

ACTIVITIES BOOK

***Presented By friends and family
of Maximus Matos.***



***Get your camera and pencil ready for fun and learning
with Maximus Matos' friends!***

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Welcome to our activities book!



Have you ever wondered what your cat is thinking as it stares at you? What book would you read to your dog if you know it could understand? How would you take a picture of your cat if it was hiding under your blankets? These are just a small sample of the questions that are asked in this fun and interactive book.

Along the way you will meet such animals as: Evie, the sweet black dog that was rescued from a shelter by another rescue; Ben, the scared cat that was saved from living on the streets; Pasha, the feisty Husky that was rescued from a pet store; Oliver, the playful kitten that was saved from a cold winter night...and many more family and friends of Maximus Matos.

This book is perfect for animal friendly families, children of all ages, art teachers, humane educators, shelters, rescues and anyone who is creative and loves animals. So, get your camera, pencil and imagination ready to see the world in a whole new way while having fun and being creative!



**My name is Pita and I was abandoned on a city street when I was a kitten.
I am older now and love to curl up to sleep in my safe home. I am Max's feline sister.**



Do you have a cat that likes to curl up when it sleeps?

Put your picture here!



My name is Evie and I was saved from a shelter. I am a very sweet girl and love to play with other dogs. I am Max's canine sister.



Does your dog like to take car rides?

Put your picture here!

Mmmm...



What!



Okay,
I'll stop.



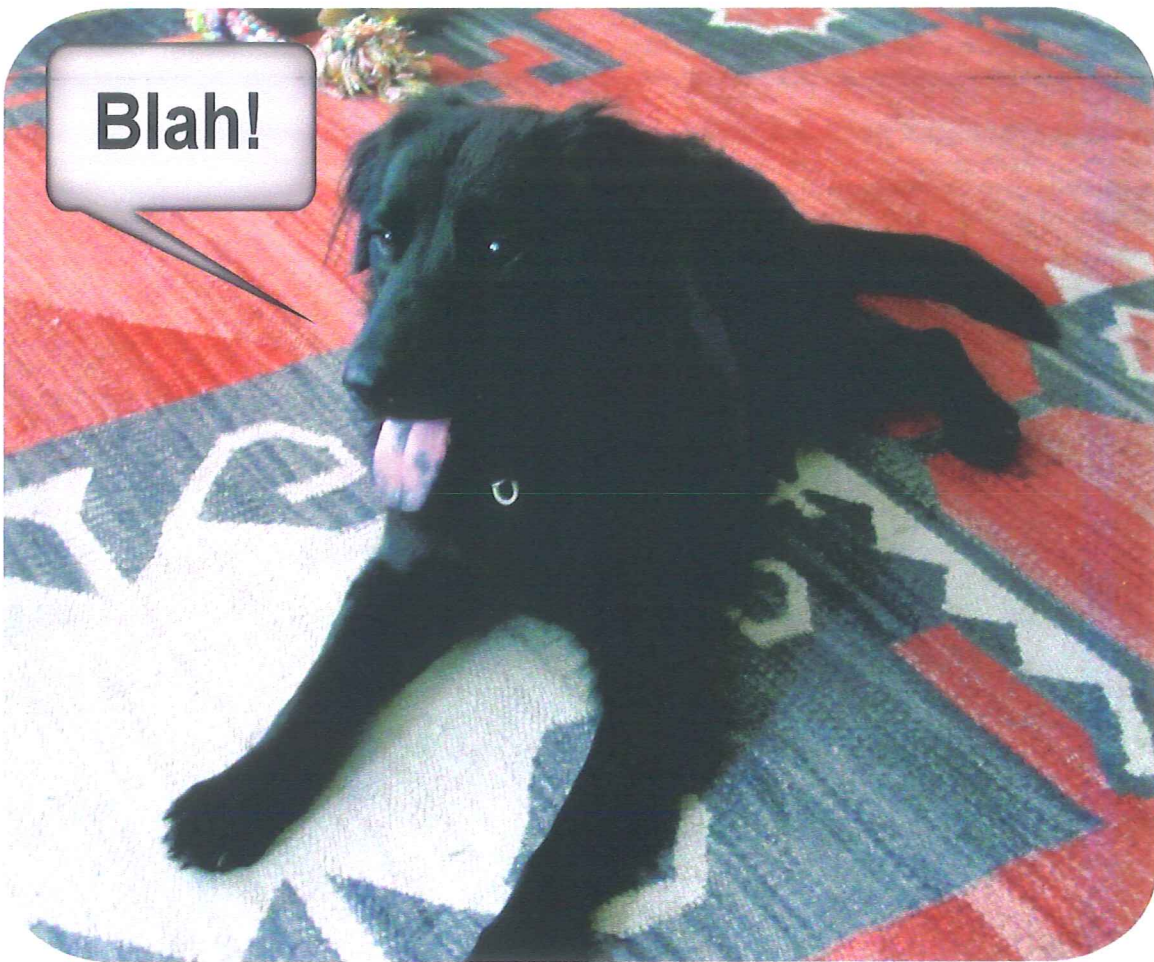


My name is Oliver and I was saved from a cold winter night.
I found a nice home and now enjoy sleeping in a warm bed with my toys.



Does your cat have a favorite toy?

Put your picture here!



Does your dog ever make silly faces?



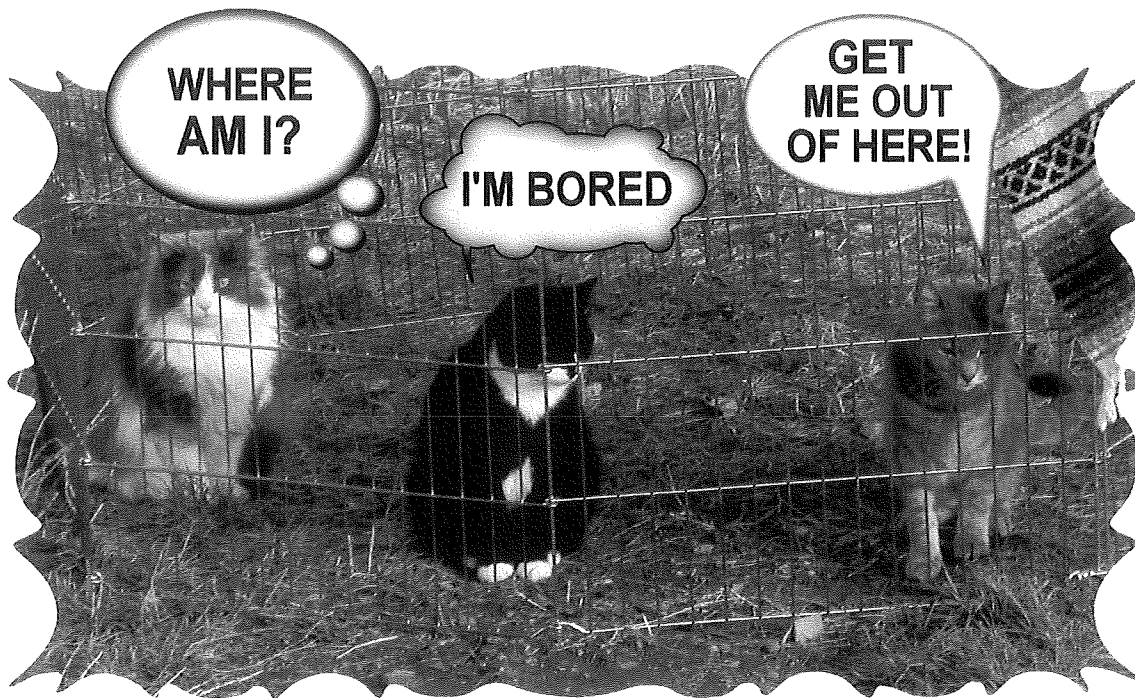
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Does your dog like to sleep surrounded by their toys?



Put your picture here!



We are Max's three feline siblings.
We love each other, but also fight like brothers and sisters too!



Do you have cats that are from the same family?

Put your picture here!



**My name is Toby and I was rescued from under a car as a kitten.
I am shy, but love to eat and be petted, and life is good now. I am one of Max's feline siblings.**



Do you have a cat that likes to hide under blankets?

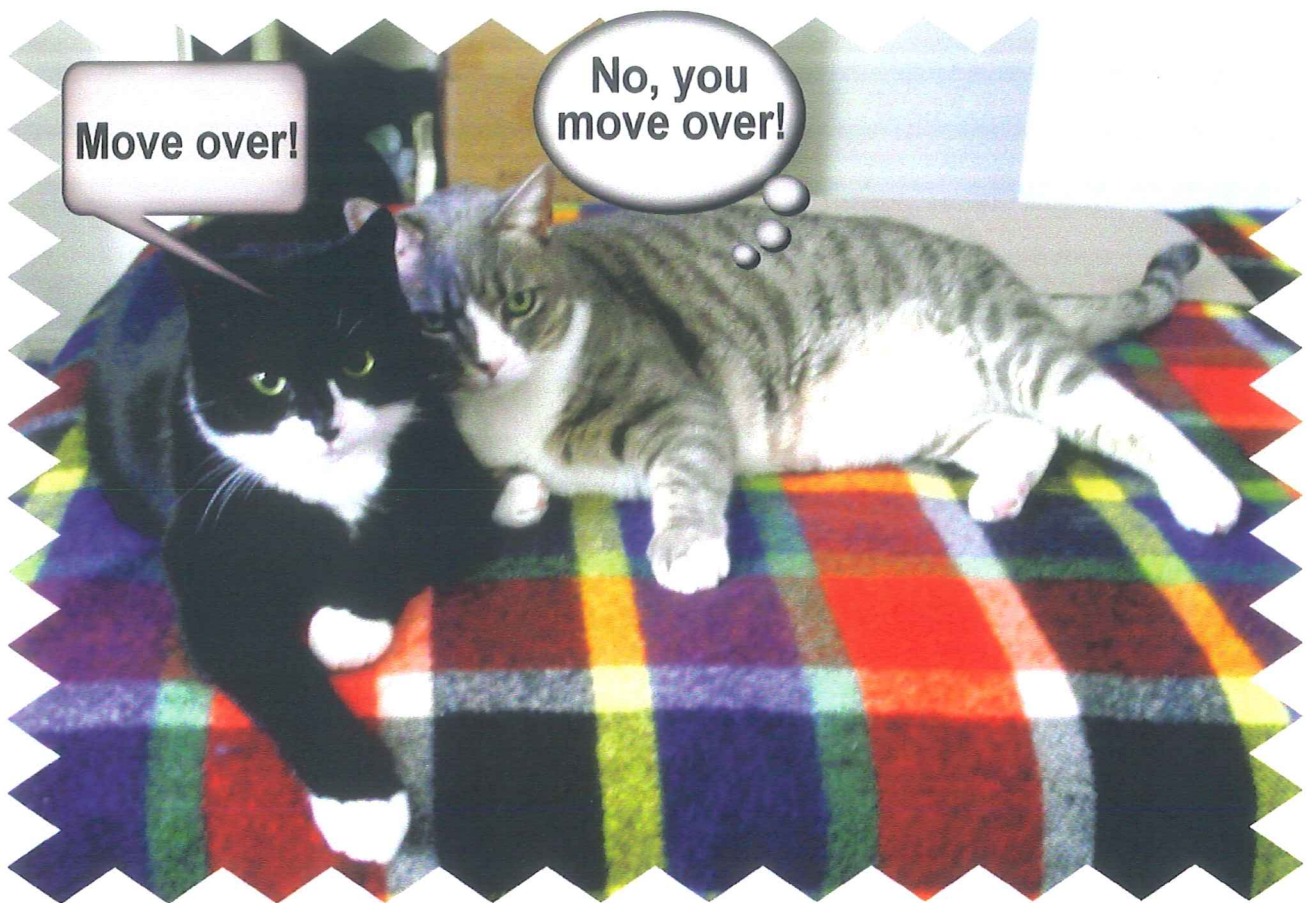
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Does your cat like to look out the window?



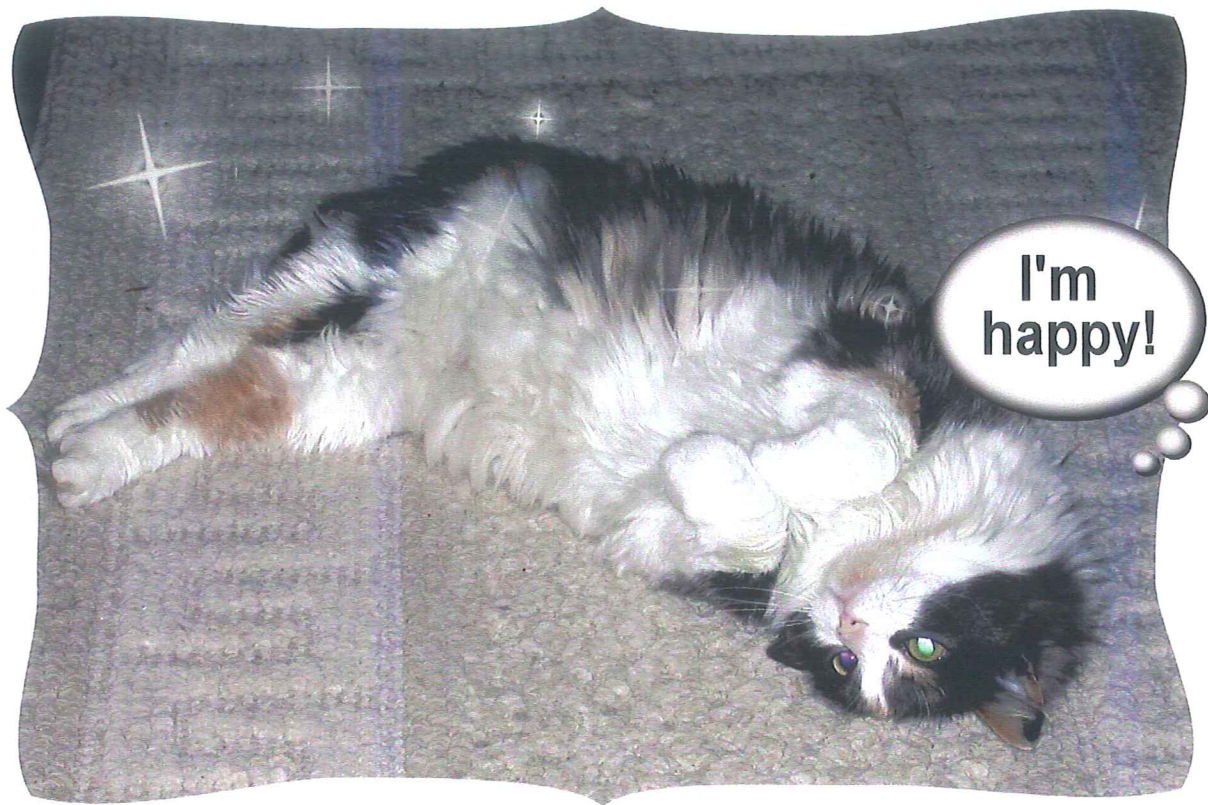
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Do you know what kind of cats Panda and Toby are?



Write your answer here!



My name is Gabby and I was saved from a shelter when I was a kitten.
I am a very happy cat now and enjoy every day. I am Max's feline sister.



Do you know what an animal shelter is?

Write your answer here!

**I love
flowers.**



**Have you ever taken a picture of your dog
when they were not looking?**



Put your picture here!





I'm spoiled!

Do you ever pick up your dog and give it a hug?



Put your picture here!



Do you have pets that do everything together?

What kinds of things do they do?



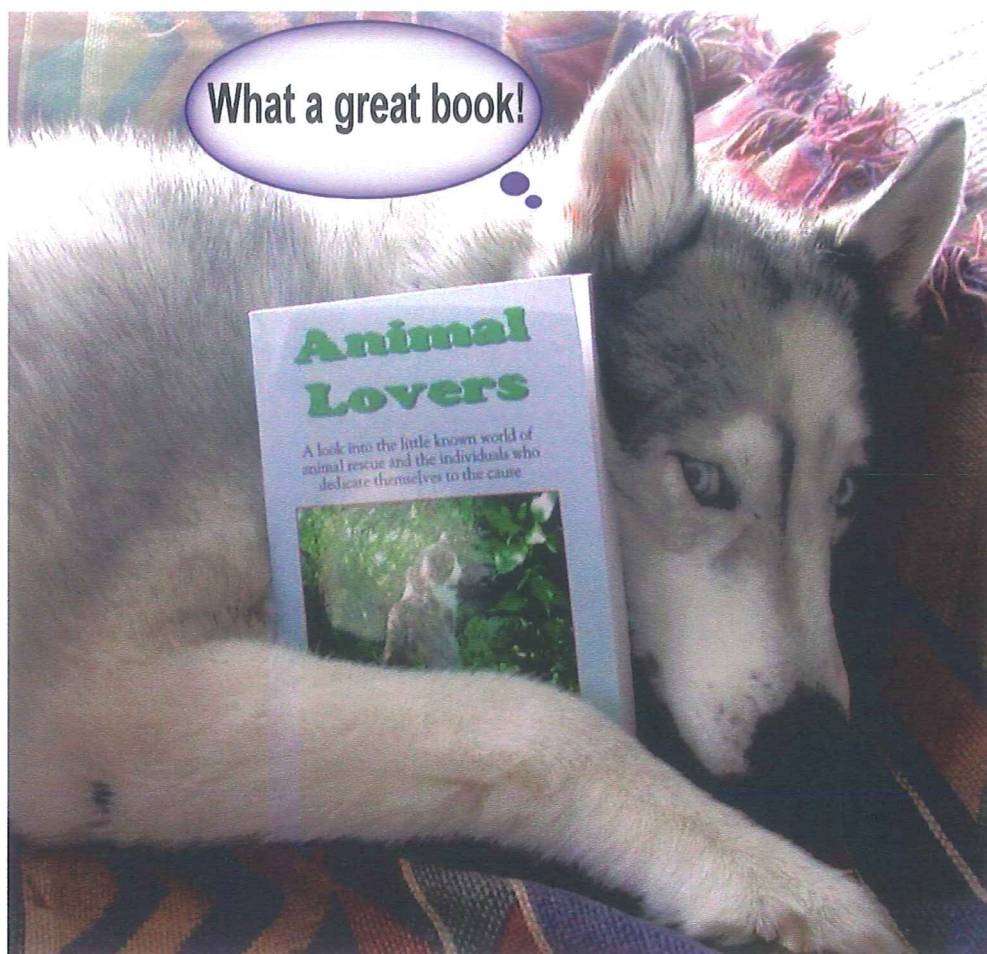
Write your answer here!



Does your cat ever curl up in your clothes?



Put your picture here!



Do you ever read to your dog or cat?

What book would you read?



Write your answer here!





Does your dog ever fall asleep while eating?



Put your picture here!



Ever wonder what your cats are thinking?

What does your cat think about the most?



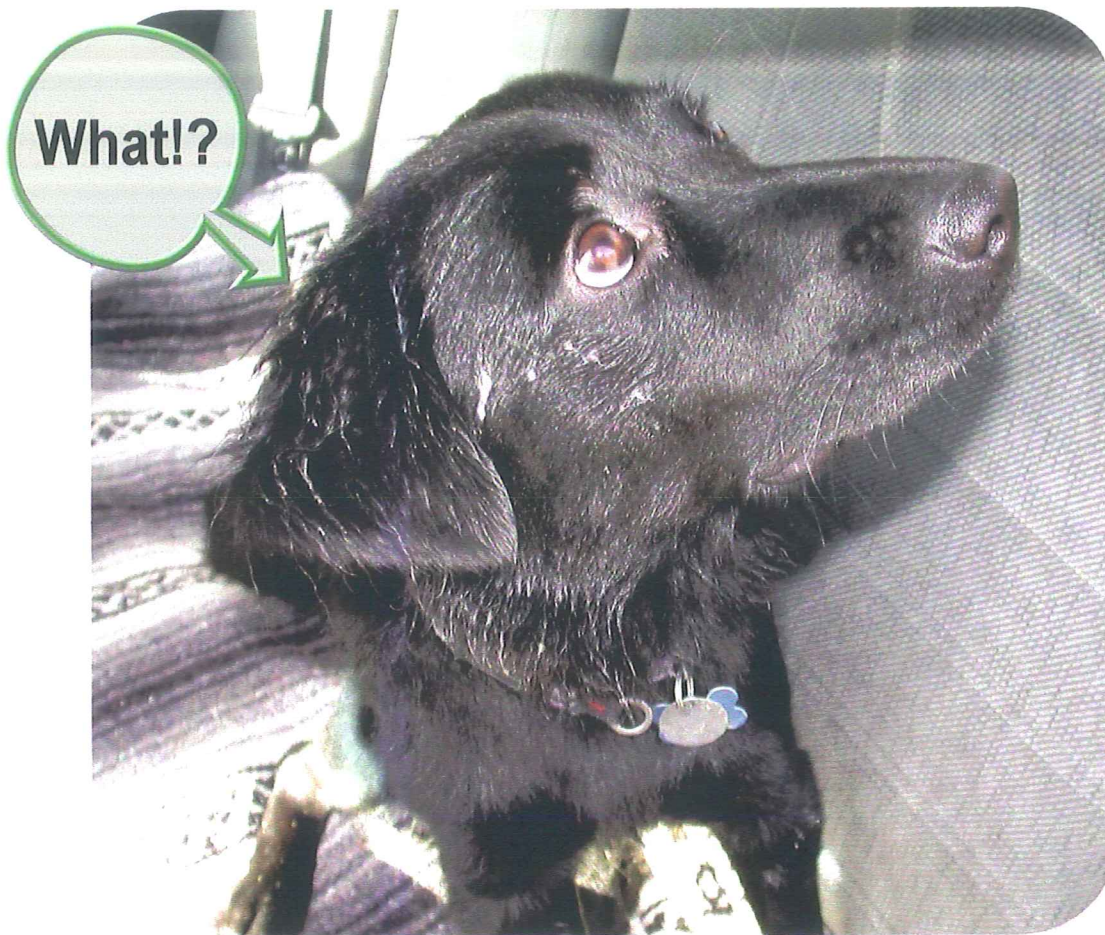
Write your answer here!



Does your cat ever sleep in a funny position?



Put your picture here!



Do you have a funny picture of your dog?



Put your picture here!



**My name is Pasha and I am an older dog now.
I was rescued from a pet store when I was a puppy and have had a great life.**

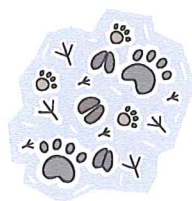


Do you know why pet stores are bad?

Write your answer here!



**Have you ever met a bird that talked to you?
What did it say?**



Write your answers here!



My name is Scarlet and I was rescued from a street corner where I lived with my feline family.
I wish that we could have all been saved, but I am grateful for my new family.



Does your cat like to be held?

Put your picture here!



**My name is Cassie and I was saved after being hit by a car.
I was very hurt and scared, but am now healthy and happy.**



Do you know why running loose can be dangerous to a dog?

Write your answer here!



Does your dog ever hog your bed?



Put your picture here!



What is your favorite time of the year to play outside?

Write your answer here!



My name is Ben and I was rescued from under a bush where I was living by myself.
I found a loving home and am a happy boy now.



Do you know anyone who has a pet named Ben?

Write your answer here!



Does your dog like to swim in the ocean?



Put your picture here!



Do you know why cats shouldn't be allowed to go outside alone?



Put your answer here!



Is your dog your best friend?



What makes someone a best friend to you?

Write your answer here!



My name is Fury and I was rescued from the streets where I was living with other cats.
I wasn't feeling well and was happy to have someone help.



Why do you think Fury was living on the street?

Put your answer here!



Can you name all the kinds of dogs in this picture?



What is your favorite and why?

Write your answer here!



Did you know that different breed dogs like to perform different tasks?



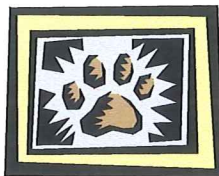
What does your dog like to do?



Have you ever taken your dog camping or fishing?



Put your picture here!



Evie is sad that this is the end of the book.

What have you learned from Max and his friends?

Write your answer here!

LEARNING AND FUN

FOR YOUNGER CHILDREN

Kidsplanet.org/games – Great site for children from those who bring you Animal Planet.

Kidsites.com/sites-edu/animals – A fun page full of information and activities.

Aspca.org/site/PageServer?pagename=kids_home – A fun page directed towards younger children that is full of interesting and helpful topics, games and more.

Nationalgeographic.com/coloringbook/archive/ - National Geographic's for kids who like to color!

FOR OLDER CHILDREN

Adobe.com/education/digkids/lessons/petphotos.html – How to take photos of your pets and more.

Petsandkids.co.uk/FunandGamesWithYourPet.html – Great page for kids and pets to play together!

Petcentric.com – A fun email based site for all children.

Bowwow.com.au/ - A fun site dedicated to helping choose animal names and more,

Loveyourdog.com/ - A comprehensive site about caring for, and training, your dog.

FOR PARENTS AND TEACHERS

Bestfriends.org/theanimals/petcare/fm_kids.cfm – Best Friends Animal Sanctuary site that is directed towards teaching children about animal care and more.

Petplace.com/dogs/explaining-pet-loss-to-children-six-do-s-and-don-ts/page1.aspx – A nice site on how to talk to children about the loss of a pet.

Akc.org/kids_juniors/index.cfm?nav_area=kids_juniors – American Kennel Club's website to teach children about responsible ownership and more. I normally would not include the AKC, but this information is interesting and helpful.

Planet-pets.com/ - An interesting site full of interesting and useful information.

FOR EVERYONE

Aspca.org/apcc – ASPC's animal poison site.

Homeagainid.com – One of the two major pet retrieval system companies used by veterinarians and shelters.

Dogfriendly.com – An informative site with plenty of information about traveling with your dog to all sorts of places. AAA automobile club also has a book for its members with this information. Just ask!

Thepetitionsite.com/animal-welfare – Interesting animal welfare petition site.

Petfinder.com – The most com – The most famous site for finding a pet to adopt and more!

Spayusa.org – A great site for a great cause!

Caps-web.org – A wonderful site dedicated to protecting companion animals and working against puppy mills and pet shop suffering.

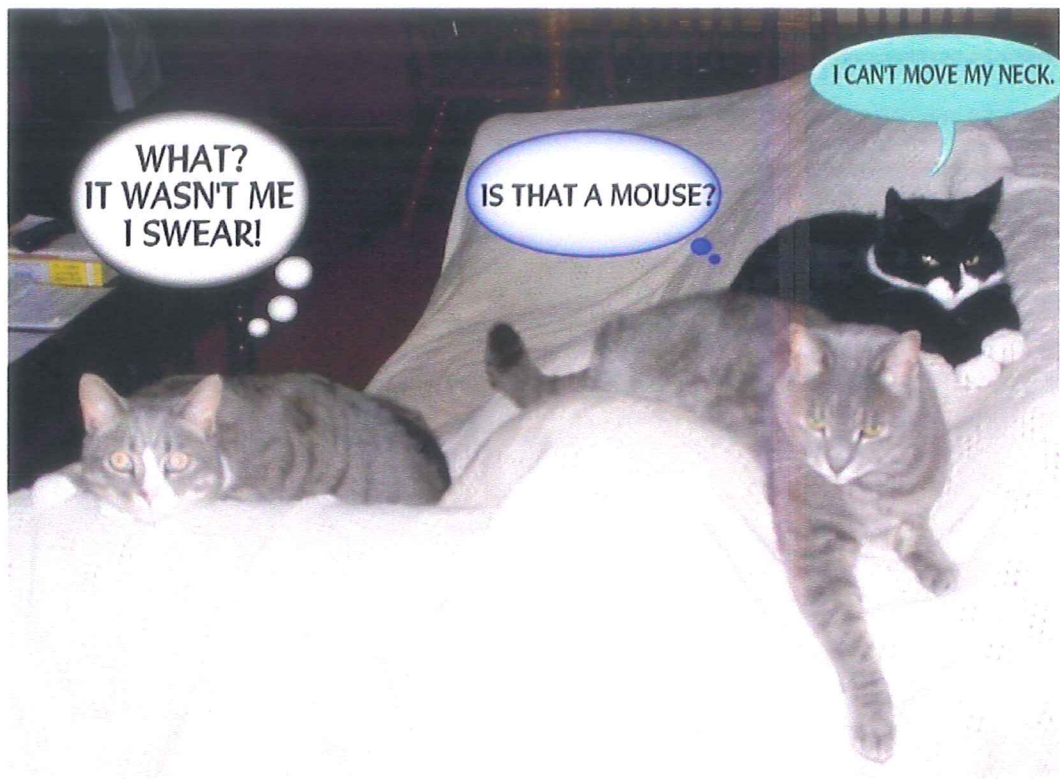
Hsus.org – This site includes descriptions of public-awareness campaigns, programs, legislation, activist alerts, and educational publications.

Alleycat.org – A very important site where you can learn about the world of feral cats and how you can do your part in helping them.

Dogsdeservebetter.com – A wonderful site that provides information and assistance to help dogs that are chained without care.

Deltasociety.org – The most well known of the animal-human bond and animal assisted therapy programs in the country.

Bestfriends.com – A wonderful place and a great site that is dedicated to many, many needy animals from across the country.



Having pets is an important part of life for many people and teaching children to respect and care for them is even more important.

This simple activities book will do just that by bringing families together for learning and fun. So grab a pencil, camera, your kids and pets and enjoy!

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