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OUR SUITES ARE OFFICIALLY OPEN!

Introducing our NEW for the summer Rustic Cabin Suites! We now provide:

Presidential Rustic Cabins (54 Sq Ft)

Our premium Rustic Cabins are 54 sq ft in size and include a wonderful window view! These beautiful cabins also include a Kuranda bed and TV with your choice of Doggie DVD's from our movie list.

Room Service is included twice a day from our "PawsCienda House Menu" with morning and evening maid service.

5 Outdoor potty breaks and brief play times are included each day.

Rustic Luxury Cabins (36 sq ft)

Our brand new Rustic Luxury Cabins are purrrfect for your dog's vacation! Our window view cabins are 36 sq ft in size and include a Kuranda bed and TV with your choice of Doggie DVD's from our movie list.

Our larger Rustic Luxury Cabins (48 sq ft) are perfect for larger families.

Room Service is included twice a day from our "PawsCienda House Menu" with morning and evening maid service.

5 Outdoor potty breaks and brief play times are included each day.

Luxury Senior/Assisted Living Cabins

Our Luxury Senior / Assisted Living Cabin is for our furry friends who need extra special attention. This spacious cabin includes a Kuranda bed and TV with your choice of Doggie DVD's from our movie list.

Room Service is included twice a day from our "PawsCienda House Menu" with morning and evening maid service.

5 Outdoor potty breaks and brief play times are included each day.



Our Memorial Day Party!

We had a DayCamp party celebrating Memorial Day and it was a blast! Here are some of those pictures: check out our facebook page to see more!



DOGGIE DayCamp
DOG OF THE MONTH!



Caleb Hulshizer – Employee of the Month

Congratulations to Caleb Hulshizer, Senior Kennel Technician / Maintenance, for being selected the May 2019 "Employee of the Month".

Caleb has been working at the PawsCienda Pet Resort since May 2017. His responsibilities include supervising kennel shifts as a Senior/Lead Kennel Technician and maintaining PawsCienda's beautiful landscape, as well as many other 'handy' tasks.

Caleb is a Senior Homeschool student who will be graduating this spring. In his free time, Caleb enjoys working on cars, fishing and riding around on four wheelers.



Why should you not shave your double coated dog?



Double coated dogs refer to the animals that, like Huskies, have two layers of fur. The first, or undercoat, are the fine, fluffy hairs that are short and crimp (closest to the skin). It's the fur that sheds; light and soft. This layer is excellent at trapping air and insulating the dog. Essentially it keeps them warm in the winter, and cool in the summer.

The topcoat is made up of tougher guard hairs that don't shed, and protect your pet from the sun's harmful rays and bug bites. It actually insulates them from the heat. What this means is: do not shave your double coated dog. It's a mistake to think you're helping your animal stay cool, particularly in summer, when evolution has provided them exactly what they need to survive. By stripping them of their natural ability to heat and cool themselves, you could be doing more harm than good.

A key piece of understanding in this matter is that, unlike humans; dogs do not cool themselves through their skin. At most, it is only the pads of their paws that sweat. Their main mode of cooling comes from panting.

Some other common reasons folks shave their doubled coated dogs are the thinking that the animal will stop shedding. Pooches with undercoats shed, no two ways about it. But even after a shave, while the hair may be shorter, it can still shed.

Another is, "it'll always grow back". Sometimes it will, other times it won't. The older the pooch is, the less likely it is that the topcoat of guard hairs will grow back. This leaves them with the undercoat, giving them a patchy, scruffy look. It can alter their coat for the rest of the dog's life. Not only does it look bad, but you can end up having to shave the hair continuously from then on and once again, you strip them of their natural ability to protect themselves.

In conclusion, when you shave a double coated dog, you may irreparably impair their ability to properly heat/cool themselves and protect their skin. The best way to keep this kind of dog cool and comfortable is to regularly bathe and brush them. The only reason a person might need to shave their double coated dog is if the hair is so matted, it's the only option.



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GROOMING HIGHLIGHTS

