

Quarter 1

January

National Train Your Dog Month Lunar New Year*

- 1 | New Year's Day
- 2 | National Pet Travel Safety Day
- 2 | Happy Mew Year for Cat's Day
- 14 | National Dress Up Your Pet Day
- 22 | National Answer Your Cat's Question Day

February

Pet Dental Health Month Dog Training Education Month National Cat Health Month Lunar New Year*

- 3 | Doggie Date Night
- 3 | National Golden Retriever Day
- 14 | Valentine's Day
- 20 | Love Your Pet Day
- 22 | National Walk Your Dog Day
- 23 | International Dog Biscuit Appreciation Day

March

Easter *
Holi*

First Week of March |

Professional Pet-Sitters Week

- 13 | K9 Veterans Day
- 17 | St. Patrick's Day
- 23 | National Puppy Day
- 23 | Cuddly Kitten Day

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Quarter 2

April

Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Month Easter*

10 | National Hug Your Dog Day

11 | National Pet Day

11 | Dog Therapy Appreciation Day

23 | National Lost Dog Awareness Day

26 | National Pet Parents Day

27 | World Veterinary Day

30 | Adopt a Shelter Pet Day

May

National Pet Month Pet Cancer Awareness Month

First Full Week | National Pet Week

3 | National Specially-Abled Pets Day

3 | Mayday for Mutts

9 | National Dog Mom Day

11 | National Animal Disaster

Preparedness Day

14 | International Chihuahua

Appreciation Day

20 | National Rescue Dog Day

June

National Adopt a Cat Month National Foster a Pet Month

4 | Hug Your Cat Day

9 | World Pet Memorial Day

21 | Dog Party Day

24 | Cat World Domination Day

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Quarter 3

July

National Lost Pet Prevention Month National Pet Hydration Awareness Month

- 1 | ID Your Pet Day
- 5 | Pet Remembrance Day
- 15 | National Pet Fire Safety

Day

31 | National Mutt Day

August

First Week of August

International Assistance Dog

Week

- 1 | Universal Birthday for Shelter Dogs
- 8 | International Cat Day
- 10 | Spoil Your Dog Day
- 17 | Black Cat Appreciation Day
- 22 | National Take Your Cat to the Vet Day

September

Pet-Sitter Education Month Guide / Service Dogs Month Animal Pain Awareness Month

1 | Ginger Cat Appreciation Day

13 | National Hug Your Hound Day

28 | World Rabies Day

Fourth Week | National Dog Week

Last Full Week | Deaf Pet Awareness Week



Quarter 4

October

Adopt a Shelter Dog Month National Pet Wellness Month Diwali*

- 1 | National Black Dog Day
- 4 | World Pet Day
- 14 | Pet Obesity Awareness Day
- 27 | National Black Cat Day
- 31 | Halloween

November

Adopt a Senior Pet Month National Senior Pet Month Pet Cancer Awareness Month Diwali* Hanukkah*

- 7 | National Canine Lymphoma Awareness Day
- 17 | National Take a Hike Day

December

National Cat Lovers' Month Hanukkah*

- 2 | National Mutt Day
- 9 | International Day of Veterinary Medicine
- 10 | International Animal Rights Day
- 15 | National Cat Herders Day
- 25 | Christmas Day*
- 26-Jan. 1 | Kwanzaa*

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