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About Us:

A1 Pet Emporium Dog and Cat Food Natural Market is a locally owned and operated pet food and supplies store that specializes in unique, high-quality, natural pet foods and treats for your dog or cat. Helping finicky pets and those with allergies or digestive issues is our #1 priority. We also sell toys, collars, leads, grooming supplies and other accessories for dogs and cats at very reasonable prices. We have locations in NW Oklahoma City, Edmond, & South Oklahoma, Our friendly and knowledgeable staff can help you find the best food for your furry friend. We are Rescue Friendly and hold adoption events most weekends in an effort to help spread awareness about the homeless pets in our community.

The owners of A1 Pet Emporium founded their pet food store after discovering the real reason for their dog's allergies was a well-known brand of food that contained ingredients like corn, wheat, and by-products that are not a part of her natural diet. They put her on a diet that was high in natural meat proteins with no corn, no wheat, no by-products, no soy, and no other cheap fillers. Her symptoms improved immediately and completely disappeared within a few weeks. Realizing that there were probably other pet owners in a similar situation, they were prompted to start their own Dog & Cat Food Natural Market so fellow pet owners could purchase high-quality food for their pets. Since opening their store in 2010, they have seen great improvement in the health of countless dogs and cats.

Mission Statement:

Our mission is two-fold. First, to educate consumers on healthy and natural foods for their pets. None of our pet foods contain corn, wheat, by-products, soy, or artificial coloring. The second part of our mission is to bring awareness to the local pet rescue organizations who work tirelessly to find permanent homes for homeless pets in our community. We have adoption events in our stores practically every weekend.

Congratulations on your new family member.



All of us at A1 Pet Emporium would like to thank you for choosing to adopt your new family member. A1 strives to support our local rescues. As a way of saying thank you, please enjoy this booklet filled with great coupons and information. If at any time you have questions, concerns or need anything, know that our staff is here to

assist you. We would love to hear your adoption stories. Please feel free to share your stories on our Facebook page, Twitter or Snapchat (FB – A1 Pet Emporium Main, Twitter - #A1petemporium).

New Pet Checklist:

FOR YOUR NEW DOG:

- Food & Storage Items for Food
- Bowls (Food & Water)
- Bed & Crate
- Collar, Leash & Pet Identification Tag
- Toys
- Flea & Tick Prevention
- Treats & Chews
- Stain & Odor Remover
- Grooming Products
- Boarding, Daycare & Pet Sitters
- Veterinarian

FOR YOUR NEW CAT:

- Food & Storage Items for Food
- Bowls (Food & Water)
- Collar, Leash & Pet Identification Tag
- Litter, Litter Box & Accessories
- Cat Bed
- Flea & Tick Prevention
- Treats
- Stain & Odor Remover
- Pet Sitters
- Veterinarian
- Toys

Find coupons for helpful products and services on the pages that follow.

Thank you again for adopting!



BRINGING YOUR NEW DOG HOME

Preparation and patience are key to building a happy relationship

The key to helping your new dog make a successful adjustment to your home is being prepared and being patient. It can take anywhere from two days to two months for you and your pet to adjust to each other. The following tips can help ensure a smooth transition.



PREPARING YOUR HOME

Gather supplies:

Prepare the things your dog will need in advance. You'll need a collar and leash, food and water bowls, food, and, of course, some toys. And don't forget to order an identification tag right away.

Establish house rules:

Work out your dog-care regimen in advance among the human members of your household. Who will walk the dog first thing in the morning? Who will feed them at night? Will they be allowed on the couch, or won't he? Where will they rest at night? Are there any rooms in the house that are off-limits?

Plan the arrival:

Try to arrange the arrival of your new dog for a weekend or when you can be home for a few days. Get to know each other and spend some quality time together. Don't forget the jealousy factor — make sure you don't neglect other pets and people in your household!

Prepare for house training:

Assume your new dog is not housetrained and work from there. Be consistent, and maintain a routine. A little extra effort on your part to come home straight from work each day will pay off in easier, faster house training. (For more Housetraining Tips, please see the following page).

Ensure all pets are healthy:

Animal shelters take in animals with widely varying backgrounds, some of whom have not been previously vaccinated. Inevitably, despite the best efforts of shelter workers, viruses can be spread and may occasionally go home with adopted animals. If you already have dogs or cats at home, make sure they are up-to-date on their shots and in good general health before introducing your new pet dog.

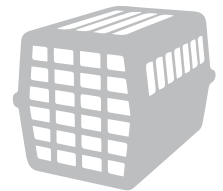
Take your new dog to the veterinarian within a week after adoption. There, they will receive a health check and any needed vaccinations. If your dog has not been spayed or neutered, make that appointment! There are already far too many homeless puppies and dogs; don't let your new pet add to the problem. Most likely, the shelter or rescue will require that you have your pet spayed or neutered anyway.



2 THE FIRST WEEKS

Give them a crate:

A crate may look to you like the canine equivalent of a jail cell, but to your dog, who instinctively likes to den, it's a room of their own. It makes housetraining and obedience-training easier and saves your dog from the headache of being yelled at unnecessarily for problem behavior. Of course, you won't want to crate your dog all day or all night, or they will consider it a jail cell. Just a few hours a day should be sufficient.



If a crate isn't an option, consider some sort of confinement to a dog-proofed part of your home. A portion of the kitchen or family room can serve the purpose very well when sectioned off with a dog or baby gate.

Use training and discipline to create a happy home:

Dogs need order. Let your pet know from the start who is the boss. When you catch them doing something they shouldn't, don't lose your cool. Stay calm, and let them know immediately, in a loud and disapproving voice, that they have misbehaved. Reward them with praise when they do well, too! Sign up for a local dog obedience class, and you'll learn what a joy it is to have a well-trained dog.



LONG-TERM

Let The Games Begin:

Dogs need an active life. That means you should plan plenty of exercise and game time for your pet. Enjoy jogging or Frisbee? You can bet your dog will, too. If running around the park is too energetic for your taste, try throwing a ball or a stick, or just going for a long walk together. When you take a drive in the country or visit family and friends, bring your dog and a leash along.

Patience Is Key:

Finally, remember to temper your expectations. Life with you is a different experience for your new companion, so give them time to adjust. You'll soon find out that you've made a friend for life. No one will ever greet you with as much enthusiasm or provide you with as much unqualified love and loyalty as your dog will. Be patient, and you will be amply rewarded.



HOW TO HOUSETRAIN YOUR DOG OR PUPPY

Housetraining your dog or puppy requires patience, commitment and lots of consistency. Accidents are part of the process, but if you follow these basic housetraining guidelines, you can get the newest member of your family on the right track in a few weeks' time.



24h ESTABLISH A ROUTINE

Like babies, puppies do best on a regular schedule. The schedule teaches them that there are times to eat, times to play and times to do their business. Generally speaking, a puppy can control their bladder one hour for every month of age. So if your puppy is two months old, they can hold it for about two hours. Don't go longer than this between bathroom breaks or they're guaranteed to have an accident.

Take your puppy outside frequently:

At least every two hours—and immediately after they wake up, during and after playing, and after eating or drinking.

Pick a bathroom spot outside:

Always take your puppy (on a leash) to that spot. While your puppy is relieving themselves, use a specific word or phrase that you can eventually use before they go to remind them what to do. Take them out for a longer walk or some playtime only after they have eliminated.

Reward your puppy every time they eliminate outdoors:

Praise or give treats—but remember to do so immediately after they've finished, not after they come back inside. This step is vital, because rewarding your dog for going outdoors is the only way to teach what's expected of them. Before rewarding, be sure they're finished. Puppies are easily distracted and if you praise too soon, they may forget to finish until they're back in the house.



Put your puppy on a regular feeding schedule:

What goes into a puppy on a schedule comes out of a puppy on a schedule. Depending on their age, puppies usually need to be fed three or four times a day. Feeding your puppy at the same times each day will make it more likely that they'll eliminate at consistent times as well, making house training easier for both of you.

Pick up your puppy's water dish:

About two and a half hours before bedtime to reduce the likelihood that they'll need to relieve themselves during the night. Most puppies can sleep for approximately seven hours without needing a bathroom break. If your puppy does wake you up in the night, don't make a big deal of it; otherwise they will think it is time to play and won't want to go back to sleep. Turn on as few lights as possible, don't talk to or play with your puppy, take them out and then return them to bed.



SUPERVISE YOUR PUPPY

Don't give your puppy an opportunity to soil in the house; keep an eye on them whenever they're indoors.

Tether your puppy:

To you or a nearby piece of furniture with a six-foot leash if you are not actively training or playing. Watch for signs that your puppy needs to go out. Some signs are obvious, such as barking or scratching at the door, squatting, restlessness, sniffing around or circling. When you see these signs, immediately grab the leash and take them outside to their bathroom spot. If they eliminate, praise them and reward with a treat.

Keep your puppy on leash in the yard:

During the housetraining process, your yard should be treated like any other room in your house. Give your puppy some freedom in the house and yard only after they become reliably housetrained.



WHEN YOU CAN'T SUPERVISE, CONFINE

When you're unable to watch your puppy at all times, restrict them to an area small enough that they won't want to eliminate there.

- The space should be just big enough to comfortably stand, lie down and turn around. You can use a portion of a bathroom or laundry room blocked off with baby gates.
- Or you may want to crate train your puppy. (Be sure to learn how to use a crate humanely as a method of confinement.) If your puppy has spent several hours in confinement, you'll need to take them directly to their bathroom spot as soon as you return.



MISTAKES HAPPEN

Expect your puppy to have a few accidents in the house—it's a normal part of housetraining. Here's what to do when that happens:

- Interrupt your puppy when you catch them in the act.
- Make a startling noise (be careful not to scare them) or say "OUTSIDE!" and immediately take them to their bathroom spot. Praise your pup and give a treat if they finish there.
- Don't punish your puppy for eliminating in the house. If you find a soiled area, it's too late to administer a correction. Just clean it up. Rubbing your puppy's nose in it, taking them to the spot and scolding them or any other punishment will only make them afraid of you or afraid to eliminate in your presence. Punishment will often do more harm than good.
 - Clean the soiled area thoroughly. Puppies are highly motivated to continue soiling in areas that smell like urine or feces.
 - It's extremely important that you use these supervision and confinement procedures to minimize the number of accidents. If you allow your puppy to eliminate frequently in the house, they'll get confused about where they're supposed to go, which will prolong the housetraining process.



DOGS: POSITIVE REINFORCEMENT TRAINING

Just say yes to training your dog with treats and praise.

Remember how happy you were if your parents gave you a dollar for every A on your report card? They made you want to do it again, right? That's positive reinforcement.

Dogs don't care about money. They care about praise ... and food. Positive reinforcement training uses praise and/or treats to reward your dog for doing something you want him to do. Because the reward makes him more likely to repeat the behavior, positive reinforcement is one of your most powerful tools for shaping or changing your dog's behavior.

Rewarding your dog for good behavior sounds pretty simple, and it is! But to practice the technique effectively, you need to follow some basic guidelines.



TIMING IS EVERYTHING

Correct timing is essential when using positive reinforcement.

The reward must occur immediately—within seconds—or your pet may not associate it with the proper action. For example, if you have your dog sit but reward him after he's stood back up, he'll think he's being rewarded for standing up.

Using a clicker to mark the correct behavior can improve your timing and also help your dog understand the connection between the correct behavior and the treat.

Keep it short:

Dogs don't understand sentences. "Daisy, I want you to be a good girl and sit for me now" will likely earn you a blank stare.

Keep commands short and uncomplicated. The most commonly used dog commands are:

- watch me
- sit
- stay
- down (*which means "lie down"*)
- off (*which means "get off of me" or "get off the furniture"*)
- stand
- come
- heel (*which means "walk close to my side"*)
- leave it

Consistency is key:

Everyone in the family should use the same commands; otherwise, your dog may be confused. It might help to post a list of commands where everyone can become familiar with them.

Consistency also means always rewarding the desired behavior and never rewarding undesired behavior.

When to use positive reinforcement:

The good: Positive reinforcement is great for teaching your dog commands, and it's also a good way of reinforcing good behavior. You may have your dog sit

- before letting him out the door (*which helps prevent door-darting*)
- before petting him (*which helps prevent jumping on people*)
- before feeding him (*which helps teach him good meal-time manners*)

Give him a pat or a "Good dog" for lying quietly by your feet, or slip a treat into a Kong®-type toy when he's chewing it instead of your shoe.



The bad:

Be careful that you don't inadvertently use positive reinforcement to reward unwanted behaviors. For example, if you let your dog outside every time he barks at a noise in the neighborhood, you're giving him a reward (access to the yard) for behavior you want to discourage.

Shaping behavior:

It can take time for your dog to learn certain behaviors. You may need to use a technique called "shaping," which means reinforcing something close to the desired response and then gradually requiring more from your dog before he gets the treat.

For example, if you're teaching your dog to "shake hands," you may initially reward him for lifting his paw off the ground, then for lifting it higher, then for touching your hand, then for letting you hold his paw, and finally, for actually "shaking hands" with you.

Types of rewards:

Positive reinforcement can include food treats, praise, petting, or a favorite toy or game. Since most dogs are highly food-motivated, food treats work especially well for training.



A treat should be enticing and irresistible to your pet. Experiment a bit to see which treats work best for your pet.

- It should be a very small (pea-size or even smaller for little dogs), soft piece of food, so that he will immediately gulp it down and look to you for more. Don't give your dog something he has to chew or that breaks into bits and falls on the floor.
- Keep a variety of treats handy so your dog won't become bored getting the same treat every time. You can carry the treats in a pocket or fanny pack.
- Each time you use a food reward, you should couple it with a verbal reward (praise). Say something like, "Yes!" or "Good dog," in a positive, happy tone of voice. Then give your dog a treat.
- If your dog isn't as motivated by food treats, a toy, petting, or brief play can be very effective rewards.

When to give treats:

When your pet is learning a new behavior, reward him every time he does the behavior. This is called continuous reinforcement.

Once your pet has reliably learned the behavior, you want to switch to intermittent reinforcement, in which you continue with praise, but gradually reduce the number of times he receives a treat for doing the desired behavior.

- At first, reward him with the treat four out of every five times he does the behavior. Over time, reward him three out of five times, then two out of five times, and so on, until you're only rewarding him occasionally.
- Continue to praise him every time—although once your dog has learned the behavior, your praise can be less effusive, such as a quiet but positive, "Good dog."
- Use a variable schedule of reinforcement so that he doesn't catch on that he only has to respond every other time. Your pet will soon learn that if he keeps responding, eventually he'll get what he wants—your praise and an occasional treat.



Caution! Don't decrease the rewards too quickly. You don't want your dog to become frustrated.

By understanding positive reinforcement, you'll see that you're not forever bound to carry a pocketful of goodies. Your dog will soon be working for your verbal praise, because he wants to please you and knows that, occasionally, he'll get a treat, too.



BRINGING YOUR NEW CAT HOME

Congratulations! You have a new cat. No doubt you're looking forward to years of happy companionship. But what do you do now?



PREPARING YOUR HOME

Be prepared:

Before bringing your new furball home, outfit your home with all the supplies you could possibly need.

Coming home:

The first thing you should know about your new pet is that most cats hate to travel. For the trip home, confine your pet in a sturdy cat carrier. Don't leave them loose in your car, where they might panic and cause an accident, or get out when you open the car door. They may yowl and cry and try mightily to get out of the carrier, but don't give in.

Upon arrival:

After the ride home, they will, most likely, not be in the mood for fun. To make their transition to your household as comfortable as possible, select a quiet, closed-in area, such as your bedroom or a small room away from the main foot traffic, and provide them with a litter box, food and water, toys, and a scratching post.

Let your new pet become acquainted with that limited area for the first few days. Be sure to spend plenty of time with them in that room, but if they're hiding under the bed, don't force them to come out. If necessary, sit on the floor to talk to them and offer treats. Let them sniff all your belongings and investigate all the hiding places.

Your new cat may be full of self-confidence and itching to get out and make them self at home. Or they may be more of a shrinking violet who needs more time to adjust.

Avoid conflict when bringing a new cat into the family by carefully introducing them to any other pets.



THE FIRST WEEK

Give them a crate:

Over a few days, slowly help your cat become familiar with the rest of the family, including other pets and household members. Make sure they always have access to "their" room so they can retreat to it if they feel nervous. It will take a little while, but they'll eventually start to feel comfortable at home.

Cats vary in terms of how demanding they are as pets, so let yours guide you to the level of attention they want, whether it's your hand for petting, or your lap for sitting. Provide them with the necessary creature comforts and give them the companionship they seek, and they'll be content.

For more GREAT information on how to introduce your cat to other pets in your home or how to help overcome stressful situations, please visit <http://www.humanesociety.org> and search for "Bringing Your New Cat Home". It is loaded with some excellent information.



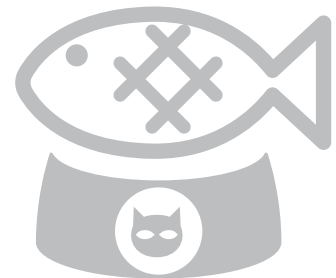
HOW TO KEEP YOUR CAT STRESS-FREE AND HAPPY

Once you can check off each of the four main steps below, your cat should be feeling relaxed and pleased with life.

Play with your cat:

Since physical activity can reduce stress, playing with your cat for 10 to 15 minutes twice a day may help both of you feel more relaxed. Here are some tips:

- Wind down the play in the last couple of minutes so your cat can calm down, and always end by giving your cat a treat or a meal.
- Set aside a couple of special toys for your play time, then put them away for later.
- To keep toys interesting, rotate them every few days.





GAMES


Experiment with games. Here are a few tried and true ways to play with your cat to get you started:

- **Chase:** The best type of interactive toy is a fishing-rod toy that has a 3-foot rod attached to a 3-foot string that has a couple of feathers at the end of it. Cats love to grab and pounce on these feathers as you move them around. Some cats also enjoy a cat laser light. Cats usually love these toys because they get to chase "prey." When playing with your cat, try to simulate the cats hunting of prey as best as possible. Prey slinks, stops, hides, makes sudden movements, and moves away from the cat.
- **Fetch:** Some cats are like dogs; they love chasing treats or dry food and then returning for more.
- **Rolling:** cats adore chasing balls made out of aluminum foil or other material, the rings from beverage bottles, or catnip mice.
- **Catnip Toys:** Most adult cats love catnip. Buy some high quality catnip and rub it on the cat's existing toys or the scratching post, put some on the floor, or stuff some in a sock and tie the end.

Make your home interesting Boredom can cause stress, so give your cat interesting or fun things to do on her own. Try these:

- **Scratching Posts:** The best posts are at least 3 feet high, sturdy, and made of sisal (a rope material). Place the post in a prominent location that's easy to get at. Since cats like to scratch while playing, encourage yours to use the post by playing with her near it. Put some catnip on the post, too.
- **Hidden Food:** Cats love to find hidden food. Leave out treat balls, which are plastic balls with holes; once you put treats in and put the ball down, your cat will learn to move the ball to make the treats fall out the holes. You can make your own treat ball by sealing the ends of a paper towel roll and poking holes in it.
- **New Things / Investigate:** Cats love to play with paper bags (cut off the handles), cardboard boxes, aluminum foil balls, and crinkly wrapping paper.
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Make your home feel safe For a cat, a safe home is essential to feeling happy and calm. The following things will make your home a refuge:

- **Hiding Places:** Cats need to have safe hiding spaces throughout the home. Here are a few options: cat carriers, cardboard boxes, space in closets or towels draped over chairs, cat trees, or soft tents (sold in pet-supply stores).
- **High Resting Spaces:** Cats often seek security in high spaces where they can observe the home environment. Cat trees are the ideal high resting space, but you can also make a safe place for the cat in your home by clearing space on book shelves, desks, windowsills, and maybe adding a cat perch to the wall. 
- **Calming Products:** Various products release scents in the air (that we can't smell) or natural chemicals that can calm stressed cats. They include Comfort Zone Feliway Plug-In Diffuser; L-theanine, a chewable supplement that is clinically proven to reduce cats' stress levels; and flower remedies, such as Bach's Rescue Remedy.
- **Multi-Cat Household:** If it's a multi-cat household, make sure there are enough resources for everyone. Provide multiple litter boxes and multiple food and water bowls, many high resting and hiding spaces, as well as individual attention and interactive play time with each cat.
- **Maintain Routine:** A change in your cat's eating, resting, or play routine caused by something like a new work schedule, a vacation, or a new baby in the home can really make your cat nervous and insecure. If you must change your cat's routine, try these three tips to make it easier on her:
 - If you know your cat's routine is going to be changed, help your cat adjust by gradually shifting to the new schedule beforehand.
 - Make sure your cat has lots of play time and interesting things to do as she gets used to the new schedule.
 - If the change is short-term, such as a vacation, jump back to the old schedule as soon as possible when you return.
 - If the change is long-term, make sure the new routine is consistent so your cat can rely on it. If it's work-related, try to leave and return home at the same time. If your new baby's needs make the old play time impossible, schedule the new play time at the same time every day.



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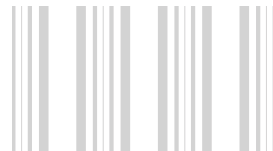
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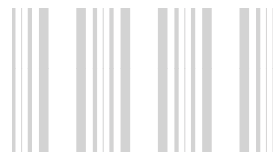
OFFER VALID ONLY ON:
Save \$1 Off Any Dog Treats



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10% *off* Any Automatic Water Fountain

10% *off* Any Food Storage Container

\$200 *off* any Single Collar, Leash or Harness  *or* **10%** *off* a Complete Collar, Leash & Harness set

10% *off* Any Wire Crate 

10% *off* Any Dog Bed 
Including crate pads



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OFFER VALID ONLY ON:
10% Off Any Dog Bed
(Including crate pads)



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\$200
off

Any Dog Toy



\$200
off

**Any Pet
Cleaning Products**

\$200
off

**Any Shampoo,
Sprays or Wipes**



\$200
off

**Any Brush or
Grooming Product**



10%
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**Any Flea and
Tick Products**



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\$2 Off any Brush or Grooming Product**



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**Buy Any 6 - Canned Dog Food
and Receive 1 FREE LID**

\$1.00 Any 
off **Engraved Tag**

**Buy Any 3
Whimzee's Chews
and Receive 1 FREE**



10% Any **Supplements**
off *Hip and Joint, Calming, Multi Vitamins,
Water Additive, etc*

10% Any 
off **Thundershirt**



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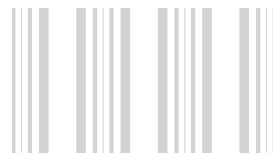
OFFER VALID ONLY ON:
Buy Any 3 Whimzee's Chews
and Receive 1 FREE



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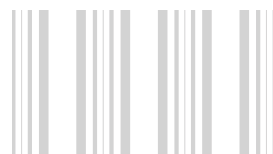
OFFER VALID ONLY ON:
10% Off Any Supplements



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OFFER VALID ONLY ON:
10% Off Any Thundershirt
(Anxiety Shirt)



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EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS COUPONS FOR YOUR NEW KITTEN / CAT

\$200 Any Variety of
off Dry Cat Food



**Buy 5 - Canned Cat Food
and Get 1 FREE**

Must be same brand. Lesser value item will apply to Free Discount.

\$200 Any Freeze Dried
off Cat Food

*Primal, Stella & Chewy's,
OC Raw, or Orijen*





OFFER VALID ONLY ON:
**\$2 Off Any Variety of
Dry Cat Food**



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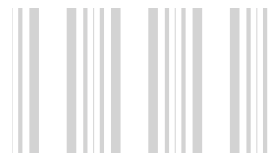
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OFFER VALID ONLY ON:
\$2 Off Any Freeze Dried Cat Food
***Primal, Stella & Chewy's, OC Raw, or Orijen**



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\$200
off

**Any Raw Frozen
Cat Food**

*Primal, Stella & Chewy's,
OC Raw, or Nature's Variety*



10%
off

**Any Variety
of Cat Treats**

10%
off

**Any Variety
of Cat Litter**

10%
off

**Any Cat
Litter Pan**



\$100
off

**Primal Raw
Goat's Milk**

Any Size





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\$2 Off Any Raw Frozen Cat Food



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10% Off Any Variety of Cat Litter



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10% Off Any Cat Litter Pan



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\$1 Off Primal Raw Goat's Milk
***Redeemable for Any Size**



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\$200
off

Any Cat Bed



\$100
off

**Any Cat Toy
or Catnip**

10%
off

**Any Food
Storage Container**

\$100
off

Any Cat Brush 
or Grooming Tools

10%
off

**Any Flea and
Tick Products**



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\$2 Off Any Cat Bed**



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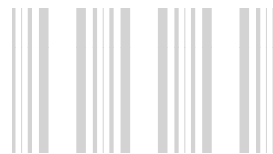
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10% Any Cat Supplements
off and Vitamins

\$100 Any Cat Shampoo
off or Wipes

10% Any
off Cat Collar 

\$100 Any Custom
off Engraved Tag



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and Vitamins**



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10% Off Any Cat Collar



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PET SERVICES AND FACILITIES

Boarding, Daycares, Pet Sitters, Groomers & Training

Below is a list of facilities and people that we at A1 Pet Emporium have used and recommend. Please note that all animals are different, act different and relate to situations differently. So, what might be good for one, may not be for another. This is just a small list of facilities in our area. Please explore these options below, but also feel free to get other referrals from your friends and family.



BOARDING AND DAYCARE FACILITIES

OKC METRO AREA	Central Park Dog Daycare <i>(Classen Curve Location)</i> 5420 N Classen Blvd. Oklahoma City, OK 73118 405- 858-2275	Central Park Dog Daycare <i>(May Location - Daycare Only)</i> 2905 NW 70th St. Oklahoma City, OK 73116 405-842-2222	Mrs. Doolittle's Pet Play & Stay 8613 SW 2nd St. Oklahoma City, OK 73128 405-789-7297
	STAY OKC 1717 E Hefner Rd. Oklahoma City, OK 73131 405-478-7829	The Dog House 5815 Melton Dr. Oklahoma City, OK 73132 405-778-5544	
South OKC Moore Norman	Fur Night & Day, LLC 2651 Venture Dr. Norman, OK 73069 405-579-1244	The Hairy Paw Inn 1701 N Bryant Ave Moore, OK 73160 405-793-7297	Vera's Posh Paws 105 Sutton Cir Moore, OK 73160 405-759-7674
Edmond	Blair's Bark & Board <i>(Owner Lives On Site)</i> Edmond, OK 405-938-8140	Camp Bow Wow 801 Centennial Blvd Edmond, OK 73013 405-359-7297	The Pawparazzi Lounge 3724 E 2nd St, Ste A Edmond, OK 73034 405-341-0057



PET SITTERS

All of Us Home & Pet Services Phone: 405-308-0619 Email: Info@allofusok.com <i>(Serving Mustang, Yukon, Tuttle, & some surrounding areas)</i>	Lori Willis Phone: 405-210-0711 <i>(Serving NW OKC Area)</i>
Danielle Dodd Phone: 269-484-4495 <i>(Serving Central OKC, Blanchard, Norman, Purcell, Del City, Newcastle, & MWC)</i>	Mrs. Doolittle's Pet Stay N Play Phone: 405-664-0500 <i>(Mustang, Yukon, Piedmont, Bethany & Downtown OKC)</i>
Deb Melser Phone: 405-482-4047 * Leave Text Message <i>(Serving OKC, Yukon, Mustang, MWC, Moore & Norman)</i>	Top Paw Pet Services Phone: 405-821-0227 <i>(Serving All OKC Metro Area)</i>
Debra Hix Phone: 405-249-7170 <i>(Serving Edmond Area)</i>	



GROOMING SERVICES

All About Pets 11811 South Western Oklahoma City, OK Phone: 405-692-8000	All of Us Home & Pet Services Phone: 405-308-0619 Email: Info@allofusok.com <i>(Mustang, Yukon, Tuttle, & some surrounding areas)</i>	Barking In Style 9431 N May Ave Oklahoma City, OK 73120 Phone: 405-286-9974
Deer Creek Animal Clinic 17919 N Portland Ave Edmond, OK 73012 Phone: 405-509-6891	Lucky Dog Grooming 714 S. Mustang Rd Yukon, OK 73099 Phone: 405-577-6773	Nazty Dog Groom & Board 2300 S Midwest Blvd Oklahoma City, OK 73110 Phone: 405-455-1623
Pawsh 2000 W Danforth Suite 140 Edmond, OK 73003 Phone: 405-696-9420	The Chisholm Trails Pet Styling Salon 107 S Castle Rock Ln Mustang, OK 73064 Phone: 405-376-4292	The Paw Spa 3720 E 2nd St. Edmond, OK 73034 Phone: 405-705-2444
Vanity Fur Pet Salon 8014 N Western Ave, Ste B Oklahoma City, OK 73114 Phone: 405-418-7817	VCA Kickingbird Animal Hospital 421 N Bryant Ave Edmond, OK 73034 Phone: 405-348-7387	You Lucky Dog Mobile Spa & Groom Phone: 405-816-4019



TRAINING AND OBEDIENCE SERVICES

Full Circle Obedience School 7823 NW 94th St Oklahoma City, OK 73162 Phone: 405-721-7829 Web: 721stay.com	PINK Behavior Modification LLC Moore, OK 73160 Phone: 405-541-2938	Positive Foot Forward (In Home Dog Training) Lynn W. Bennett, Trainer Phone: 405-528-7699 405-589-4153
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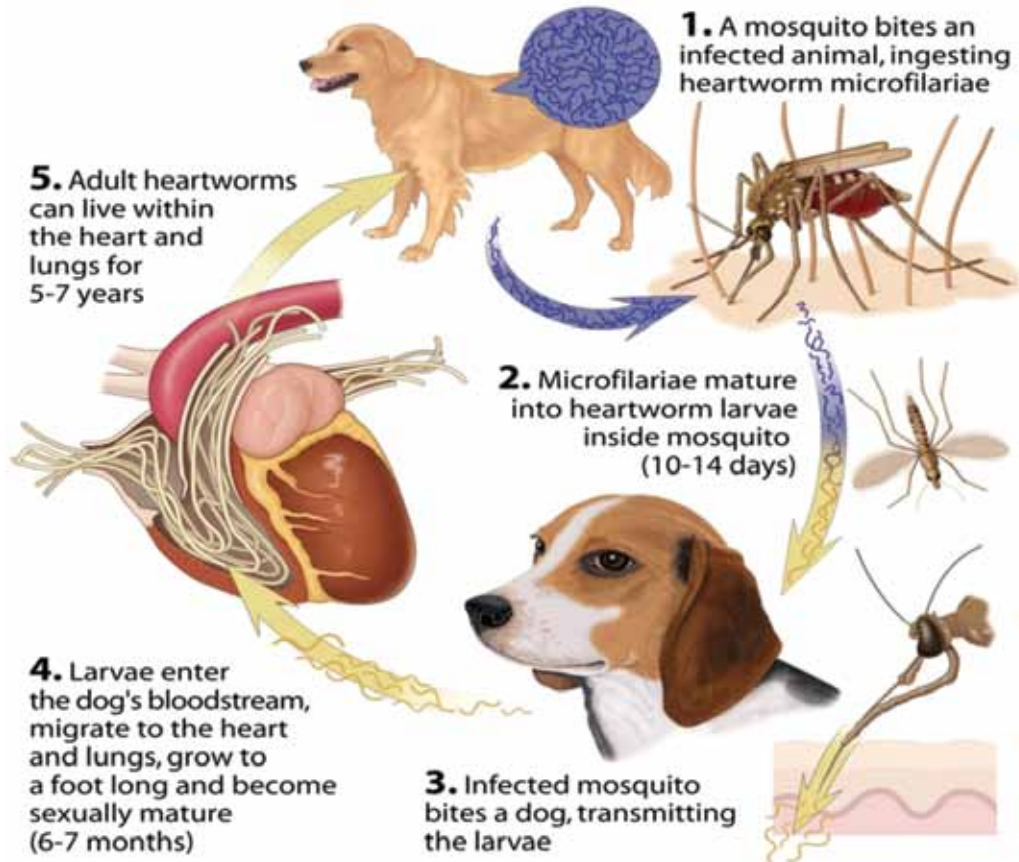
VETERINARY FACILITIES

A1 Pet Emporium hosts VIP Pet Care Clinics on a routine basis at all of their locations (weekly at our NW OKC Location & South OKC Location and every other week at our Edmond Location). The clinic does non-emergency pet care. If you are needing routine vaccinations, heartworm preventative, flea and tick medication, etc. this is a great alternative. No appointments are required. However, it is always a great idea to establish a relationship with a local vet.

Edmond	Edmond East Animal Hospital 5825 E Covell Rd Edmond, OK Phone: 405-701-9000	Gentle Care Animal Hospital 2301 NW 178th Street Edmond, OK 73012 Phone: 405-285-9663	Okoboji 1020 NW 192nd St, Suite L Edmond, OK 73012 Phone: 405-513-5905
Oklahoma City	Britton Road Veterinary Clinic 2826 W Britton Rd Oklahoma City, OK 73120 Phone: 405-751-8007	Council Veterinary Hospital 7930 NW 23rd St Bethany, OK 73008 Phone: 405-787-1001	Wedgewood Pet Clinic 4201 NW Expressway Oklahoma City, OK 73116 Phone: 405-848-3329
South OKC Area	Penn South Pet Clinic 10320 S Pennsylvania Ave Oklahoma City, OK 73159 Phone: 405-691-5245	Ranchwood Veterinary Hospital 10505 S Santa Fe Ave Oklahoma City, OK 73170 Phone: 405-794-5551	
Emergency Vet Clinics (Open 24 hours)	Animal Emergency & Surgery Center 931 SW 74th St Oklahoma City, OK 73139 Phone: 405-631-7828	Blue Pearl Veterinary Partners 1401 W Memorial Rd Oklahoma City, OK 73134 Phone: 405-749-6989	Neel Veterinary Hospital 2700 N MacArthur Blvd Oklahoma City, OK 73127 Phone: 405-947-8387

HEARTWORM FACTS

Dr. Foster & Dr. Smith Educational Staff



Facts you may not know about heartworms and keeping your pet safe from these parasites.

1. The mosquito is the only known vector for transmitting heartworm.
2. The average lifespan of heartworms in untreated pets is 5-7 years in dogs and 2-3 years in cats.
3. Virtually 100% of dogs exposed to infective heartworm larvae become infected; in cats, this number drops to 61% to 90%.
4. According to the Companion Animal Parasite Council, mature heartworms in cats average 21 cm (about 8.5") in length, while those in dogs average longer than 26 cm (10").
5. Heartworm infection in cats exists everywhere heartworm in dogs exists.
6. A study performed at North Carolina State University indicated that 25% of cats infected with heartworms were solely indoor cats.
7. Heartworms may infect more than 30 species of animals including coyotes, foxes, wolves and other wild canids, domestic cats and wild felids, ferrets, marine mammals, and humans.
8. Prevention is far more effective and less costly than treatment.
9. More than 70 species of mosquitoes are capable of transmitting heartworm.
10. Heartworms cannot be passed directly from one pet to another.
11. Many dogs recover from heartworm disease with appropriate treatment, but heartworms cause severe disease and sometimes permanent damage.
12. In cats, there is no effective treatment to kill heartworms.
13. Animals will usually test positive for heartworm disease approximately 6-8 months after they were bitten by an infected mosquito.
14. It is much more difficult to diagnose heartworm disease in cats than in dogs. 15. Heartworms affect cats differently than dogs, but the disease they cause is equally as serious.

Where Does Your Favorite Dog Food Rank?
Some Popular Foods – Alphabetical Order

All of our foods are in bold and score A+

Acana Pacifica / Score 134 A+

Beneful by Purina / Score 17 F

Bil-Jac Select / Score 68 F

Blue Buffalo Chicken & Brown Rice / Score 106 A+

Canidae Grain Free Elements / Score 126 A+

Canidae All Life Stages / Score 121 A+

Chicken Soup for the Dog Lovers Soul / Score 115 A+

Diamond Maintenance / Score 64 F

Diamond Naturals, Grain Free Beef / Score 114 A+

Diamond Lamb Meal & Rice / Score 92 B

Earthborn Holistic Grain Free / Score 125 A+

Eukanuba Large Breed Adult / Score 83 C

Eukanuba Natural Lamb & Rice / Score 87 B

Iams Lamb Meal & Rice Premium / Score 73 D

Iams Large Breed / Score 83 C

Innova Evo / Score 114 A+ (prior to purchase by Proctor & Gamble)

Kirkland Signature Puppy Chicken Rice & Vegetables / Score 108 A+

Merrick Back to Basics, Game Bird / Score 120 A+

Natural Balance Grain Free LID Duck Potato / Score 114 A+

Now Fresh Grain Free Adult / Score 133 A+

Nulo Adult Dog / Score 117 A+

NutriSource Grain Free / Score 123 A+

Nutro Chicken Rice & Oatmeal / Score 85 C

Nutro Natural Choice Large Breed Puppy / Score 87 B

Nutro Natural Choice Lamb & Rice / Score 85 C

Oi Roy / Score 9 F

Orijen Regional Red / Score 137 A+

Pedigree Adult Complete / Score 14 F

Prairie by Nature's Variety / Score 122 A+

Premium Edge Adult Lamb & Rice / Score 117 A+

Pro Pac, Heartland Choice / Score 113 A+

Purina Pro Plan All Breed / Score 68 F

Purina Pro Plan Natural Turkey & Barley / Score 103 A+

Purina Dog Chow / Score 62 F

Purina Come-n-Get-It / Score 16 F

Royal Canin Bulldog / Score 62 F

Royal Canin Natural Blend Adult / Score 106 A+

Science Diet Advanced Protein Senior 7+ / Score 63 F

Science Diet Chicken Adult Maintenance / Score 45 F

Science Diet Large Breed Puppy / Score 69 F

Solid Gold Wolfking Bison / Score 97 A+

Taste of the Wild High Prairie / Score 124 A+

Taste of the Wild Pacific Stream / Score 123 A+

Taste of the Wild Wetlands / Score 123 A+

Victor Grain Free Joint Health / Score 117 A+

Victor Hi-Pro / Score 114 A+

Victor Performance / Score 115 A+

Wellness Super5 Mix Chicken / Score 110 A+

Wholesomes, Chicken & Rice - Score 100 A

Zignature Zssentials / Score 121 A+

** All Highlighted Food Brands listed above are found at A1 Pet Emporium locations.*



NORTH OKC - HQ
2911 W. Britton Rd.
Oklahoma City, OK 73120
405-749-1738 (1PET)
Info@A1PetEmporium.com

SOUTH OKC
11649 S. Western
Oklahoma City, OK 73170
405-759-3660
South@A1PetEmporium.com

EDMOND
432 S. Santa Fe
Edmond, OK 73003
405-509-6644
Edmond@A1PetEmporium.com

Once I was a lonely dog, just looking for a home.
I had no place to go, no one to call my own.
I wandered up and down the streets, in rain in heat and snow.
I ate whatever I could find, I was always on the go.

My skin would itch, my feet were sore, my body ached with pain.
And no one stopped to give a pat or a gently say my name.
I never saw a loving glance, I was always on the run.
For people thought that hurting me was really lots of fun.

And then one day I heard a voice so gentle, kind and sweet,
and arms so soft reached down to me and took me off my feet.
"No one again will hurt you," was whispered in my ear.
"You'll have a home to call your own where you will know no fear.

"You will be dry, you will be warm, you'll have enough to eat.
And rest assured that when you sleep, your dreams will all be sweet."
I was afraid I must admit, I've lived so long in fear.
I can't remember when I let a human come so near.

And as she tended to my wounds and bathed and brushed my fur,
she told me about the rescue group and what it meant to her.
She said, "We are a circle, a line that never ends.
And in the centre there is you, protected by new friends."

"And all around you are the ones that check the pounds,
and those that share their home after you've been found."
"And all the other folk are searching near and far
to find the perfect home for you, where you can be a star."

She said, "There is a family, that's waiting patiently,
and pretty soon we'll find them, just you wait and see."
And then they'll join our circle they'll help to make it grow,
so there'll be room for more like you, who have no place to go."

I waited very patiently, the days they came and went.
Today's the day I thought, my family will be sent.
Then just when I began to think it wasn't meant to be,
there were people standing there just gazing down at me.

I knew them in a heart beat, I could tell they felt it too.
They said, "We have been waiting for a special dog like you."
Now every night I say a prayer to all the gods that be.
"Thank you for the life I live and all you've given me."

But most of all protect the dogs in the pound and on the street.
And send a Rescue Person to lift them off their feet.

Thank you for rescuing!

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