

The pet of the month is...

Cocoa



David and Janet Walvoord have had the pleasure of Cocoa, their chocolate- colored mixed Labrador Retrievers' company for 11 years. When Janet brought Cocoa home her husband told her that it was her dog. Now Cocoa is definitely David's dog and faithful companion. Cocoa sleeps on the floor next to David's side of the bed at night and spends a lot of time sleeping in the house during the day. David built a carpet covered platform over the back seat of his truck just for Cocoa. Even though it is getting harder for him to get into the truck David still takes Cocoa for a ride every day. Cocoa also loves to go up north with his family and is still known to run around outside. David and Janet's granddaughter showed Cocoa in the 4-H dog project in his younger years. He received a first place and even went onto a state competition.

When Cocoa was younger his favorite toys were teddy bears that Janet would get from Good Will just for him. Cocoa shares the house with his cat friend named George. They do not bother each other and treat each other with indifference. Cocoa also has a lot of dog visitors from David and Janet's children and grandchildren's dogs. Cocoa is very smart, he even knows how to spell "dog bones", however he doesn't get them anymore because his doctor told David and Janet that he needed to lose a little weight.

The doctors and staff at Cedar Grove Veterinary Services have enjoyed the years they have had with Cocoa and his family and hope for many more.

