



# *The Pup Post*

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Dog of the Month

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Beau is one of our daycare dogs who comes to play very often! He gets along with everyone and knows how to change his behavior with different types of dogs! Congrats Beau!

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## Joke of the Month

What do chemists' dogs do with their bones?



They barium!

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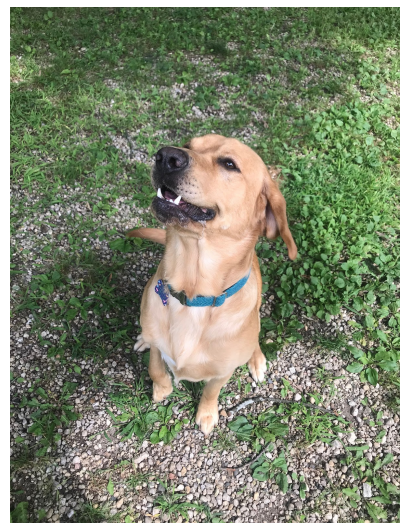
## Did You Know?

It's rumored that, at the end of the Beatles song, "A Day in the Life," Paul McCartney recorded an ultrasonic whistle, audible only to dogs, just for his Shetland Sheepdog.



Puppies have 28 teeth and normal adult dogs have 42.

Dogs and humans have the same type of slow wave sleep (SWS) and rapid eye movement (REM) and during this REM stage dogs can dream. The twitching and paw movements that occur during their sleep are signs that your pet is dreaming



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## PEANUT BUTTER BANANA DOG COOKIES

- 1 EGG
- 1/3 CUP PEANUT BUTTER\*
- 1 CUP WHOLE WHEAT FLOUR
- 1/2 CUP OATS
- 1 MASHED BANANA (1/2 CUP)

1. PREHEAT OVEN TO 300 DEGREES
2. COMBINE ALL INGREDIENTS IN A LARGE BOWL AND KNEAD UNTIL A DOUGH BALL FORMS.  
IF IT'S TOO STICKY, ADD A LITTLE MORE FLOUR.
3. ROLL IT OUT ON A LIGHTLY FLOURED SURFACE AND CUT INTO SHAPES WITH COOKIE CUTTERS
4. PLACE THE CUTOUTS ON A BAKING SHEET AND BAKE FOR ABOUT 15-20 MINUTES.

\*BE SURE THAT THE PEANUT BUTTER YOU USE IS ALL NATURAL WITH NO ADDED SUGARS, ESPECIALLY NO XYLITOL

## Our Fosters



### ♥ STELLA

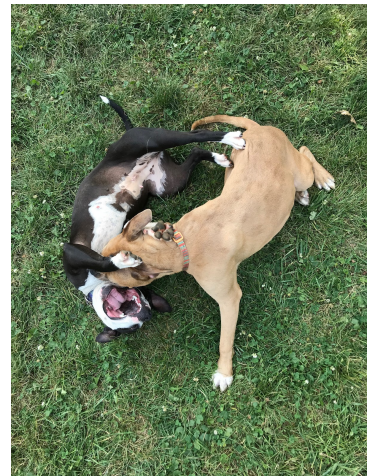
♥ Stella is a pitbull mix who is one big love bug. She loves playing with toys outside and gets along with the other fosters we have here. She is currently up for adoption and is looking for her forever home!

[wishuponarescue.org/adopt](http://wishuponarescue.org/adopt)

### ♥ NIKE AND SOLA

- Nike and Sola are both pitbull mixes who love to run around and play with each other! They have a lot of energy but know how to relax when needed. While they get along together, they also do well alone and with other dogs. Help them find their forever home!

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# SOCIAL MEDIA MASTER AWARD

**Congratulations to Rachel, our Social Media Master for July!**

**She posted this picture of Shepherd which got 58 likes on Instagram!**



**“First he’s skeptical...then he realizes he’s at the best doggy daycare there is!”**

# MONTHLY HIGHLIGHTS

**Customer Appreciation Day! Free of charge.**



**BACKYARD BARBECUE RESCUE FAIR**  
**Hosted by Our Family Pet Sitting**  
**with Wish Upon A Rescue!**

**August 11, 2018 | 11-3PM**  
**Meet our Adoptables!**  
**Food, Fun, & Games for you**  
**AND your dog!**  
**Vendor Fair!**

The banner features a light blue background with a yellow and blue bunting border. On the left, there are blue and yellow balloons, one with a star. On the right, there is a brown dog wearing a yellow and white striped party hat. A logo for 'Our Family Pet Sitting' is in the top right corner.

This month join Our Family and Wish Upon a Rescue for a Customer Appreciation Backyard BBQ! We will have plenty of fun activities for all ages! There will be a photo booth, doggy kissing booth, coloring contest for ages 7 and under, food, and some tents with our vendors including Lipsense, Color Street, Natural Pet Market, Susan Francis, and an Our Family Client that makes pup collars! Come out and have fun! You are more than welcome to bring your dog if they get along with other dogs!

- OFPS gift certificates for sale
- Great doggie day care package deals (only in person)
- Meet Ashley and receive grooming coupons
- Meet Cindy & Kris our OFPS trainers

## Health News

Here at Our Family Pet Sitting, as well as any other doggie daycare/pet boarding facility, animals are susceptible to viruses such as kennel cough or the oral papilloma virus. These viruses are no fun for anyone's pet so we try our hardest to prevent the possibility of an animal in our care from catching them. Educating yourself on the symptoms and treatment of these viruses can help keep your pet along with everyone else's at OFPS safe and healthy!

Oral papillomas are small cauliflower shaped warts that appear on a dog's lips or tongue when the dog has caught the virus. This virus is tricky in the way the pet can catch it, but not show signs or grow any warts for up to two months! Understanding this virus is contagious, here at OFPS we do routine full body checks on every dog, ensuring no one has any sign of sickness or physical injury. However, it would help to keep updated and an eye on your pet before bringing them to daycare/boarding in respect to the other dogs.

To prevent kennel cough at OFPS, we require every dog to have the bordetella vaccine. Kennel cough is very similar to a common cold among people, as when your dog catches this cold they tend to excessively cough and become contagious to every dog around them. Although many dogs recover from kennel cough, here at OFPS we want all of our pets to arrive and maintain the healthiest version of themselves, out of love for each owner and dog. Please keep an eye on the due dates for any of your dog's vaccinations and get routine shots before coming to daycare or boarding.

We keep a clean and safe environment at our facility by using pet-safe cleaner like T-2. We also make sure that every dog has their own water bowl to prevent the spread of germs, as well as making sure every kennel with its cot is cleaned, wiped down with T-2 and vacuumed/mopped before additional use. Please know that we treat your animals as we would treat our own, with the safest care.

# Our Family Pet Sitting

Open 6:30am - 7:00pm

every day of the year for daycare and boarding!!!

To schedule your appointment call (630) 407-7679

What we offer:

- We have a groomer on site who can do haircuts, nail trims, and teeth brushing! Call or email us to reserve a spot! Ask for Ashley 331-871-5100 or visit her at the BBQ on 8/11/18.

Prices:

- Grooming prices vary on size of dog and hair length - ask to speak to Ashley for a quote!
- Nail trims - \$10
- Nail trim w/dremel - \$12
- Teeth brushing - \$10

[Tell us about your experience on Yelp or Google!](#)

[READ MORE ON OUR WEBSITE](#)

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**Earn \$\$\$ every time you refer a friend that stays with us!**

Have your referral list your name in the “how did you hear of us section” and you get \$10 for each credited to your account for your furry loved one. They can be used on day care or boarding services and never expire!

*Until next time! Peace, Love & Wagging Tails!*