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GOLD COAST YORKSHIRE TERRIER CLUB OF SOUTH FLORIDA INC.

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## Does your dog need it's teeth cleaned. If so read this...



I wanted to have Fate's teeth cleaned. I normally do this once per year. I spoke to Pat Caruso & she told me that Tina Valant (our beloved member who passed away earlier this year) had given her a recommendation for a vendor who does non-anesthetic dental cleaning. I have to say that Tina, "God bless her soul" knew a LOT about pet care for ALL size doas.

I decided to give it a try with the non-anesthetic approach. My reason being that I had Buttons teeth cleaned every year. When he was 12 I had it done. He went in with a small cataract in one eye. Within 3 weeks of him having his teeth cleaned he was completely blind in both eyes!!! I couldn't figure what happened to him. His life was forever changed after he lost his vision.

When I had Dr. Zafir come to the house to euthanize Buttons in '21 I told him about Buttons losing his sight within weeks of having a teeth cleaning. Dr. Zafir said that the anesthesia did it. That it was not uncommon for this to happen with older dogs given anesthesia. This is why even though Fate just turned 6 this sounded like a good option to try.

I cannot tell you how THRILLED I was with this service.... VIP Pet Smile.

Raphael Mattos was the tech & he was TERRIFIC! I got an appointment 9 days after calling.

Fate's teeth never looked better. He showed me before & after photos. She was completely calm when he brought her back in the house. I thought she would probably take off as soon as he put her down but to my surprise she actually went up to him to have him pet her!

They travel from Miami - Jupiter & do ALL size dogs. He showed me a video of him doing a Pit Bull.

The price was \$170.00 & he did it in my driveway!

I HIGHLY recommend this companu.

They sell all kinds of dental cleaning aids on their website.

I told Raphael that I was a member of GYTC as well as OTCPBC.

If you call please give them my name. I'd really like to help promote this business.

Thanks!

Betty



Raphael Mattos VIP Pet Smile 754-236-4524 www.vippetsmile.com



1450 N. Federal Hwy. Boca Raton, FL. A raffle is planned.

(No dogs at this meeting.
Due to the heat we will be eating inside.)



#### Paw-li-days

October 1 - 7: National Walk Your Dog Week

October 12: National Pet Obesity Awareness Day

October 15: National Fetch Day

October 17: National Pets for Veterans Day

October 22: Make a Dog's Day
October 31: Happy Halloween



#### HAPPY HALLOWEEN

Yorkie: "Why have you bought flea shampoo?"

Owner: "To get rid of your fleas."

Yorkie: "You can't. I promised Paul, John,

Ringo, & George that they could stay."

Owner: "You named your fleas?" Yorkie: "They are the Fleatles!

They were like 'We need somebody."





"Dogs are so weird. They're just little individuals that live in your house and you can't speak to each other but you're best friends." Unknown

## TRICK TREAT



Yorkie Peanut Butter Banana Ice Cream Cups

You'll need: 4 bananas, 48 oz of plain Greek
yogurt, 1 cup of peanut butter (make sure there
is no xylitol in it) and dog treat toppers

- Put the bananas, yogurt, and peanut butter in your blender and blend on high.
- Pour the mixture into the small cups and add the dog treats to the top.
- Put lids on the top and freeze them for at least six hours.
  - Serve them up to your dogs!



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### The Yorkie Corner"

Dear Fellow-Yorkies,



Fate Gansky 'Pooh'



Aura Gansky Termite/ Terrorist/Rodent

Sophie Freeman

thank you to everyone who submitted your

photo & answer to - "the funniest nickname your Mom calls you". Jessie shared her secret, when there is food

involved she will respond to any nickname her Mom wishes to call her. Smart move Jessie!

Aura, you may have some explaining to do. Are your nicknames insinuating something?

Molly, we will be fact-checking your nickname. 'Molly Monster'! Not with your adorable face!

Sophie wishes to inform the group she will ONLY respond to her forename!

Friends, although these nicknames may sound quirky and amusing; in reality they are terms of endearment and never ending LOVE!

tail-wags, Giavanna 🐾 Co-Editor



Giavanna Caruso 'Bub-py or Peanut'



'Jessie Wetsie' or 'Wiggle Worm'



Molly K. 'Molly Monster'



Hi Style Juan Diego Garcia K. 'John'



CGH Penny Lane K. 'Penny Poo Poo'





Sir Paul K