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Press Release

LOCAL AUTHOR HELPS YOU "TALK" TO YOUR DOG

Have you ever wondered what your dog was trying to tell you? Does your canine pet give you a strange look at times? Or does your dog do something that totally surprises or amuses you?

There's more to listening to your doggie than just watching s/he's tail wagging or how Fido holds its ears. A gentle "wuff" can mean; "I need to go out," or "Could I have a puppy treat---please?" or "How about a really nice ear scratch?"

Fred Haney, a PVE resident, has written a unique book *"My Doggie Says...Messages from Jamie, A Golden Retriever"*, containing 85 color photos and multiple vignettes that help the reader understand and interpret the many messages their dog is sending, if only the pet owner will "listen."

The colorful images show how Fred's Golden Retriever, Jamie, "talks" about everyday things. "May I please have my second bowl of food?" "Can't I carry that newspaper home from the Plaza?" "Why don't we go this direction, like we did last week?"

Fred has been observing Jamie's behaviors and communication patterns for 10 years and has taken hundreds of photos that illustrate his theme---that Jamie "talks."

This precious book will have the reader laughing, nodding in agreement, and recounting the book's thesis that we have to nurture our doggies and encourage their natural communication skills.

This book is "treats" for ANY pet lover.

Available at website www.mydoggiesays.com

Available on Amazon.com

Fred and Jamie are available for speaking engagements and autograph parties.

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