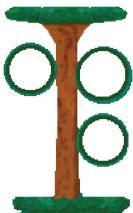


Enhancing your Indoor Cat's life

• CAT TREES & SISAL SCRATCHING POSTS

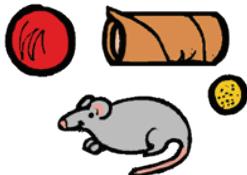


These give kitties vertical space and scratching surfaces. Scratching areas should be rough like sisal rope or cardboard, not carpet.

Cat trees or towers are kitties own furniture where they can be up off the floor and not worried about being on the "furniture".



• TOYS TOYS TOYS



Variety is the key to keeping kitties interested in toys. Around the house toys are always out for kitty to play with. Fuzzy mice, Hot Cats catnip toys, ball go rounds, balls of all sizes and textures with a variety of noises, crumpled paper, toilet paper rolls, etc....

These toys can be rotated with a stock that is kept in a box or jar with cat nip to "marinate" for added interest when they are re-introduced. Over the door toys, cardboard boxes, paper bags (minus handles) and play tunnels are also favorites of active kitties.



Interactive toys are ones that kitties need you to play with.



Feathers on a stick, cat teasers, fishing poles, strings, yarn, peacock feathers laser pointers etc....

It is VERY important that kitties not play with these toys alone, they can choke on feathers, and strings and fishing line can be swallowed and can cause severe injury or even death.



A great game for kittens is ping-pong balls in the bathtub...great fun for kitties and you!

• "DRINKWELL" DRINKING FOUNTAIN

Kitties love moving water... and it will encourage them to drink more which is GREAT for their health!



• CAT GRASS



Kitties loves grass...

You can purchase cat grass from the pet store, wheat grass from some grocery stores in the veggie section, or you can grow your own in a container with seeds you purchase at garden stores.

Kitties enjoy a bit of outdoor greens and it's good for them too!!

• WINDOW PERCHES FOR BIRD WATCHING



Kitties love to bird watch! Set up a bird feeder or two in the yard so they can watch and chatter at their feathered friends! Don't forget the window perch so the kitties don't have to balance on the window sill to see.

• MOVIES, TV AND RADIO



Kitties enjoy watching TV as much as you do if there is something interesting to watch. There are many movies out there made just for kitties to enjoy. Kitties find nature videos and animal shows very interesting too!** Kitties also find comfort in a radio left on while you are gone. Just don't make it a hard rock station...Kitties enjoy softer sounds and talk radio.



**Introduce kitties to this fun pastime while you are home so you can observe their antics and assure there will be no accidents while you are gone.

• LEASH TRAINING AND OUTDOOR ENCLOSURES AND FENCES

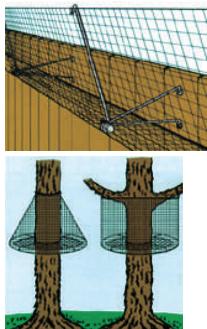


For very outgoing kitties, a harness and leash can be a fun way to explore. This takes a lot of training and patience and a commitment to take your kitties out often, if not..... they may try to escape and go for a walk without you!



There are many types of ENCLOSURES to buy or build. The style is up to you and your budget.

There are plans on the internet, or you can purchase pre-made kits. You can even have one custom built, the possibilities are endless. You don't have to go overboard and get too fancy and expensive, but make sure that your kitties cannot escape and that your structure is solid and safe.



Cat FENCING is another option. There are a few different styles and a wide range of prices. It is important that you fit the fence to your yard and budget. There are ready made products and custom fences that can be installed and even free plans for low cost fences available online.



Remember, no matter if you build an enclosure or put up a fence with a topper, they must keep your kitties in and kitty strangers out to be safe, so always observe kitties when they are going out in their new outdoor play areas to make sure they cannot get out.

An INDOOR CAT is a SAFE CAT...but an occupied Indoor Cat is a
HAPPY SAFE CAT!!