide your dog with the best environment for a happy, healthy daycare which encourages curiosity and friendly interaction with pets and/or people while incorporating a blend of rest, play, mental stimulation and lots of love.



At Sunshine Purrs and Wags, we believe EVERY dog deserves to live his best life EVERY day!!!

## Typical Daily Daycare Schedule

- Check-in- Upon arrival, pets are greeted and pawrents are asked about any concerns. Check out Snack Time menu for the day as a yummy add on.
- Brunch Snack- If chose Snack Time. This is only \$5/day
- Potty and Play- Potty break combined with some fun.
- Lunch Snack- If chose Snack Time.
- Nap and Cuddle Time- Time to rest up or enjoy some love.
- Potty and Play- Another potty break with some fun.
- "Tail Wagging Good Time Activity"- A mental stimulating and fun activity for your pet that changes daily to prevent boredom.



- Afternoon Snack- If chose Snack Time.
- Potty and Play- Last potty break combined with some fun.
- Check out- Pawrents arrive to take their baby's home.



# A word from Dr. Flanary.....

- Summer is here and that means mosquitoes are too! One bite from a mosquito can result in your pet getting heartworms – a death sentence for your pet if left untreated! I get very upset when I diagnose pets with heartworms because it is so easy to prevent!
  1. Interceptor Plus Chewable: \$9-\$14 a month to prevent heartworms and all intestinal worms (good idea since summer is the common time our pets get intestinal worms)
  2. Proheart Injection: last 6 or 12 months to prevent heartworms and you don't have to remember monthly.
- The addition to the clinic in moving along quickly and we hope to have it up and going by August to better serve you and your pets. We are so excited to be able to provide state of the art care in our new surgical suite and post-operative recovery room. We also feel the need for the state of the heart care with the new home-inspired euthanasia room.
- Everyone is feeling the effects of the higher gas prices, but we do not want your pet's health to be impacted by the increased costs. That is why we are offering Cherry and Care Credit financial plans so you can afford what your pet needs now and pay off over time.
- We are hiring at Sunshine Purrs & Wags for a kennel technician and at Flanary Veterinary Clinic for a receptionist so if you know anyone interested, please spread the word and apply at [info@flanaryvet.com](mailto:info@flanaryvet.com).
- We take pride in putting your pet's health as our priority every day and night. Therefore, we provide emergency/same day sick appointments for your pets daily. We also provide care for your pets after hours if an emergency arises. Just call our clinic at 270-898-9738 to get you in touch with the Veterinarian on call.

- And last but not least we are so excited that we are growing by not only adding a new veterinarian to our staff but also by new medical procedures and treatments to better serve your pets starting August 2026.

LaNita S. Flanary D.V.M



