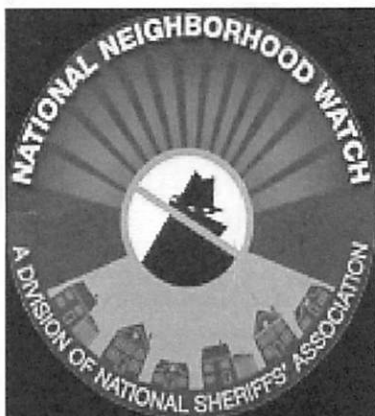


The CONNECTOR



NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

is the most effective way of keeping our neighborhood safe.

Here at Kearney Lodge Mobile Home Park, we have a fantastic Chairman, Bob Muse, and he is working really

hard to get our Neighborhood Watch program running again.

We need Block Captains that are willing to keep an extra eye around where they live and to receive information from their neighbors about anything out of line or suspicious.

The Committee meets once a month to report all activity in the park and to keep everyone informed. Please come to the meeting. It is important that we keep our park safe for everyone.

Please attend the next Neighborhood Watch meeting, April 7, at 6:00 PM in the front meeting room and help keep our neighborhood safe.



SHARE A RECIPE

We, the Kearney Lodge Mobile Home Park residents, are living in a very international neighborhood.

There are many residents here from different nationalities.

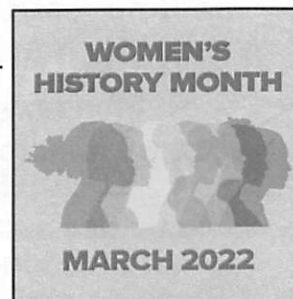
We would love for you to share a recipe from your homeland. Please drop your recipe off at space 318 or email it to yadombrow@yahoo.com.

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MARCH IS WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

The Library of Congress, National Archives and Records Administration, National Endowment for the Humanities, National Gallery of Art, National Park Service, Smithsonian Institution, and United States Holocaust Memorial Museum join in commemorating and encouraging the study, observance and celebration of the vital role of women in American history.

See: [Women's History Month \(womenshistorymonth.gov\)](http://Women'sHistoryMonth.gov)



The next *Kearney Lodge Community Connection (KLCC)* meeting is Saturday, MARCH 12, 2022 at 2:00 pm in the Clubhouse.

THE SAN DIEGO RETIRED SENIOR VOLUNTEER PROGRAM IS ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS.

Another way to help keep our community safe. Assist Area San Diego Police Stations in providing an increased level of safety and crime prevention by patrolling with a partner and performing security house checks, visiting home-bound seniors, assisting with traffic control, and other duties.

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Application Forms, plus cash or check accepted by the 15th of the month before publication.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Contact Kearney Lodge Park **Security** via the Direct Line to the Duty Officer at 619-581-1060.

Kearney Lodge Office — 858-277-6060

<http://www.kearneylodge.net>

Hours: Monday—Tuesday—Wednesday—Thursday & Friday @ 9 am — 12 pm.

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Leave live or voicemail messages with the answering service after regular office hours.

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Be sure to keep a copy for your records.

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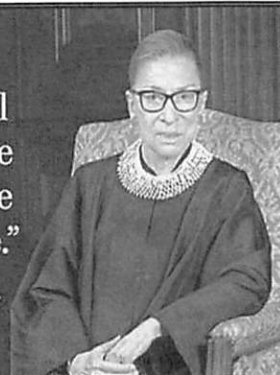
With just two drivers for the entire Park, many residents cannot get transportation service. **Additional volunteer drivers are requested.**

Call 858-279-6088 to be added as a volunteer driver. In the meantime, if you need transportation, please call Lynnda at 619-977-4472 OR Bob at 858-232-9183. Please coordinate all schedules. Compensation may also be arranged with the drivers.

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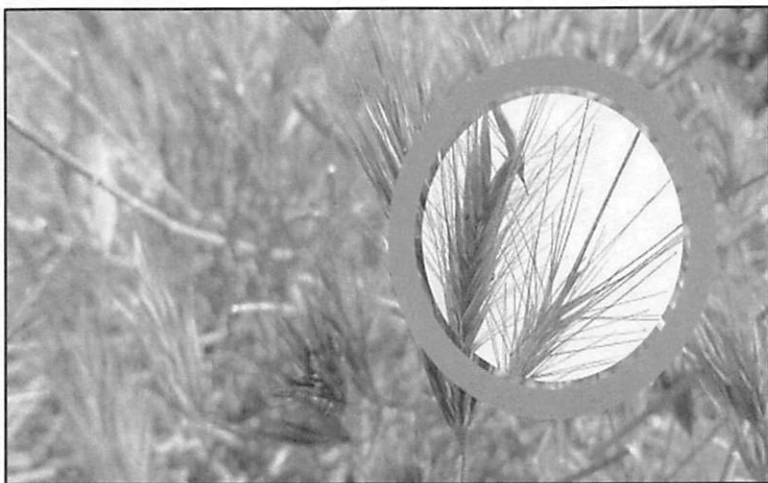
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WHY FOXTAILS ARE DANGEROUS TO PETS

• Dr. Fiona Lee, DVM

At first glance foxtails, referred to in some regions as cheat grass, seem innocent enough. But beyond that innocent exterior lurks a menace that can easily wreak havoc with your dog or cat's health.

WHAT ARE FOXTAILS?

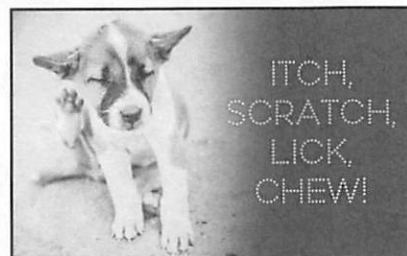
Foxtails are simply foxtail shaped clusters of seeds on the stalks of certain types of grasses. The clusters have sharp points designed by nature to penetrate the soil once the cluster comes loose from the plant, enabling the seeds to take hold in the ground and grow roots.

Grasses with this feature can be found all around the country but are most common in the Western United States. The greatest foxtail problem occurs in California. Foxtails are most troublesome to dog and cat owners in the late spring and summer in drier climates because this is when they come loose from the plant and "look for" a place to bury themselves.

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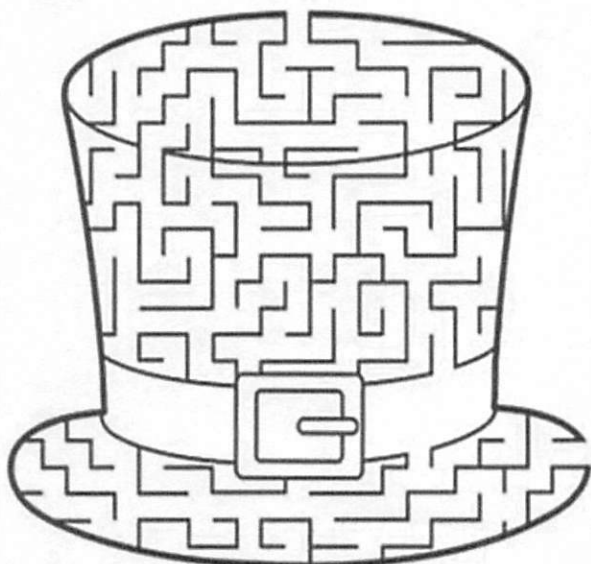
Dogs that come into contact with foxtails stand a good chance of having one of these insidious plant pieces work its way into the body, especially between the toes. The result can be a very sick dog. The degree of illness depends on the area of the body where the foxtail entered and the amount of damage it has caused. Foxtails can enter the nasal passages, eyes, ears and mouth, and can work their way into the dog's lungs, along the backbone and into many other locations throughout the body.

Outside cats can be at risk as well, but less so since cats are such fastidious groomers and are adept at removing the grass awns before they penetrate and cause problems. The most common place foxtails cause problems in cats is their eyes, most likely because this is one area they cannot groom. If your pet comes into contact with a foxtail-infested area, be sure to examine their entire body, especially the undersides of the paws between the toes, the armpits, stomach, under the eyelids, and inside the ears.



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TOP HAT MAZE



QUOTES

- ❖ It was one of those March days when the sun shines hot and the wind blows cold: when it is summer in the light, and winter in the shade.
— Charles Dickens
- ❖ When you arise in the morning, think of what a precious privilege it is to be alive — to breathe, to think, to enjoy, to love.
— Marcus Aurelius

POEM

St. Patrick's Day is here, you see.
We'll pick some shamrocks, one, two, three.
We'll count the leaves and look them over,
And maybe find a four-leafed clover.
I'll sew green buttons on my vest,
Green for St. Patrick is the best.
I'll wear a green hat, very high,
And dance a jig — at least I'll try!

— Author Unknown



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SIGNS YOUR PET MAY HAVE A FOXTAIL

Signs that your dog may have a foxtail in his nose include sudden sneezing, pawing at his nose and possible bleeding from the nostril. As the foxtail works its way deeper into the sinuses, the dog's reaction may eventually dissipate, leading you to believe whatever was bothering him has gone away. In reality, the foxtail has become even more dangerously embedded and may cause severe infection.

HOW TO TELL IF YOUR PET HAS FOXTAILS IN OTHER AREAS

A foxtail lodged in your dog's ear will cause him to paw at his ear, tilt his head, shake his head, cry and even possibly move in a stiff manner when he walks. You may not see the foxtail since it may have become embedded deep within the ear.

Foxtails sometimes become lodged in the eyes, as mentioned above; this is the most susceptible area in cats. This will cause tearing, squinting, and mucous discharge, and can present as pink eye or conjunctivitis symptoms. The roughness of the foxtail can cause significant damage to the cornea in a short amount of time. Your pet may paw at their eye, but you may not be able to see the foxtail if it has lodged beneath their eyelid. Your dog may even swallow a foxtail, causing him to gag, retch, cough, eat grass, stretch his neck, and swallow repeatedly. (Little children may also swallow a foxtail. Take your child to the doctor immediately.)



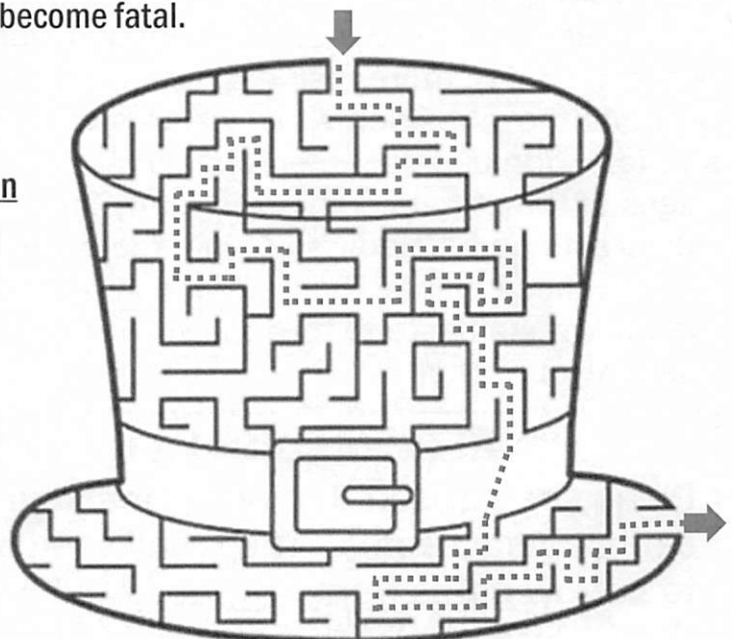
Foxtails caught between toes will usually look like a raised red blister or bump. They may or may not have a discharge as well. Many dogs will lick excessively at the affected paw, or even limp.

If you suspect your dog or cat has encountered a foxtail that has entered his body and shows any of these signs, be sure to take him to a vet immediately if you can't remove the foxtail yourself. It's important to act quickly. Foxtails can cause serious infections that may become fatal.

SOURCE: [4 Foxtail Hazards for Pets \(petsbest.com\)](https://www.petsbest.com/4-foxtail-hazards-for-pets/)

OTHER RESOURCES:

- [Foxtails: The Danger of Foxtails: Mean Seed Season](#)
- [The BarkWhy Foxtails Are Bad for Dogs and How to Remove Them | PetMD](#)
- [Foxtails & Dogs: Why You Need To Watch Out for Foxtails This Summer · The Wildest](#)
- [Why Foxtails are the Scariest Thing about Summer for Dogs | The Dog People by Rover.com](#)
- [Foxtails and Other Plants That Can Harm Your Pet | Schertz Animal Hospital](#)



March 2022

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

BIRTHSTONE: Aquamarine FLOWER: Jonquil

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
March 4 th , the only day that's also a sentence. — John Green —		1	2	3	4	5
6	7 6:00 pm Painters	8	9	10	11	12 KLCC meeting at 2:00 pm in the Clubhouse.
13  SPRING AHEAD DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS	14 6:00 pm Painters	15	16	17  Happy St. Patrick's Day	18	19
20  HAPPY FIRST DAY OF SPRING!	21 6:00 pm painters	22	23	24	25	26
27	28 6:00 pm Painters	29	30	31	Life's a garden — dig it. ~ Gardening saying ~	

PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOU or SOMEONE YOU KNOW

... has a special occasion to celebrate within their family. Ask the person or people if it is okay to share the news. If so, then please tell us: the occasion, the date, and the person's first name. We will not use last names or space numbers. Call or email someone from the list of KLCC personnel on page 3, or drop a note into a suggestion box.

SOMETHING WE'VE NOTICED

With Spring coming soon, and plants pushing out further and further to enjoy the sun and warm air (we anticipate), more residents will be out walking.

Some of these residents use walkers or canes, or push strollers, ride bicycles, scooters and skateboards, walk dogs, and just generally use the edges of the streets. However, many homes have plants that extend up to six feet into the streets and residents not in street vehicles must move to the center of the streets to go past these plants. Some of these plants are of a thorny nature. Please be considerate and make haste to trim these over-reaching plants back to about a foot from the edge of your space.

A FEW SPECIAL

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Dr. Seuss (Ted Geisel) – Mar. 2

Barbie – Mar. 9

Harriet Tubman – Mar. 10

Albert Einstein – Mar. 14

James Madison – Mar. 16

Queen Latifah – Mar. 18

KLCC MEDICAL EQUIPMENT LENDING PROGRAM

Please be advised that additional donations of medical equipment currently cannot be accepted. The small shed is full. However, residents may continue to borrow items from the shed. Call Ron Maurice, VP, at 858-633-8033.