

KAC Newsletter

Hello and welcome to the 1st Quarterly Kentuckiana Newsletter! In our newsletter you will find helpful information, resources, and happenings in your Kentuckiana Animal Clinic! Please enjoy and feel free to share this with anyone you think might benefit from it! And as always, THANK YOU for choosing us to partner with as your pet's healthcare provider!



Kentuckiana Animal Clinic voted BEST VETERINARIAN in OWENSBORO!

First off, very special THANK YOU to everyone who voted for us as the Best Veterinarian of Owensboro 2017! We are so blessed to have such wonderful clients and patients! We truly are honored to have received this honor and we look forward to working to make each year even better. Thank you, Owensboro!



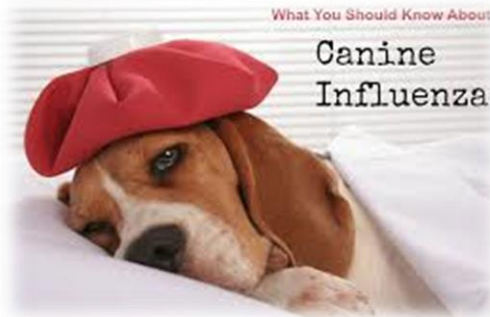
Welcome to Kentuckiana, DR. LEAH BASHAM!

We are very excited to welcome Dr. Leah Basham to our veterinary team here at Kentuckiana! Originally from Cloverport, KY, she completed her undergraduate at Western Kentucky in 2005 and her doctorate of veterinary medicine at Auburn University in 2009. She has practiced both in general and emergency hospitals in Evansville, IN and Lexington, KY. She has special interest in emergency medicine as well as ultrasound. In her free time she enjoys, camping, kayaking, and spending time with her "fur" kids: Silas (Doberman), Stella (Pomeranian), and Wylie the cat.

Dr. Basham looks forward to meeting the wonderful clients and patients here in the Owensboro area and will begin accepting appointments here at Kentuckian in August.

Call our office at 270-684-2949 or make an appointment online (click the link below) to reserve an appointment and welcome Dr. Basham to the KAC Veterinary Team!

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Dog Flu?

Many of us have heard about the Canine Influenza (CIV) or “Dog Flu” by now, but there is some specific information we as pet owners need to make sure we are aware of. Symptoms of Canine Influenza can range from mild to severe and are often self-limiting. Fever, lethargy, cough, eye and nose discharge are most common. It is highly contagious. Though we have not had any confirmed cases of flu in Owensboro yet. Vaccines are available for both the H3N8 and H3N2 strains of canine influenza virus. The flu vaccination is a "lifestyle" vaccination,

recommended for dogs at risk of exposure due to their increased exposure to other dogs – such as boarding, attending social events with dogs present, and visiting dog parks. Elderly or immune-compromised pets should also be considered. The H3N2 vaccine is available at Kentuckiana. If your dog has not been vaccinated for this before, an initial vaccine followed by a booster 3 weeks later will be needed.

For additional information you can visit <https://www.avma.org/public/PetCare/Pages/CanineInfluenza.aspx>

Going somewhere?

Need to board your dog or cat? Don't forget, here at Kentuckiana we are a hospital that also has a boarding facility attached! This means that we can provide the lodging your pet needs while you are away and you can relax knowing that your pet has direct access to our healthcare team. Give us a call today to book your pet's reservation and don't forget to ask what specials there might be for boarding with us!



Ugh! What did my pet roll in?!

Sorry, we don't know either! LOL We can help with the smell though! We know situations like this do not come at a convenient time for you, so here at Kentuckiana we can do baths the same day you need it done. Just call us or simply bring your pet in during our normal office hours and we will get them bathed and smelling better that day!

Want to save some money?
Check out these programs the Kentuckiana offers...



Kentuckiana's Pet Annual Wellness (PAW) Plans

provide for the yearly care your pet needs at a discounted price (35-40 %!). Additionally, professional services not included in the plan itself receive 5 to 15% off. Our PAW Plans also allow installment payments to easily be made on this plan each month. Call us today for details!

Our **Pet Pals program** is our way of thanking clients for referring friends and family to us. For each person you refer to us, we will give you a **\$25 credit on your account** AND give the new client you referred to us a **\$25 credit on their account** as well!



Don't forget to **check-in on Facebook** during your next visit!
Show us that you checked in and receive a **\$5 credit on your account!**

Make sure to download the **KAC App** on your smartphone or smart device!
With the KAC App you can:

- Receive notifications and reminders
- Request appointments/foods/prescriptions
- Start your loyalty card and track your loyalty stamps
- Even send your pets "selfies" to us to share on our Facebook page!

