



Spring



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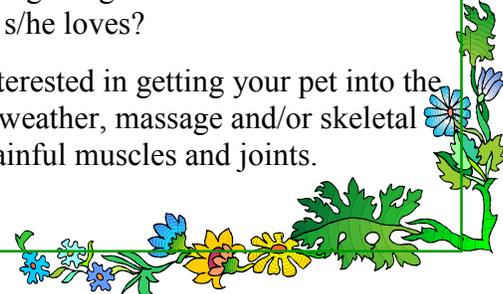


Put that *SPRING* into your pet's step with Massage and/or Skeletal Manipulation!

Do you notice your pet moving stiffly or having trouble getting comfortable?
Is your pet having trouble doing the things s/he loves?

If you answered "yes" to either of these questions, or if you are interested in getting your pet into the best shape possible in preparation for the activity-filled warmer weather, massage and/or skeletal manipulation (chiropractic) may help limber up tense, painful muscles and joints.

Ask a staff member for details!



UGH! Flea and tick season is upon Us!



With the temperatures rising, these nasty creatures are going to make a comeback to make your pets miserable. Fleas and ticks can lead to skin irritation and infection, tapeworms, and systemic diseases such as Lyme Disease.

We have educated staff and several products to help keep them under control.

A few tips to protect your pets and your family:

- Don't wait until you *see* fleas and ticks to start protecting your pet! It's much easier to prevent them than to get rid of them.
- Use flea and/or tick products *year-round*. In Georgia, the temperatures never really get low enough to effectively kill off the pest population.
- Use only products approved for the type of pet you have— many dog products are highly toxic to cats. The safest thing to use is a product recommended by your veterinarian.



SPRING SPECIALS

Too many kittens!
20% off all cat spays + neuters
during the months of
March and April!



Spring is the perfect time to protect your pet from being lost.

15% off a Homeagain microchip
including lifetime registration
during the month of May!

Featured staff member: AMBER HERNDON

Amber has been welcoming clients at the front desk since 2001, so chances are you've met her and/or have talked to her on the phone.

She is a native Georgian, and lives in Loganville with her husband and their Ark: two children, two cats, and two dogs.



In her spare time, Amber enjoys reading and running.

Five tips for a safe Spring:

- ⇒ Make landscaping or gardening plans with your pets in mind. Did you know there are many plants that are toxic to pets? For example, that bright yellow flower that signals spring has arrived — the Daffodil — is toxic to both cats and dogs.
- ⇒ Spring is the time when pets feel frisky and adventurous. Make sure all dogs and outdoor cats have identification tags and a microchip for loss-prevention.
- ⇒ How many times have you gone for a drive and seen another driver with a pooch on her lap? Yeah, it might look oh-so-cute, but it's distracting and dangerous. Restrain your furry passenger in a crate or with a pet-seatbelt.
- ⇒ Learn pet first aid, have a first aid kit in your house, and even practice family fire drills that include your pets.
- ⇒ Make sure your pet is on Heartworm prevention *every* month. Think your pet is not at risk because s/he is an "inside dog"? Think again, it only takes *one* mosquito bite to infect your pet with deadly heartworms!

