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**Canine Therapy Teams**

PORTLAND AREA CANINE THERAPY TEAMS

# January 2025 Newsletter

## New Year, New Adorable Visits



*Beaverton B-SOBR Graduation*



*Bybee Lakes Holiday Visit*



*Courthouse Holiday visit*



*Dan and Roger*



*Houdini Sleeping on the Job*



*Holiday Visit*



*PDX Holiday Visit*



*Multnomah County Courthouse Visit*



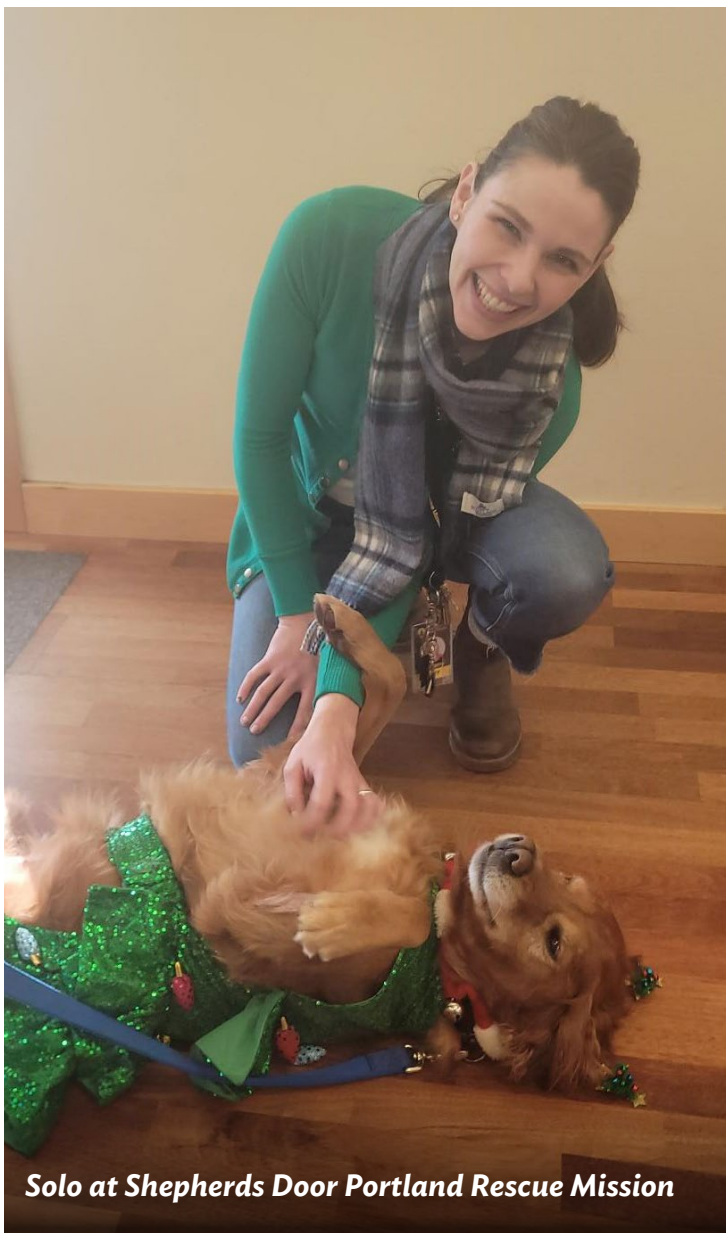
*Multnomah County Judges and Staff Visit*



*Presidio and Willow at PDX*



*Rosella Visiting Dove Lewis*



*Solo at Shepherds Door Portland Rescue Mission*



*Sparrow Mult.Co.Public Defenders*



*Trillium Family Services Holiday Visit*



*Teams Visiting Multnomah County Courthouse*



*Presidio and Willow at PDX Holiday Market*



*Houdini Spreading the Love*



*Willow and Presidio at PDX*



*Bybee Lakes with Willow and Huey*

# Pet Loss Support Program

The loss of a pet can be devastating. For many, this is a loss not only of a beloved companion animal but of a best friend and cherished family member. We share our lives, dreams, homes, and affections with our companions. They touch our lives deeply and are deserving of our grief.

Grieving for a beloved pet is a natural and personal process that deserves expression and acknowledgment. The DoveLewis Pet Loss Support Program offers free monthly support group meetings, providing a comforting space for reflection, sharing, listening, and healing at your own pace.



## Upcoming FEBRUARY Pet Loss Support Meetings:

- Thursday, February 6 | 12:00-1:30 PM | In-Person Meeting
- Thursday, February 13 | 6:30-8:00 PM | Virtual Meeting
- Tuesday, February 18 | 6:30-8:00 PM | In-Person Meeting
- Thursday, February 20 | 5:00-6:30 PM | Virtual Meeting

## Upcoming MARCH Pet Loss Support Meetings:

- Thursday, March 6 | 12:00-1:30 PM | In-Person Meeting
- Thursday, March 13 | 6:30-8:00 PM | Virtual Meeting
- Tuesday, March 18 | 6:30-8:00 PM | In-Person Meeting
- Thursday, March 20 | 5:00-6:30 PM | Virtual Meeting

## Upcoming APRIL Pet Loss Support Meetings:

- Thursday, April 3 | 12:00-1:30 PM | In-Person Meeting
- Thursday, April 10 | 6:30-8:00 PM | Virtual Meeting
- Tuesday, April 15 | 6:30-8:00 PM | In-Person Meeting
- Thursday, April 17 | 5:00-6:30 PM | Virtual Meeting



[Click Here or Scan the QR Code to Learn More](#)

# Virtual Service of Remembrance

Sunday, February 23 | 1:00-2:00 PM

Join our online memorial service to honor your beloved animal companions. The bi-annual Service of Remembrance celebrates the lasting impact animals have on our lives. Connect with a community that understands this bond as we come together online to commemorate our animal companions who are no longer with us. Experience words of care and comfort from DoveLewis staff and hear a personal message from a fellow pet owner.

Share your special companion's memory by submitting a photo with your registration, and these photos will be included in a special slideshow presentation following the service.

## Virtual Service of Remembrance

Presented By DoveLewis

[Click Here to Register to Attend](#)



## Additional Pet Loss Support Offerings

Grief deserves to be witnessed, and it needs expression. Sharing and giving voice to experiences of profound love and loss through our Pet Loss Support Groups is one way people may find that expression. And for some, it may serve them to find expression by memorializing their beloved companions creatively through art or writing.

**Virtual Memorial Writing Workshop: Sunday, March 9 from 3-5pm**

In partnership with Write Around Portland.

**Memorial Art Workshop: Sunday, April 20 from 3-4:30pm**

Past projects have included memorial candles, picture frames, pendants, and flower pots.



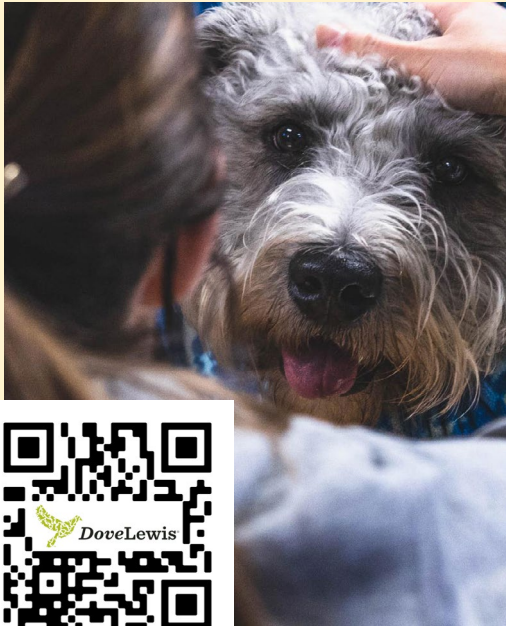
**write around**<sup>®</sup>  
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## Provide Support for Fellow Animal

We are grateful for the contributions from generous donors who make it possible for the Pet Loss Support Program to offer its services to our community of loving families. If it serves you, we welcome you to donate in honor of your beloved companion and to continue to make this space available in the future.



[Scan the QR Code to Donate](#)



## Virtual Caregiver Support Group

Caring for a beloved companion animal who has special needs or a life-limiting illness is an act of love and can come with challenges and frustrations. While we lovingly provide care to our cherished companions, it can also be a confusing, tiring, overwhelming, and isolating experience. The Caregiver Support Group is a space where people can connect to learn about topics relevant to caring for a companion, as well as yourself, and to find support in community with others.

Free Monthly Meetings on Zoom. Visit [dovelewis.org/events](https://dovelewis.org/events) to register. Or scan the QR code.

## Share Your Messages of Love

February is often all about love so we're bringing back our messages of love for our pets! Our February PACTT Newsletter will be dedicated to your messages to your sweet pets. All pets are welcome!

Deadline is February 24.

[Click here to write your message.](#)



# Our Medical Center is Open!

Our new specialty facility, located directly across from our existing hospital, is now open! Together, our 24/7 hospital and new facility form a comprehensive center for veterinary care. From urgent and emergency care to specialty treatments, everything pets and families need is in one place.

[Read More about Our Growth in the Portland Business Journal.](#)



## Cozy Up With Some PACTT Merchandise



Check out all the PACTT merchandise available for you including polos, long sleeves, and more. [Click Here to Shop Now!](#)



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