

# Puppy Love

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**More dogs  
get lost on  
July 4<sup>th</sup> than  
any other day  
of the year!**

- ❖ Be sure your doxie is wearing an up-to-date and visible ID tag on her collar at all times.
- ❖ Take a current photo of your doxie, just in case.
- ❖ Exercise your dog early in the day before parties.
- ❖ During cookouts, ask guests to play with your doxie away from the flames.
- ❖ Keep charcoal, fireworks, sparklers and glow sticks far from curious doxies.
- ❖ Keep dog treats on hand for those who want to give your doxie food.
- ❖ Leave your doxie at home with a frozen stuffed treat during the fireworks.
- ❖ If your doxie is afraid of loud noises, leave gentle music playing to help cover the noise from fireworks.

## Celebrate With These PUP Cycles

Mix:

32 oz. of plain yogurt  
6 oz. cooked chicken, beef or vegetables  
2 tbs. water or broth  
place mixture in ice cube trays or cups  
spray container with Pam for easy removal  
freeze a minimum of 6 hours



## Don't Be a Statistic... Protect Your Doxie!

Every year thousands of dogs are lost with no identification making it impossible for them to find their way home. Dual Identification is the best policy for a successful recovery. Your doxie should always wear a collar with your contact information attached. And it is critical that you have your doxie chipped by a professional recovery company. Ask your vet for recommendations. Don't wait another day...



*Dear  
Sir:*

I would very much like to bring my dog with me on vacation. He is well-groomed and very well behaved. Would you be willing to permit me to keep him in my hotel room with me at night?

An immediate reply came from the hotel owner, who wrote:

Sir: I've been operating this hotel for many years. In all that time, I've never had a dog steal towels, bedclothes, silverware or pictures off the wall. I've never had to evict a dog in the middle of the night for being drunk and disorderly. And I've never had a dog run out on a hotel bill. Yes, indeed, your dog is welcome at my hotel. And, if your dog will vouch for you, you're welcome to stay here, too!