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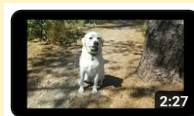
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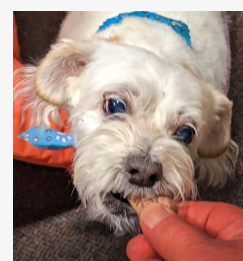
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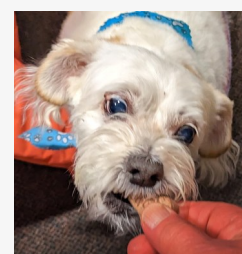
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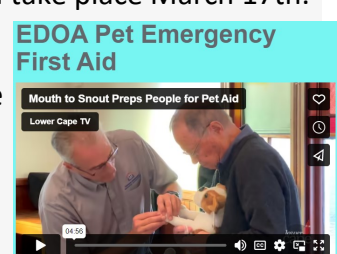
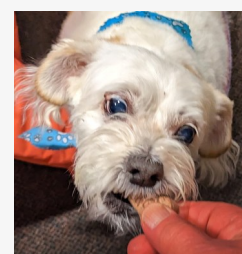
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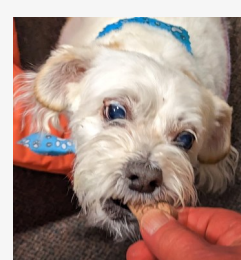
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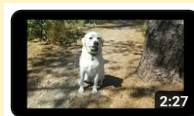
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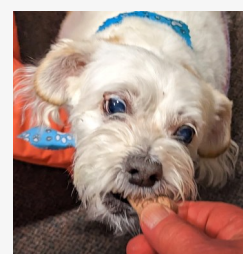
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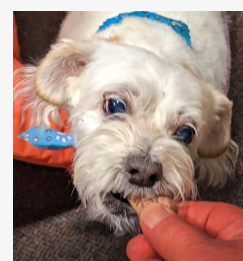
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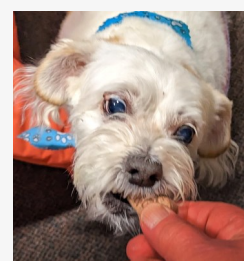
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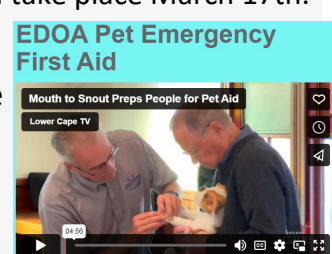
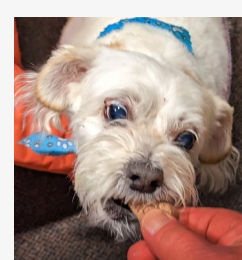
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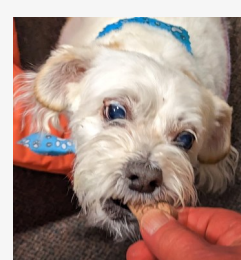
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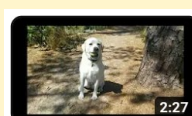
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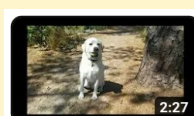
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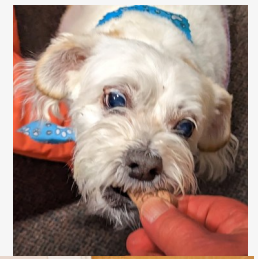
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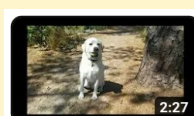
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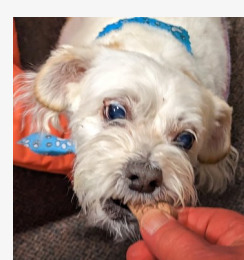
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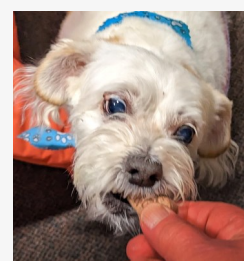
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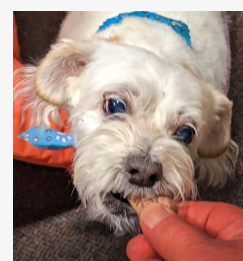
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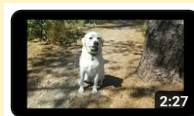
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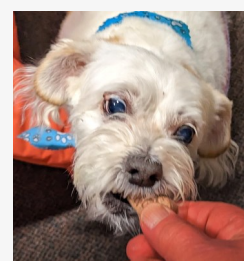
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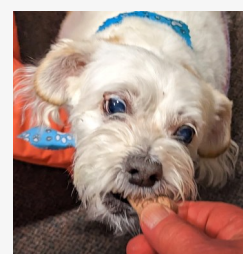
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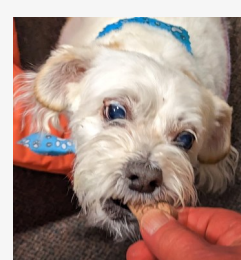
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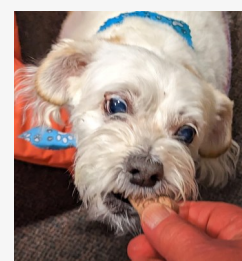
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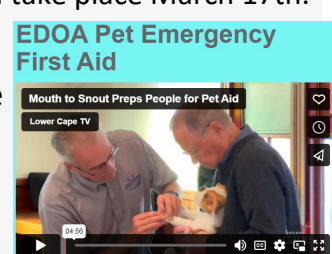
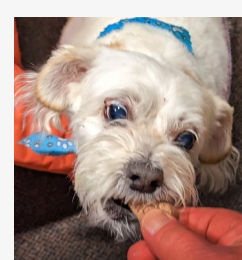
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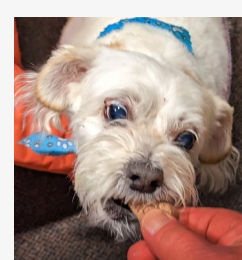
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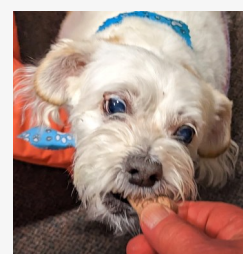
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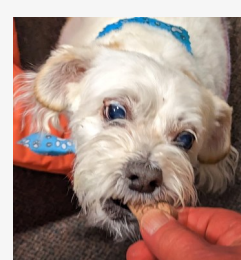
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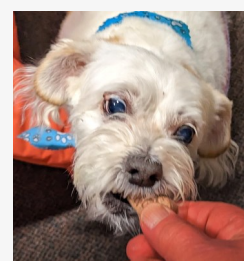
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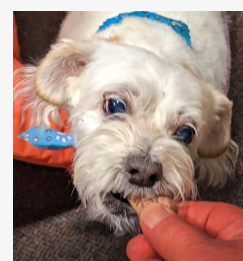
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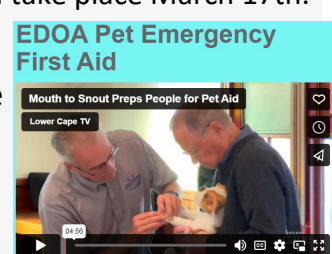
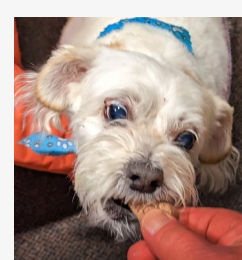
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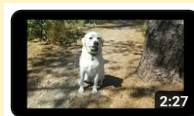
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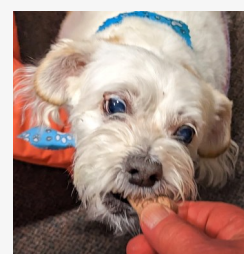
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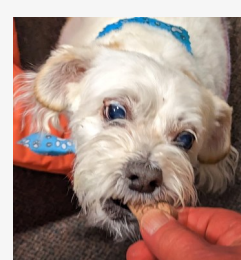
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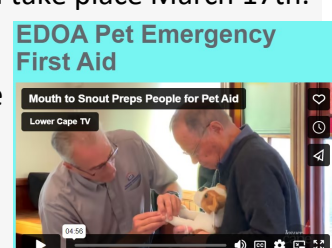
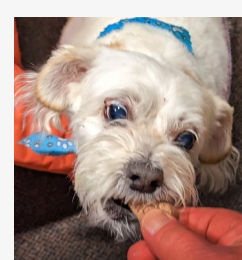
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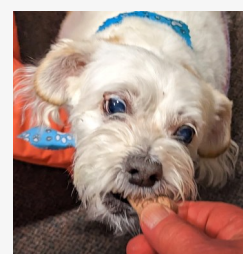
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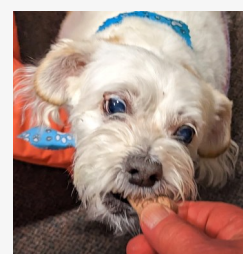
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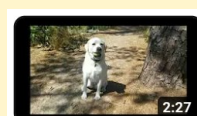
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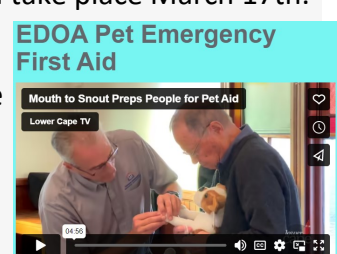
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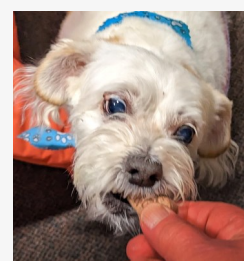
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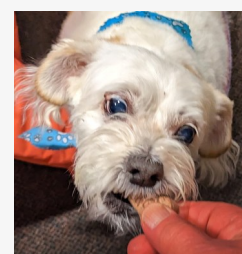
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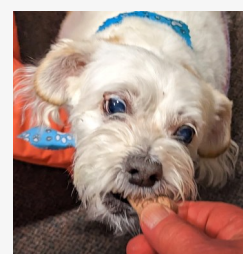
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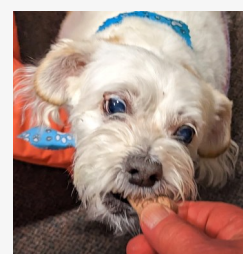
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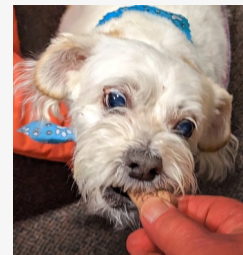
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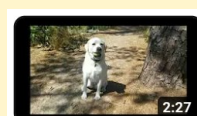
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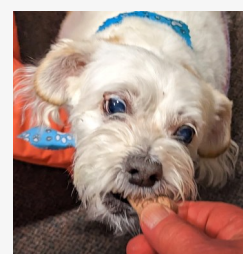
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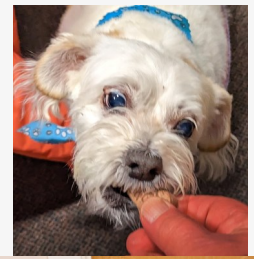
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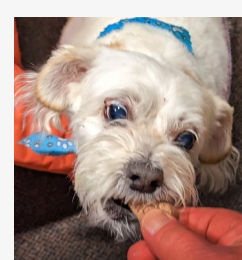
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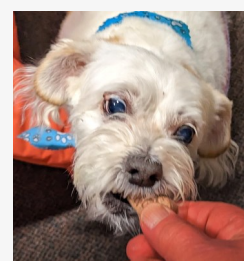
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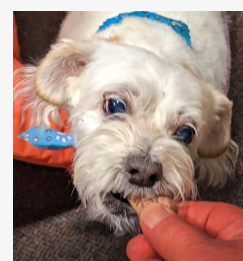
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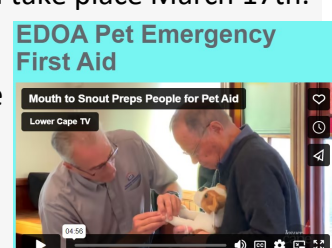
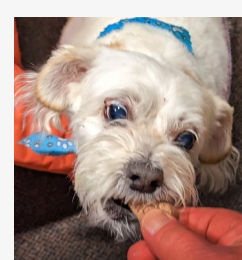
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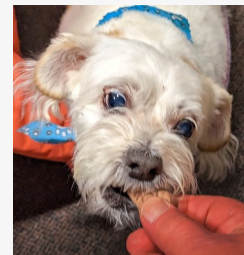
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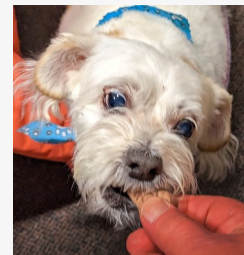
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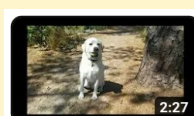
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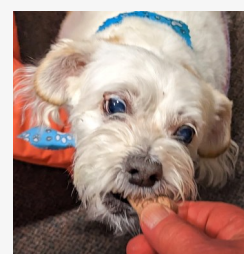
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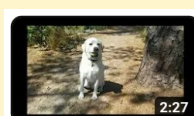
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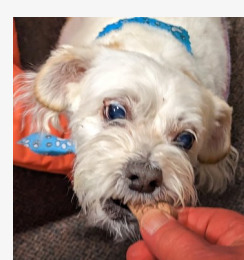
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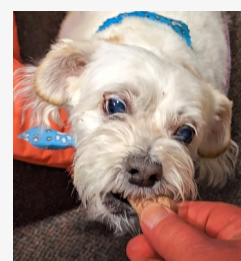
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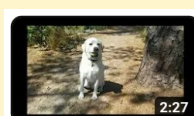
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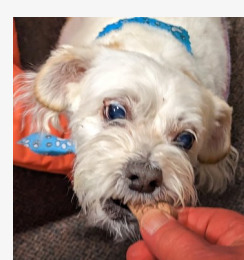
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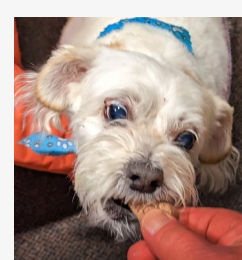
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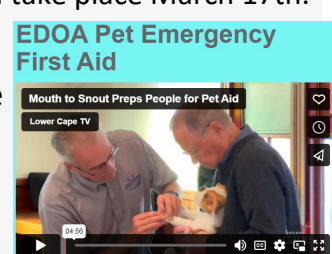
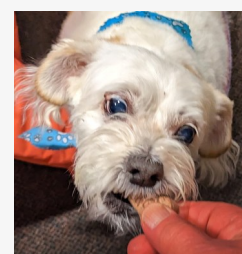
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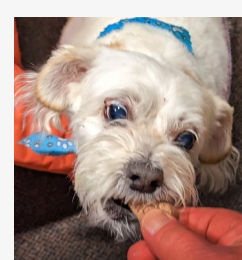
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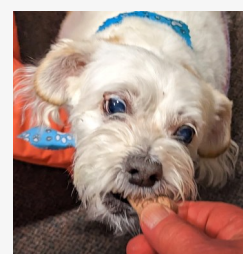
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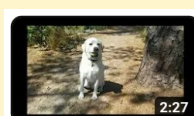
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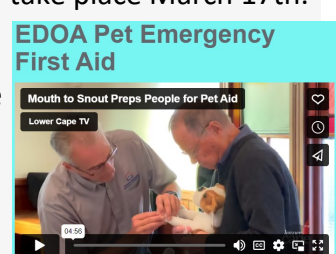
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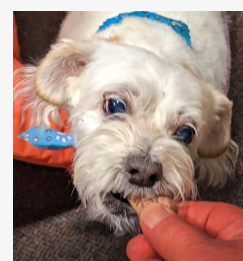
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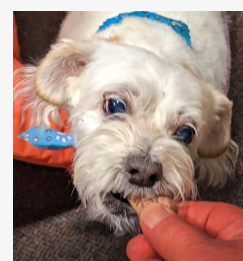
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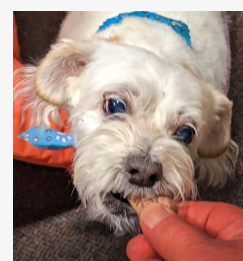
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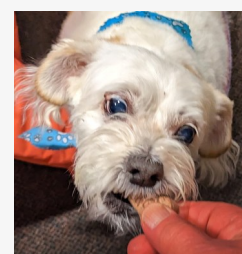
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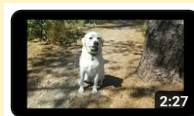
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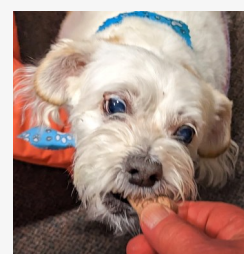
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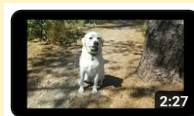
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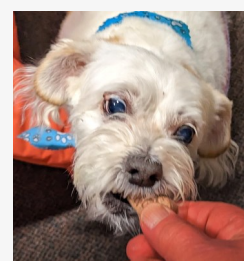
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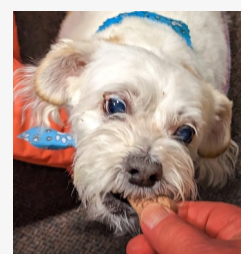
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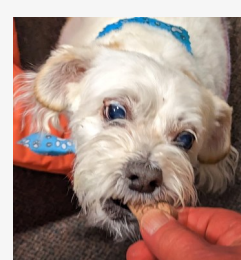
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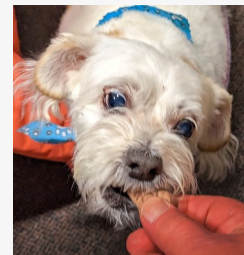
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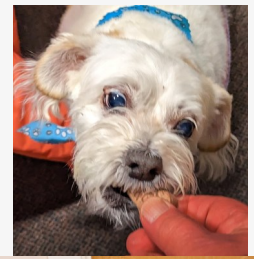
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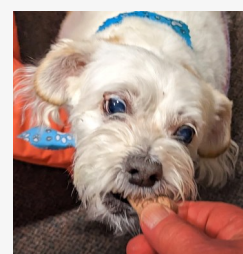
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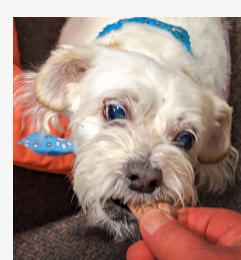
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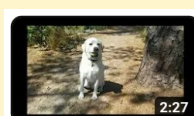
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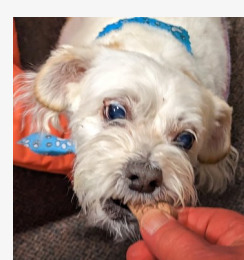
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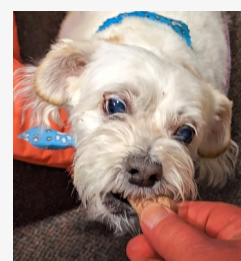
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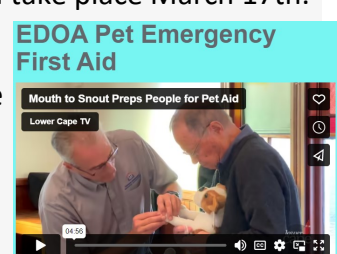
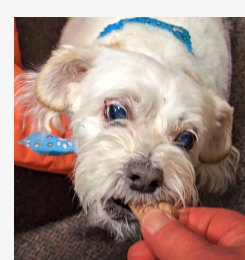
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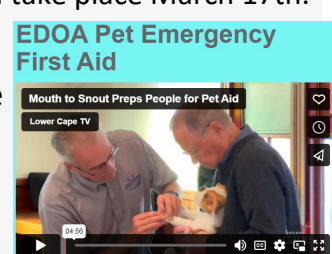
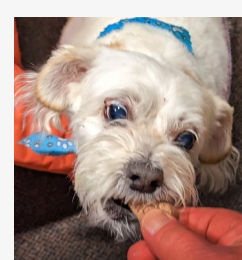
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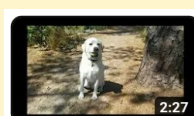
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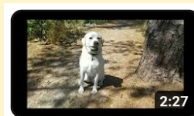
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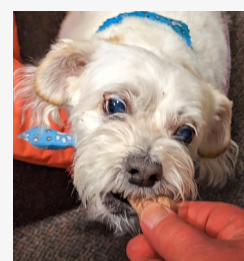
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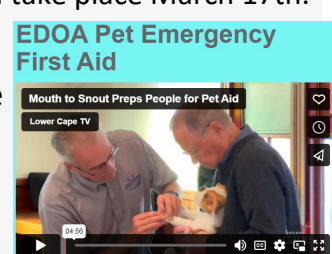
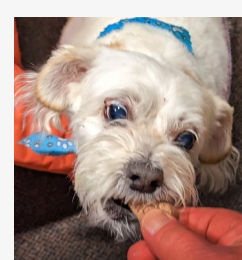
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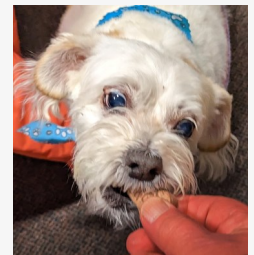
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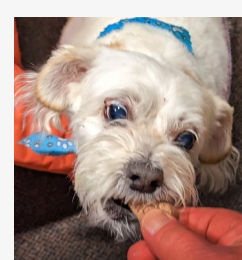
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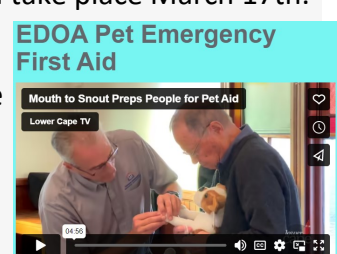
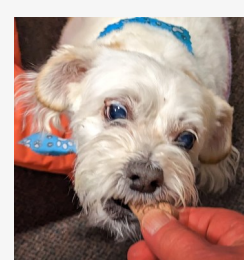
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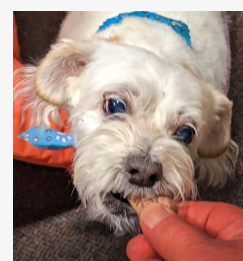
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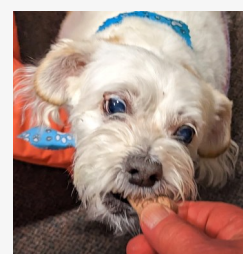
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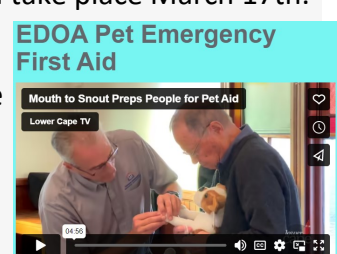
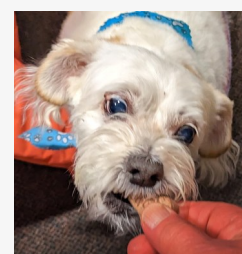
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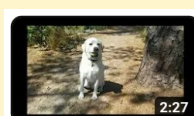
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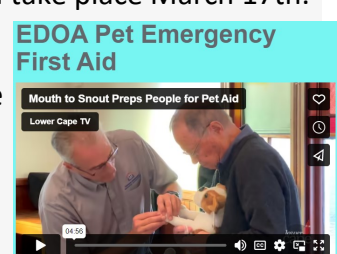
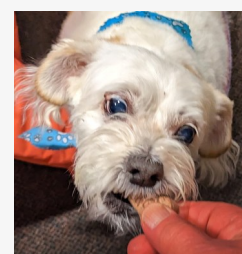
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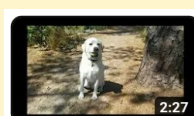
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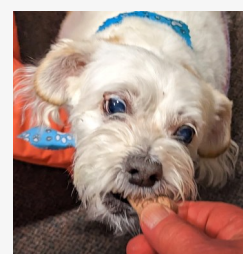
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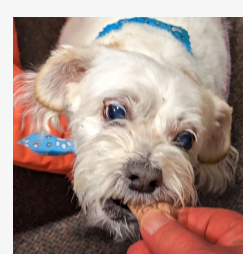
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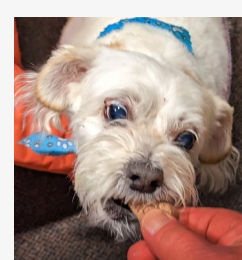
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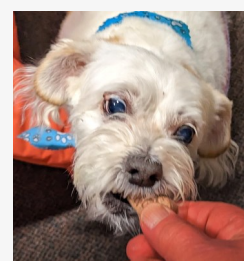
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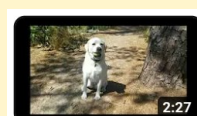
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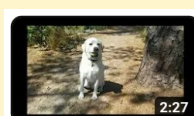
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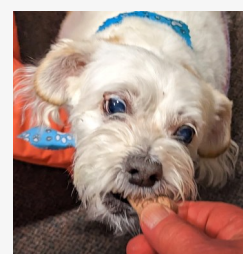
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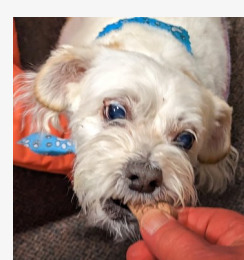
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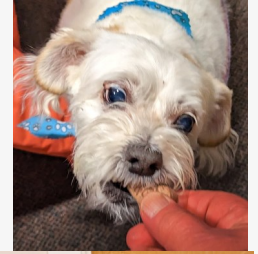
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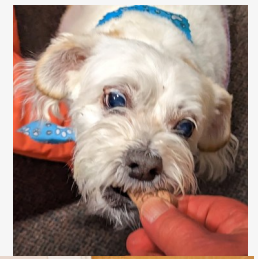
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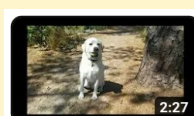
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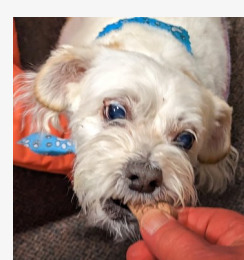
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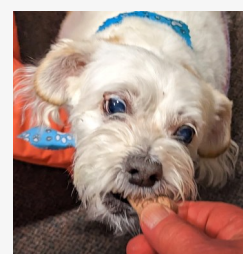
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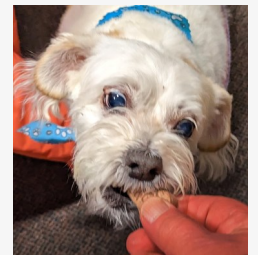
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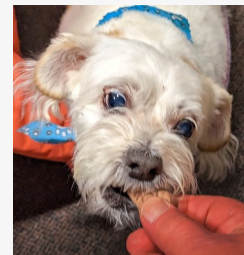
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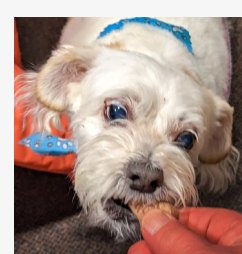
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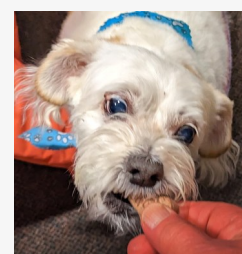
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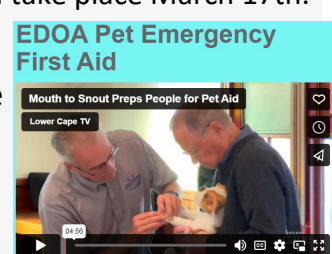
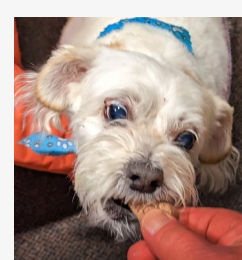
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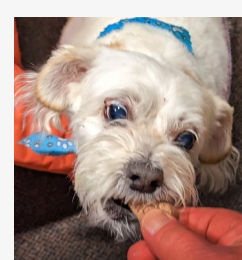
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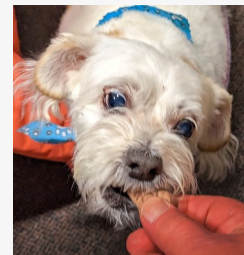
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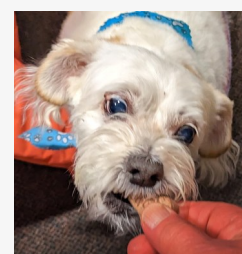
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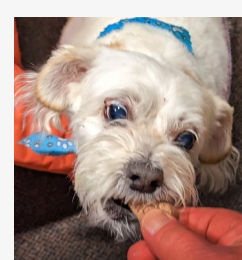
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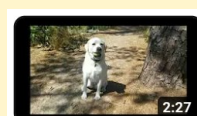
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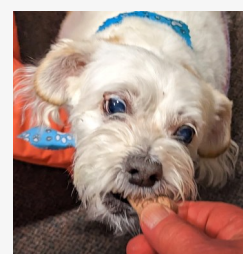
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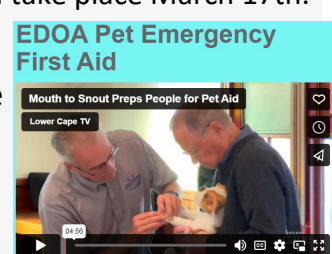
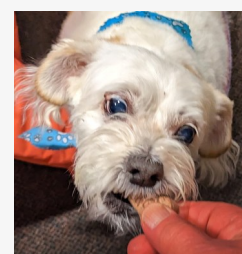
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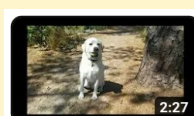
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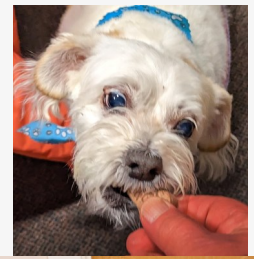
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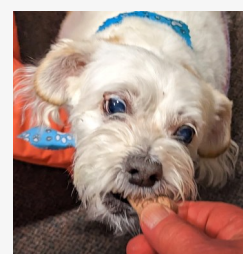
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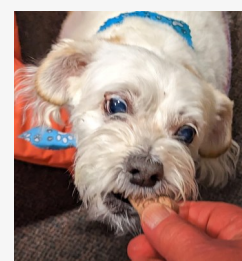
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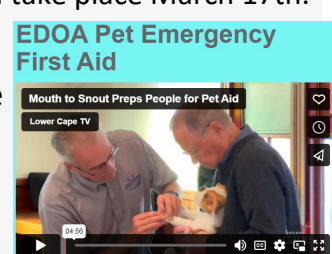
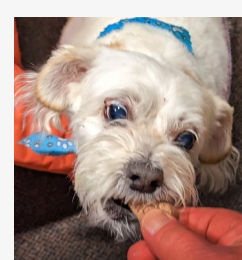
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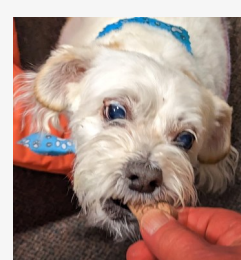
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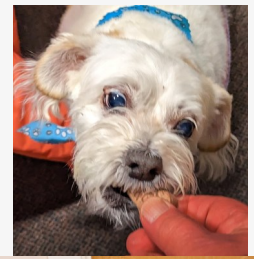
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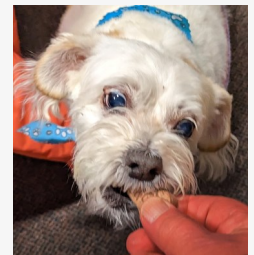
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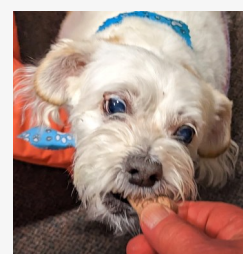
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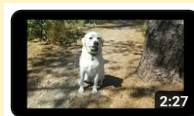
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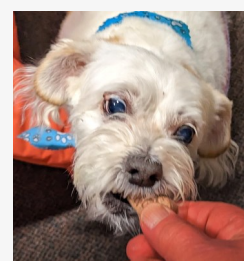
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Our local vets are among our most valued and valuable supporters. We here so many good reports of the care received from all on the Outer Cape. Two of them offer discounts to our members; Eastham Veterinary Hospital and Animal Hospital of Orleans.

Please let them know you appreciate their support of EDOA and be sure to mention your membership discount when placing your order for services, so they do not need to redo your bill.

EDOA is your ear and eye on the community regarding pressure to restrict dog owners' right to access. And there is pressure. (See blurb below).

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More to come as information is available and action is necessary.



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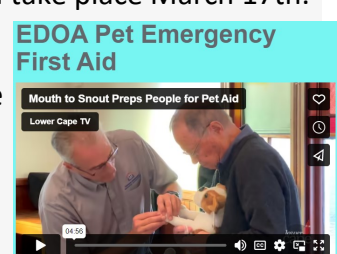
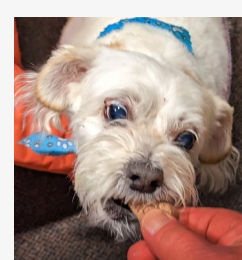
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## Your EDOA Board of Directors Update

The Board met this month to make plans for the coming year. There were reports from all the committees and treasurer, Ruth Bentsen.

Of note:

- Our Dog of the Month was Jennifer Lopez who owns Director Bev Hobbs. Sweetest dog ever.
- Our special guest was Daisy, granddaughter of President Tracey Plantier. Daisy colored dogs for us during the whole meeting. Sweetest kid ever.
- The budget for 2023 was finalized by unanimous vote.
- Details of emergency / pet shelter for the area are in flux. Our overseeing organization, the Barnstable County Regional Emergency Planning Committee (BCREPC) plans to use Nauset Middle School for its site. LCAST awaits further action from BCREPC to become fully operational for the next emergency.
- Katrina Boucher has volunteered to run the EDOA store. With stock running low it is the perfect time to bring in a coordinator with practical experience as EDOA store stock is replenished and expanded. We are very excited to have this jolt of enthusiasm to further the EDOA brand and raise some funds for our pack.
- The Emergency First Aid Training course will run again. This popular program received rave reviews from the first class. (Video link right). It will be at Chapel in the Pines from 1—4 P.M. on March 19th. Watch the website for updates and sign-up information.
- Town Clerk Cindy Nicholson reminds us that dog licenses are due to be renewed by March 15th. This can be done [on-line](#), at Town Hall, or by mail. The town's Dog of the Year drawing will take place March 17th. A nice prize is at stake, so touch a lucky St Patrick's clover.
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