

## Cozy Corner Newsletter

### “Raise the Woof” Comfort Dog Fundraiser

We are hosting, “Raise the Woof”, a fundraiser for the local K9 Comfort Dog Charity.

The event will be on Wed. August 14 from 11:30-1:30 at Lebensraum.

The event will include lunch, bake sale, silent auction baskets, popcorn bar, and home-made dog treats. Everyone is welcome!

All proceeds will benefit the puppy training program, transportation costs, kennels, grooming, food, and other pet supplies.

The K9 Comfort Dog Charity ministry trains and sends Golden Retrievers to schools, nursing homes, and shut-ins. Additionally, the dogs are sent to disaster areas after tornadoes, hurricanes, fires, and mass shootings. The dog teams are dispatched locally and nationally to bring comfort and compassion.



#### Staying Safe When It's Too Darn Hot

- **Avoid the sun**, wait to go out in the evening or early morning.
- **AC is your friend**, spend as much time in air-conditioned spaces.
- **Stay hydrated**, drink plenty of cool water, clear juices, and liquids that don't contain alcohol or caffeine.
- **Dress appropriately**, wear loose, light-colors, and a hat.
- **Avoid sunburns**, use sunscreen with (SPF) of 15 or higher.
- **Cool down!** Take tepid (not too cold or too hot) showers, baths, or sponge baths when you're feeling warm. Don't have the time? Then wet washcloths with cool water and put them on your wrists, ankles, armpits, and neck.



### Square Jokes

**Why aren't koalas actual bears?**

They don't meet the koalafications

**What's brown and sticky?**

A stick

**What's red and moves up & down?**

A tomato in an elevator



## Lashay's Kitchen -Favorite Recipes

### Blueberry Muffins

- ½ cup softened butter
- 1 ¼ cups sugar
- 2 eggs
- 1 tspn vanilla extract
- 2 cups flour
- ½ teaspoon salt
- 2 tspns baking powder
- ½ cup milk
- 2 cups blueberries, washed, drained and picked over
- 3 tspns sugar



1. Preheat oven 375
2. Cream the butter & 1 1/4 cups sugar until light
3. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each. Add vanilla.
4. Sift together the flour, salt and baking powder, and add to creamed mixture alternately with milk.
5. Crush 1/2 cup blueberries with fork, and mix into batter. Fold in remaining whole berries.
6. Line 12 cup standard muffin tin with cupcake liners, fill with batter. Sprinkle 3 teaspoons sugar over tops of muffins, and bake at 375 degrees for 30-35 minutes.
7. Remove muffins from tin and cool at least 30 minutes. Store, uncovered, or muffins will be too moist the second day.

**“DON'T LET YESTERDAY TAKE UP TOO MUCH OF TODAY.” – WILL ROGERS**

### Win Lebensraum Bucks!

Win \$1.00 in Lebensraum Bucks for each question you get right!

Q - What was Elvis's last #1 hit?

Q - What was Pres. John Kennedy's middle name?

Q - How many cups in one quart?

**Let Gianni know your answers!**

### Remember When?



#### What happened in history at this time of year...

- ◆ 1923 - One-piece bathing suits are debuted
- ◆ 1930 - Frozen food is sold in stores for the first time
- ◆ 1933 - The first drive-in movie theatre opens
- ◆ 1934 - Donald Duck appears in first Disney short-film
- ◆ 1946 - The National Basketball Association (NBA) is founded
- ◆ 1949 - George Orwell publishes Nineteen Eighty-Four
- ◆ 1968 - Robert Kennedy dies after being shot by assassin
- ◆ 1975 - "Jaws" the movie is released
- ◆ 1981 - The game "Trivial Pursuit" is first sold
- ◆ 1986 - Tetris the video game is released
- ◆ 1989 - Chinese troops storm Tiananmen Square
- ◆ 2002 - Department of Homeland Security is created
- ◆ 2013 - nuclear power plant in Japan leaks radiation