

# JUNE

**ALL MONTH**  
*National Microchipping Month*

Read Up!



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**World Dog Expo**

Spend your weekend watching seven dog sports, visiting 100-plus vendors, checking out seminars, demos and celebrities like Shorty Rossi and Felix the Pug. Plus play with adoptable dogs, get doggie tattoos and gems, have a beer for yourself and a dog-safe beer for your pup and so much more. All at the second annual **World Dog Expo** held at the Meadowlands Exposition Center in Secaucus, New Jersey. More info at [worldexpo.dog](http://worldexpo.dog).

**Take Your Dog to Work Day**

So, have you taken your dog to work yet? If not, do it this year and enjoy all the benefits of taking your furry friend along: less stress, better morale and positive interactions with co-workers. If your company doesn't allow pets, explore the possibility with management. Maybe they'll give it two paws up!

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**WIENERFEST HOME COUNTY FESTIVAL**



You and your dog will love this event in Embro, Ontario, even if he's not a Dachshund, as any dog can come. Enter the Bobbing for Wieners, Yogurt Licking and Costume Contests. There will be a lure course, an agility course and a barn hunt your dog won't want to miss. Shop with all the vendors, or get a tattoo. Everything supports a good cause: **The Tiny Paws Dog Rescue of Canada**. Event details at [wienerfest.ca](http://wienerfest.ca)

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**Ruff Justice**

It's a perfect time to snuggle with your dog and read **Laurien Berenson's** latest **Melanie Travis Canine Mystery**, out today. It's spring dog show season and mysteries abound — a talented canine portrait artist is found dead and Melanie's renter/dog sitter Amanda — disappears. Melanie is determined to solve both mysteries while juggling teaching and showing her prize-winning Poodles. **\$26** Hardcover (\$28.95 Can), published by Kensington Publishing Corp.

# JULY

**ALL MONTH**  
*National Doghouse Repair*

**4<sup>TH</sup> INDEPENDENCE DAY**

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**Coon Dog Day Festival**

Time for the 55th Annual **Coon Dog Day** in beautiful Saluda, North Carolina. Traditions include a parade, Big Wheel Race, a 5K, great food, crafts, street dance and live music. This amazing festival started as a chicken-supper fundraiser for the local Coon Club and has grown to an event that more than 10,000 people come to each year. Go to [cityof-saludanc.com](http://cityof-saludanc.com) for more info.

**14-15 Paw Palooza**

You and your dog can dive into serious Cape Cod summer fun at the annual **Paw Palooza** dog festival in Yarmouth, Massachusetts. Of course there is dock diving, local police K-9 teams, agility experts, Frisbee dogs and a place for selfies in the Kissing Booth. Along with seminars, lots of dog-centric vendors and raffles, the event gives back in a big way to local animal welfare organizations. Find all you need to know at [pawpaloozacapecod.com](http://pawpaloozacapecod.com).



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**Imperial Beach Surf Dog Competition**

Surf's definitely up at the 13th annual and longest running dog surfing competition. Dogs travel from all over to participate in the family-friendly California event. Dogs compete in heats based on weight, their ability as well as handler categories and tandem divisions, all judged by professional surf judges. You'll also find food trucks, a beer garden and surfUR expo. Benefits **San Diego Humane Society**. Part of the Surf Dog Events series. Splash into more details at [surfdogevents.com](http://surfdogevents.com).