

Spring Valley Hounds April 2019 Newsletter

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Past Events

March 23 – Annual Hunt Ball



Upcoming Events

May 5 – Annual Meeting
1:30pm @ Black Hound
Stables
May 11 – NJ Interstate Puppy
Show (Hosted by Essex Hunt)
SVH will be roading
Wednesdays and Sundays.
Call the hunt hotline for
location and time.

Featured Hound



Coco and Smiley

Coco (left) retired in March 2019 from her SVH hunting days. She joins Smiley (right) in the loving Weis family home! Congratulations Kelly, Darrel, Abbey and Marshal on your new addition!

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These plants are poisonous to horses. Be on the lookout this spring!

Deadly Nightshade



Signs of nightshade poisoning may include: colic like symptoms, loss of muscle control, disorientation, dilated pupils and death.

Bracken Fern



Symptoms of bracken fern poisoning may include: loss of coordination, depressed heart rate, arrhythmia, weight loss, and eventual death if not promptly treated.

Buttercups



Buttercups poisoning symptoms may cause: irritation of the mouth area, colic like symptoms and diarrhea.

Horse Tails



Symptoms of Horsetail poisoning are: weakness, stumbling, arrhythmia of increased pulse, death, and irritability.

Japanese Yew



Yew poisoning symptoms include: muscle trembling, a lack of co-ordination, breathing difficulties, a slow heart rate and convulsions and eventually death.

Extremely small amounts of the Yew are toxic to horses as well as extremely fast acting.

Common plants dangerous to dogs:



Daffodils

Contain alkaloids that can cause vomiting, salivation and diarrhea. Signs of toxicity include cardiac arrhythmias, convulsions/tremors and low blood pressure.



Tulips

Toxins in the tulip are concentrated in the bulbs. Beware if your dog or cat is a digger. Signs of toxicity include: vomiting, diarrhea, excessive drooling and depression.



Rhododendrons

Extremely toxic to horses and dogs! Ingesting this plant can cause vomiting, seizures and cardiac arrest.