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PETS' MEWS

The MewsPaper for Instagramming Pets, Plushies and their People

#plushiesbuildbridges

Welcome

Hello Everyone,

A very Happy Passover, Easter, spring or autumn to you!

Do you remember the charity issue we did a few months ago? Well, we thought you might like an update on what's been going on. So, here you go. We've got updates for you on @lobilat's mission to raise funds and take fluffy friends to Syrian refugee children in Lebanon; @nenebearbnyc's campaign to get light for @pimpibear; and my very own campaign to raise awareness of the homeless problem in the UK and beyond.

Many thanks to all the inspirational plushies and their human pets who do so much good around the world.

Love,

Tipsy Cat Bose xxx

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Also inside

 <u>Dušana's</u> Eye on Style - weird weather special.

Благодаря @doyka supercow газету Pets' Mews теперь можно читать на русском -



When Furry Tails Come True

We continue to be totally in awe of @lobilat and her great mission to take furry friends to refugee children from Syria who are now in Lebanon - everyone needs a furry friend, don't they? And I think these children are all the more in need of extra special hugs and cuddles from a plushie buddy. I know a lot of you have joined in with the campaign, and here are a couple of photos.



"Diana is already giving lots of love to her new best friend. She will love and bring comfort to this sweet little girl just as her namesake did to people she knew. This photo brings me so much joy! My heart is so full! Are you a part of the Fluffy Mission? You can donate a Fluffy friend to a Syrian refugee child too- please check out Lobilat's page for more information and for the link! Thank you so much Lobilat and Miss Stanhope!"

@squeeshy.patague

"Dearest friends of Plushiestan! Isn't this a picture beyond wonderful?! This young Syrian refugee girl has got her own fluffy Maxi friend, to bring her comfort and cuddles! I am thankful to be a part of @lobilat's and Miss Stanhope's #fluffymission #ibelieveinfurrytails incredible work! Please have a look at www.lobilat.com and donate a #fluffyfriend!"

@maxi_the_rabbit_





You can read more about the mission by clicking <u>www.lobilat.com</u>.

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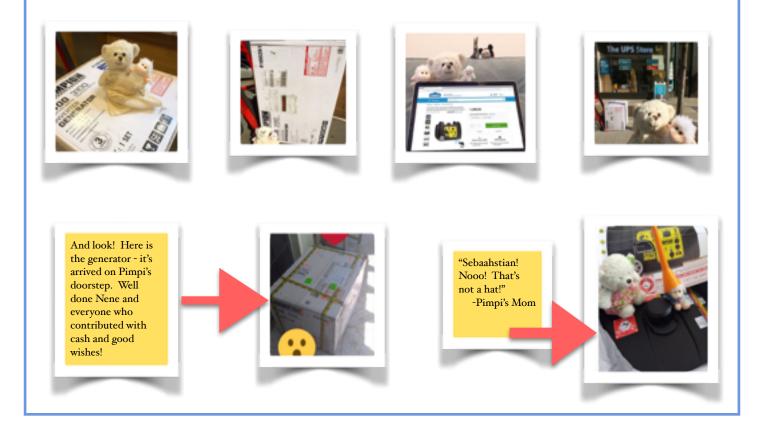
Nene Bear's Very Bright Idea

The story so far: @pimpibear and her human pet family in Puerto Rico were without electricity following hurricane Maria in September 2017. She reached out her paw to our plushie community for prayers and good wishes, and @nenebearnyc had a very bright idea. Plushies build bridges, don't they? So he set up a crowd funding page on Go Fund Me and asked the global plushie community for help. Here's what happened.

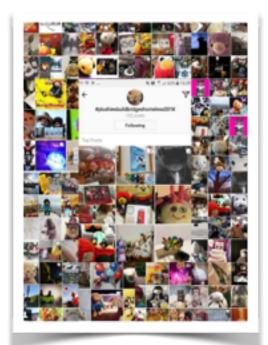


"Finallnenennnnnn! Thaneeeek you for all the donation to my

campaign #bringlightstopimpi! We received so much cutieneess plushies love from All over the !!! Nennnn! We were so touched by all of you neeee!! Pimpi's familneee and my dad have been doing so much research on what's the best option for her familneee. Long story short. We originally wanted to buy them a solar generator but the actual needs of wattage of their household requires a solar generator that costs USD\$3,500+ so we settled on an inverter which is very energy efficient and saves a lot of gas. A couple of days ago we ran into another problem when my dad was going to order the generator and either ship to Pimpi or have them pick up at a store in Puerto Rico. Turns out none of the retailers (not even Amazon) ships to Pimpi's town. Then we went back into deep research and finally settled on the UPS. It is good we have around USD\$1,724.24 after the fees from gofundme. The generator after tax is \$1,196.54, and the cheapest UPS shipping is around \$435. After that we will have \$92 left. We were worried about their water situation, so the \$92 will go towards the water pump for their newly installed water tank. So they can have a clean water supply when it's out as well. We are so excited! Nene can't believe all of our hard work is going to make Pimpi and her family better!" @nenebearnyc



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And do you remember my #plushiesbuildbridgeshomeless2018 campaign? Well, we had over 150 entries. So we donated £50 to @streetvetuk_ who thanked us on Instagram, and £50 to @providencerow. They sent me this nice email, so I thought I'd copy it here for you.

Dear Tipsy and her Pet,

Thank you so much for your fundraising efforts on Instagram and the kind donation of £50 to help ensure rough sleepers in East London get the support they need to rebuild their lives. Your donation is vital to help us continue to stop the cycle of homelessness. Our services not only provide showers and food, but through our wellbeing and employment programmes help people to build their skills and confidence.

It is people like you that help us continue to put an end to homelessness through tackling the root causes.

We'd like to share some <u>stories</u> from the people we work with, to help you understand the amazing impact support like yours can have.

You can see how donations have been used in our Year Book.

We really value your support and extend the core values of our work to our supporters too. You can read how in <u>Our Promise</u>.

Please sign up to our newsletter so that we can keep you updated with our latest news, events, campaigns and opportunities to get involved!

Thank you so much for your support,

Olivia Galvin-Hughes Fundraising Assistant, Providence Row

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Eye on Style by @altravelbunny

With the current global warming and the extended cold seasons, the 'Plushie Winter Fashion' has been the recent trend in both Northern & Southern Hemispheres.

Blue rim pictures;

TL; Here we have Hotte in his custom made red flying suit. with a little undercover investigation we discovered it does have magical powers to enable frogs to fly, while maintaining body regulated heat patterns @furfrog

TR; The ski fields are incredibly popular this season and we were able to get this incredible action shot of the famous Lotso (as shown we had to use superscope lens to get be able to get such a close up) @lotso_the_teddy

BL; As always our pawparazzi are monitoring the great Jenni & caught her wrapped in the famous Josie Plustuzarra red cape (possibly measuring the temperatures in a hidden snow jacuzzi?)
BL; @gnme_rudy_jennie

BR; here we have 3 famous wee plushies enjoying outdoor sports while supporting & advertising a charity for premature hoomans. These beanies are all the rage at the moment in helping support the hooman race.

@jaques.jaqueline



Orange Rim photos

TL; Our pawparazzi managed to catch this beautiful Russian model wearing the most up to date winter accessories, at this stage it is unconfirmed who the Russian designer is, however top bets are Pluslava Zaitsev @busyopka

TR:

Here we caught the famous Manni, dressed casually in a green Ralph t-shirt, not quite the winter style, however very appropriate for in front of a fire watching snow fall TR: @marysteabears

BR; the famous Addy has again surfaced in Japan! He is he caught wearing a very fashionable Cansai orange jumpsuit @adventurabbit

BL; A new fashion model on the scene here, we've not yet been able to confirm their name, however it is great to see another supporting the premature hooman survival again with this beanie trend @yashabear

