

# PET TALK

THREE NOTCH VETERINARY HOSPITAL  
PARK VETERINARY CLINIC

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## DO YOU FEED YOUR PET TABLE SCRAPS?


A French fry today, a bit of roast beef tomorrow....could your love for your pet be hazardous?



Some pets (especially dogs) do love table scraps.

But our pets don't always know what's best for them - it's the owner's job to keep the pet healthy. And eating table scraps can cause pancreatitis in some pets.

 Acute pancreatitis results from sudden inflammation of the pancreas. It is characterized by activation of pancreatic enzymes that can cause the pancreas to begin digesting itself.

 Although it may be tempting to give your pet all the yummy leftovers, try to resist your pet's soulful begging. You're the adult. It's your responsibility to protect your pet's health.

Signs of pancreatitis can include an inflamed pancreas, abdominal pain, anorexia and vomiting. If your pet is experiencing any of these symptoms, call and schedule an appointment with your veterinarian.

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FOR INFORMATION ON  
APVES, our partner emer-  
gency facility., located in :**

**Calvert County  
Allied Partners Veterinary  
Emergency Services**

Special points of interest:

- \* Table scraps can cause pancreatitis
- \* Frontline Plus Guaranteed to work when used properly

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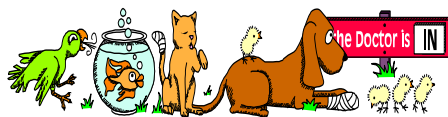
#### ALLIED PARTNERS VETERINARY EMERGENCY SERVICES

Three Notch Veterinary Hospital and Park Veterinary Clinic provide after hours emergency services through our partner emergency service, Allied Partner Veterinary Emergency Services.

APVES is located just north of Prince Frederick, Maryland in Huntingtown. APVES has emergency hours weekdays: 6PM-8AM, weekends and holidays: 24 hours.

**You may reach them by calling:  
410.535.9722**

To learn more about APVES visit their website  
[www.vetmash.com/APVES](http://www.vetmash.com/APVES)



### OBEDIENCE CORNER

We apologies to our readers for not having an article this quarter.

This has been a busy summer overall. We have added a new member to our family, Edge, who is a Belgian puppy. We look forward to Edge meeting some of our readers in Obedience Classes in the future.

We will be back next quarter with more informative articles.

GOOD LUCK

AND

HAPPY TRAINING

TILL NEXT TIME!



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