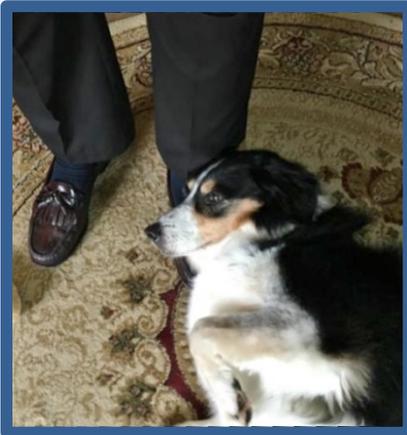
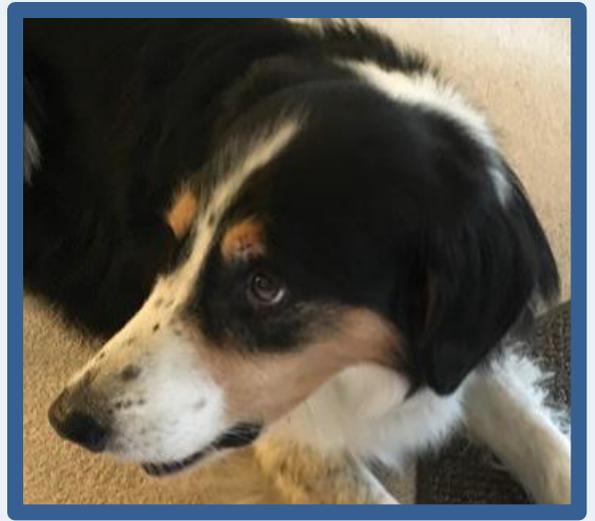


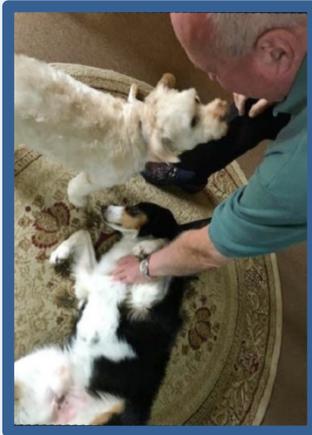
CLANCY'S CLICHES

Let's talk dirty. Following my master's lead, it's time for some fun scoop—of dirt! Being the collie that I am, here are some helpful gardening hints I've herded up:

- 1) You new gardeners have to learn by trowel and error.
- 2) Attire is everything—make sure you wear your garden hose.
- 3) The thing you planted that's small, red and whispers is only a hoarse radish, not a cherry bomb.
- 4) Beware when the worms try to take over the world. This is also known as Global Warming.
- 5) No, you don't need a plumber to plant leeks.
- 6) Only thyme will tell how well your garden is growing.
- 7) Buy a cow or two—they make great lawnMOOers.
- 8) Avoid running over a bird with your lawnmower otherwise you'll end up with shredded tweet.
- 9) A favorite novel of all gardeners to read after a strenuous morning in the garden is War and Peas.
- 10) As a tendency, people don't laugh at a gardener's jokes because they're always too corny.
- 11) Seeds come in all forms. There are the visible kind you plant in the backyard and community garden (beans, peas, collie-flower), and there are the non-visible kind you plant in someone's heart (smiles, well-wishes, acts of loving-kindness).
- 12) Always remember that any seed, wherever planted, grows into a lovely sprout of wonder and joy.



The fine art of polishing shoes.



Proper welcoming techniques.



Jake zonks out after lessons.

JUNE'S JOTTINGS

- *June 1: Olive Day and Go BarePaw Day.
- *June 6: Yoyo Day. Boiinnnggggg!
- *June 12: Peanut Butter Cookie Day (see that, Cookie Man?)
- *June 20: Ice Cream Soda Day. (Mikey always liked those!)

Howlin's hootn'; Growlin's not gooten! - Clancy



CLANCY'S CACKLES

Knock, knock! Who's there? Olive. Olive Who? I Love You-ou-ou-ou!

1. Why is it so hard to celebrate Father's Day in Egypt? *There are more mummies than daddies!*
2. What are the rules in zebra baseball? *Three stripes and you're out!*
3. Where does a baseball player go when he needs a new uniform? *A New Jersey!*
4. Why does a pitcher raise one leg when he pitches? *If he raised both he'd fall down!*
5. What insect is musical? *A humbug!*
6. What kind of tree has hands? *A palm tree!*