

Happy Holidays from Rebedew Ranch

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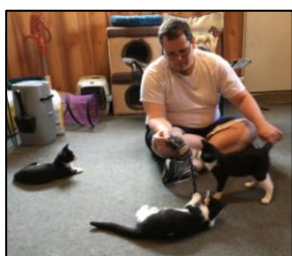
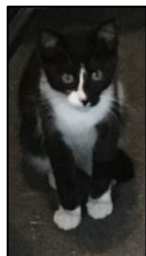
Happy Holidays and Happy New Year! It is already that time again: this year is ending and the next is ready to start.



This year's biggest news is the arrival of Zoe! She was born May 22nd. She weighed 8 lb 4 oz and was 20.5 inches long. Overall, Zoe is an easygoing and happy baby. Watching her learn, grow, and explore the world is an incredible gift. She has been a remarkably good sleeper, and I'm waiting for the night that she realizes she's been too easy on us and starts trying to party all night long.



The house kitties (Chloe, Pearl, Tink, and Stripey) are adjusting well to the tiny new person in their lives. Sometimes they even let Zoe pet them. Now we have four new barn kitties: Mittens and her three boys (Tux, Boots, and Patches). All four of the new kitties are black and white.



Zoe is a great little helper with barn chores. She has even come out to the barn for vet and farrier visits. She thinks Loki and Sonny are fascinating. She has ridden each of them and doesn't have a favorite yet.



David and I are both continuing to increase our responsibilities at work. I am going to be the chair of pediatrics starting in 2019. David is the medical director of three nursing homes, vice chief of staff for Monroe Clinic, and is faculty for the family medicine residency.

Zoe is fortunate enough to have grandma and grandpa watch her during the day when mommy and daddy are at work. Though on a few occasions she has come to work to help when I had an unexpected admission or needed to make rounds in the nursery.



With love,
~Katie, David, & Zoe

