

# deTails



A Monthly Newsletter *for Pet Parents*

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## Oops, did we skip a month?

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Last month, I mentioned that I would be rescheduling the **deTails** newsletter to better provide news of upcoming events and remembrances in a more timely fashion. In doing so, I decided to move publication date for **deTails** to on or about the 27th of the month. So, because of this, I've actually skipped October. So, yes, we skipped a month.

I think you'll find some pieces of exciting news in this issue and hope that when you print off your **November Dog Holidays** calendar, you highlight the following important dates.

First, I'm excited to announce that I will be launching a **Christmas Card Fundraiser to support Happy's Place Retirement Home**

**For Dogs.** Details will follow but ordering date begins on November 14th.

Also, I have written a new **Advent Reading Plan and Devotional**. Sign up starts on November 25th and the study begins December 2nd.

In the meantime, be sure to visit each category of **deTails** including: **Pampering, Healing, Understanding,** and **Devotion** and explore the newest stories and latest news.

Watch your inbox for ordering details for our Christmas Card Charity Fundraiser.





## Devotion

### Senior Pet & Adopt a Senior Pet Month

Over the years, awareness has been raised at the plight of abandoned senior pets. While some lose their humans to death or a move to a retirement residence, others are simply dumped at shelters because their age-related health issues have become a financial burden or they're simply no longer wanted.

However, instead of speaking to this (which my blog [Senior Abandonment: A Disturbing New Trend](#) discusses) I decided to pay tribute to our lost seniors who've gone to the Rainbow Bridge.

### Rainbow Bridge Remembrance



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## Pampering

### Veggie Bonz: Christmas Edition

This hugely popular recipe sold thousands of cookies at Christmastime over the course of my *Norfolk Nibbles Treat Boutique* days. A simple dough to make and work with and easy to decorate, I've taken this favourite from the *NNTB* recipe book for the recipe of the month.

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## Reminder...

And hey!! Don't forget about the website where the **deTails** newsletter is available. At [PawsToPray.ca](http://PawsToPray.ca), you can find a fresh source of inspiration, entertainment, and enjoyment each and every day.

Whether you are a pet parent looking for tips and ideas on raising your fur-kids or a friend in faith, longing for some spiritual uplifting, **PtP** is a gentle blend of both.

And, as an enhancement to the plethora of information available there, our socials Facebook and Instagram add extra value to your **PtP** experience and I invite you to like and follow us there.





## Understanding

As the Christmas season approaches (and Thanksgiving for our American friends), our thoughts turn to travel and spending time with loved ones.

In my blog *7 Critical Things (and More) to Remember for a Safe & Fun-filled Fur-Kid Holiday*, I provide helpful suggestions that will reduce stress and avoid anxiety when travelling over the holidays with your pooch.

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## Healing

November 11th marks Remembrance Day in Canada and Veterans Day in the US.

While honouring all those who've fallen in past conflict, we would like to also pay special tribute to those K9 soldiers who paid the ultimate price to protect our freedom.

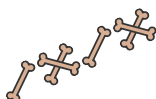
Written anonymously, this poem is read by the unit to honour a fallen K9 comrade. The tradition includes symbolically placing his or her bowl upside down.

## Coming Up

In the next edition of **deTails** we'll pay tribute to Mutts everywhere when we celebrate National Mutt Day on December 2nd.

And of course, I'll crack open the **Norfolk Nibbles Treat Boutique** recipes vault to find a treat that even Old Saint Nick will drool for!

See you next month!



**Guardians of the Night**  
Author Unknown

Trust in me my friend for I am your comrade. I will protect you with my last breath when all others have left you and the loneliness of the night closes in; I will be at your side.

Together we will conquer all obstacles and search out those who might wish harm to others. All I ask of you is compassion. The caring touch of your hands. It is for you that I will unselfishly give my life and spend my nights unrested. Although our days together may be marked by the passing of the seasons, know that each day at your side is my reward.

My days are measured by the coming and going of your footsteps. I anticipate them at every opening of the door. You are the voice of caring when I am ill. The voice of authority when I've done wrong.

Do not chastise me unduly for I am your right arm; the sword at your side. I attempt to do only what you bid of me. I seek only to please you and remain in your favour.

Together you and I shall experience a bond only others like us will understand. When outsiders see us together their envy will be measured by their disdain. I will quietly listen to you and pass no judgment. Nor will your spoken words be repeated. I will remain ever silent, ever vigilant, ever loyal.

And when our time together is done and you move on in the world, remember me with kind thoughts and tales. For a time we were unbeatable; nothing passed among us undetected.

If we should meet again on another street I will gladly take up your fight. I am a Police Working Dog and together we are guardians of the night.

Remembering  
The Unsung  
Heros

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## Spiritual Scribbles...

In my latest contribution to The Round Farmhouse, *The Beauty of Change*, I reflect on how easily we can miss the blessings that come with change when we're too focused on the negative side of it.

You can find the entire essay [here](#) along with all of my other previous pieces.



### Download Your November Calendar Now!!!

There are some dates you'll want to remember and this free, downloadable calendar will help you to avoid missing out!

Dog <b>NOVEMBER 2023</b> Holidays						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
Senior Pet Month Adopt a Senior Pet Month Pet Cancer Awareness Month	1 Cook for You Dog Day	2 Find tasty recipes here!	3	4	5 YAY! Daylight Savings Time ends.	Fur-Kid Fancier... blog post date subscribe here
6	7	8	9	10	11 Remembrance Day	12
13	14 Paws To Pray Christmas Card Fundraiser in support of Happy's Place Begins	15	16	17 Take a Hike Day	18	19
20	21 Spiritual Scribbles... blog post date subscribe here	22	23	24 American Thanksgiving	25 Paws To Pray Advent Reading Plan & Devotional Download Here	26 Christmas Veggie-Bonz Baking for Fur-Kids
27 deTails Newsletter... publish day subscribe here	28	29	30	Note: Unless otherwise stated, all observances are considered International		

### Advent Reading Plan and Devotional 2023



This 4 week plan begins December 2nd. The free downloadable guide will be available on November 25th. It will be an interactive study (as much or as little as you wish) on my **PtP** Facebook page.

### AS ALWAYS...

I want you to know how grateful I am that you're taking time out of your busy day to read **deTails**. I passionately strive to always fill it with useful, helpful, and uplifting material and hope that each month, you will look forward to receiving the newest edition.

So, thank you once again, for being part of the **Paws To Pray Pack**.

Until Next Time, Peace/Shalom & God Bless

 Peggianne