



March Newsletter

Is Your Pet Safe In Your Back Yard?

Some items commonly found in back yards during the summer can be hazardous to pets.

Alcoholic beverages can poison pets. Never leave drinks where pets can reach them.

Do not apply sunscreen to pets or use insect repellents not labeled specifically for animals. If a dog licks off the sunscreen, it can cause an upset stomach, excessive thirst and lethargy. Using insect repellents with DEET on pets can also cause problems.

Always keep matches and lighter fluid out of the reach of pets. Some matches contain chlorates, which are toxic. Lighter fluid can be irritating to skin and, if ingested, can cause stomach upset and central nervous system depression.

Do not put glow jewelry on your pets or allow them to play with it. The luminescent chemical can create stomach upsets, and if a dog swallows pieces of the plastic jewelry, it might create an intestinal blockage.

Keep citronella candles, insect coils and oil products out of the reach of pets. Ingestion can upset their stomachs or depress their central nervous systems. If inhaled, the oils could cause pneumonia.



On The Lighter Side!



I think this guy forgot to attend the meeting!



Q: What do you get if you cross a sheepdog with a rose?
A: A collie-flower!

Q: Why do dogs wag their tails?
A: Because no one else will do it for them!

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