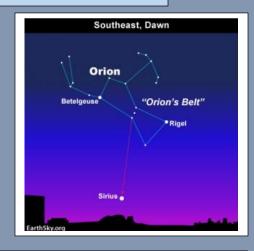
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## Sirius Facts About the Dog Days of Summer

Boy, is it HOT! These are what we call "the dog days" of summer. But it's not because it's so hot you want to hide under the porch, or because you're panting from the heat. The "Dog" refers to Sirius, the "Dog Star", which rises in conjunction with the sun during this time of year. Ancient Greeks and Romans thought the intense heat, flooding, and other weather phenomena were due to the two stars intensifying each other, so that's the root of the name. Whatever you call them, we hope you and your pets stay cool and safe through these hottest days of the year.





Our boarders are the coolest! They enjoy climate-controlled surroundings, UVB basking, soaking, and bathing appropriate for their needs, fresh food and water replenished twice daily or more often if they are avid "soup makers" or dish bathers! Our specially-trained boarder care staff monitors their intake and output as well as their behavior, attitude, and posture to make sure every day of their stay is a pleasant one here in their home away from home. This boarding cockatoo loves hot peppers! Do you find drinking hot

beverages or eating spicy foods makes you feel cooler? To learn more about our boarding care and requirements click **HERE**.

Save the Date! We'll be presenting at ReptiCon at the Ladson Fairgrounds Saturday Sept 28 and Sunday Sept 29, and we hope to see you there! Our informational table features amazing displays, fun stickers, toys, and treats for the kids and kids-at-heart, and friendly staff happy to share our knowledge and meet your pets. It's always a good time! Click the link for advance tickets and more information.

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