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## Hello, Pet Parents!

Welcome to the February 2019 issue of the Furkids Newsletter. **In this issue >>>> we welcome our newest furkids to the family, recognize some unique days to celebrate, did someone say jobs?, and what in heck is Kon Mari and why do we care?**

\*\* Please feel free to share the information to friends and family through Facebook and email.

If you have any thoughts of products you believe improve life for yourself or your furkids, please send me a note! It may be featured in an upcoming newsletter. And...any spelling & mishaps are mine! I apologize ahead of time if I missed any, I try to catch them. I can only see half words due to my partial blindness (Homonymous Hemianopia), so I might miss some. Amy



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### Welcome Waggin'

Please welcome to the Furkids family - Ava and Ali! Love me some wiggle butts! :-)

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Cat Haven of Greater Baton Rouge is hiring! The information is on their website (link below) and if you or someone you know is a good fit for the world of non-profit and animal rescue, take a look!

**Cat Haven Careers**



## Celebrate This Month!

According to NationalCalendarDay.com, The Month of February recognizes these days:

- \* National Bird Feeding Month
- \* Have a Heart for Chained Dogs Week – 3-9
- \* National Thank a Mail Carrier Day (4th)
- \* National Love Your Pet Day (20th)
- \* National Dog Biscuit Day (23rd)
- \* Spay Day USA (26th)



## Did You Know?

We are an Accredited Business with the Better Business Bureau! It's true! We are the only accredited Pet Sitting business in the Baton Rouge area, and are very proud of our professional affiliations.

## Chase Us!

Follow us on Facebook and Instagram . If you like us and care to leave a review on Google or Facebook, we would appreciate it! If you don't like us, well....call Amy first. :-)



===== Kon Mari Method!

Are you doing the KonMari Method or know someone who is? Want to help out the kitties at the same time? The Here Today Gone Tomorrow thrift store works with local non-profits in our community. Donate new or used items to HTGT under the Cat Haven code #628 and Cat Haven will receive 50% of the proceeds from your items! This is a great way to work the method and help the rescue!

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## Furkids Favorites!

It doesn't take much to get us excited, and a client mixing some litter together got us excited. A mixture of wheat scoop and fresh step litter (50/50) and it is the nicest combination of a light clumping litter we have "played" in! Like I said, it doesn't take much to get us excited...



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## Why A Professional Pet Sitter?

According to The Humane Society, Professional Pet Sitters do much more than provide a pet with food and water while their parents are away from home. A good pet sitter also spends quality time with the animal, gives them exercise and knows how to tell if they need veterinary attention. What's more, pet sitters typically offer additional services, such as taking in mail and newspapers and watering plants.

But just because someone calls themselves a pet sitter doesn't mean they're qualified to do the job.

*A pet sitter—a professional, qualified individual paid to care for your pet—offers both you and your pet many benefits.*

### Your pet gets:

- The environment they know best.
- Their regular diet and routine.
- Relief from traveling to and staying in an unfamiliar place with other animals (such as a boarding kennel).
- Attention while you're away.

### You get:

- Happier friends and neighbors, who aren't burdened with caring for your pet.
- The peace of mind that comes from knowing that your pet is being cared for by a professional.
- Someone to bring in your newspaper and mail so potential burglars don't know you're away.
- Someone who will come to your home, saving you trips to boarding kennels.
- Other services provided by most pet sitters, such as plant watering and pet grooming.



## Goodbye Jake.

Although I never was able to pet you or love on you like so many other furkids, you still had a piece of my heart. I called you the Dr. Who cat, you had a way of sneaking up on me like the Weeping Angels when I would turn around and "Blink". Your silent way of sneaking around and stalking had a way of making me jump. I am pretty sure you got a rise out of it.

You touched many of us, and we all have the scars to prove it. But you had your favorite person in the world, and being a one person cat, your mom will miss you terribly.

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**As always, kiss those babies for me,  
Amy - Furkid Sitting & Services, LLC**

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