THE ULTIMATE PET HOLIDAY CALENDAR 2020

January

**PET HOLIDAYS**

**JAN 2:** National Pet Travel Safety Day + Happy Mew Year for Cat’s Day
**JAN 14:** National Dress Up Your Pet Day
**JAN 24:** Change a Pet’s Life Day
**JAN 29:** Seeing-Eye Guide Dog Anniversary

**ADDITIONAL HOLIDAYS**

**JAN 1:** New Year’s Day

**MONTH-LONG HOLIDAYS**

- Walk Your Pet
- National Train Your Dog

February

**PET HOLIDAYS**

**FEB 14:** Pet Theft Awareness Day
**FEB 20:** Love Your Pet Day
**FEB 22:** National Walk Your Dog Day
**FEB 25:** Spay Day USA / World Spay Day

**ADDITIONAL HOLIDAYS**

**FEB 2:** Groundhog Day
**FEB 14:** Valentine’s Day
**FEB 17:** Family Day

**MONTH-LONG HOLIDAYS**

- Pet Dental Health
- Dog Training Education
- National Cat Health
- Responsible Pet Owners

March

**PET HOLIDAYS**

**MAR 1–7:** Professional Pet Sitters Week

**MONTH-LONG HOLIDAYS**

- Poison Prevention Awareness

April

**PET HOLIDAYS**

**APR 5–11:** National Animal Control Officer Appreciation Week
**APR 10:** National Hug Your Dog Day
**APR 11:** National Pet Day + Dog Therapy Appreciation Day
**APR 17–23:** National Pet ID Week
**APR 23:** National Lost Dog Awareness Day
**APR 29:** International Guide Dog Day
**APR 27:** World Veterinary Day
**APR 30:** Adopt a Shelter Pet Day

**MONTH-LONG HOLIDAYS**

- Heartworm Awareness
- National Pet First Aid Awareness
- Prevent Lyme Disease in Dogs
- Prevention of Cruelty to Animals

**ADDITIONAL HOLIDAYS**

**APR 1:** April Fool’s Day
**APR 10:** Good Friday
**APR 12:** Easter Monday
**APR 22:** National Administrative Professionals Day
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- **JUN 7-13**: Pet Appreciation Week
- **JUN 22-26**: Take Your Pet to Work Week®
- **JUN 26**: Take Your Dog to Work Day®

**Additional Holidays**
- **MAY 10**: Mother’s Day
- **MAY 18**: Victoria Day
- **MAY 25**: Memorial Day
- **JUN 21**: Father’s Day

**July**
- **JUL 11**: All-American Pet Photo Day
- **JUL 15**: National Pet Fire Safety Day
- **JUL 31**: National Mutt Day
- **JUL 1**: Canada Day
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**August**
- **AUG 8**: International Cat Day
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- SEP 7: Labor Day

### Month-long Holidays
- National Service Dog
- National Guide Dogs
- National Pet Health Insurance

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- OCT 29: National Cat Day
- OCT 31: Halloween

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- NOV 11: Remembrance Day
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- NOV 27: Day After Thanksgiving

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- Adopt a Senior Pet
- National Senior Pet
- Pet Diabetes

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- DEC 24: Christmas Eve
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### Month-long Holidays
- National Cat Lovers’ Month