The 3 Ds of Happy Holiday Kitties

The holidays present new strong smells, the outdoors brought inside, wrapping paper, ribbons, boxes, baubles to swat, and lights galore! Of course, kitty is tempted by this ... but it can mean cat chaos! Here are three things to do for your kitties to promote a chaos-free environment, and spread extra happiness, joy, and purrs!

A few simple changes can make all the difference for a calm and peaceful holiday!

Start off on the right paw - add repellants to keep kitty away

Kitties HATE CITRUS, so adding orange peels around the tree acts as a great deterrent. Natural **BITTER** sprays and citronella are good ways to tell kitty where the no-fly zone is. For the strongest deterrent plan, add SSSCAT to the area too. This is motion activated compressed citronella air canister that shoots out a gentle poof when triggered.



DETERRENTS

Taking kitty's focus away from the crazy holiday world is easy!

KITTY-SAFE PLANTS: The all-star catnip is the most popular amongst kitties but only 60-80% react to it. Silver vine and cat thyme are other kitty faves, and good grasses like wheat, oat, and barley are great for a crunchy green snack! BEWARE of poisonous plants - Poinsettia, Holly, and Mistletoe are all toxic if ingested. Other dangerous plants are aloe, azalea, chrysanthemum, lily, rhododendron, and tulip. Make sure to NEVER have these plants around your kitty! PLAY: Laser toys, Toys with lights and/or motion are a great distraction, and play burns excess energy that will now not be spent plotting against your tree!



Enrich kitty's environment! A PHEROMONE Spray, Diffuser, Wipes or Collar mimics the "feel-good" chemicals that kitties naturally produce, and can relieve stress, fear, anxiety, and offer a calming effect. These are good for the holidays and all year round! LOVE and ATTENTION: Kitty will appreciate extra snuggles and to help make them feel at ease and less prone to find mischief. More happy = Less commotion!

SAFETY NOTE: Trees need a STURDY BASE, WALL ANCHORS, and AVOID GLASS ornaments. Contact at MelvinasCatRanch.com