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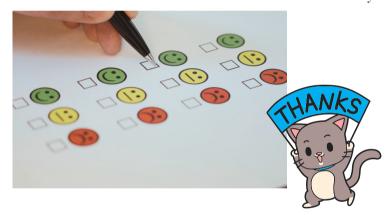
Your Feedback Matters

At Peace of Mind Pets RVA, we strive to provide the best pet care services for your furry family members. Their care, and your satisfaction are our top priorities, and we value your feedback to help us continually improve our services.

We invite you to participate in our Client Satisfaction Survey. Your input is invaluable understanding in your experiences with our pet sitting, boarding, dog walking, drop-in visit, and services. By sharing your thoughts, you contribute to making the care your pets receive and our services even better.

To access the survey, please click <u>HERE</u> or on the link provided in the introduction to this survey. You can find it in your email, or in the conversation section of Time to Pet.

Your feedback is important to us, and we appreciate you taking the time to share your thoughts. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to reach out to us directly.



Introducing Lockboxes

In an effort to cut down on the key shuffle, we'll be instituting a lock box policy for clients that don't have electronic entry or in addition to electronic entry. I know we all panic when we forget to take a key to a visit or someone forgets to leave a key for us. I am all about reducing stress for us and you!

We've been trialing these specific lockboxes. They have proven to be easy to set up and use. They attach easily to gates, doors, and fencing. You are welcome to purchase your own lockbox. These are \$12.99 from Amazon and can be ordered <u>HERE</u>. If you prefer, you can let me know and we will order, install, and invoice you accordingly.



It is National Walk Your Dog Month

You know that your dog loves a good walk. Well, January is the perfect time to start a healthy habit for them. If you've been on the fence about hiring a dog walker consider these benefits:

- 1) Daily walks can provide a great opportunity to reinforce training. Instead of serving breakfast in a bowl, leave it for your walker to dole out on the walk as a reward for performing desired behaviors.
- 2) Keeping your pet at a healthy weight will also help to keep them out of the vet's office!
- 3) Daily walks provide an excellent source of mental stimulation. This helps to enrich your dogs life and stave off boredom which can lead to unwanted behaviors.

Login to Time to Pet to request walks for your 4 legged best friend today!



Hidden Sugar Alternatives

Trying to keep up with various sugar alternatives, and what seems like an infinite number of names marketing campaigns come up with for them, can be a big job. Please keep a close check on what you're bringing into your home. Look for the following names on product labels: xylitol, birch sugar, birch sap, sorbitol, erythritol.

Some common household products that contain these ingredients are:

- CHEWING GUM
- BREATH MINTS
- SUGAR-FREE CANDY
- TOOTHPASTE
- MOUTHWASH
- MEDICINE
- CANNED PUMPKIN
- PEANUT BUTTER
- JAM AND JELLY
- SYRUP
- BAKED GOODS/ MIXES

- ICE CREAM
- YOGURT
- PROTEIN BARS/POWDERS
- WATER-FLAVORING PACKETS
- LIP GLOSS
- SHAMPOO
- SUNSCREEN
- CBD PRODUCTS

