LAURIE PATTON — SE REGIONAL DIRECTOR

A Note From Your Director …….

So proud of all our Southeast members getting awards for their fantastic felines!!! Thank you to Alabama Paws and Claws for hosting our show and awards banquet… Next year the show and banquet will be hosted by Cattyshack Cats will be at the; Columbia County Exhibition Center 3300 Evans-to-Locks Road, Martinez, GA 30907. Located immediately off of Exit #190 on I-20.

Can’t wait for a great show, great cats, and great fun…

“It’s ALL About the Cats”
Laurie

Did You Know..??..

- Clay cat litter came about by accident. In 1948 a neighbor by the name of Kay Draper went into her local sawmill to pick up some sawdust for her cat's litter tray. She had been using ash, but was fed up with it being tracked all over her house. Ed Lowe, the son of the owner offered her some clay, known as Fullers Earth, which was used to absorb grease. Ed realized he was onto something, and started marketing the product in pet shops & at cat shows. It took a while to take off, but eventually it became a multi-million dollar business.

- Sir Isaac Newton invented the cat flap.

- An ailurophile is a person who loves cats. The word ailuro is from the ancient Greek word for "cat".

- More cats are left handed than right handed. Out of every 100 cats approximately 40 are left-pawed, 20 are right-pawed, and 40 are ambidextrous.

- The ridged pattern on a cat's nosepad is as individual as a human fingerprint.

***** Taken from Cat World *****

Don’t forget that the SE Region is on Facebook
http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=300505338191
RECIPE OF THE MONTH
HOBO CASSEROLE

1 LB. GROUND BEEF
1 SMALL ONION
1 CAN CREAM OF MUSHROOM SOUP
1 BAG FROZEN PEAS & CARROTS
1 CAN BISCUITS
SALT, PEPPER, GARLIC POWDER TO TASTE

COOK BEEF + ONION IN IRON SKILLET AND DRAIN. ADD BACK TO SKILLET AND ADD PEAS & CARROTS, CREAM OF MUSHROOM SOUP, COOK UNTIL BUBBLY. ADD ALL TO A CASSEROLE PAN, PLACE BISCUITS ON TOP.

BAKE IN OVEN ON 350 DEGREES UNTIL BISCUITS ARE GOLDEN BROWN ABOUT 10 – 15 MINUTES.

**LEFTOVER MASHED POTATOES, CORNBREAD, BISQUICK CAN ALSO BE USED INSTEAD OF BISCUITS**

CAT RECIPE OF THE MONTH
COOKIES FOR CATS

1 cup whole wheat flour
1 tsp catnip
1/3 cup milk
1/3 cup powdered milk
2 tbl butter or vegetable oil
1/4 cup Soy flour
1 egg
2 tbl Wheat germ
1 tbl Unsulfured molasses

Directions:
Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Mix dry ingredients together. Add molasses, egg, oil and milk. Roll out flat onto oiled cookie sheet and cut into small, cat bite-sized pieces. Bake for 20 minutes and let cool.

Store the cookies in a sealed container.

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