

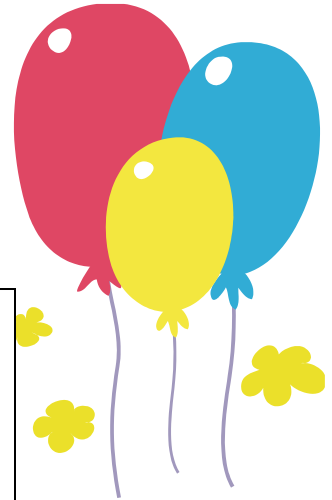


Monday - Friday 10 to 6  
Saturday 9 to 4  
Sunday Closed

May 2011

## Spot On...

On **Saturday May 7<sup>th</sup>** our friends from Spot and Company will be here to help us kick off our 5<sup>th</sup> year in business celebration. Sue Pearson and Judy Warth will be at the store from 1-3 to answer training questions and provide some fun and useful demonstrations. There will be short demos on the half hour with plenty of time for questions. Leash on Life will have information and samples of healthy and yummy training treats for your dog. We may even have some treats for you. We'll have to see how well trained you are!



- 1:00 -- You have a new puppy/dog – now what?
- 1:30 -- To pee or not to pee – where, is the question?  
(and other fascinating tips on behavior)
- 2:00 -- Training made easy, effective – and fun!
- 2:30 -- Fun and games with your dog – entertaining and useful tricks

## Up and Running...

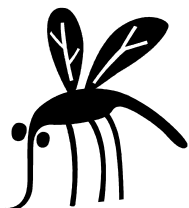
Check it out, Leash on Life has a new and improved web site [www.leashonlife.net](http://www.leashonlife.net) You will find fun pictures, a few quotes and most of all information about the store, our products, what's new, and links to community services. Please check it out. There is more to come.

## The Polls are Still Open...

We are very pleased to have been nominated for the KCRG A-list as one of Eastern Iowa's best pet stores. Our two and four legged customers are very important to us. If you haven't voted you can go on-line and vote for us. While we will appreciate your vote, what we truly appreciate is you and your pet companions. You can vote for many of our favorite Iowa City businesses until May 15th at <http://kcrg.cityvoter.com/> . To make it easy here is the direct link to the Leash on Life voting page <http://kcrg.cityvoter.com/leash-on-life/biz/74051>



## Heartworms...



Oh, be still my beating heart—it's that time of year again. Not only pesky, those mosquitoes are a significant health threat to your dog. Prior to starting a prevention program, a heartworm check must be performed by your veterinarian. Your veterinarian will then prescribe a continuous (yearly) or seasonal (from thaw to frost) preventative program based on your dog's needs. Not just for dogs anymore - heartworm preventative is also recommended for your cat.

## Arts Fest...

Everyone's favorite summer kick-off, the Iowa City Art's Festival is just a month away, June 3-5. This year you can enjoy a **doggone** fabulous and **sophisticated** weekend. Friends of the Animal Center Foundation (FACF) Animal Art Adoption will be held at the Chait Gallery and Englert Theater. Be sure to join the gallery walk on Friday June 3<sup>rd</sup> from 5-8pm. This unique fundraiser is an easy way to liven your walls with new adopted (purchased) animal art. Leash on Life is proud to again be among the sponsors for this event. A juried competition was held in multiple categories. We congratulate all of the participants and winners, including Laurie Haag Photography. The FACF Artist Reception is from 2-4pm on Saturday, June 4 at the Chait Gallery and is free and open to the public.



### Hours:

Englert: 5pm-8pm Friday June 3<sup>rd</sup> and 12-5pm Saturday June 4th.

Chait Galleries: 10am-8pm Friday, 10am-5pm on Saturday and 12-4pm on Sunday June 5th.



## Not Just for Cats Anymore...

*Fat Cat, Inc* is leaping to new heights in toys. Yes, it is true the ShowGulls™ are one of our favorites. They are all about the Glitz-n-Glamour that cats love! ShowGulls™ shimmy and shake their tail feathers and strut their Organic Catnip. But the dogs have been yelling, "Encore"! We want something for us. The Freeze and Chew™ is just the thing for new puppies and for the warm summer weather that is sure to get here. Just soak the Weiner Pop in water, stuff it into the zip lock bag and freeze. It is designed to be refrozen time and time again.



## Adoptable Dog of the Month, Samira...

Here is something you don't see every day. Samira is an Afghan Hound. She is about two years old and is independent and easy-going. She likes people but prefers to explore her environment or just hang out. She's a



little playful at times, and may be more so once she is in a comfortable home. Samira is available at the Iowa City Adoption Center, call (319) 356-5295 or visit [www.icanimalcenter.org](http://www.icanimalcenter.org) to learn more about any of the dogs and cats at the Center.



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