

Pawfully Cute Photo Contest

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Very few things are cuter than a puppy. In the 2007-08 *Puppies USA* annual, we asked our readers to prove that statement. The response was great! Our offices were overloaded with submissions of adorable, furry faces from around the country. And while it was difficult to determine a single winner, we think you'll agree that all these cuties are simply adorable!

FIRST PLACE



Danger!
Cute overload
commencing
in 5 ... 4 ... 3 ...

Winston

Breed: Maltese/Yorkie Mix
Photographer: Wendy Budah
Home: Owings Mills, Maryland

PRIZES GALORE!

Congratulations to our winners! Here is what they will receive, thanks to the generous support of our sponsor, Simple Solution® (800-272-6336, www.simplesolution.com).

- 1st Place:** Simple Solution® gift-basket valued at \$100
- 2nd Place:** Simple Solution® gift-basket valued at \$75
- 3rd Place:** Simple Solution® gift-basket valued at \$50



SECOND PLACE

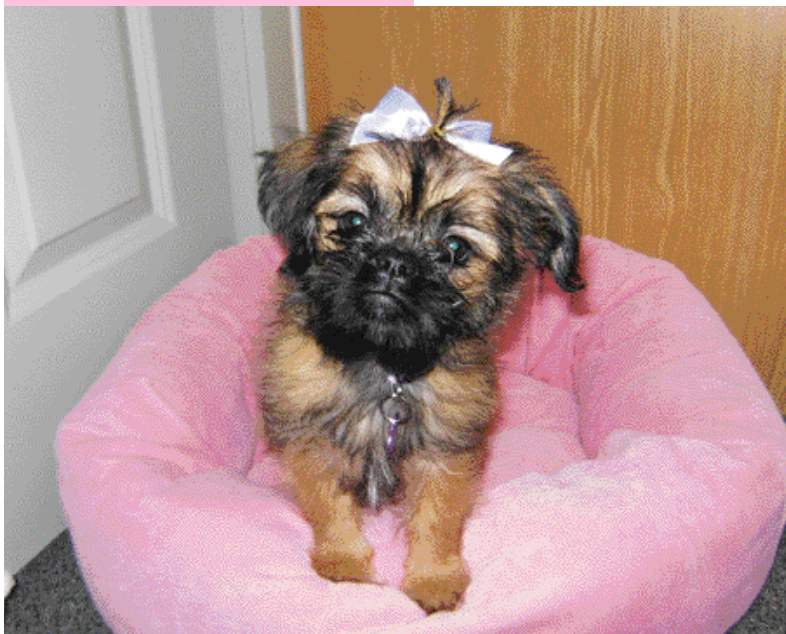


Yes, I have sand on my nose. There was a little crab on the beach and I had to smell it. I had to!

Sonoma

Breed: Australian Shepherd
Photographer: Crystal Baird
Home: Cupertino, California

THIRD PLACE



Layla

Breed: Shih Tzu/Brussels Griffon
Photographer: Maritza Rivera
Home: Oceanside, New York

I am an Ewok. I left my tribe many years ago to seek adventure in the land of Adorablesville.

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Although these photos didn't win any prizes, they are certainly worth sharing!

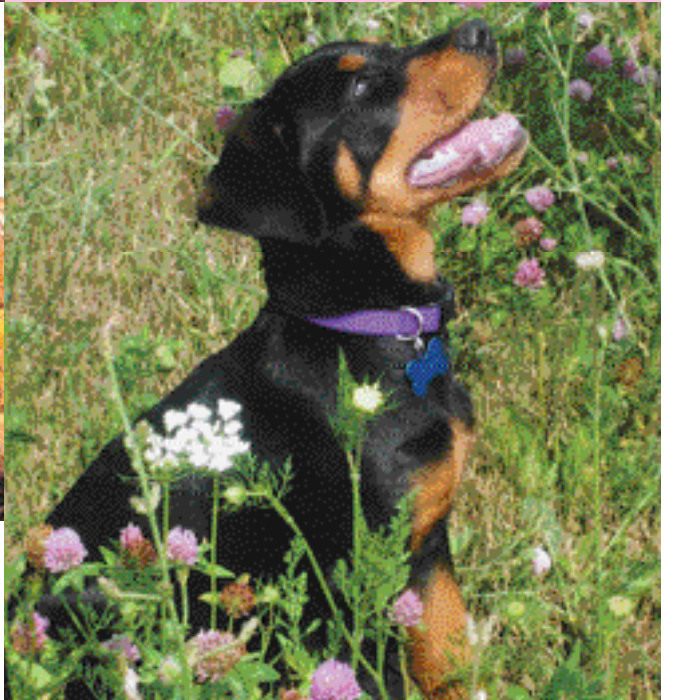




If your photo wasn't selected as a prize winner, don't fret.

Enter the **Simply Sweet Photo Contest.**

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Simply Sweet Photo Contest

Enter our new photo contest and you might win a great prize from Simple Solution®.

Find an adorable photo of your sweet little puppy and send it to us. Not only could your puppy's photo be featured in the 2009-10 *Puppies USA*, you could win some fantastic prizes from our sponsor, **Simple Solution® (800-272-6336, www.simplesolution.com)**, which will provide prizes for first-, second- and third-place photos.

The Simple Solution® product line makes pet care easier with a wide selection of essentials for every pet owner, including stain and odor re-



movers, training pads and housetraining tools. Winners will receive a gift basket filled with Simple Solution® bestsellers, including a supply of Jump-Start Housetraining Pads, guaranteed to housetrain your pup in just six weeks.

Simply Sweet

Puppies USA Photo Contest Entry Form

Name of puppy _____

Breed or mix (if known) _____

Your name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone number _____

E-mail _____

By submitting this entry form, I certify that I took this photograph.

Complete this entry form, and send it with your photograph to:

Puppies USA
Simply Sweet Photo Contest
P.O. Box 6050
Mission Viejo, CA 92690-6050

Entries must be postmarked on or before Jan. 31, 2009

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A Simple Solution® gift basket
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A Simple Solution® gift basket
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CONTEST RULES

To enter the contest, follow these guidelines:
■ Fill out the entry form (photo copies will be accepted), and send it along with color prints to the address on the form. Prints should be unmounted, unframed and a maximum of 8 by 10 inches. We will not accept computer-printed digital images, Polaroid prints or color copies.

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■ Send your digital photo entries to puppiesusa@bowtieinc.com. In the subject line, type "Puppies USA Simply Sweet." Send photos as an attachment in TIFF, JPEG or EPS formats. Images must be at least 300 dpi at a decent size.


■ Each entry must have a completed entry form taped to the back of the photo. Do not write directly on the back of prints. If submitted via e-mail, be sure to include all requested information, including the puppy's name, age and breed or mix (if known), plus your name, address, telephone number and e-mail address.

■ Send only previously unpublished photos. Each person may submit up to three entries per category, but only one prize will be awarded.

■ Any amateur photographer may enter except employees and family members of BowTie, Inc. or employees and family members of the contest sponsor(s).

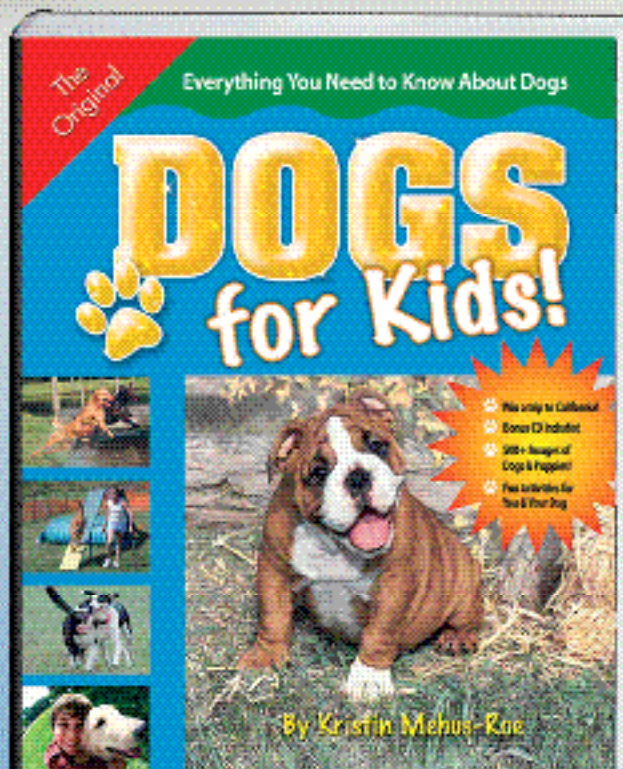
■ Entrants certify that they own the animals in the photograph or have the owner's permission to enter the photograph.

■ Winners will be selected by a panel of judges, which will be chosen by *Puppies USA*. All decisions are final. All entries must be postmarked (or e-mailed) no later than Jan. 31, 2009.

■ Entries become the property of BowTie Magazines, a division of BowTie, Inc., which reserves the right, without further consideration, to use the photos and text in any publication, media and related promotions. The company cannot confirm receipt or return entries. By submitting your photograph, you agree that if you win the contest, your contact information will be given to any contest sponsor, which may use the information for marketing purposes. You further agree that your photo, text, name, and city and state may be posted on DogChannel.com 

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