

It's Spring, and all is blooming around my community. Time for growth, renewal, longer and warmer days. The birds are pairing up, nesting, as well as caring for new fledglings. Recently at Sanibel Island, Florida I watched the many Osprey parents feed their new babies fresh fish from the ocean. Spring!

## EVENTS AND MY NEWS FLASHES

### "FUR SHUI®"

"Fur Shui"™ An Introduction to Animal Feng Shui.

**Spring is blooming to match Fur Shui!** The Descanso Gardens were in full bloom when Fur Shui took a stroll during Cherry Blossom time.



Descanso Gardens in full bloom...a great place to "rabbit watch" for this the year of the rabbit.

Check out the books latest "whereabouts" at: <http://furshui.blogspot.com>

Go to my blog and make a comment on the Descanso Gardens entry, send me the link and you will get a personal Fur Shui tip from me for your current situation and fur folk!

### WHERE?

Spring has come to SoCal!!! And the flowers are in bloom everywhere. I am now volunteering as a Trail Guide at the Irvine Ranch Conservancy, enjoying the hiking and programs offered. Check out the wonderful National Landmark at <http://www.irlandmarks.org> and sign up for a program. I am helping out with many, let me know when you sign up and I can meet you for a hike!



Left: Poppies at the seed farm in the Irvine Ranch Conservancy  
Right: Cherry Blossoms and blooms at the Descanso Gardens, LA!  
Below: Black Star Canyon, Irvine Ranch Conservancy



Left: Chopper the dog is inspiration for the hook rug art of Judith McReynolds!

### Fur Folk inspired art/business.

Go check out the beautiful hooked rug/art work that Judith McReynolds does with her animal and floral themes...just wonderful and

Chopper her dog just loves to take credit! [www.easyrughooking.com](http://www.easyrughooking.com)

If you have an interesting fur folk business, photo, etc., please send it in and I will put it in the news sheet for you!

### Now, Some Cat Facts:

Thank you David MacBunch for mailing these facts to me, enjoy!

The more cats are spoken to, the more they will speak to you. (YES!)

Cats purr at 26 cycles per second, the same as an idling diesel engine.

A cat keeps purring, no matter if it is inhaling or exhaling.

The cat was domesticated over 4,000 years ago.

The cat was the symbol of liberty in ancient Rome.

The nose pad of a cat is ridged in a pattern that is unique, just like the fingerprint of a human.



Egyptians shaved their eyebrows as a sign of mourning when they lost a beloved cat. A single pair of cats and their kittens can produce as many as 420,000 kittens in just 7 years. (Please spay and neuter!!!)

My yard is all blooming, Rocky the cat gets lost in the iris!

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