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Pet Care Day is a day they care for pets more than any other day. July 8th is Pet Care Day. I choose that day because it's summer. It would be a perfect day to take your pets out.

Sometimes pets are helpful. Like dogs scare away criminals and stuff. Cats warm you with their cuddles. Guinea pigs do cute things to make us giggle and laugh and so on. So we celebrate it to say thank you to our pets.

Here are some Ideas: Buy some cat lasers and cat food. Buy dog food and a dog toy. Get your pets a friend. Chat with your pet's friend. Take your pet on a playdate with his friends. Tell your pets how they adopted you. Take them on walks on the beautiful day. Put Maneki-nekos, the waving cats, all over your house.

Design them Christmas stockings and put treats in them for your cats, dogs, guinea pigs, and every other type of pet. Go visit farms. Go to zoos. Hold them while you swing. Take them on car rides. Tell your pets about this holiday.

Show them You-Tube videos of cats and dogs singing. Make their feeding bowls overflow. If you have enough pets, gather them up at a small table and put plates with pet food on them. Put some water near their feeding bowls. Make a fun activity for your pets. If you want to include squirrels on Pet Care Day, make a squirrel maze like Mark Rober did. Tell a friend about the great things about your pets.

If your pet died that day, make their funeral extra special. If when you adopted them, you saw they had friends, take them to visit the friends and hang out for a while. If it looks like your pets are lonely, adopt another friend. Let your pets bark. Let your pets be. Let your pets rest. Buy them a bed or let them sleep with you.

If you don't think that holiday should be a holiday, watch what your pets do and see what they can be helpful for.

Celebrate Pet Care Day on July 8th.