



*Regional Emergency Animal Care Hospital
and
Asheville Veterinary Specialists*

May 2014



*Upcoming Area
Events*

*Review us and help
us be the best we
can be!*



Features

*Our Featured Adoptable
Pet, Tessa*

*Our Featured Patient,
Arnold*

Greetings,



*Spring is here and we are so
excited for warmer weather!*

***And Good Times
Were Had By All...***

*Helping to Make a
Change in Our
Community*

Life Lessons Learned

Meet Our 3 Newest Emergency Doctors!



Click their picture to get to know each of them better!

Hello. I am Bruce. I came to REACH with a urethral obstruction requiring emergency surgery and now I am a full time resident. I have made myself right at home. The staff is here to provide me with the finest luxuries and their unending devotion!



Ask Bruce

I was also their blood donor cat. I allowed them to use me as they need to save the lives of my fellow felines, who enter my presence with excessive blood loss from anemia, clotting issues, cancer, or trauma.

In order to be a blood donor the hospital had to know my blood type, which I graciously told them was A. Then with each patient needing blood they tested our blood together for any reaction. If all was well, the transfusion was done and a fair feline was helped in the process.

I donated every few months. And felt it was a fair return for the servitude my staff provided me. Now it is your turn. I would like to help you as well. What questions do you have for me? I will give you all my knowledge from living here and watching the

amazing doctors and staff work. Send it my way to pr@reachvet.com and make sure to put Bruce as the subject.

**Regards,
Bruce**

Summer is nearly upon us, and with it come some hidden dangers. Be aware of some precautions you can take to keep your pet safe...

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Meet Dr. Wood with Asheville Veterinary Specialists



As a veterinarian, the quality of life of our patients should be the number one priority. I'm committed to restoring and maintaining function for my patients by working with family veterinarians and owners for the best possible results. My definition of preserving their quality of life is making sure that they are as healthy and functional as possible, given the resources that we have available to us. One important tool for exceptional patient care is considering both the client's goals and taking the whole patient into consideration, not just the immediate problem. As we all know, there are many treatments that are available for our patients, but I believe an equally important consideration we always have to consider what we "SHOULD" do for our patients and their owners.

[Read More About Dr. Wood Here](#)

[Bruce's Thought of the Day:](#)

Curiosity never killed anything except maybe a few hours

Have a wonderful Spring and help us keep your loved ones safe. And remember we are now here 24 hours a day/7 days a week to help you through any emergency.

Sincerely,

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