

18:00:24 <AmeKat> Hi Ellen  
18:00:25 <kismet> Hey Jat  
18:00:27 <kismet> Kat  
18:00:31 \* AmeKat (Plays Sound: roar.au) roar  
18:00:31 <kismet> lol  
18:00:40 <AmeKat> How are you doing tonight?  
18:00:41 <kismet> had too many frozen margaritas this evening  
18:00:48 <AmeKat> hahahah, wish I had :)  
18:00:53 <kismet> I've had two  
18:00:58 <kismet> and that's one too many  
18:01:03 <AmeKat> I just got off the phone with Mary.  
18:01:06 <kismet> it should be a hoot tonight cause of it  
18:01:09 <kismet> yea - me too  
18:01:12 <kismet> she called me  
18:01:15 <AmeKat> Yeah, it would be for me too, I can only have one.  
18:01:21 <AmeKat> Did you see the pictures?  
18:01:25 <kismet> yes I did  
18:01:27 <AmeKat> made me want to cry.  
18:01:30 <kismet> sad isn't it  
18:01:40 <kismet> I told her to call ASPCA and PETA  
18:01:41 <AmeKat> you are the big bad Moderator now, huh?  
18:01:50 <kismet> oh - just once a month anyway  
18:02:01 <AmeKat> I will be late tomorrow, I have to develop film.  
18:02:11 <kismet> late tomorrow for what?  
18:02:17 <AmeKat> muggle chate  
18:02:24 <kismet> Muggle discussion starts the 15th right?  
18:02:33 <AmeKat> oh good, I should be okay then  
18:02:37 <kismet> or did Lisa decide it should be tomorrow?  
18:02:43 <AmeKat> my mistaek  
18:02:48 <kismet> Oh - OK  
18:03:02 <kismet> You have another week then  
18:03:28 <AmeKat> I shouldn't need to develop film next tuesday, I will have time on Saturday to do it.

18:03:34 <kismet> whacha been up to?  
18:03:54 <AmeKat> bein' very lazy  
18:03:58 <AmeKat> very very very lazy  
18:04:01 <kismet> rofl  
18:04:05 <kismet> can I join you?  
18:04:13 <AmeKat> did you see what obNOXious did to me yesterday?  
18:04:13 <kismet> I worked all this weekend and today  
18:04:17 <kismet> I'm pooped  
18:04:22 <kismet> no what?  
18:04:31 <AmeKat> he tried to hypo last night.  
18:04:37 <kismet> that little booger  
18:04:46 <AmeKat> yep....+5 he was at 61  
18:04:47 <kismet> you stopped him from succeeding, right?  
18:05:14 <kismet> did ya cut back the dose?  
18:05:14 <AmeKat> <http://www.felinediabetes.com/fdmb/noframes.pl?noframes;read=152584#152584>  
18:06:03 <AmeKat> No, I haven't figured out what I am going to do. I skipped the dose this morning....  
18:06:14 <kismet> What was his PS?  
18:06:18 <AmeKat> actually, I need to check him now. He threw up at 7:30.  
18:06:25 <AmeKat> 7:30 pm  
18:06:40 <AmeKat> PS when? when I gave the shot?  
18:06:44 <kismet> he needs to stop that - like starting yesterday  
18:06:55 <kismet> I just wondered if you got one this AM  
18:07:00 <AmeKat> slept through it.  
18:07:16 <kismet> Do you think he threw up yesterday?  
18:07:18 <AmeKat> no  
18:07:23 <kismet> ok  
18:07:27 <AmeKat> I was with him all day yesterday  
18:08:33 <AmeKat> he had a ps of 354 yesterday evening when I gave him his shot, and +5 boom 61  
18:08:50 <kismet> He does seem to drop pretty good on his dose sometimes  
18:09:06 <AmeKat> lu does nothing  
18:09:10 <kismet> Hard to say what he'll do sometimes

18:09:11 <AmeKat> I don't know what to do.

18:09:19 <kismet> What's his dose?

18:09:39 <AmeKat> I guess I need to get a .5 u marked needle and start giving 1.25

18:09:43 <AmeKat> he is at 1.5

18:09:48 <kismet> That's what I would suggest

18:09:58 <kismet> 1.25 or a ""Fat 1u""

18:10:33 <AmeKat> tried a fat u

18:10:37 <AmeKat> no response

18:10:51 <kismet> well ....

18:11:15 <kismet> it's a tough call when a cat tries to go hypo on one dose and anything less he gets no response

18:11:22 <AmeKat> yep

18:11:33 <kismet> Don't envy you :(

18:11:37 <AmeKat> yeah

18:11:48 <AmeKat> I need to put him back on dry food

18:12:09 <kismet> Maybe a snack on a timed feeder will help?

18:12:16 <AmeKat> yeah....

18:12:25 <AmeKat> ooh right, that would take ....MONEY

18:12:28 <kismet> R0FL

18:12:41 <kismet> Thought you were gonna win the lottery

18:12:44 <kismet> ;)

18:13:06 <kismet> Hi Mary :)

18:13:10 <Mary\_and\_Darla> hi

18:13:14 <Mary\_and\_Darla> just popping in to say hi

18:13:20 <AmeKat> I think it is the canned food...a little less carbohydrate

18:13:21 <kismet> How are you doing?

18:13:24 <AmeKat> hi Mary

18:13:31 <kismet> Could be, Kat

18:13:37 <Mary\_and\_Darla> hi, we're good

18:13:45 <kismet> That's great :)

18:14:00 <Mary\_and\_Darla> Kimba is now known as the ""gimp"" cuz of his arthritis

18:14:04 <AmeKat> plus it has more staying power....wet food gets nasty after a couple of hours.

18:14:17 <kismet> It's tough when pets get arthritis

18:14:17 <Mary\_and\_Darla> and Darla is going to a new vet in two weeks, cross your paws and claws

18:14:24 <kismet> will do :)

18:14:35 <kismet> That's true, Kat

18:14:36 <Mary\_and\_Darla> but i noticed a bone spur feeling thing on his wrist that vet did not notice

18:14:39 <AmeKat> got em crossed

18:14:52 <Mary\_and\_Darla> thanks amekat and kismet for the good vibes

18:15:01 <kismet> Well, you got em

18:15:08 <kismet> hope the new vet can help you with Darla

18:15:13 <kismet> she is such a puzzler

18:15:17 <Mary\_and\_Darla> me, too, it's been a year

18:15:25 <Mary\_and\_Darla> no closer to regulation than a year ago

18:15:33 <Mary\_and\_Darla> she's a tough bugger

18:15:45 <kismet> It does get frustrating, I know

18:15:48 <AmeKat> i understand that

18:16:00 <Mary\_and\_Darla> cat had me bawling my eyes out all weekend just from the sheer frustration and sadness, not because she's ill or doing horribly

18:16:13 <Mary\_and\_Darla> just from emotional toll on me

18:16:13 <kismet> It's been that long since Kis was regulated

18:16:21 <Mary\_and\_Darla> good for you and kis

18:16:26 <kismet> but we just keep hanging in there and plugging away at it

18:16:31 <Mary\_and\_Darla> i know,

18:16:45 <kismet> KIs isn't regulated anymore

18:16:48 <Mary\_and\_Darla> it's tough going over here, and kimba follows right behind with crap

18:16:57 <kismet> she was a year ago - we're trying to get there again ;)

18:17:02 <AmeKat> bbiam.....

18:17:05 <Mary\_and\_Darla> oh, i thought you were saying kismet was regulated for a year, sorry

18:17:13 <Mary\_and\_Darla> shoot, that stinks! sorry

18:17:15 <kismet> No that's ok - I wasn't clear

18:17:27 <kismet> I wish!

18:17:30 <Mary\_and\_Darla> so topic tonite interests me, let's chat on this

18:17:34 <kismet> Kis was regulated for about 3 months

18:17:38 <Mary\_and\_Darla> when to switch

18:17:42 <kismet> Yes

18:17:51 <Mary\_and\_Darla> what say you on this?

18:18:08 <kismet> When you have given an insulin every chance of showing it's true colors

18:18:14 <kismet> For Kis it was a year

18:18:16 <Mary\_and\_Darla> yup, been there, done dat

18:18:28 <Mary\_and\_Darla> same with darla, 4 insulins in a year, no regulation. so now what?

18:18:34 <kismet> She was on ""L"" for 12 months when we switched

18:19:03 <kismet> Hopefully when the other folks come along to share their experiences, some light can be shed on that

18:19:14 <kismet> cause every cat has a different story to share

18:19:17 <Mary\_and\_Darla> question of the day for you both: when N doesn't knock her down, and you can't be home to do R, what is the next best short acting insulin that could be tried and/or used in conjunction with something longer acting?

18:19:32 <kismet> I would say ""L""

18:19:39 <kismet> but that's just me

18:19:39 <Mary\_and\_Darla> L did not work on her alone

18:19:59 <kismet> Does ""N"" not provide much drop?

18:20:08 <kismet> or is it duration that is an issue?

18:20:09 <Mary\_and\_Darla> long actings do nothing for her, but N is best so far, it gets her down to a reasonable level, and no there is no drop on N

18:20:18 <kismet> Hi Renee :)

18:20:25 <Mary\_and\_Darla> hi renee

18:20:27 <Renee> Hi everyone

18:20:46 <kismet> Nice Badge - Renee ;)

18:20:48 <Mary\_and\_Darla> PZI and lente are long acting, and did diddly squat for her

18:21:04 <kismet> ""L"" is actually intermediate acting - but it is longer than ""N""

18:21:11 <Mary\_and\_Darla> R knocks her down in the hospital, N keeps her out of danger zone, but no drop

18:21:15 <kismet> so I know what you are saying

18:21:35 <Mary\_and\_Darla> L caused erratic numbers, N keeps her stable, but no lower than 300's

18:21:37 <kismet> Darla is one of those kitties that are just plain hard

18:21:42 <Renee> Ellen, you having storms your direction?

18:21:47 <kismet> Like Susan's Kitty

18:21:51 <kismet> Not yet

18:21:57 <Renee> brb

18:21:57 <kismet> No rain here - you?

18:21:59 <kismet> k

18:22:07 <Mary\_and\_Darla> Well, here in boston it's a cool 80

18:22:19 <Mary\_and\_Darla> looks like rain

18:22:29 <kismet> 90's in Dallas with High humidity - yuk!

18:22:31 <Mary\_and\_Darla> hey, guys, go see my band:  
www.madcatsband.com

18:22:52 <Mary\_and\_Darla> next time you are in boston come see me meow

18:23:03 <kismet> Sure thang, Mary :)

18:23:07 <Mary\_and\_Darla> he he he

18:23:32 <Mary\_and\_Darla> where is lisa

18:23:44 <kismet> She may be taking the night off

18:23:47 <Renee> Yep, wicked lightning, rain, now it just looks icky

18:23:53 <Mary\_and\_Darla> oh, she can't do dat

18:23:59 <kismet> She did talk about maybe going out to eat this evening with the hubby - but I'm not sure

18:24:13 <Mary\_and\_Darla> night out, what is that? i don't have those

18:24:24 <kismet> Send the rain over to my house - Renee!

18:24:28 <Renee> Mary, is Darla's appointment tomorrow?

18:24:33 <kismet> we've missed out all weekend

18:24:44 <Mary\_and\_Darla> well, i have to run, because I am an old maid and need my rest. no, darla is not being seen until 7/18

18:24:53 <kismet> Take it easy, Mary

18:24:57 <Mary\_and\_Darla> she has to hang in there for two weeks more

18:25:09 <kismet> Will be thinking of ya

18:25:09 <Mary\_and\_Darla> poor darla baby, she's such a tuffie

18:25:13 <Renee> Oh, I thought it was tomorrow (I'm getting old).

18:25:15 <Mary\_and\_Darla> see you all, thanks for the chat

18:25:19 <kismet> Nite Mary  
18:25:24 <Mary\_and\_Darla> he he he, no, you're not old  
18:25:25 <Mary\_and\_Darla> bye  
18:25:36 <kismet> Renee is a young un  
18:25:45 <kismet> She's like 25  
18:25:49 <kismet> ;)  
18:25:55 <Renee> Yeah, right, try 45  
18:25:59 <kismet> Hugs  
18:26:05 <kismet> How are yor kitties?  
18:26:21 <Renee> I had stop tonight and sign a check I  
wrote Sat. Maybe I'm 85  
18:26:32 <kismet> rofl  
18:26:37 <kismet> maybe just tired more like  
18:26:50 <Renee> Kitties are good. Sweet Pea still  
doesn't like Dilly, but they are funny  
18:26:58 <kismet> Hi Guest - name and kitties name please  
:)  
18:27:04 <Guest1578> hi everyone  
18:27:33 <AmeKat> I am back.  
18:27:34 <Guest1578> it is me jenny and boo  
18:27:43 <Renee> Hi Jenny!  
18:27:45 <kismet> Well Hi Jenny !  
18:27:46 <Guest1578> cpi;dm  
18:27:48 <kismet> why the disguise?  
18:28:06 <Guest1578> i have been having trouble getting in  
the usual way  
18:28:09 <AmeKat> I was loading those pictures Ellen.....  
18:28:13 <kismet> ahhh- ok :)  
18:28:25 <AmeKat> Hi Jenny  
18:28:26 <Guest1578> is my name showing up as guest, i don't  
see it on the screen  
18:28:38 <kismet> It says - ""Guest1578""  
18:28:40 <Guest1578> and it is going backwards  
18:28:40 <AmeKat> yes you are guest 1578  
18:29:04 <Guest1578> lisa thinks my zone alarm is why i can't  
get on  
18:29:09 <kismet> Maybe  
18:29:21 <kismet> Some software interferes with other  
software

18:29:25 <Guest1578> anyone have any ideas for firewall protection?

18:29:39 <kismet> Total Computer idiot here - lol

18:29:44 <kismet> Hi Laura :)

18:29:45 <LauraG> Hey, all, Laura and Bogie

18:29:46 <LauraG> Hi!

18:29:47 <AmeKat> can't you turn it off Jenny?

18:29:50 <AmeKat> hi Laura :)

18:29:56 <kismet> How's Bogie?

18:30:08 <LauraG> Just had his first preshot test that read a NUMBER!!!!

18:30:11 <Renee> Hi Laura

18:30:13 <LauraG> So that is great, IMO

18:30:14 <Guest1578> i am afraid to, i have had so many hacker attempts

18:30:15 <kismet> That's great :)

18:30:25 <Guest1578> you know zone alarm warns you when someone is trying

18:30:25 <LauraG> Hey, Renee

18:30:28 <kismet> I hear ya, Jenny

18:30:39 <AmeKat> good job Laura

18:30:40 <AmeKat> :)

18:30:47 <kismet> Hi Yo :)

18:30:48 <LauraG> Thank you!

18:30:48 <Yolanda> hi guys

18:30:53 <LauraG> Hi, Yolanda

18:30:56 <Guest1578> i cant even see who all is in chat

18:31:00 <AmeKat> Hi Yolly!

18:31:09 <Yolanda> who's guest?

18:31:09 <kismet> Man - you are having a tough time, Jenny

18:31:17 <kismet> Jenny & Boo

18:31:18 <Yolanda> oh, hi jenny

18:31:18 <Renee> Hi Yolly

18:31:26 <Guest1578> hi yolanda

18:31:33 <Yolanda> hi renee, kat ellen, and laura!

18:31:41 <kismet> How's Goo?

18:32:02 <Yolanda> goo's present from deanie and boo has

been nabbed by the biosecurity nazis :(

18:32:10 <kismet> rofl

18:32:19 <kismet> in ""quarratine""?

18:32:20 <Yolanda> i have to send them \$20 for heat treatment

18:32:27 <Yolanda> yep ellen

18:32:32 <kismet> that stinks

18:32:48 <Yolanda> i know, it's just catnip for god's sake!!

18:33:06 <AmeKat> seriously?

18:33:13 <AmeKat> heat treatment?

18:33:18 <AmeKat> what is heat treatment?

18:33:25 <Yolanda> i guess now i know not to include the toy i got for Bug in karen and bug's parcel

18:33:27 <Guest1578> can you guys tell i have to keep hitting the refresh botton to update?

18:33:54 <kismet> nope, jenny

18:33:54 <Yolanda> they're going to steam it i think, to kill any possible contaminants

18:34:02 <kismet> man - I'm sorry about the troble you are having

18:34:28 <Guest1578> thanks me too

18:34:29 <Guest1578> thanks me too

18:34:29 <Renee> Hope that doesn't kill the ""nip""

18:34:38 <Yolanda> if it was a bomb it probably would have gotten thru no problems

18:34:57 <Guest1578> lol

18:35:02 <LauraG> Hi, Joni

18:35:05 <Yolanda> i think it probably will kill the nip, but she'll play with them anyway

18:35:07 <Guest1578> hi joni

18:35:10 <LauraG> Hi, Sally

18:35:12 <kismet> Hi Joni - Sally & Penny

18:35:16 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> Hi everyone

18:35:16 <Joni> ((Sally))

18:35:21 <Yolanda> hi sally, how are you doing?

18:35:25 <Joni> hi all

18:35:28 <Yolanda> hi joni

18:35:29 <Renee> Hi Sally,

18:35:39 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> Took me 10 minutes to be able to type GA after her name

18:35:45 <kismet> Hugs

18:35:55 <LauraG> :( sorry.

18:35:57 <AmeKat> Hi Sally, so sorry :(

18:36:01 <Joni> oh boy, I know I did not change my fdmb for weeks

18:36:12 <Guest1578> (((hugs)))

18:36:31 <Renee> I can't do it on my posts, I just sign those ""Renee""

18:36:40 <kismet> Guest1578 is ""Jenny & Boo"" - btw

18:36:47 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> Please forgive me if my typing is messed up, I haven't slept

18:36:59 <kismet> That's perfectly ok

18:37:09 <Joni> what a hard place that is to be ((hugss))

18:37:14 <Guest1578> sorry guys - this stinks

18:37:42 <Guest1578> i have to hit a send button, then refresh every few seconds to know what you guys have said

18:37:57 <kismet> Sorry bout that Jenny :(

18:38:02 <Yolanda> the html room bites big time

18:38:08 <Guest1578> thank ellen

18:38:23 <kismet> I wish I knew more about puters

18:38:23 <Guest1578> yes yo have you been here?

18:38:52 <Yolanda> right, i have to go to university and do some work, just wanted to pop in and say hi, and tell you not to send me catnip toys!!

18:39:06 <kismet> Later Yo

18:39:10 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> Bye Yo

18:39:15 <Joni> nice seeing you Yloanda

18:39:19 <Joni> ops sorry

18:39:22 <Yolanda> my very first try at chat was in html on a really old computer jenny - i gave up very quickly

18:39:23 <Guest1578> nite yo

18:39:26 <Joni> Yolanda

18:39:31 <Yolanda> nite

18:39:35 <AmeKat> bye Yolly  
18:39:35 <kismet> Kind of a lite nite tonight  
18:39:37 <Guest1578> yes it is frusterating  
18:39:39 <AmeKat> good to see you  
18:39:54 <Renee> Me too, took me hours the other night to  
get the volume set on my computer  
18:40:06 <kismet> I hear ya Renee  
18:40:22 <AmeKat> hi Debra  
18:40:22 <kismet> Hi Debra!  
18:40:28 <Renee> Hi Debra  
18:40:29 <LauraG> Hi, Debra  
18:40:30 <Debra\_and\_CB> Hi everyone :-)  
18:40:33 <Guest1578> you guys have volume?? i don't tonight  
18:40:36 <kismet> How's CB?  
18:40:44 <Joni> hi Debra  
18:40:44 <Guest1578> hi debra  
18:40:47 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> Hi debraa  
18:40:48 <Debra\_and\_CB> He's doing good, thank you :)  
18:40:56 <Debra\_and\_CB> How's everyone tonight?  
18:40:58 <kismet> Good to hear  
18:41:05 <kismet> Doing fine  
18:41:21 <Renee> brb  
18:41:58 <Debra\_and\_CB> He had the lowest ps tonight since may  
11th.....it was 243 tonight  
18:42:16 <kismet> So - do you think we should get ""on  
topic"" at 9 or wait a bit longer to see  
if others come in late?  
18:42:23 <kismet> Cool Debra!  
18:42:41 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> great preshot  
18:42:49 <Guest1578> debra it is me jenny and boo  
18:42:51 <Debra\_and\_CB> I'd say if you wanted to wait until  
say...9:15 or so, if no one objects  
18:42:55 <Debra\_and\_CB> Hi Jenny :\_)  
18:42:58 <Debra\_and\_CB> :-)  
18:43:06 <kismet> That's what I was thinking Debra  
18:43:24 <kismet> unless someone wants to start a bit  
earlier  
18:43:30 <kismet> Hi Jen!

18:43:32 <Debra\_and\_CB> Hi Jen :)  
18:43:33 <Joni> hi Jen  
18:43:34 <AmeKat> well, I am glad I got a chance to say hello.  
18:43:37 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> Hi Jen  
18:43:37 <JenChamp> Aloha all!  
18:43:53 <AmeKat> I need to go.  
18:43:57 <LauraG> Hey, Jen  
18:43:59 <kismet> Awww  
18:44:01 <kismet> Nite Kat  
18:44:01 <JenChamp> Hi Sally-are you doing?  
18:44:02 <AmeKat> night all  
18:44:03 <JenChamp> Bye Kay  
18:44:06 <kismet> Hi Myn :)  
18:44:06 <Debra\_and\_CB> Awwwwwww G'night Kat  
18:44:07 <Joni> nite Kat  
18:44:08 <JenChamp> Hi Myn  
18:44:08 <LauraG> Hi, Myn  
18:44:12 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> Bye Kat  
18:44:15 <Debra\_and\_CB> Hi Myn :)  
18:44:21 <LauraG> Nite, Kat  
18:44:27 <Joni> Hi Myn  
18:44:41 <Renee> Hi Myn  
18:44:56 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> Hi Myn  
18:45:01 \* kismet Just a reminder - Chat is being recorded tonight on a transcript so keep it clean - kay :)  
18:45:11 <MynandBadgerAss> Hello All!!!  
18:45:24 <kismet> I know that ya'll know that - but wanted to just remind folks :)  
18:45:30 <Guest1578> even if we ar doing the html thing????? lol  
18:45:34 <JenChamp> Sally-how are you doing?  
18:45:39 <Guest1578> even if we ar doing the html thing????? lol  
18:45:44 <kismet> well - maybe an exception for you Jenny - R0FL  
18:45:44 <Renee> Hi Jenni  
18:45:49 <kismet> Hi Laura!

18:45:55 <Renee> Hi Laura  
18:45:59 <MurraysMama> Hi Ellen ... Hi all  
18:45:59 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> OK, not sleeping  
18:46:00 <LauraG> Hi, Kismet!  
18:46:01 <Guest1578> lol  
18:46:22 <Guest1578> annoucement: it is me jenny and boo  
18:46:25 <MurraysMama> what's going on?  
18:46:26 <JenChamp> Sally-sorry to hear that  
18:46:36 <kismet> BTW - it's ""Ellen & Kis""  
18:46:38 <MurraysMama> thanks ... that ws my next ??  
18:46:38 <kismet> :)  
18:46:39 <JenChamp> I wondered who the ""guest"" was...  
18:46:48 <Renee> Sally, I know how you feel, its never easy  
18:46:51 <Guest1578> ok ellen, i know everyone is tired of me announcing who i am  
18:46:51 <kismet> Haven't gotten on topic yet - Laura  
18:46:51 <LauraG> Sorry! :)  
18:46:52 <MurraysMama> yes .. that I figured!  
18:46:54 <kismet> will do in about 15 minutes  
18:46:55 <kismet> just chatting right now  
18:47:07 <MurraysMama> that usually takes an hour to get thre  
18:47:09 <kismet> LOL  
18:47:11 <MurraysMama> there  
18:47:11 <kismet> I'll do it for ya  
18:47:23 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> No it's not.  
18:47:24 \* kismet Guest1578 is Jenny & Boo  
18:47:28 <kismet> :)  
18:47:34 <kismet> Hi Don  
18:47:34 <Don\_and\_Cosmos> Hi All!  
18:47:36 <Debra\_and\_CB> Hi Don :-)  
18:47:36 <JenChamp> Hi Don  
18:47:39 <MurraysMama> Hi Don  
18:47:40 <Guest1578> thanks  
18:47:50 <LauraG> Hi, Don!

18:47:51 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> Hi Don  
18:47:53 <kismet> Hi Karen :)  
18:47:53 <Guest1578> hi don  
18:47:54 <Joni> HI Don  
18:47:57 <Renee> hi don and Karne  
18:47:57 <Bugs\_Bean> Hi folks  
18:47:58 <Debra\_and\_CB> Hi Karen :-)  
18:48:03 <Joni> HI Karen  
18:48:05 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> Hi Karen  
18:48:07 <JenChamp> Hi Karen  
18:48:07 <LauraG> Hi, Karen  
18:48:09 \* kismet On topic in 15 minutes  
18:48:12 <Don\_and\_Cosmos> Hi Karen  
18:48:22 <kismet> brb  
18:48:27 <Bugs\_Bean> i dont know what topic is  
18:48:33 <Joni> Myn...I don't know you, are you newly diagnosed?  
18:48:36 <Bugs\_Bean> how's everybody?  
18:48:38 <Joni> I mean is your cat  
18:48:42 <MurraysMama> R0FL  
18:48:45 <Bugs\_Bean> Is that Myn and Badger?  
18:48:47 <MynandBadgerAss> yes, Joni, about 2-3 weeks now  
18:49:02 <Bugs\_Bean> Are you still mad at Badger? LOL!  
18:49:17 <Bugs\_Bean> She's determined to be the boss, isn't she?  
18:49:19 <MynandBadgerAss> I think I was disgnosed as professionally crazy about the same time!  
18:49:21 <MurraysMama> Renee? how are you doing?  
18:49:25 <Debra\_and\_CB> For those just entering, Guest1578 is Jenny and Boo  
18:49:25 \* kismet Topic tonight is ... ""Switching Insulin: Know when it's time, tips and advice""  
18:49:29 <Joni> L0L11  
18:49:40 <Joni> a great lesson in patience this disease is  
18:49:44 <Bugs\_Bean> Why is she a Guest? couldn't get on under Jenny & Boo?  
18:49:44 <MynandBadgerAss> I took all the rugs outside and hosed

them down

18:49:45 <kismet> Thanks Debra :)

18:50:00 <Debra\_and\_CB> yw :)

18:50:18 <Bugs\_Bean> As long as you don't hose Badger down!  
How did she get to be named Badger?

18:50:18 <JenChamp> I wish Larry & Grey Ghost would join us.

18:50:20 <Guest1578> yes thanks debra

18:50:21 <Bugs\_Bean> Is she really that bad tempered?

18:50:22 <LauraG> Myn, let me know how that worked out! I  
have a rug that needs ""attention"".

18:50:23 <Renee> Hi Laura, doing OK and you and your  
kids?

18:50:42 <MurraysMama> oh, it's wild and wonderful ... Murray  
still bouncing as always

18:50:48 <kismet> Jenny is having software conflict probs  
and has to use the html side of things  
so please be kind and patient with her  
:)

18:50:52 <Renee> Myn, Buzzy(GA) was an habitual out of  
the box tinkler. He'd walk past the box  
to tinkle in the floor

18:50:54 <LauraG> I wish Larry would too. I am afraid he  
will be ""turned off""

18:50:57 <MurraysMama> have you added any more to your  
household?

18:51:05 <Guest1578> please

18:51:09 <Bugs\_Bean> ah, ok, poor Jenny!

18:51:14 <MynandBadgerAss> Hubby named her, said she looked like a  
wolverene when she was little, but that  
wasen't a good name for a girl so he  
settled with Badger

18:51:20 <Bugs\_Bean> I had that happen a few weeks ago,  
couldn't even get in on html

18:51:24 <kismet> Hugs Jenny

18:51:28 <Renee> No, not yet. I keep looking for ""ahrang  
thangs""

18:51:39 <Debra\_and\_CB> Jenny (and Boo), I had to reload Java  
for chat last week. You might want to  
try that later.

18:52:02 <MurraysMama> I don't blame you ... I have an  
attachment for ahrange thangs myself!

18:52:06 <Guest1578> it is horrible, but at least i am here

18:52:07 <Bugs\_Bean> My boss's daughter just adopted a little  
""ahrange thang"" he's very cute

18:52:13 <Bugs\_Bean> got him from cat rescue, he's very  
friendly

18:52:18 <Renee> I've found some youngsters, but Sweet

Pea wants to be ""the baby"" (little bad ass that she is)

18:52:19 <kismet> Hey Reneee - did you have the portrait done yet?

18:52:36 <Guest1578> i did reload java any more suggestions anyone???

18:52:52 <MurraysMama> I have learned from my last adoptions to dearly love the older kids ... the ones not everyone wants

18:53:02 <Bugs\_Bean> His name is Oscar and to welcome him to their family I gave him a Boogie Mat, some Halo treats, a Wellness b pack and loaned her ""The Natural Cat"" to read! LOL!

18:53:05 <Debra\_and\_CB> Sometimes the server is just being a pain, Jenny

18:53:22 <Renee> No and I'm finally ready. I need to get some reprints and send them to Jenny (I have a scanner, but can't figure out how to use it)

18:53:33 <Guest1578> it was last week and tonight too. i think it is my zone alarm

18:53:34 <kismet> Hugs Renee :)

18:53:39 <Bugs\_Bean> A flatbed scanner Renee?

18:53:40 <MurraysMama> write me about scanners ... I can help

18:53:53 <Renee> Yep,

18:53:54 <LauraG> Forget the scanners...get a digital camera! :)

18:53:55 <JenChamp> Mac or PC?

18:53:56 <kismet> Hi Deanie!

18:53:57 <Bugs\_Bean> Hi Deanie

18:54:01 <Debra\_and\_CB> Hi Deanie :-)

18:54:04 <LauraG> Hi, Deanie

18:54:06 <Guest1578> renee i am here when you get ready

18:54:07 <MynandBadgerAss> HI Deanie & Bo!!

18:54:09 <Bugs\_Bean> yeah, but if you have old pix, you need a scanner

18:54:09 <Joni> hi Deanie

18:54:13 <Debra\_and\_CB> Jenny, is Zone Alarm a firewall?

18:54:13 <MynandBadgerAss> Boo!

18:54:17 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> Hi Deanie

18:54:21 <MurraysMama> hi Deanie

18:54:24 <Renee> My problem is that I can't get my outlook in sync with my internet

18:54:26 <deanie> hey kids--brb--got one more sugar cat to poke

18:54:32 <kismet> k

18:54:35 <MurraysMama> yes, ZA is an excellent firewall

18:54:42 <Guest1578> yes debra it is

18:54:44 \* kismet On topic in 10 minutes

18:54:45 <Bugs\_Bean> ""one more sugarcat"" ??? Did Boo get a friend?

18:55:02 <Renee> Boo has a vacation guest

18:55:17 <MynandBadgerAss> Oh, just for the record, I found out what was wrong with my monitor, I put 2025 batteries in instead of 2032

18:55:17 <Bugs\_Bean> really? wow, sugarcats get around!

18:55:25 <Don\_and\_Cosmos> Hi Deanie....my PC is acting up

18:55:26 <Bugs\_Bean> ahhh, that'll do it!

18:55:37 <Renee> Speaking of new sugarcats, Patricia has another one (announced on IMOM, but not yet on FDMB)

18:55:49 <kismet> She's the sugarcats queen

18:55:57 <kismet> Bless her heart

18:55:58 <MurraysMama> where did she get this one?

18:55:58 <Bugs\_Bean> Patricia & Rhamu Patricia?

18:56:26 <Renee> No, Particia, Fluffy, Bobby, etc, etc.

18:56:37 <kismet> Texas Patricia

18:56:47 <Bugs\_Bean> oh, I don't think I know her? Has she not posted recently?

18:56:48 <MurraysMama> lives in Arlington, TX

18:56:54 <MurraysMama> she doesn't post very much

18:56:55 <Joni> wow I could never

18:56:57 <kismet> She posts off an on

18:57:00 <Joni> next pet is pet rock

18:57:02 <Renee> The shelter she adopted Murphy from sent an e-mail that a gal in Houston was looking for a home for one

18:57:07 <kismet> LOL Joni!

18:57:19 <Bugs\_Bean> I have a Pet Rock and a Pebble Pal that came with a leash

18:57:24 <MurraysMama> when things settle down here I want a female one

18:57:24 <kismet> rofl

18:57:25 <LauraG> You know that once you have one, it's

your "responsibility" to start taking in the others....

18:57:38 <Joni> bout all I could afford to feed after this crew

18:57:38 <LauraG> especially when you know they won't get adopted.

18:57:41 <MynandBadgerAss> I'm with you Joni! Rocks don't pee in weird places

18:57:42 <MurraysMama> and taking care of the owners of others

18:57:47 <JenChamp> Yes, we've all learned so much... don't want that knowledge to go to waste...

18:57:48 <Renee> Gal in Houston was getting married and future hubby was so allergic that his lungs are scarred.

18:58:03 <LauraG> Exactly.

18:58:05 <kismet> wow, renee

18:58:10 <MurraysMama> that's major allergy!!

18:58:18 <Bugs\_Bean> jeekers!

18:58:26 <LauraG> Though after THIS round....if Bogie doesn't straighten out soon, there will not be any sugarcats to follow!

18:58:44 <LauraG> Scarred lungs?!?!?! geez!

18:58:50 <kismet> It'll get better, Laura & Bogie

18:58:50 <Renee> Yep, that "allergic" I'll buy. Gal told Patricia if she had known that when she started dating him she wouldn't have

18:59:12 <kismet> Hi Lisa!

18:59:12 <Debra\_and\_CB> Hi Lisa :-)

18:59:12 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> Hi Lisa

18:59:13 <LauraG> I know it will. :) Thank you, though!

18:59:14 <Joni> hi Lisa

18:59:15 <deanie> ok, all the sugarcats have been cared for now!

18:59:15 <Bugs\_Bean> I wouldn't mind another sugar cat, but I'd like a break, if I ever get another kitty, and he/ she becomes a sugar cat later, I could deal with it

18:59:17 <MurraysMama> R0FL .... what an excuse for a breakup!!!

18:59:19 <JenChamp> Hey Lisa!

18:59:23 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> hi folks - sorry i'm late :)

18:59:24 <LauraG> Hi, Lisa!

18:59:26 <Don\_and\_Cosmos> Hi Lisa

18:59:27 <Bugs\_Bean> Hi Lisa!

18:59:27 <Guest1578> hi lisa

18:59:29 <MurraysMama> Hi Lisa ... I'm still looking for dupe fonts!

18:59:29 \* kismet On topic in 5 minutes

18:59:30 <Renee> I think with Patricia, this one makes 7 sugarcats

18:59:39 <Guest1578> you know who i am don't ya

18:59:43 <Joni> wow

18:59:45 <Bugs\_Bean> 7 at once!!!!

18:59:49 <JenChamp> She should be nominated for sainthood!

18:59:50 <Bugs\_Bean> or in sequence?

18:59:54 <LauraG> That's now a requirement for me to date a guy....I look to see how much cat hair is on his shirt....

19:00:04 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> jenny is that you lol?

19:00:04 <JenChamp> Laura-LOL

19:00:06 <Bugs\_Bean> date? date? what's that?

19:00:07 <Debra\_and\_CB> Guest1578 is Jenny and Boo

19:00:10 <Renee> Yep, at once. Plus she has other kitties, those are just the diabetics

19:00:13 <MynandBadgerAss> Or at least get free medicare benifits for the kitties!

19:00:16 <Guest1578> lol laura

19:00:18 <Joni> is that a record..Diana and Gang had what? 4 at once

19:00:24 <deanie> no, diana had 5

19:00:26 <LauraG> Exactly, Karen! :)

19:00:41 <Renee> Diana's record is definitely broken.

19:00:48 <deanie> and i think it was 5 diabetics, 16 cats total

19:01:05 <Joni> boy two was enough!!

19:01:11 <Bugs\_Bean> where in the world do folks find all these sugar cats? are they just becoming more common?

19:01:15 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> wow ellen you've got a big crowd tonight :) you think you're getting commision or something lol?

19:01:17 <LauraG> Yeah, I have 13 in house, and it's a LOT

19:01:21 <Bugs\_Bean> must be the crummy food!

19:01:22 <Renee> Patricia's hubby is just as devoted and so is their daughter

19:01:24 <Guest1578> yes but i don't know how to get to you jen

19:01:27 <kismet> I should - shouldn't I, Lisa - LOL

19:01:49 <Guest1578> jen are you there?

19:01:56 <LauraG> And only ONE of those is diabetic. The rest are healthy. Feral, most of them, but healthy! :)

19:01:59 <Renee> All of Patricia's have a story.

19:02:09 <JenChamp> yup, I'm here

19:02:22 \* kismet Topic tonight is: ""Switching Insulins: Knowing when it's time , tips and advice""

19:02:29 <Guest1578> i will brb

19:02:43 <Bugs\_Bean> hey is there a record for fastest switcher? Does Bug win?

19:02:48 <kismet> lol

19:03:07 <LauraG> How about Most Drastic Switcher, I nominate Bogie. :)

19:03:17 \* kismet Chat transcripts are being recorded, so keep it clean guys :)

19:03:21 <JenChamp> Champ has only switched once... early on from N to U

19:03:35 <Bugs\_Bean> Bug too, one day on N, that was the end of that!

19:03:35 <MurraysMama> Murray has been from N to L to U to PZI

19:03:40 <Bugs\_Bean> Switched to U the next day

19:03:44 <Renee> Susan's Kitty will always win with most combos

19:03:51 <JenChamp> Renee-so true!

19:03:55 <Bugs\_Bean> yup, that's for sure Renee

19:04:02 <Joni> what about POPcorn..he went thru a lot too

19:04:12 \* kismet We're going to use the ""tag"" system tonight - one person talks - when they are through they ""tag"" another ok?

19:04:15 <Bugs\_Bean> Was Popcorn on combos, too?

19:04:18 <Renee> True

19:04:20 <kismet> I

19:04:29 <MurraysMama> good idea ... the tag

19:04:31 <Renee> OK

19:04:36 <JenChamp> brb

19:04:36 <Joni> yup

19:04:42 <kismet> I'll start of course :)

19:04:52 <Bugs\_Bean> Bossy!

19:04:54 <Bugs\_Bean> LOL!

19:05:03 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> tight ship - liking this already lol :)

19:05:06 \* kismet First question - how many are here because they have never switched and want to know why others have?

19:05:31 <Guest1578> i am

19:05:31 <kismet> anyone anyone

19:05:41 <kismet> K - Jenny

19:05:44 <kismet> others?

19:05:56 <kismet> Hi Mary

19:06:00 <LauraG> I am here just to learn.

19:06:00 <Bugs\_Bean> Hi Mary and Anne

19:06:00 <Joni> hi Mary

19:06:00 <MurraysMama> Mary my dear

19:06:00 <kismet> Hi Anne

19:06:01 <JenChamp> hi mary

19:06:04 <Don\_and\_Cosmos> Hi Mary

19:06:05 <Joni> Hi Anne

19:06:05 <JenChamp> hi Anne

19:06:07 <AnneFrenchFry> Hi everyone :D

19:06:11 <Guest1578> me too

19:06:11 <JenChamp> I'm just here to learn as well

19:06:12 \* kismet Started our topic tonight = welcome all!

19:06:14 <marymiracle> hi everyone

19:06:14 <LauraG> Hi, Mary and Anne

19:06:21 <kismet> K - Jen

19:06:22 <Don\_and\_Cosmos> Hi Anne

19:06:30 <kismet> K- LauraG

19:06:47 \* kismet Next question - how many have done the old switcheroo?

19:06:51 <kismet> me

19:06:53 <Bugs\_Bean> we have

19:06:54 <MurraysMama> we have

19:06:55 <Joni> me twice

19:06:57 <Don\_and\_Cosmos> me  
 19:07:02 <Renee> Me  
 19:07:02 <MurraysMama> on our 4th insulin  
 19:07:05 <AnneFrenchFry> soon i think -- not yet  
 19:07:07 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> we did -  
 19:07:15 <JenChamp> only once... N to U  
 19:07:31 <LauraG> I just switched...Hum. L to PZI  
 19:07:32 \* kismet I think what we  
 19:07:38 \* kismet oops  
 19:07:59 <MurraysMama> Kis, let Ellen type now  
 19:08:09 <AnneFrenchFry> lol  
 19:08:11 \* kismet I think what we'll do is have people  
 share their experiences and allow for q  
 & A after each person has shared their  
 story - that sound good?  
 19:08:18 <LauraG> Si  
 19:08:19 <marymiracle> I have switched 4 times, I think  
 19:08:19 <Joni> yes  
 19:08:21 <MurraysMama> yup  
 19:08:27 <Renee> sounds fine  
 19:08:29 <AnneFrenchFry> k  
 19:08:31 <Bugs\_Bean> k  
 19:08:35 <Guest1578> yep  
 19:08:51 \* kismet Laura & Murray - you're tagged ;)  
 19:08:54 <kismet> hee hee  
 19:08:58 <Guest1578> brb phone  
 19:08:59 <MurraysMama> I knew it I knew it!!  
 19:09:12 <MurraysMama> okay ... we started with N, like so  
 many others  
 19:09:22 <MurraysMama> vet went from 2 units to 4 units in 4  
 weeks  
 19:09:32 <MurraysMama> I was new to fd, and so, I found out,  
 was she  
 19:09:58 <MurraysMama> her next suggestion was to make it 4  
 units three times a day, since Murr  
 wasn't getting more than 5 hours out of  
 4 units  
 19:10:06 <MurraysMama> then I knew I had a problem  
 19:10:16 <MurraysMama> I suggested and demanded we go to L

19:10:25 <kismet> HI Autumn  
 19:10:28 <Debra\_and\_CB> Hi Autumn :-)  
 19:10:31 <Bugs\_Bean> Hi Autumn  
 19:10:32 <AnneFrenchFry> hi Autumn  
 19:10:32 <MurraysMama> L only lasted a little bit longer, not really making much difference  
 19:10:33 <Joni> hi Autumn  
 19:10:33 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> (hi autumn)  
 19:10:34 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Hi you all  
 19:10:39 <MurraysMama> hi Autumn  
 19:10:43 <Don\_and\_Cosmos> Hi Autumn  
 19:10:47 <JenChamp> hi autumn!  
 19:10:52 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Ouch my name is a long chat name. LOL  
 19:11:19 <kismet> Go ahead, Laura  
 19:11:22 <marymiracle> Hi Autumn  
 19:11:26 <MurraysMama> after using L, we changed vets  
 19:11:42 <MurraysMama> our vet Dr. W at that time started all  
fd's on U  
 19:11:47 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> (hi mary - sorry missed it a few  
minutes ago)  
 19:11:55 <MurraysMama> so we were on U from Mar 1 2002 until  
mid Aug 2002  
 19:12:20 <MurraysMama> U was an almost not quite insulin ...  
but Dr. W and I did agree that Murray  
was a brittle diabetic  
 19:12:43 <MurraysMama> he will probably never be regulated,  
who knows why, and his bg's bounce  
continually  
 19:12:57 <MurraysMama> In Aug we decided to give PZI a try,  
and have been very happy.  
 19:13:16 <MurraysMama> Murray is bouncing, but is physically  
much healthier, and his bloodwork in  
April was very good  
 19:13:27 <MurraysMama> Ellen, what more do I need to add?  
 19:13:33 <kismet> That's great :)  
 19:13:43 <kismet> So what was the biggest factor when  
making the switch?  
 19:13:52 <MurraysMama> which one?  
 19:13:56 <kismet> lol  
 19:14:16 <MurraysMama> to PZI? it was a concensus between Doc  
and Me

19:14:17 <kismet> with ""N"" and ""L"" I gather it was duration issues, right?

19:14:22 <marymiracle> isnt he orange too laura?

19:14:34 <MurraysMama> L was the logical move from N

19:14:37 <JenChamp> Need to go.... step-daughter needs me.... bye everyone!!!!

19:14:43 <kismet> nite Jen

19:14:43 <Bugs\_Bean> Night Jen

19:14:43 <MurraysMama> yup, Murray is a big old ahrange thang

19:14:43 <Debra\_and\_CB> G'night Jen

19:14:44 <AnneFrenchFry> bye Jen

19:14:46 <MurraysMama> bye Jen

19:14:51 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> Bye Jen

19:14:52 <Renee> Bye Jen

19:14:56 <Joni> byeJen

19:14:59 <Bugs\_Bean> Q? what's a brittle diabetic?

19:15:01 <kismet> With ""U"" - was it consistency?

19:15:06 <Guest1578> bye

19:15:16 <kismet> when you switched from ""U"" to PZI I mean

19:15:21 <MurraysMama> no duration ... we were trying for that elusive duration

19:15:23 <marymiracle> its a diabetic that is very hard to control or regulate

19:15:28 <Bugs\_Bean> ah, ok

19:15:54 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> Spanky's just a stubborn diabetic.

19:15:56 <MurraysMama> we went to PZI because we still needed that length of one dose

19:16:05 <MurraysMama> we're finding that Murr is a low dose cat

19:16:15 <kismet> What's the biggest tip you can give a person that is considering a switch?

19:16:28 <MurraysMama> we went too high, and reached that wonderful place where when I went high so did he

19:16:42 <MurraysMama> Wow ... that's sort of an instinctive thing.

19:16:43 <marymiracle> dont be afraid to switch if what you are using dosent work

19:16:49 <Joni> is that for the floor? or just Laura?

19:16:59 <kismet> Laura for now

19:17:04 <marymiracle> sorry

19:17:09 <kismet> but if you want to add something Joni - that's cool

19:17:18 <MurraysMama> If you don't see much difference, and not getting much of a change after a long period of time

19:17:24 <Don\_and\_Cosmos> sorry I have to go....I'll read the transcript! Nite All!

19:17:29 <kismet> Nite Don

19:17:31 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Night

19:17:33 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> night don

19:17:33 <AnneFrenchFry> nite Don

19:17:33 <Debra\_and\_CB> G'night Don

19:17:34 <MurraysMama> it's good to consider switching to the next type of insulin

19:17:38 <MurraysMama> nite Don

19:17:39 <Joni> LOL....ok. than...don't change too quick...Tony would go up in bgs after a switch on type or dose

19:18:00 <Joni> for at least 2 days..5-7 days to settle

19:18:00 <MurraysMama> yes, and after a switch give each dose at least 2 weeks

19:18:22 <kismet> Hi Sara

19:18:22 <Joni> hi sara

19:18:22 <Bugs\_Bean> Hi Sara

19:18:23 <Debra\_and\_CB> Hi Sara :-)

19:18:24 <saraeli> hi kids

19:18:27 <marymiracle> hi sara

19:18:27 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> hi sara :)

19:18:30 <kismet> Anyone else have questions to ask Laura?

19:18:35 <LauraG> Sorry, all - i have to go do Litters! :(

19:18:37 <MurraysMama> we went from N to L to U fairly fast, about 6 weeks with each one, and then U for about 8 months

19:18:41 <MurraysMama> hi sara

19:18:46 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> How often to people have to switch their cats from PZI to something else?

19:18:48 <Bugs\_Bean> Laura, could you tell in 2 weeks? we have to wait a whole month?

19:18:51 <AnneFrenchFry> hi Sara

19:19:02 <kismet> Bye LauraG

19:19:06 <Joni> waht was your duration differece from U to Pzi?

19:19:26 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> i can't recall someone that switched off pzi except for reactions (allergic-ish)

19:19:27 <MurraysMama> am I scaring them all off, Ellen?

19:19:36 <kismet> Naaa Laura :)

19:19:39 <saraeli> i switched off PZI

19:19:40 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> Thanks. I was wondering about that.

19:19:47 <MurraysMama> yes, Lisa, I agree ... we're still not regulated but I have a happier cat

19:19:52 <Renee> There have been a couple of those

19:19:53 <MurraysMama> why sara?

19:19:58 <marymiracle> I did because i couldnt afford it and found U was better after all

19:20:01 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> Why did you switch off PZI?

19:20:02 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> linda's friday, susan's kitty...as well

19:20:02 <Guest1578> ok i have got to go and see if i can get into gorb the right way

19:20:11 <saraeli> it gave me terrible overlap - often the +12 was the lowest of the day, but he'd be up at +16=+18 so it wasn't SID

19:20:14 <Guest1578> i will be back

19:20:16 <kismet> k jeeny

19:20:17 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> poor jenny ((hugs))

19:20:35 <MurraysMama> it was 3/4 sid

19:20:45 <Joni> oh Sara that is Tony (sometimes) have off and on considering trying the all beef lente

19:20:50 <saraeli> it couldn't recover from the food surges, and his curve was so flat (or lopsided). we got up to 4.5 units BID in about 4 months and called it quits.

19:20:59 <marymiracle> i had that...sometimes and others I had high numbers

19:21:15 <saraeli> i never got below 300 on PZI

19:21:27 <saraeli> that should read 4.5 units BID

19:21:30 <MurraysMama> sara what are you using now?

19:21:30 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> I'm not, either, but I'm still new at this.

19:21:36 <saraeli> we use L and U combined

19:21:40 <saraeli> 2 units of each BID

19:21:41 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Well, sometimes I have, but not in  
general.

19:21:55 <marymiracle> i checked him once before going to bed,  
he was 38! Next week he was not out of  
the 300's

19:22:10 <saraeli> U alone was like shooting water - L  
alone didn't give me the duration.

19:22:14 \* kismet Sounds like Sara has been tagged ;)

19:22:23 <marymiracle> I have seen several people use a  
combination

19:22:23 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> I guess every kitty is so different.

19:22:32 <MurraysMama> ECIID

19:22:45 <AnneFrenchFry> sometimes every day is different too  
\*sigh\*

19:22:45 <saraeli> yep- biology plays a big role...

19:22:55 <Joni> yes Autumn....there are very differnt

19:22:55 <marymiracle> it does

19:23:07 <marymiracle> and eating capabilities

19:23:24 <saraeli> eli has EXCELLENT eating capabilities  
LOL

19:23:24 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Yeah, I did a 12-hour curve on SL today  
that I need to post on the message  
board.

19:23:40 <kismet> Sara - what advice would you give to  
someone considering a switch?

19:23:55 <saraeli> well, we switched 5 times, so...

19:24:05 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Ouch!

19:24:15 <saraeli> make sure you started at 1 unit and  
work up to 4-5 units over several  
months.

19:24:31 <saraeli> and be logical... don't go from N to U  
without trying L first.

19:24:36 <saraeli> or vice versa

19:24:46 <MynandBadgerAss> So, realistically it could take up to a  
year to regulate a cat

19:24:53 <saraeli> it took us 8 months

19:24:55 <kismet> or longer

19:25:05 <MurraysMama> it has been 1 1/2 years and still not  
regulated

19:25:09 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe But that's not the norm, is it?

e>

19:25:10 <AnneFrenchFry> or never

19:25:21 <Bugs\_Bean> it took us 8 months even without switching

19:25:22 <MynandBadgerAss> That means the 2 month thing the vet told me is a ""best chance"" estimate

19:25:23 <saraeli> but we tested for ketones, and honetested (obviously) and when things just weren't working, we moved on.

19:25:24 <Joni> 4.5 yrs :-)

19:25:24 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> it can take longer myn ;)

19:25:26 <Renee> Buzzy (Ga) did 5 insulins and we went from 4/01 to 11/01

19:25:28 <kismet> Hi Kathi

19:25:28 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> (hi kathi)

19:25:31 <Debra\_and\_CB> Autumn, when one speaks about cats, is there a ""normal"" ?? lol!

19:25:36 <Debra\_and\_CB> Hi Kathi :-)

19:25:38 <Joni> but Tony is special.

19:25:39 <Bugs\_Bean> Hi Kathi

19:25:39 <saraeli> at the same time, you can't jump the gun, or else you will run into rebound and mess it all up.

19:25:40 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> My vet says that because sometimes there is underlying chronic pancreatitis

19:25:40 <Joni> Hi Kathi

19:25:41 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> its all about ""big picture"" not ""regulated"" imho...

19:25:43 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> hi everyone

19:26:00 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> No! no cat is ""normal"" LOL

19:26:05 <Bugs\_Bean> yup, you have to focus on the whole cat, not just those #s on the meter

19:26:21 <Joni> Tony was regulated on L sid in 2 weeks

19:26:21 <saraeli> someitmes people get lucky and hit the right insulin on the first try. i think if more vets showed patience, that would happen more often.

19:26:23 <Bugs\_Bean> Bugs numbers are fine, but we were still at the vet on Saturday cuz everything else was ""off""

19:26:27 <kismet> So sara - go slow and give an insulin a chance before switching - but don't be afraid to do so when you know you've

given it all the chance it has?  
19:26:27 <Joni> got sick 4 mths after dx  
19:26:33 <Joni> and has never been regulated again  
19:26:42 <AnneFrenchFry> yes - if they're happy and acting fine  
with no clinical signs except for  
whacky bg's - then you're doing well  
19:26:47 <saraeli> thats what we did, ellen. 5 times... :)  
19:26:55 <kismet> Gotcha ;)  
19:27:00 <kathi\_and\_brandymae  
> Karen...is Bug feeling better?  
19:27:24 <saraeli> i think if you are up to 4-5 units BID  
and not getting lower than 300-350  
EVER, its time to move on. just make  
sure you made those increases in due  
time.  
19:27:25 <Bugs\_Bean> She's eating better but only with  
Pepcid and cypro  
19:27:42 <Bugs\_Bean> and still wants me to feed her with the  
spoon  
19:27:47 \* kismet Sara - you wanna tag another person -  
remember one story at a time :)  
19:27:51 <MurraysMama> we went that route Karen when Murray  
had pneumonia  
19:27:55 <Bugs\_Bean> although she ate both snacks today  
while I was gone :) spoiled brat cat!  
19:27:58 <kathi\_and\_brandymae  
> LOL...sounds like a tortie!  
19:28:13 <saraeli> renee- did you go yet?  
19:28:39 <Renee> Nope, I'll go  
19:28:44 \* kismet Folks - let's go one at a time so it's  
easier for people to follow along ;)  
19:28:53 <kismet> Thanks! :)  
19:29:04 <kathi\_and\_brandymae  
> sorry guys :-(  
19:29:11 <kismet> That's ok, Kathi :)  
19:29:16 <Renee> Buzzy did the N for about a day, then I  
switched vets  
19:29:19 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> I have to remember that. I'm used to  
homebrew chat and it's a wild free-for-  
all that I've learned to keep up in :-)  
19:29:33 <kathi\_and\_brandymae  
> :-)  
19:29:47 <Renee> Dr. S started Buzzy on L  
19:30:25 <Renee> At diagnosis Buzzy's bg was seldome  
above 325, but even up to 6 units of L  
he never dropped below 250

19:31:21 <Renee> Then we switched to U, same story. FYI, Buzzy's vet had for his criteria for switching was if you got to 6 units and an insulin wasn't working, you needed to try something else.

19:31:54 <Renee> Next was human PZI (not worth trying, by the way), got to 6 units, same results

19:32:26 <Renee> Last chance was animal PZI, we switched to BCP PZI and almost instant results

19:33:06 <Renee> We still had to get up to 5+ units, but the BCP finally worked for Buzzy

19:33:39 <MurraysMama> what kind of drop did Buzzy get on the BCP?

19:34:08 <saraeli> did you see clinical signs of improvement right away too?

19:34:12 <saraeli> clinical

19:34:24 <Renee> Usually from 325 to about 140

19:34:31 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> Now BCP is not one in the same as PZI Vet, right?

19:34:35 <MurraysMama> excellent!!

19:34:52 <MurraysMama> yes, and we saw the improvement right away!

19:35:05 <kismet> Hi Peaman - name and kitty name please?

19:35:11 <Renee> Plus, we got overlap, so I would shoot at +12 with Buzzy around 225

19:35:23 <saraeli> love that

19:35:42 <Peaman> Pauline and the Wee Felice. Sorry I didn't know what to enter for a nickname. Can I change it?

19:35:42 <Renee> Yes, I saw immediate improvement

19:35:46 <Joni> ummm Tony is licking the montior....past din din time folks

19:35:54 <kismet> That's ok - Pauline :)

19:36:05 <kismet> Just want to be sure we know who is who - thanks :)

19:36:07 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> lol joni - good sign though!

19:36:11 <Debra\_and\_CB> Hi Pauline :-)

19:36:13 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> (hi pauline)

19:36:19 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> hi pauline  
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19:36:22 <Joni> LOL this is unusaul for him, must be extra hungry!

19:36:22 <Renee> Debra, you want to go next?

19:36:24 <MurraysMama> hi pauline

19:36:26 <Joni> hi Pauline...  
19:36:33 <Joni> and good nite to you all  
19:36:36 <AnneFrenchFry> brb -- gotta tend to a sick drooler  
19:36:38 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Shake out the keyboard  
19:36:40 <Peaman> Hello to all, I'm only here to observe  
tonight.  
19:36:41 <saraeli> good nite joni!  
19:36:45 <kismet> Nite Jonie  
19:36:48 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> later anne  
19:36:49 <kathi\_and\_brandymae  
> good nite joni!  
19:36:49 <MurraysMama> Renee, can I email you with some ??  
19:36:51 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> night joni  
19:36:51 <Debra\_and\_CB> Sure, but there's not much to tell. CB  
started on L, and is still on L  
19:36:53 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> night Joni and Anne  
19:36:54 <Renee> Nite Joni  
19:36:54 <MurraysMama> nite Joni  
19:37:04 <Renee> Absolutely Laura  
19:37:04 <MynandBadgerAss> Pardon my ignorance, what does ""shoot  
at +12"" mean?  
19:37:11 <MurraysMama> thanks  
19:37:17 <saraeli> 12 hours after the last shot....  
19:37:17 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> 12th hour  
19:37:40 <MynandBadgerAss> thank you  
19:37:56 <kismet> Renee gave a full dose at PS even  
though Buzzy was only 225 cause she  
knew of his food spike and overlap  
19:37:58 <MurraysMama> hi again Mary  
19:38:00 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Took me awhile to figure out what SID  
was. I type q.d. for once daily for  
work.  
19:38:00 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> (wb mary)  
19:38:03 <kathi\_and\_brandymae  
> hi Mary  
19:38:04 <Renee> +12 would be time for the next shot and  
most people will skip with a 240 bg,  
but with Buzzy and PZI, I knew that I  
could go ahead and give the shot

19:38:05 <Debra\_and\_CB> wb Mary :-)

19:38:10 <marymiracle> ty all

19:38:28 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> folka make sure to see the glossary melissa did at gorb's site for answers to weird acronyms :)

19:38:28 <saraeli> +and a number is the # of hours after the shot... so, we tend to check at say, +5 to see how what the insulin is doing at mid-way in the 12 hour period, etc...

19:38:30 <MurraysMama> hugs to you Mary

19:38:52 <marymiracle> ty laura

19:38:57 <MynandBadgerAss> You mean they would not give the shot with a 240 bg? But I gave Badger her second shot with a 183 the other night

19:39:02 <kismet> Debra - wanna tag someone else?

19:39:02 <marymiracle> I am having a hard day

19:39:10 <Debra\_and\_CB> Lisa, you want to go?

19:39:14 <kismet> after q & A that is

19:39:20 <Renee> Myn, it depends on the cat and the insulin

19:39:28 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> i can go - then i've gotta ""go"" go :)

19:39:34 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> ready?

19:39:35 <saraeli> myn- it depends on how your cat reacts to the insulin and how low it drops in how many hours...

19:39:49 <MynandBadgerAss> ok,

19:39:53 <Renee> Some people don't feel comfortable shooting if bg is less than 250

19:40:02 <kismet> Ready :)

19:40:03 <marymiracle> also, with some it depends on the age of the insulin as well

19:40:15 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Badger's on PZI Vet, right?

19:40:18 <saraeli> but some will shoot anything above 100, Know Thy Cat.

19:40:23 <Peaman> how old is too old for insulin?

19:40:32 <marymiracle> depends on the insulin

19:40:34 <MynandBadgerAss> badger is on uh, let me go look

19:40:41 <saraeli> whne it stops working :-)

19:40:43 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> I was just gonna ask that

>

19:40:50 <deanie> i think badger is on u

19:40:53 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> ahhhh....ok :-)  
>

19:40:56 <MurraysMama> PZI is supposed to be 6 months

19:40:58 <MynandBadgerAss> U she's on U

19:40:59 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> 'kay, let's see...once upon a time...

19:41:01 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> Human insulins don't have as long as a shelf life.

19:41:14 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> pzi vet by idexx good to last drop fyi

19:41:15 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> PZI Vet has a 2 year shelf life. Probably why it costs so much.

19:41:16 <marymiracle> they say the humalins are good for 30 days after the first puncture

19:41:18 <MynandBadgerAss> Deanie knows! LOL

19:41:19 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> 30 days approx. right?  
>

19:41:29 <saraeli> our humulin is good to the last drop too...

19:41:41 <deanie> the 30 days is not about the potency

19:41:42 <Debra\_and\_CB> I get over 3 months out of L

19:41:42 <Bugs\_Bean> ours lasts 30 days (60 pokes) then craps out

19:41:58 <Bugs\_Bean> proved it yesterday with terrible curve on 5 week old U

19:41:59 <Peaman> i am diabetic myself and i use the insulin to the end of the bottle and never have a problem. so does my son.

19:41:59 <marymiracle> explain that please Deanie

19:42:29 <MurraysMama> the 30 days is about contamination

19:42:32 <deanie> the 30 day recommendation from Lilly is to avoid bacterial contamination--it has nothing to do with potency

19:42:34 <Bugs\_Bean> ah, but do you use a whole bottle within 30 days?

19:42:42 <marymiracle> no

19:42:57 <Bugs\_Bean> people might (bigger doses), but most kitties don't

19:42:57 <deanie> hospitals toss the bottles at 30 days

19:43:14 <marymiracle> raid on the dumpster!!!

19:43:15 <MurraysMama> why is there a difference with the PZI's

19:43:20 <saraeli> LOL mary!

19:43:20 <MynandBadgerAss> Do I need to change at 30, or end of bottle?

19:43:22 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> this is true....LOL Mary!  
>

19:43:25 <MurraysMama> there would still be the same contamination issue

19:43:31 <Renee> If you don't see any difference in how the insulin is working, then no need to change

19:43:37 <Bugs\_Bean> i get a new bottle every 1st of the month

19:43:45 <Bugs\_Bean> keep the old one as an emergency spare

19:43:50 <marymiracle> I usually start to see a difference i 30 days or so

19:43:51 <Bugs\_Bean> toss the third oldest one

19:43:56 <saraeli> myn- if you see no change in numbers, don't change the bottle. we NEVER had a bottle of humulin (l or U) poop out on us...

19:44:02 <marymiracle> also, just for a little aside...

19:44:25 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> Brandy's is about 5 weeks old.....the numbers I have on her are still good  
>

19:44:44 <Bugs\_Bean> you'll know when it poops out

19:44:51 <Bugs\_Bean> numbers get worse

19:44:54 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> Night everyone, I'm going to get going

19:44:57 <marymiracle> if when you roll the bottle, and then let it set, upside down, its a bit stornger, so it also depends on how you hold the bottle for how long! discovered that the hard way 2 nights ago!

19:45:00 <kismet> Nite Sally - hugs

19:45:01 <Debra\_and\_CB> G'night Sally

19:45:03 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe> night Sally.  
e>

19:45:03 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> night sally ((hugs))

19:45:04 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> goodnight Sally!  
>

19:45:05 <marymiracle> night sally

19:45:08 <Bugs\_Bean> Night Sally

19:45:16 <Renee> Nite Sally (sending hugs to you)

19:45:18 <saraeli> nite sally!

19:45:24 <MurraysMama> nite Sally

19:45:24 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> Thanks everyone

19:45:29 <Sally\_andPenny\_GA> (((hugs)))

19:45:52 \* kismet Lisa - are you aredy to share?

19:45:56 <kismet> ready

19:45:57 <MurraysMama> mary ... what do you mean hold the bottle?

19:45:57 <kismet> lol

19:45:57 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> i'm ready :)

19:46:18 <kismet> Lisa's turn - guys :)

19:46:37 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> don't make ellen kick you out - she'll do it LOL!

19:46:44 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> okay, once upon a time..

19:46:45 <kismet> lol

19:46:49 <marymiracle> I was talking to hal, holding the bottle in the draw position, for a few minits... drew his shot, 3 hours later I had a 300 point drop!

19:47:02 <marymiracle> sorry lisa

19:47:20 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> let's see, after dx Gorb was started on 1u N bid...we made slow and steady increases for a period of 6 months and saw improvements, but nothing so great

19:47:40 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> around the 6-month point we were getting the ideal peak at around +6, but not getting enough duration so moved to L

19:48:03 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> we tried L for another 6 months or so and got maybe 1 great week out of every month, not enough consistency (we tried diluting as well)

19:48:41 <saraeli> did you start over at 1 unit with L?

19:48:46 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> after a year of humulins and no magic cure, didn't wanna waste time trying \*another\* humulin so chatted with vet and went with PZI Vet (he felt strongly as do I about the manufactured vs. compounded issue which is why we went that way)

19:49:13 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> yup sara - started at 1 u and made slow and steady increases (n maxed out at 4.5u bid, l maxed out at 3.25 u after 6 months each)

19:49:50 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> so we've been on pzi vet for a little over a year now and though we still have \*suck\* days, overall clinical signs and bloodwork is 100%% better than on the humulins

19:49:58 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> ~~the end~~ lol

19:50:05 <Bugs\_Bean> q?

19:50:08 \* saraeli (Plays Sound: applause.au) applause

19:50:25 <kathi\_and\_brandymae > LOL

19:50:25 <saraeli> what dose is he on?

19:50:29 <AnneFrenchFry> lol -- just in time for a gorb story :)

19:50:31 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> i'll accept ?s now - karen, tortie in the front lol

19:50:34 <Renee> About those ""suck days""

19:50:40 <kathi\_and\_brandymae > LOL

19:50:42 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> currently gorb gets 1.2 u am and 1u pm

19:50:46 <Bugs\_Bean> :) what's the dif between ""manufactured"" and ""compounded""?

19:50:50 <Bugs\_Bean> never understood that

19:50:52 <MurraysMama> he's on U40?

19:50:52 <kathi\_and\_brandymae > yayyy Torties!!!

19:50:56 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe e> That applause sounded like gunfire. the dog ran.

19:50:59 <saraeli> fantastic

19:51:03 <kathi\_and\_brandymae > LOL

19:51:05 <Renee> Is Gorb like Buzzy, ""suck day"" is just that, no reason, it just is?

19:51:08 <Bugs\_Bean> LOL!

19:51:10 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> yup laura - u40

19:51:29 <MurraysMama> we have suck days ... no reason ... just 'cuz

19:51:37 <MurraysMama> in fact, we suck today

19:51:39 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> just suck day, no reason (lately the heat and lack of movement is to blame i think)

19:51:44 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> we suck too laura!

19:51:44 <AnneFrenchFry> suck days are like curve days?

19:51:55 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe e> Hey, I had one of those today!

19:51:55 <marymiracle> brb, gonna let lolipop out of her cage.

19:52:00 <Renee> And you got to look at them as just that

19:52:06 <AnneFrenchFry> lol seems so

19:52:07 <MurraysMama> nope, suck days are lousey numbers, for no good reason

19:52:17 <saraeli> everyone has suck days, i think... its a cat-conspiracy.

19:52:21 <kismet> Kis too - BTW

19:52:23 <AnneFrenchFry> yeah - like every curve day is a suck day 4 me

19:52:28 <MurraysMama> makes me look at Murray and ask him why the h\*\*\* he did that!

19:52:31 <kathi\_and\_brandymae > LOL Anne

19:52:32 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> manufactured means certain standards are ensured for the fda so consistency from batch to batch; compounded doesn't mean the same standards (or doesn't go for fda regulation) so there's the ""chance"" for lack of consistency (though most folks don't have that problem)

19:52:35 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe e> Oh, then I always have those.

19:52:43 <saraeli> they know how to mess up those curves, anne.

19:52:56 <kismet> Hi Sarsmum

19:52:57 <AnneFrenchFry> uh huh -- every time :)

19:53:08 <sarsmum> hi everyone Glenys from ""down under"" here

19:53:12 <AnneFrenchFry> hi sarsmum

19:53:12 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> hi glenys

19:53:15 <kathi\_and\_brandymae > hi glenys

19:53:16 <Bugs\_Bean> so manufactured is like ""created"" kind of like the humilins are ""created"" and the compounded is sort of like ""gathered"" from real stuff?

19:53:16 <Debra\_and\_CB> Hi Glenys :-)

19:53:17 <saraeli> hi glenys

19:53:20 <MurraysMama> hi glenys

19:53:21 <sarsmum> it's been a while

19:53:22 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe e> Sheesh, what time is it there?

19:53:29 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> any other ?s - 'cuz i've gotta sign off and do kitty snack soon

19:53:32 <sarsmum> 11:30 a.m. Tues.

19:53:44 <MurraysMama> that's what I have to do ... make the cat happy

19:53:45 <Bugs\_Bean> Hi Glenys

19:53:51 <kismet> Thanks Lisa :)

19:53:56 <marymiracle> Hi glenys

19:53:56 <kismet> and Laura and Sara :)

19:54:04 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> no karen, manufactured and compounded beef insulin are still natural beef insulin, just go through different procedures

19:54:04 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> I think the international flavor of the message board is neat.

19:54:11 <kathi\_and\_brandymae  
> so how's Tuesday looking so far Glenys?

19:54:11 <Bugs\_Bean> ah, ok, thanks

19:54:12 <kathi\_and\_brandymae  
> lol

19:54:14 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> picture big lab vs. little pharmacy :)

19:54:14 <sarsmum> it is isn't it

19:54:24 <Bugs\_Bean> which is better, the manufactured one?

19:54:33 <Peaman> I posted on the board but maybe you can answer this. Felice's Bg was 72 tonight. Any suggestions on what to feed her to keep her BG up overnight. No shot tonight. And ususally wet food.

19:54:33 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> whatever works for your cat is better :)

19:54:35 <Bugs\_Bean> for consistency?

19:54:37 <MurraysMama> Karen that's a matter of opinion

19:54:38 <Bugs\_Bean> oh, ok

19:54:57 <Renee> Manufactured is supposed to have a guaranteed quality

19:54:57 <kismet> Pauline - If you have dry food - that'll help

19:55:04 <saraeli> did you shoot the insulin?

19:55:05 <Bugs\_Bean> just curious, Humilin U is working just fine for Bug

19:55:06 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> we never used compounded so for us manufactured is better, but plenty of folks happy with compounded :)

19:55:13 <deanie> fwiw, i worked in a lab regulated by fda.....

19:55:15 <sarsmum> just started mixing IAMS kitten back into Sara's food (boiled kangaroo) fingers crossed for no tummy upset

19:55:31 <sarsmum> BGL's still all over the place

19:55:33 <Bugs\_Bean> boiled kangaroo?? you're kidding!

19:55:34 <kathi\_and\_brandymae > Brandy has been on U from the start....it seems to be working well for her

19:55:36 <deanie> and quality control is only as good as the folks doing the testing/production.

19:55:42 <sarsmum> we humans eat ""roo"" too

19:55:48 <sarsmum> it is deelishus

19:55:50 <Peaman> gross

19:55:56 <Bugs\_Bean> ug, that's like eating big bunnies

19:56:00 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> 'kay, i'm signing off now - gotta do snacky

19:56:03 <sarsmum> it sounds awful doesn't it

19:56:03 <Renee> But, most of us using BCP have been happy with the consistency between batches. I wouldn't feel that comfortable with other compounding pharmacies

19:56:04 <MurraysMama> it has been fun friends, but I need to go

19:56:09 <saraeli> hey- people here eat Bambi...

19:56:09 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe e> I suppose that's no stranger than chitlins and buffalo.

19:56:12 <AnneFrenchFry> nite Lisa

19:56:12 <kathi\_and\_brandymae > ok Lisa bye!

19:56:14 <kismet> Nite Laura

19:56:14 <Lisa\_and\_Gorb> enjoy the rest of chat - see you all round later :)

19:56:15 <MurraysMama> see you later

19:56:16 <kismet> Nite Lisa

19:56:18 <Bugs\_Bean> yeah, I gotta go see where Bug is, she's not out prowling for treats yet

19:56:19 <Debra\_and\_CB> G'night Lisa :-)

19:56:20 <sarsmum> bye Lisa

19:56:23 <Renee> Nite Lisa

19:56:25 <Bugs\_Bean> Night guys and gals

19:56:25 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe e> night Lisa

19:56:25 <kismet> Nite Karen

19:56:26 <saraeli> hey pauline- did you shoot insulin on

that PS?

19:56:26 <AnneFrenchFry> nite Karen

19:56:26 <Peaman> g'night

19:56:31 <saraeli> nite lisa

19:56:42 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> gonna check on Brandy....be right  
> back...

19:56:42 <sarsmum> we eat camel, emu, and crocodile too

19:56:48 <marymiracle> man I missed out again!

19:56:51 <Peaman> no, no insulin actually since last  
night. she was 122 this morning

19:56:53 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> I've had fried alligator.

19:56:54 <marymiracle> yuk

19:57:00 <kismet> Mary - what did you miss out on?

19:57:05 <sarsmum> I agree mary

19:57:07 <marymiracle> saying good night

19:57:15 <marymiracle> lolipop is sploring!

19:57:29 <marymiracle> if it had a mom, i dont eat it

19:57:37 <sarsmum> the vet wanted Sara on a protein source  
she had never been exposed too before  
to test for allergy

19:57:40 <saraeli> if she hasn't had any insulin since  
last nite (24 hours), don't worry about  
getting her BG's up... she may be  
heading for niagara falls!

19:57:40 <Renee> Is Felice trying to go on vacation

19:57:49 \* kismet Would someone else like to share their  
insulin switch story?

19:57:58 <marymiracle> mememememeem

19:58:03 \* kismet Go Mary

19:58:03 <sarsmum> go mary

19:58:03 <Peaman> niagara falls???

19:58:11 <marymiracle> LOL

19:58:27 <saraeli> h\*n\*ym\*\*n - getting off insulin...

19:58:47 <saraeli> don't want to jinx it.

19:58:51 <sarsmum> you beat me to the explanation sara

19:59:02 <Peaman> i hope so. we're switching to purina dm  
tomorrow and apparently 90%% of cats go  
off insulin when they start on this  
stuff

19:59:08 <marymiracle> Miracle has tried N, U, L, BCP PZI. and

Blueridge PZI. We started on the N, no duration, went right to PZI's did well for a while

19:59:15 <sarsmum> I know the feeling about jinxing, just when I think we are Ok.... you know the rest

19:59:27 <marymiracle> then he stopped responding

19:59:44 <sarsmum> have you tried caninsulin mary?

19:59:55 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> He just stopped responding?

19:59:55 <marymiracle> So we went back to the U and thats where we are today

20:00:01 <marymiracle> yup

20:00:11 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> Isn't that strange!?

20:00:19 <kismet> (Caninsulin not in the US - unfortunately)

20:00:31 <marymiracle> Heh as done that several times, when we first started, we tried all kinds of things to improve his response

20:00:39 <sarsmum> oh - thatis strange - we miss out on the food and you miss outon the caninsulin

20:00:41 <saraeli> PZI isn't a panacea- not for every cat.

20:00:49 <marymiracle> nope

20:00:58 <sarsmum> we are supposed to be getting Purina DM soon

20:01:05 <marymiracle> and M was getting his shots IM before we saw an improvement

20:01:12 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> Spanky Lee isn't doing squat on it. But it's so soon, so . . . .

20:01:15 <saraeli> ouch

20:01:41 <marymiracle> His story is quite long and involved but thats the jist of it

20:01:54 <saraeli> how long did it take you to get to U?

20:01:55 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> Oh, I'll bet IM weren't any fun.

20:02:00 <sarsmum> I wonder about Sara's response to the caninsulin as we get such fluctuating BGL's

20:02:08 <marymiracle> actually he cries out more with the sub q shots so let me dispell that notion right away

20:02:20 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> Really?

20:02:26 <marymiracle> its the last one we tried

20:02:34 <marymiracle> yes really

20:02:34 <saraeli> how many months?

20:02:42 <kismet> brb

20:02:50 <marymiracle> he was quite comfortable with the im injections

20:02:50 <saraeli> from N to U?

20:02:58 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Spanky doesn't even notice when I shoot him subcu.

20:03:03 <Peaman> what are im injections?

20:03:09 <kathi\_and\_brandymae  
> hey guys, I'm gonna leave for a minute...wannna check Brandy's BG before giving a 2nd shot

20:03:14 <sarsmum> Sara doesn't mind subQ

20:03:15 <Debra\_and\_CB> IM=intramuscular

20:03:19 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Intramuscular.

20:03:22 <marymiracle> ok let me thinnk, he started on the l in january I think, id have to look to be sure.

20:03:28 <Debra\_and\_CB> Ok, Kathi :)

20:03:40 <kathi\_and\_brandymae  
> be right back :-)

20:03:46 <kismet> back

20:03:55 <saraeli> kay kathi

20:03:56 <Debra\_and\_CB> wb Ellen :-)

20:03:56 <AnneFrenchFry> wb ellen

20:03:58 <saraeli> wb ellen

20:04:04 <kismet> well hi there :)

20:04:24 <marymiracle> any questions?

20:04:34 <Debra\_and\_CB> Mary, have you thought about Lantus?

20:05:01 <marymiracle> not yet, but if this dosent show some improvement, im gonna!

20:05:09 <Debra\_and\_CB> Ahhhhhh, ok

20:05:18 <marymiracle> isnt that L, or is that Lente

20:05:23 <sarsmum> I have asked the vet re changing Sara's insulin but he wants us to keep trying with the caninsulin

20:05:25 <saraeli> i'm just curious about how long the average person takes to find the right insulin, if you don't hit it on the first try...

20:05:27 <Debra\_and\_CB> L is Lente

20:05:41 <Debra\_and\_CB> Lantus is another type of insulin, different from the rest

20:05:42 <marymiracle> how long have you been trying and whats your dose

20:05:44 <kismet> Kis was on ""L"" for a year before we switched

20:05:47 <sarsmum> we've been using caninsulin since Feb. (dx)

20:06:03 <saraeli> oh, not for me - we are regulated since 9/01... but for newbies...

20:06:18 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> brb. Have to try to get SL to eat the rest of this can of food. He now decided not to eat the dry DM.

20:06:19 <kismet> but Kis's story is different than some

20:06:22 <saraeli> a whole year? wow- that is patience LOL

20:06:44 <Debra\_and\_CB> Ok Autumn :-)

20:06:50 <kismet> Wanna here Kis's story?

20:06:50 <Renee> Sorry, got to do a few things around the house. Ellen - great job!

20:06:54 <kismet> we've only done two insulins

20:07:04 <kismet> nite Renee - thanks :)

20:07:05 <Debra\_and\_CB> Sure Ellen

20:07:05 <saraeli> i gotta get a bowl of cereal... i'll be back...

20:07:24 <kismet> Ya'll ready to be bored? lol

20:07:36 <Debra\_and\_CB> lol

  

20:07:45 <kismet> Kis was started on ""L"" when she was diagnosed

20:07:49 \* marymiracle (Plays Sound: applause.au) Go ellen

20:08:03 <kismet> but was put on w/d dry free feed by the vet

20:08:29 <kismet> so, over a period of 4 months we got up to 4 units of ""L"" with no real improvement

20:08:41 <kismet> Then I started hometesting

20:08:57 <kismet> and discovered that hey - her food was the biggest prob - surprise surprise

20:09:09 <kismet> so I slowly switched her diet to DM dry

20:09:18 <kismet> and had to cut her dose in half to compensate

20:09:36 <kismet> Kis was then regulated for about 3-4 months on 2.25u of ""L""

20:09:59 <kismet> The last fall - Kis started having problems with ""L""

20:10:16 <kismet> she lost drop on it and then her duration was shortening

20:10:46 <kismet> I tried upping the dose to see if she just needed more juice, but all it did was speed up the rate of drop

20:11:00 <kismet> but did not increase it nor did it extend duration

20:11:23 <kismet> It was then that I decided to try PZI - BCP in fact

20:11:40 <kismet> Kis always had some absorption issues with ""L"" - so it seemed the next logical choice

20:11:59 <kismet> She isn't regulated on PZI yet, but is doing fine and we just keep working at it

20:12:03 <kismet> the end

20:12:06 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> How long did it take the diet changes to show effect?

20:12:15 <sarsmum> applause - that was not boring

20:12:16 <kismet> Very fast in fact

20:12:19 <Debra\_and\_CB> wb Anne :-)

20:12:42 <kismet> On the first day of each stage I saw a difference

20:12:45 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> I'm on week #2 of diet change and thought still a pretty flat BG curve, it is lowering somewhat.

20:13:00 <sarsmum> I am getting frustrated with Sara's BGL's as they just don't make any sense

20:13:04 <Debra\_and\_CB> Ellen, did you notice any clinical changes in Kis when you switched to BCP?

20:13:05 <kismet> The day we went 100% DM was the day she nearly hypo'd

20:13:12 <AnneFrenchFry> ty

20:13:20 <kismet> Actually yes - to a degree

20:13:28 <sarsmum> one day she is pretty good and the next totally over the top

20:13:33 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> I'm still seeing 400s pre and 300s mid, though.

20:13:39 <kismet> She seems to feel better despite less than perfect numbers

20:13:50 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Beats 500s and 400s, though. Sigh

20:13:56 <marymiracle> she must be metabolizing it better

20:14:23 <sarsmum> Sara's pre shots are still often up

near 400

20:14:27 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Spanky's dandruff is clearing and he's  
drinking less water.

20:14:32 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> drinking. oops

20:14:50 <sarsmum> and she doesn't often get below 280

20:14:57 <kismet> Kis's PU/PD is surprising less than  
what I would think considering her peak  
is like the mid 200's at best

20:15:03 <MynandBadgerAss> Autumn, SL's dandruff is a result of  
the diabetes?

20:15:06 <kismet> PS's are in the low to mid 300's

20:15:09 <sarsmum> but she isn't drinking or weeing heaps  
and she seems quite happy and well

20:15:22 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Probably, Myn.

20:15:32 <Debra\_and\_CB> I can't complain with L and CB. He's  
been on it for 7 months, his PU/PD is  
gone, and his preshots are generally  
under 300

20:15:35 <MynandBadgerAss> Wonder if that's Badger's problem

20:15:37 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> His coat looked awful and his skin was  
flaky.

20:15:47 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> It's shiny again and just a few flakes  
here and there.

20:15:51 <kismet> Debra - I really liked using ""L"" when  
it was working for Kis

20:15:51 <AnneFrenchFry> FF had really bad dandruff at dx too

20:16:01 <sarsmum> Sara had the dandruff prob too

20:16:11 <kismet> I think ""L"" is an insulin that should  
be tried more than it is

20:16:16 <AnneFrenchFry> is that a common problem with L Ellen?  
inconsistency in response ?

20:16:25 <MynandBadgerAss> That's really interesting, I just  
thought it was the climate here

20:16:29 <kismet> Actually no - from what I understand

20:16:36 <kismet> Kis is an oddball

20:16:46 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> I didn't connect it until he was  
diagnosed, Myn.

20:16:47 <sarsmum> an individual...

20:17:14 <Peaman> dry skin is a common complaint in human  
diabetics

20:17:16 \* AnneFrenchFry MOTIONS/ohwell.gif Must be related to  
FF then

20:17:17 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe> Worries me a bit because Little Kitty

e> has a \*little\* dandruff, and she's his mother.

20:17:36 <MynandBadgerAss> I believe that every cat is an oddball and every human that owns one is even odder, but very loveable!

20:17:44 <kismet> well - some cats do have absorption issues, Anne - I just think that Kis is one of a few

20:17:45 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe e> But I suppose I notice things like that more now, too. Hers is nowhere near as bad as Spanky's was.

20:17:45 <AnneFrenchFry> lol Myn

20:17:46 <Debra\_and\_CB> hehehehe

20:17:56 <sarsmum> sometimes itchy skin is the first symptom in humans

20:17:57 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe e> I believe cats are little people in furry suits.

20:18:18 <Peaman> cats rule and dogs should just get used to it

20:18:24 <MynandBadgerAss> Why are they itchy? What about the diabetes causes it?

20:18:42 <kismet> Hey Alita!

20:18:42 <AnneFrenchFry> hi Alita

20:18:43 <Debra\_and\_CB> Hi Alita :-)

20:18:48 <Alita> Hi all!

20:19:08 <kismet> Deanie - you there?

20:19:22 <deanie> on the phone with shay at the moment

20:19:26 <kismet> that's ok

20:19:31 <AnneFrenchFry> say hi to Shay :)

20:19:35 <kismet> just making sure that you're still hanging with us

20:19:50 <Alita> Are we still on topic?

20:19:54 <kismet> we can be

20:20:00 <kismet> I just finished my story

20:20:06 <AnneFrenchFry> yes believe it or not Alita

20:20:06 <kismet> anyone else like to share?

20:20:15 <MynandBadgerAss> Sorry, wasn't trying to throw off the topic

20:20:18 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe e> I think it's interesting how fast the food changes took effect.

20:20:21 <Peaman> here's a question for you

20:20:22 <sarsmum> sorry I drifted off...

20:20:31 <sarsmum> hi Alota

20:20:31 <Peaman> i have 7 cats, one who is diabetic

20:20:38 <Alita> Who is Peaman?

20:20:44 <Peaman> how do i keep Felice away from their dry feed?

20:20:44 <kismet> Pauline

20:20:46 <Alita> Hi Sarsmum.

20:20:52 <Peaman> Pauline and the Wee felice

20:20:56 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> <-----4, one is diabetic.

20:20:56 <Alita> Hi Pauline

20:21:16 <Peaman> hello

20:21:18 <kismet> Pauline - do the others free feed or are they meal fed?

20:21:23 <Peaman> free feed

20:21:48 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Isn't it hard to separate their food?

20:21:52 <kismet> anyone have ideas for Pauline?

20:21:53 <Peaman> and one is not too happy about the fact that Felice is getting wet food and is peeing all over the house

20:21:56 <sarsmum> I have to keep my other cat's food away from Sara - free feeding is out

20:22:03 <Peaman> how do you do it

20:22:18 <Alita> Work the insulin around the food...

20:22:29 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> I'm meal feeding them all now and cutting carbs on all of them.

20:22:29 <kismet> I put everyone on meal feeding, Pauline - that was the only way I could work around it

20:22:34 <sarsmum> Tigger asks for his food when he wants it - a bit of a pain but otherwise Sara would just pig out

20:22:38 <Alita> If Felice likes to free feed, I say, let her.

20:22:39 <deanie> we free feed here

20:22:50 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> I leave out some dry DM, but it's measured carefully.

20:23:00 <sarsmum> Sara won't free feed but eats all that is in her dish at once

20:23:01 <AnneFrenchFry> if i left food out all day - the dog would be a cow

20:23:03 <Peaman> how much?

20:23:04 <Alita> I free feed.

20:23:04 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Spanky gobbles and pukes.

20:23:28 <Peaman> one of mine is a puker too

20:23:33 <sarsmum> Sara would eat all of Tigger's food if I left it out

20:23:39 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> I have them separated right now, but SL gets only 1/8 cup increments.

20:23:48 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> He tends to gobble and puke if not fed small increments.

20:23:58 <sarsmum> she will have her afternoon snack and then chow down on Tigger's food if it is left out

20:24:08 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Even his canned is given in 1/4 cans and I wait awhile and give him another 1/4.

20:24:09 <Debra\_and\_CB> wb Kathi :-)

20:24:09 <Alita> Hi Kathi

20:24:10 <kathi\_and\_brandymae  
> back

20:24:16 <Peaman> I'm feeding Felice 1/2 can wet food twice daily

20:24:17 <kismet> I'm gonna have to go guys - been a LONG day (Weekend in fact) - Thanks to all for you're patience with me. Had a great time and learned alot :)

20:24:20 <kathi\_and\_brandymae  
> hi alita

20:24:29 <Debra\_and\_CB> G'night Ellen :-)

20:24:30 <Peaman> bye

20:24:31 <Alita> Bye, Ellen!

20:24:31 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Spanky would engulf it and it would come right back up.

20:24:33 <sarsmum> that's what I do peaman

20:24:35 <kathi\_and\_brandymae  
> bye ellen

20:24:40 <MynandBadgerAss> bye bye

20:24:44 <Alita> Give Kizzy a kiss from me...

20:24:49 <Debra\_and\_CB> Hi Shay :-)

20:24:49 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> night.

20:24:50 <Shay> Hello all

20:24:53 <kismet> will do, alita

20:24:58 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> hi shay  
>

20:25:02 <sarsmum> except I keep a little back from each meal to give as a snack in between meals

20:25:08 <Alita> Hi Shay

20:25:17 <Shay> How are we all?

20:25:20 <Peaman> sarsmum, i lost you somewhere. What is it you do?

20:25:23 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> I wish I could give him his food like that.

20:25:27 <Alita> Did Lisa pop in tonight?

20:25:28 <sarsmum> I am an RN

20:25:31 <Shay> What is the topic tonight?

20:25:33 <Shay> So far?

20:25:40 <Debra\_and\_CB> She did for a little bit, Alita

20:25:40 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> Changing insulins.

20:25:44 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> yes Alita...Lisa was here  
>

20:25:46 <sarsmum> or do you mean with Sara's food

20:25:55 <deanie> we have 3 bowls of dry food out at all times and boo walks right past them without a nibble

20:25:58 <Peaman> no, i meant your last comment...you said that's what you do

20:26:09 <Peaman> you got it

20:26:16 <sarsmum> I feed Sara wet food twice a day but I keep a little bit of each meal back to feed in between meals

20:26:35 <Peaman> how often

20:26:46 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> I feed SL twice a day canned but in controlled increments.

20:27:00 <sarsmum> she gets 1/2 a can of IAMS kitten twice a day so I keep a couple of teaspoons out

20:27:11 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLee> He gets the dry DM 1/8 cup twice a day left to free feed on.

20:27:17 <deanie> our guest kitty is meal fed and the poor thing always seems to be hungry

20:27:17 <Alita> Shay, your heart is not broken anymore! Yeah!

20:27:17 <sarsmum> she gets a snack at 2:00 p.m. and 2:00

a.m.

20:27:26 <Shay> Little one is getting bigger now! He turned 10 weeks last Thursday!

20:27:28 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Iams are big cans.

20:27:35 <Shay> Yeah Alita, the little munchface does that!

20:27:46 <Peaman> and you are up at 2am? better you than me

20:27:51 <sarsmum> hi Shay I haven't been around for a while - congrats on your new furbaby

20:27:58 <AnneFrenchFry> hi Shay :) how's saki ?

20:28:00 <Shay> Thanks!

20:28:02 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> SL won't eat anything canned but Fancy Feast Turkey and Giblets. And I've tried just about everything. ha

20:28:03 <deanie> shay, we need to do video soon

20:28:04 <Shay> Sake is SO AWESOME!

20:28:05 <sarsmum> no I have an automatic feeder fro the 2:00 a.m. snack

20:28:15 <Shay> We just had a raod trip this weekend!

20:28:28 <Shay> Me and both the kitties drive to LA

20:28:30 <Shay> drove

20:28:34 <deanie> shay, myn is our neighbor too

20:28:41 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> Oh, my kitties hate to ride.

20:28:49 <sarsmum> who did the driving Shay???

20:28:50 <Shay> Oh cool!

20:28:57 <Peaman> mine too. car rides always mean the vet

20:29:00 <sarsmum> I'd love to see the kitties driving lol

20:29:01 <kathi\_and\_brandymae  
> lol...mine too...they think they're going to the vet!

20:29:02 <Shay> I did the driving! Sake TRIEd to help a lot!

20:29:06 <deanie> in fact, she's out at your end of town

20:29:24 <Shay> Myn, do you use PZI insulin?

20:30:04 <Autumn\_and\_SpankyLe  
e> I'd better go. It's getting about that time. Nice talking to yall

20:30:13 <Debra\_and\_CB> G'night Autumn :-)

20:30:14 <sarsmum> see ya

20:30:15 <Alita> night, Autumn

20:30:20 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> good night Autumn!

20:30:21 <AnneFrenchFry> night Autumn

20:30:31 <Shay> Night Autumn!

20:30:32 <Alita> she's too quick! LOL!

20:30:33 <sarsmum> what time is it over there?

20:30:38 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> LOL

20:30:48 <sarsmum> I never remember

20:30:49 <Alita> 10:40pm here

20:30:54 <Alita> EDT

20:30:54 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> it's 9:40 Monday night in Texas!

20:30:56 <sarsmum> thanks Alita

20:31:05 <AnneFrenchFry> 10:40 NJ time

20:31:13 <Peaman> 10:40 in toronto

20:31:20 <sarsmum> it changes when we go off daylight saving and you go on but I get confused (age you know - itis so sad!)

20:31:29 <sarsmum> you in T0 peaman?

20:31:34 <Peaman> they say the memory is the first to go :o)

20:31:36 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> LOL...I know all about age!

20:31:39 <Shay> brb

20:31:41 <Peaman> I am

20:31:58 <sarsmum> I am a transplanted Ontarian - Windsor and London

20:32:08 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> If I only had a memory to lose! LOL

20:32:10 <sarsmum> my sister in law is in Etobicoke

20:32:22 <sarsmum> near the big cemetery

20:32:25 <Peaman> so where are you now

20:32:35 <sarsmum> Adelaide South Australia

20:32:45 <sarsmum> been here 13 years

20:32:54 <sarsmum> hi Janet

20:32:54 <Alita> Hi Janet

20:32:55 <Debra\_and\_CB> Hi Janet :-)

20:33:00 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> sar...is it dark all day and night down

> there now?

20:33:02 <Peaman> hi janet

20:33:04 <AnneFrenchFry> Hi Janet :)

20:33:08 <sarsmum> it is lunch time

20:33:09 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> Hi Janet  
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20:33:10 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Hi, everyone

20:33:19 <sarsmum> just a few minutes past noon

20:33:24 <MynandBadgerAss> Shay, no I use U for the moment

20:33:26 <Peaman> sarsmum, so I guess if I need a cat  
sitter, you're out of the question,  
huh?

20:33:29 <sarsmum> Tues.

20:33:33 <MynandBadgerAss> Still trying to get a BG curve going

20:33:42 <sarsmum> sorry - wish I could help you out P

20:34:01 <Shay> Darn, well I have PZI if you need it!

20:34:04 <Shay> I whole vile

20:34:12 <Shay> Still good but not for long

20:34:24 <MynandBadgerAss> That's what Deanie said

20:34:32 <Peaman> the hubby's working outin NB this  
summer and I was hoping to take the  
kids out for a visit but it's not  
looking like it's going to happen. Oh  
well, the cat comes first

20:34:53 <deanie> geez, don't even ask when my last  
vacation was

20:35:03 <sarsmum> we are the same - our kids are married  
an gone so there is no one to look  
after Sara - sheis our priority now

20:35:04 <Peaman> I always tell the other half, love me,  
love my cats

20:35:11 <MynandBadgerAss> Deanie, do you know what a vacation  
is?lol

20:35:14 <sarsmum> I agree P

20:35:18 <AnneFrenchFry> I guess i'm lucky - i already had a  
good sitter before dx

20:35:25 <deanie> i can't remember the last one

20:35:40 <Peaman> no one I know wants the responsibility  
of the testing and shots

20:35:43 <sarsmum> my mum used to look after my guys but  
at 78 she is not up to doing all there  
is to do for Sara

20:35:44 <deanie> lol, i think it was santa fe for my  
birthday

20:35:51 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Deanie, it's a good thing that cats are such stress-busters.

20:35:52 <deanie> but at least 3 yrs ago

20:36:05 <deanie> besides, i'm too broke for vacation

20:36:10 <sarsmum> my eldest son will do the shots but his schedule is so iffy

20:36:18 <Alita> Send the kitties to Florida on vacation! I'll watch them!!

20:36:20 <Peaman> that's what I tell the hubby when he complains about them. they are great stress relief

20:36:32 <deanie> and my winning powerball ticket won't get me very far either!

20:36:33 <Alita> We love visiting kitties...

20:36:39 <MynandBadgerAss> oh, Deanie I called my Mom sh'e sending me some patterns for the quilt you want to do

20:36:44 <deanie> cool!

20:36:45 <AnneFrenchFry> I use a vt tech from my vet's office - she bg tests and gives shots and anything they need

20:36:58 <Peaman> what's a vt tech

20:37:08 <Alita> vet tech

20:37:10 <deanie> i have sitters but no \$\$ to go anywhere

20:37:22 <deanie> not with 2 special needs kitties in the house

20:37:29 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Can you at least take a week off and hang out?

20:37:36 <Peaman> are both yours diabetic?

20:37:39 <sarsmum> one of the vet nurses from our clinic runs a cattery with her folks so I will try her if and when we go on vacation

20:37:39 <deanie> already scheduled for october!

20:37:49 <deanie> no, i have an asthmatic too

20:37:50 <Shay> I gotta go all! Have a nice night!

20:37:56 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Sounds great; I'm going to try to do a week later this month.

20:37:58 <Peaman> g'night

20:37:59 <Alita> night, Shay

20:38:09 <sarsmum> nigh Shay - nice to see you in here

20:38:11 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> good night shay  
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20:38:11 <deanie> night shay--talk to you tomorrow

20:38:41 <MynandBadgerAss> Deanie, found the problem w/ the

monitor, I had the wrong batteries in it

20:38:44 <AnneFrenchFry> night Shay

20:38:47 <sarsmum> we had a great holiday last year before dx

20:38:53 <deanie> lol, that would do it!

20:38:54 <sarsmum> 16 weeks!

20:39:12 <Peaman> seeing as I was only here to observe, this was most interesting and very informative but I should be off too. I have tons of e-mail to answer. Thanks guys! G'night.

20:39:13 <AnneFrenchFry> last time we needed to go away - both cats were on antibiotics and one on pain meds plus the insulin and the bg tests -- and we have a dog

20:39:17 <deanie> well, speaking of pet sitters.....

20:39:28 <sarsmum> night peaman

20:39:29 <Debra\_and\_CB> G'night Pauline :-)

20:39:31 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Good night, Peaman!

20:39:33 <deanie> i have to go look in on our guest kitty and the neighbor's birds

20:39:42 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> nite peaman  
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20:39:44 <AnneFrenchFry> night Pauline

20:39:45 <MynandBadgerAss> I found an old, thin beach towel and am now proud to say I can do the pricks without Hubby's assistance!! Thank you, thank you, thank you, LOL

20:39:50 <AnneFrenchFry> wb Alita

20:39:53 <Debra\_and\_CB> wb Alita :-)

20:40:01 <sarsmum> congrats Myn

20:40:10 <deanie> night all

20:40:13 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> yayyy Myn!  
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20:40:16 <MynandBadgerAss> night Deanie

20:40:18 <sarsmum> night deanie

20:40:18 <Debra\_and\_CB> G'night Deanie :-)

20:40:23 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> night deanie!  
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20:40:23 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> night deanie!

20:40:23 <Alita> Agh! I'm back!

20:40:24 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Good night, Deanie

20:40:31 <Alita> night, Deanie

20:40:32 <AnneFrenchFry> nite deanie

20:40:35 <deanie> hey myn--i'm home the next 3 days--  
:ll if you need anything

20:40:42 <MynandBadgerAss> Thanks!

20:40:48 <MynandBadgerAss> I'll give you a call

20:41:34 <sarsmum> Janet - we are soon to be getting the  
rinna DM here in Aus.

20:41:44 <Alita> Does anyone klnow Beth and Schmooley  
om FDMB?

20:41:50 <sarsmum> is it better than the IAMS kitten or  
ould I stick to that?

20:42:06 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Is it canned food or dry?

20:42:13 <sarsmum> canned

20:42:14 <MynandBadgerAss> Quick question all, I just bought a  
w lancet device, a Soft Touch Accu-  
eck, anyone ever use it?

20:42:16 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> I sure don't Alita

20:42:23 <Alita> She lives near me and I went to show  
r how to hometest tonight.

20:42:25 <Janet\_and\_Binky> I don't think it's substantially  
tter, but it \*is\* higher in protein.

20:42:27 <AnneFrenchFry> soft clix accuchek?

20:42:31 <Alita> They are Newbies.

20:42:35 <sarsmum> thanks

20:42:47 <MynandBadgerAss> Soft touch, it's new, I think

20:42:48 <Alita> Myn, that is a good lancet device.

20:42:52 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> did you show her?

20:42:55 <AnneFrenchFry> oh -- i use soft clix

20:42:57 <Janet\_and\_Binky> I don't like the fact that liver is  
e first ingredient. If it's expensive,  
d say pass it up.

20:42:57 <sarsmum> I tried a device Myn but found  
eehand better

20:43:17 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> I do freehand...I've FINALLY got it  
wn!

20:43:26 <Alita> Yep. Schmooley is on 5 units of N  
D. Any guesses on what the PS was?

20:43:30 <MynandBadgerAss> I've been freehanding and getting  
od results but I'm too heavv handed, I

think I hurt her

20:43:31 <sarsmum> OK Janet - Sara has a sensitive tummy, she is probably better off on the MS

20:43:34 <AnneFrenchFry> HI

20:43:45 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> goodness...that's a lot isn't it?

20:43:52 <Alita> 58

20:44:01 <AnneFrenchFry> whoa!

20:44:05 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> wow...I guess so!

20:44:12 <sarsmum> I often poke through and Sara meows, it she is none the worse for wear

20:44:15 <AnneFrenchFry> i guess it had to be one wxtreme or the other on 5u

20:44:27 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> I was just gonna say that!

20:44:31 <Alita> I told her not to give the insulin if he goes over 300 to give 2.5 units.

20:44:31 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Our civvie has a sensitive tummy, but she seems to be a lot better if we give her a little raw beef every day.

20:44:49 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> good advice....I was hoping you'd said something

20:44:58 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Good advice, Alita, although I'd go with an even lower number.

20:45:04 <sarsmum> Sara has been on boiled kangaroo for weeks to settle her tum down - just getting her back on the IAMS

20:45:06 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> her vet started the cat on that high dose huh?

20:45:07 <AnneFrenchFry> just found out today that FF will eat plain boiled chicken

20:45:08 <Janet\_and\_Binky> We've seen 1 unit of N drop the BG by 10 points or more.

20:45:09 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> wow...

20:45:17 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Oh, no, she's eating Kanga!

20:45:20 <sarsmum> so far so good, but I hate to say we're OK as you know what will happen...

20:45:38 <sarsmum> even us people eat kanga and baby roo

20:45:44 <MynandBadgerAss> oh, this was so funny, i froze some of the water run-off from a can of Almon for Badger, Hubby thought it was just ice and put it in his kool-aid, you would of seen his face! LOL

20:45:45 <sarsmum> sick eh?

20:45:45 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Our princess likes pork carnitas, right out of the burrito.

20:45:50 <Alita> Oh yeah! I even like N, but that

umber is way low for a preshot (unless  
is a SID kitty- which I doubt).

20:45:55 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> ROFL Myn!

20:46:01 <sarsmum> lol Myn

20:46:09 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Oh, poor hubby!

20:46:14 <AnneFrenchFry> omg

20:46:20 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> way too low!

20:46:28 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> did you say 5u BID?

20:46:30 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Tell him there have been worse things  
it in Kool-aid, that will make him feel  
less picked on by the universe.

20:46:34 <Alita> yep.

20:46:36 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> as in...10 units a day?

20:46:42 <Alita> yep.

20:46:42 <AnneFrenchFry> like what ? cyanide?

20:46:49 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> yikes....

20:46:50 <sarsmum> I froze the broth from the last roo  
oil but it wouldn't come out of the ice  
cube tray

20:46:51 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Yep.

20:46:59 <MynandBadgerAss> He tool it rather well

20:47:08 <Janet\_and\_Binky> He's a keeper, then.

20:47:11 <sarsmum> Sara loves the broth and itis a good  
between meal treat

20:47:27 <sarsmum> I also use it to mix her probiotic in

20:47:35 <Janet\_and\_Binky> What does kangaroo taste like? (I  
ow, chicken)

20:47:40 <sarsmum> beef

20:47:44 <MynandBadgerAss> I went in the freezer and marked the  
y for future reference with a sharpie  
:n

20:47:45 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> Alita....is N a longer acting insulin  
an U?

20:47:49 <sarsmum> very lean beef - it is yummy

20:48:09 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> I'm trying to figure out the  
fferences...

20:48:24 <Alita> Nope, N is pretty fast acting (I  
ink it is considered moderate acting  
humans).

20:48:28 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Kathy, N is shortest-acting, then L,  
en U, then PZI.

20:48:38 <sarsmum> I always take the frozen broth cubes  
it of the tray and put them in a  
reezer bad separate to the "people ice

bes""

20:48:40 <Janet\_and\_Binky> If a vet suggests 70/30 or R for regular use -- run, don't walk.

20:48:43 <AnneFrenchFry> i thought R was shortest?

20:48:47 <Alita> Much shorter than U

20:48:54 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> LOL Janet

20:48:55 <Alita> R is the shortest.

20:49:05 <AnneFrenchFry> but for emergency use - right?

20:49:05 <Janet\_and\_Binky> That's right, Anne; I was just referring to commonly prescribed insulins.

20:49:06 <sarsmum> what is caninsulin - is it 70/30?

20:49:09 <Alita> yep.

20:49:14 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Caninsulin is Lente

20:49:14 <MynandBadgerAss> I left my first vet and he wanted to put Badger on 4U of R twice a day to start

20:49:21 <AnneFrenchFry> ok :)

20:49:22 <sarsmum> I thought so

20:49:49 <MynandBadgerAss> or maybe it was N

20:49:53 <sarsmum> Sara gets such differnt response from day to day

20:50:02 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> I see....ok....wow sounds like a lot of vets start these cats on such high doses...

20:50:03 <sarsmum> itis very frustrating

20:50:11 <Janet\_and\_Binky> think 70/30 is a R/N combination. Lente is like an N/U combination.

20:50:22 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> that's right Janet

20:50:46 <MynandBadgerAss> Must tuck Baby in Bed. BRB

20:50:57 <sarsmum> Sara was started on 4 iu of mininsulin b.d.

20:51:08 <Janet\_and\_Binky> I'm going to toodle on out; I just stopped in to say hi.

20:51:19 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> I know how these insulins work on humans...stil learning about felines...

20:51:21 <Janet\_and\_Binky> Good night, everyone!

20:51:22 <sarsmum> and even when she dropped to 85 they still wanted her on that dose - I leaked

20:51:24 <Debra\_and\_CB> G'night Janet :-)

20:51:26 <Alita> Hi and Bye, Janet!

20:51:28 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> nite Janet

20:51:33 <sarsmum> nite Janet

20:51:38 <AnneFrenchFry> night Janet

20:51:47 <sarsmum> I can relate kathi

20:52:03 <sarsmum> I am diabetic and an RN - I find the :ceptable BGL's for cats scary

20:52:11 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> you're he RN right Sar?

20:52:16 <sarsmum> yes

20:52:31 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> LOL..got my answer....I work in a ospital pharmacy

20:52:36 <sarsmum> not working at the moment - just had shoulder reconstruction

20:52:42 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> yes....me too.

20:53:01 <sarsmum> if my BGL's were what Sara's are I'd ve a fit

20:53:02 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> not the shoulder...lol...the BGL

20:53:12 <sarsmum> got it

20:53:28 <Alita> I feel like crap when I get up close , 200.

20:53:28 <sarsmum> I am getting more used to it but it ill worries me

20:53:48 <AnneFrenchFry> I've never been over 75 in my life!

20:53:54 <Alita> I was 300 on diagnosis and I thought was going to die (I wish I would ve).

20:53:54 <sarsmum> me too Alita - that's when I start inking and weeing like crazy

20:54:04 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> yes....it's similar I'm arning....but sooooo different...if at makes any sense

20:54:07 <AnneFrenchFry> but FF seems to feel great in the gh 200's - low 300's

20:54:25 <AnneFrenchFry> my fasting BG is 40

20:54:36 <Alita> Cats cope better with higher numbers.

20:54:36 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> you're diabetic too alita?

20:54:36 <sarsmum> Sara is OK even at 21 (380)

20:54:44 <Alita> yep.

20:54:48 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> yes....that's what I'm learning

20:55:07 <sarsmum> wow - 40 , I am lucky to get a isting of 145

20:55:10 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> when I first read that most won't oot their cat in the 200's....I ough "why not?"

20:55:19 <AnneFrenchFry> lol - I'm hypo-glycemic

20:55:23 <Alita> It's in the water here in Florida (I had two cats with diabetes and then I was diagnosed myself).

20:55:34 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> LOL

20:55:34 <sarsmum> that can be just as big a pain Anne

20:55:36 <Alita> LOL, I hear that, sara

20:55:50 <AnneFrenchFry> yup - but at least i know when to eat and don't need shots

20:56:04 <AnneFrenchFry> right now i've got a sick doggy cough :(

20:56:16 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> oh nooo....:-(

20:56:23 <Alita> What's wrong with my Chili Dog?

20:56:28 <sarsmum> that is always the worry I have with Sara - so far we have never even gotten close to a hypo but I am paranoid

20:56:29 <AnneFrenchFry> poor baby's had the runs for 3 days :w

20:57:08 <sarsmum> poor little doggie

20:57:10 <Alita> I would take him to the vet to rule out anything major.

20:57:15 <AnneFrenchFry> we have her on boiled chicken and plain rice for a few days to see if it clears up

20:57:19 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> poor bby...

20:57:23 <Alita> Too many Chili Dogs....

20:57:24 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> oops...baby

20:57:42 <sarsmum> we are just coming off an elimination trial for Sara

20:57:43 <AnneFrenchFry> Vet said if she's still sick in 3 days - or if she starts acting lethargic or anything - bring her in

20:57:47 <sarsmum> elimination

20:58:07 <Alita> Does she seem dehydrated?

20:58:11 <AnneFrenchFry> she went fishing Friday -

20:58:15 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> did he suggest kaopectate?

20:58:16 <sarsmum> the vet wanted to do a scope and biopsy but I want to wait a bit longer because she seems to be stabilizing

20:58:18 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> he vt?

20:58:22 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> vet

20:58:26 <AnneFrenchFry> no - not dehydrated - at least not anything more than can be explained by diarrhea

20:58:45 <AnneFrenchFry> she's acting fine - except for the runs

20:58:56 <Alita> I hope she is feeling better soon!

20:59:00 <AnneFrenchFry> active - eating - playful

20:59:04 <sarsmum> she has been on Flagyl and Panacur -  
ow we are slowly getting her back on  
it food to see what happens

20:59:14 <AnneFrenchFry> me too - my carpet is getting nasty

20:59:19 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> is this sara?

20:59:31 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> LOL Anne

20:59:32 <sarsmum> I can relate - Sara refuses to do  
os in a litter box

20:59:53 <AnneFrenchFry> we're thinking she licked a fish or  
o and got some kind of bug

20:59:55 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> I can sorta relate...Brandy won't pee  
a litter box

21:00:05 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> at least here at home....brat!

21:00:20 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> try a little kaopectate Anne

21:00:24 <sarsmum> I am lucky that Sara uses the box to  
e but the poos can show up anywhere

21:00:37 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> my vet recommended that for Brandy a  
w years ago...

21:00:39 <AnneFrenchFry> that doesn't work for diarrhea -  
odium maybe

21:00:59 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> that may work too...

21:01:06 <sarsmum> we can't get kaopectate in Aus. Sara  
is put on something else - the name  
capes me

21:01:12 <AnneFrenchFry> we'll see how the bland diet works

21:01:17 <sarsmum> it was the same thing but for animals

21:01:18 <AnneFrenchFry> don't want to overload her

21:01:32 <sarsmum> no then you won't know what has  
rked

21:01:36 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> yes...that's always the best route to  
art with

21:01:39 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> right...

21:01:45 <AnneFrenchFry> yup - so bland diet first - then  
eck for parasites

21:02:07 <AnneFrenchFry> the problem with imodium is it stops  
everything

21:02:17 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> LOL...this is true too

21:02:21 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> at least with people!

21:02:30 <sarsmum> Sara is on the kangaroo and when they  
e on that, their stools are black and  
rry - I didn't know that and freaked

21:02:38 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> LOL sar

21:02:41 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> I bet!

21:02:50 <sarsmum> I checked for blood and got a +ve so when I really freaked

21:02:53 <AnneFrenchFry> yup - there was a people virus 1st year that the docs told everyone NOT to take anything - just let it run its course and drink a lot of water

21:03:20 <sarsmum> but apparently the test sticks can't differentiate between haemoglobin and myoglobin (present in muscle tissue)

21:03:24 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> tht's good advice in a lot of cases...let the bacteria exit the body

21:03:45 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> ahhhh... I see....bet tht scared you

21:04:06 <sarsmum> it sure did - I was still a bit freaked after I got the explanation

21:04:16 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> no doubt....

21:04:21 <sarsmum> but she had a PCV and was not anaemic so I have settled

21:04:32 <Debra\_and\_CB> brb.....snack time for CB

21:04:42 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> ok....

21:05:14 <sarsmum> I'd better go and have some lunch, it's all

21:05:18 <sarsmum> bye

21:05:28 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> reminds me...need to check Brandy's pain....nite sar

21:05:38 <Alita> Kathi, are the litterbox sides too high maybe?

21:05:44 <Alita> I'm back!

21:06:06 <Alita> Am I here?

21:06:15 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> I think so Alita....

21:06:26 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> I took her to a friend's over the weekend

21:06:27 <Alita> I never know for sure...LOL!

21:06:35 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> gave her a smaller pan and she used it

21:06:52 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> LOL...yes you're here!

21:07:05 <Alita> I would try the smaller pan, Kathi could see if that solves your problem.

21:07:07 <AnneFrenchFry> wb alita

21:07:27 <Alita> Technical difficulties...

21:07:38 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> that's going to be my next step....cheaper than cleaning the rug's over and over!

21:07:48 <Alita> I hear ya!

21:07:48 <AnneFrenchFry> lol -- i had to go poke the cat

21:07:55 <Debra\_and\_CB> wb Alita :)

21:07:56 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> lol

21:08:11 <AnneFrenchFry> her #'s make me crazy

21:08:20 <Alita> I'm goping get to bed now. I'll talik  
th you all another time.

21:08:25 <Alita> Good night.

21:08:28 <AnneFrenchFry> night Alita :)

21:08:29 <Debra\_and\_CB> G'night Alita :)

21:08:31 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> nite alita

21:08:34 <AnneFrenchFry> skritchies for smokey

21:08:41 <Alita> thanks...

21:08:45 <Alita> will do

21:09:36 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> well.....I need to go check on Miss  
andy too...guess I'll talk to ya'll  
other time!

21:09:45 <AnneFrenchFry> night Kathi

21:09:50 <Debra\_and\_CB> G'night Kathi

21:10:00 <kathi\_and\_brandymae> night Anne and Debra! Enjoyed the  
at!

21:10:41 <AnneFrenchFry> enjoying being a moderator Debra?

21:11:06 <Debra\_and\_CB> Truthfully, it's not much different  
l

21:11:22 <AnneFrenchFry> didn't think so - this isn't a  
oublesome chat room

21:11:44 <Debra\_and\_CB> that's true.....I don't think I've  
er seen any trouble in here

21:11:47 <AnneFrenchFry> The room on my site needs moderators  
to kick out rouble

21:12:30 <AnneFrenchFry> has anyone ever been banned from  
rbchat?

21:12:40 <Debra\_and\_CB> Not that I've ever seen

21:12:44 <AnneFrenchFry> me either

21:13:14 <Debra\_and\_CB> I guess for the most part this room  
: kinda hidden from a lot of trouble.

21:13:37 <AnneFrenchFry> true - no-one who isn't a sugar bean  
uld ever find it

21:13:54 <Debra\_and\_CB> yeap

21:14:21 <AnneFrenchFry> although i once stumbled on Janets  
od charts before i'd ever heard of FD

21:14:32 <Debra\_and\_CB> The one time the board got invaded by  
troublemaker, they never made it to  
ie chat room

21:14:57 <AnneFrenchFry> what kind of trouble would anyone use here?

21:15:24 <Debra\_and\_CB> well, you know how that is rough.....if people want to make trouble, they'll do it anywhere

21:15:31 <AnneFrenchFry> true

21:15:58 <AnneFrenchFry> was it anyone i know?

21:16:16 <Debra\_and\_CB> Oh, on the board??

21:16:21 <AnneFrenchFry> yes

21:16:48 <Debra\_and\_CB> Oh no! This was an outsider, somehow using our members' ID's, and posting as if they were them

21:17:00 <AnneFrenchFry> people are so strange

21:17:14 <Debra\_and\_CB> came on one time saying that their tty had died, but it was rubbish

21:25:44 <AnneFrenchFry> well - i better get some sleep :) eat chat!

21:25:56 <Debra\_and\_CB> ok, G'night Anne :-)

21:26:25 <AnneFrenchFry> night Debra - skritchies and head butts to CB

21:26:38 <Debra\_and\_CB> Scritchies and head butts to FF :)