Socially distanced yappy hours and staycations meant for popping paw-ttiles. National Dog Day is here.

If you’re a dog lover, then duh, you know every single day is National Dog Day. But, since today is officially the declared holiday, we’re highlighting some fun ways to celebrate our best friends. From the looks of social media, many of you now have a pandemic puppy to shower with love — and let’s be honest — we owe our dogs BIG for being our emotional support during the lockdown.

Yappy Hours

For those who want to social distance, but still mingle from afar with other dog lovers (wearing masks, of course), celebrate National Dog Day at The Lincoln Eatery in South Beach with an outdoor yappy hour today from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Humans can sip specially priced cocktails by La Esquina de Tony, while dogs nosh on chicken jerky from farm-to-table sandwich shop Necessary Purveyor. XO Espresso Bar is also serving complimentary puppuccinos to dogs whose owners order a coffee. Pick up cute dog swag from pop-up shops like Boho Pups and Salty Pup Supply. Space is limited, so sign up here.

If you’re running out of places to walk your dog (yes, your neighbors are tired of seeing you walk by every hour), enjoy an al fresco dog date on Thursday evenings from 5:30 to 7:30 at Fairchild Tropical Botanic Gardens. Through September, you can stroll the stunning gardens — think 83-acres of social distancing — with your (leashed) pup and then enjoy yappy hour at the Glasshouse Cafe. Pups get complimentary water and treats, and humans can opt for cafe snacks and specially priced adult beverages. Watching the sun set together in those lush gardens – you’ll forget that he chewed up your favorites shoes! Admission is $12 for adults.

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