



**MACEDON
VETERINARY
CARE**

Partners in Pet Care



SPECIAL Winter & Holiday TIPS

POISONOUS PLANTS:

Mistletoe – very toxic, all parts

Holly – Moderate to very toxic, berries and leaves

Poinsettia – Low toxicity, leaves and stems

Christmas greens – Low toxicity, all parts

Hibiscus

HOLIDAY DECORATIONS:

Bubbling lights – moderate to lethal toxicity if inhaled or ingested.

Fireplace Colors (Fire salts) – moderate toxicity; gastrointestinal problems and convulsions

Angel Hair (Spun glass) – low toxicity; eyes, skin and gastrointestinal problems

Christmas tree preservatives – low toxicity

Snow spray or flock – low toxicity

Styrofoam – intestinal obstruction or choking

Christmas tree ornaments – intestinal obstruction or choking

Tinsel – intestinal obstruction or choking

Snow scenes – contaminated water with bacteria ie. Salmonella

GIFTS:

Disk batteries

Aftershave, colognes, perfumes

Alcoholic beverages

Plastic model cement, adhesive glue, crayons, paints etc.

FOODS:

Chocolate, rich and fatty food, bones, etc.