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News Release

Lea County-

Lea County Sheriff's Deputy Chad Scroggins and his K9 Deputy Pito, joined other citizens at Pet Sense today for a Meet and Greet. Deputy Scroggins said it was a great afternoon meeting with the community and having some great interaction with everyone. He answered numerous questions pertaining to Deputy Pito's Skills and training requirements. Pito is trained in detecting narcotics and tracking people through the smell of the clothing. Numerous other questions were asked from everyone but there were several asked about Pito's breed, which he is a Dutch Sheperd and is about 4 years old. Pito as well as the community enjoyed the afternoon of playing fetch and interacting with the children.

Pito and Deputy Scroggins have been on the force together for over 3 years. Deputy Scroggins said, he and Pito enjoyed meeting with everyone and answering everyone's questions and they appreciated the work Pet Sense does for our animals in the community.

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