WHAT'S BARKIN?

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IS YOUR PET CONSIDERED A SENIOR?

As your pet gets older, it's important to get them checked out by a Veterinarian at least once a year. For dogs, this starts at the age of 6 and for cats, 10 years of age. At AMSH we offer senior wellness packages to check your pet from head to tail. It includes a physical examination, complete blood count, urinalysis, x-rays, and glaucoma screening. These important bases cover everything your pet needs to promote a long life. Here are some signs to watch out for that could be concerning for a senior pet to see a Veterinarian immediately:

- Not acting like himself/ herself
- Having difficulty with mobility
- Drinking more often
- Noticeably gaining or losing weight
- Losing housetraining habits





SCAN ME TO DOWNLOAD THE FREE PETDESK APP



- Earn Rewards for Services Purchased
- Keep Track of your Pets Health
- Request/ Cancel Appointments
- Receive Notifications about Pet
- **Contact Staff**



LETS TALK JOINT HEALTH

Having good mobility enables your pet to have a more enjoyable life whether they are young or old. It's important to look for signs that your pet might need a joint supplement such as; trouble getting up or down, stiffness when moving, favoring one leg, or joint swelling. Any of these could be a sign your pet is having joint issues making them extremely uncomfortable. If you believe your pet is in need of more mobility, ask your Veterinarian for a physical examination to diagnose the problem. We carry many products in-house for your convenience to give to your pet at home. Here's what we suggest:

Synovial Flex Advanced: Soft chew to help ease dogs joint stiffness and support joint function and flexibility.

Dasuquin Advanced: Soft chew that delivers comprehensive joint support to help keep your dog active and moving.

Cosequin: Sprinkle capsule to put on cats food to help support cartilage production and protect existing cartilage from breakdown.

EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

Alexis Kern has been at AMSH for 2 years now and works both as an Animal Caregiver and Nurse Assistant. Her hobbies include cheerleading and crocheting. Her favorite color is pastel pink. Alexis just recently graduated High School and will start her freshman year at TCC this fall to begin her Pre-Vet Med degree. She intends to go to OSU to obtain her DVM. At work she enjoys playing with all of the pets who board. When she's at home, she likes learning new crafting ideas! We love having Alexis on our team, we can't wait to see how much she grows as an employee and a student.









JUNE PETS OF THE MONTH



CONGRATS TABITHA AND PO



BROKEN ARROW















GET TO KNOW TABITHA

Tabitha, otherwise known as Tabbers, is a 21-year-old orange tabby cat! She enjoys being brushed, massaged, and carried around the house by her two favorite people in the world; mommy and daddy. As you can tell from her picture, she likes to be one with nature. Therefore, her parents think that if she had a human career, she would be a florist! When she isn't busy looking out her favorite window though, you can find Tabitha playing catch the mouse on a string. She also enjoys chasing the spinning mouse her parents bought for her which is always a kick to watch. With that, we've been extremely happy to serve Tabitha for the past 6 years at AMSH. She truly is the sweetest soul and extremely loving towards everyone she meets.

GET TO KNOW PO

This 5-month-old ragdoll named Po stole our hearts the minute he walked through the door a couple of months ago. He enjoys playing with bottles and a good ol' fashioned game of catch. When we asked his mom what his human career would be, she said an explorer. She even says he can walk on two feet! When Po isn't busy on adventures, he likes hanging out with his older sister, Sunia, and looking forward to food time. He even has two very specific smells that he likes; donuts and flowers. Our hospital has enjoyed having Po be a part of the AMSH family and watching him grow. His blue eyes can make anyone melt so our staff always looks forward to his visits. We can't wait to give him lots of love on his next visit.

BOARDING

We offer in-house boarding with a top notch kennel staff here 7 days a week ready to give your pet all the care and love they need while you're away.

GOT FRIENDS?

We appreciate your referrals. Tell a friend about us, and when they come and see us you'll get \$10 towards your next visit and they get \$20 off of their initial visit.

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