



## *Letter from Dr. Fallini*

It is with very mixed emotions that I announce to you that I have sold Frontier Pet Clinic to Dr. Elise Brandwajn. The reasons are many but ultimately it came down that I was no longer able to balance my home life, being a business owner, and a full time veterinarian. After a lot of consideration I have chosen to go back to working part time in order to be able to spend more time with my growing children William age 6 and Joanna age 10. It will also allow me to focus on being a veterinarian rather than a business owner, my true passion.

The ownership of Frontier Pet Clinic has been the most rewarding and challenging six years of my life. I have immensely enjoyed all of the relationships I have been able to form with my clients and their beloved pets. You have been supportive, kind and generous and that will never be forgotten.

I am very pleased to introduce to you Dr. Elise Brandwajn. It was a relief to be able to sell to a veterinarian that shared the same integrity, compassion, and passion for veterinary medicine that Frontier Pet Clinic has been known for. Dr. Brandwajn brings with her new ideas, new enthusiasm, and new equipment to take Frontier Pet Clinic to the next level of companion animal care.

I plan on continuing to work 2-3 days a week at Frontier Pet Clinic and look forward to continuing my relationships with you and your pets.

Sincerely,

Dr. Lorinda Fallini

## *Letter from Dr. Brandwajn*

I am very happy and honored to meet all of you and your beloved pets/family members! By a wonderful twist of fate, I met Dr. Fallini a few months ago, and we were an amazing match with respect to our devotion to the profession, commitment to medical excellence, and compassion. It was an instant "click", and the resulting sale has allowed Dr. F to enjoy more time with her family, while allowing me to be introduced to practice ownership, and grant me the opportunity to help build onto the outstanding foundation created by Dr. F.

That being said, I would also like to introduce myself to you, as well as let you know some of my thoughts with respect to the future of FPC. I obtained my undergraduate Bachelor's degree in cellular and molecular biology (pre-vet) with Honors in the major at UC Santa Cruz. I graduated from UC Davis School of Veterinary Medicine in 2002, where I was in the top 10 percent of my class and was thus accepted into the prestigious Phi Zeta veterinary honor society. My first associate position was at a multi-doctor practice in Elk Grove for 3 years, focusing on internal medicine and emergency work. I then worked at a large clinic in Woodland for a year, after returning from maternity leave from the birth of my son.

I currently live in Woodland with my 17 month old son Nicolas (along with 3 large dogs, a cat, and 2 box turtles). My areas of special interest include internal medicine, surgery, ultrasound, and critical care cases. When I am not at the vet clinic checking on my patients or working (which doesn't leave much time), you can find me enjoying time with my family and the dogs, or reading Green Eggs and Ham by Dr. Seuss to my son OVER AND OVER AND OVER AGAIN, per his request!!!!!!!!!!!!!! .

Simply put, my goal is to make Frontier Pet Clinic the best clinic in the Napa Valley!! :) I have purchased a high quality ultrasound machine, a full in-house bloodwork unit, and many other technologically advanced monitoring and diagnostic devices used for critical care

and internal medicine cases.

We have also expanded our hours to M-F 9 a.m. - 8 p.m. and Sat 8 a.m.-2 p.m., with 2 doctors on most days.

Our staffing has been expanded as well, in order to provide excellent client and patient care, and we will have permanent 24 hour staffing in place shortly! We want you to have peace of mind with respect to leaving your sick pet in the hospital day or night, and know that there is always a well-trained staff member monitoring them. I strongly feel that we are at a place

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where we can provide excellent medical care for nearly all of your pets' illnesses, injuries, emergencies, and surgeries (we also have several specialists available to us for more advanced surgeries).

I greatly encourage client feedback as a way of constantly improving our services, so please always feel free to voice your comments.

I sincerely hope that you find these changes to be helpful (and more convenient, as opposed to having to transfer your pet back and forth from the emergency clinic for night care).

Frontier Pet Clinic now has a very cohesive team of 3 veterinarians with excellent medical skills, compassion, love for animals, and improved diagnostic capabilities.

I have already met many of you, and look forward to meeting more new faces every day!

Most Sincerely,

Dr. Elise Brandwajn

## Exciting New Features at **FRONTIER PET CLINIC**

- **EXPANDED HOURS:** Now open until 8pm for appointments Monday-Friday
- **24 hour technician staffing** available for monitoring of critical and hospitalized patients
- **New diagnostic equipment and monitoring devices** for your pet's medical needs
- **Highly compassionate and competent veterinarian and technician team** to care for your pets!!!

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