

Pet **Tips**



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Cold Winter Months may mean your pet is spending more time indoors.

Which may mean you're noticing how much your pet sheds. If vacuuming your house twice daily isn't on your agenda, remember that pets can benefit from a good grooming, even during the winter!

Your pet's groomer can perform a Furminator treatment, a Shed-less treatment designed to remove excess hair and dramatically reduce your pet's shedding. Many veterinary offices also sell the brushes, so you can help control your pet's shedding between grooming appointments.

Think only your dog needs grooming? Cats, ferrets, bunnies and guinea pigs can benefit from routine grooming. And remember, grooming doesn't just involve a bath and brush out. A groomer will trim the nails, check the ears and express your pet's anal glands, scent glands that can become impacted and painful.

Grooming is not just about make sure your pet looks pretty and smells nice. Grooming is important for the continued health of your pet's skin and hair and to insure nails do not become overgrown. A good groomer can alert you to potential problems, such as abrasions or rashes, allowing you to seek veterinary treatment more promptly.

P.S. Bring in this column and receive \$10 off of a Furminator Treatment. Offer expires 2/29/08.

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