Green Acres Kennel Shop Customer Appreciation Sale and FREE Seminars October 6th thru October 13th

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[***Bangor***] — Green Acres Kennel Shop is having a customer appreciation sale from Saturday, October 6th through Saturday, October 13th. We appreciate your voting for us as the Bangor Regions Best Kennel for the seventeenth consecutive year, the Best Pet Store for the twelfth year in a row, the Best Dog Trainer for the seventh straight year, and the Best Pet Groomer for the sixth year in a row and want to say "Thank you!". If it's not pet food, it will be marked down 20% off of our already low prices. It's a perfect time to stock up on treats, bully sticks and other chewables. Collars and leashes, toys, grooming supplies, and training treats will also be on sale.

Because education is in an essential part of our mission, we will also be offering the following free seminars during the month of October. Pre-registration for all of these events is required if you want to make sure to have a seat. You can learn more and how to register at https://www.facebook.com/pg/GreenAcresKennelShop/events/

Grooming at Home - Keeping Your Pet At Their Best In Between Visits to the Spa – Taylor Bean – SAT Oct 6th at 10 AM & TUE OCT 9th at 6 PM –Taylor, our Professional Pet Stylist, will review what you can do at home to keep your dog looking and feeling their best. She will discuss selecting the best grooming tools and products for your particular dog and their coat type. Taylor will also explain how to use these tools. She will also address the importance of helping your dog enjoy the grooming process and will show you ways that you can do that.

Using Essential Oils with Pets – Rachael Pelletier & Don Hanson – SAT Oct 6th at 1 PM – Rachael and Don Hanson will teach attendees how to use pure essential oils to support their pet's health and wellness. This class has been developed by a veterinarian and includes handouts on how to use oils safely with pets.

Cats- (*NOT* The Musical) – SAT Oct 13th at 10 AM – Don Hanson, co-owner of the Green Acres Kennel Shop and an Associate Certified Cat Behavior Consultant will discuss the history of the "domestic" cat. He will address, their natural behaviors, including those that we do not always appreciate, and why cats have become the most popular pet in the world today. Attendees will leave with a better understanding of their cat's needs and how they communicate.

Secrets of a pet photographer; getting the purffect photo without stressing your pet – SAT Oct. 13th at 1 PM – Have you ever been frustrated when your furry friend looks away or is more interested in playing when

you want to create a portrait? Deb Bell from Bell's Furry Friends Photography will lead this discussion to share her pro tips for helping your pet focus on you and make creating images fun and stress-free. This seminar will briefly touch on pet body language as well as how to focus your pet's energy on YOU. Be prepared to leave with tips and tricks that will make your pup's ears perk and boost your own confidence in creating images. Participants will be rewarded with a special gift.

While this next event is not in a seminar and is in November, it is one that you will not want to miss as it fills up quickly.

Holiday Pet Portraits with Debra Bell from Bell's Furry Friends Photography – SUN Nov. 4th 9 AM to 3 PM – Get a jump start on the holidays by bringing your best pet friend in for their holiday photographs with Bell's Furry Friends Photography! Join us for the 9th annual holiday pet portrait event on Sunday, Nov. 4 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Every 20-minute session costs $65 and includes a 5x7 gift print of your choice as well as a $10 donation to the Furry Friends Food Bank. Come for a stress-free session, leave with a smile on your face. For more information, contact Deb Bell at 207-356-2353 or deb@bffpetphotos.com.

In business since 1965, Green Acres Kennel Shop, located at 1653 Union Street, is committed to pet-friendly, force-free pet care. We offer boarding, daycare, and grooming for dogs, as well as pet behavior consultations and group and private dog training classes. Voted Best Kennel every year since 2002, Best Pet Store every year since 2007, Best Dog Trainer every year since 2011, and Best Pet Groomer every year since 2013, the Green Acres retail store offers a wide variety of wholesome pet foods, treats, and quality supplies. In December of 2017, we were recognized by Best Businesses of America as one of the Top 10 Kennels and Top 30 Dog Trainers in New England. We are a proud member of The Pet Professional Guild. For more information, please call 945-6841 or visit www.greenacreskennel.com