



Because a safe cat is a happy cat.

# All About Catios

Catios are enclosed "cat patios" that allow your cat to safely enjoy the outdoors while they soak up fresh air, exercise, and watch birds.



# Why Build Your Cat a Catio?

- Have peace of mind always knowing your cat is safe from outdoor dangers. Traffic, poisons, pet theft and disease are all threats to free-roaming outdoor cats.
- Protect wildlife. Cats are excellent natural hunters. Even a wellfed or good-natured cat has the urge to hunt and will harm wildlife, especially birds.
- Save money on veterinary bills. Common ailments for freeroaming outdoor cats include contagious diseases, parasites, and abscesses from fights with other animals.
- Extend the life of your best friend! Free-roaming outdoor cats are at risk for a shortened life, while an indoor cat that stays indoors or has a catio will live up to 15 years.



Get started building your own catio today!

Find out more >> >> >>



To learn more, visit: paws.org/safecats





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## Where do I start?

Catios vary widely and their design can range from simple to sublime. They can be furnished with perches and old tree stumps for climbing and scratching opportunities, tarps to provide shade and protection from the elements, enclosed ladders, and tunnels to provide safe access to and from the house.



#### **Do-It-Yourself Catio Plans**

Catio Spaces - catiospaces.com **SafeCat Outdoor Enclosure** – just4cats.com

# **Cat Enclosure Custom Build Companies** - Seattle area

Catio Spaces - catiospaces.com **Pet Enclosures NW** – petenclosuresnorthwest.com



#### **Cat Enclosure Kits**

C & D Pet Products – cdpets.com CustomCages.com: SunCATcher Enclosures

- customcages.com Catbitats - catbitats.com

Cats On Deck – catsondeck.com

Habitat Haven: The Cat's Den

habitathaven.com

KittyWalk Systems, Inc. – kittywalk.com

Wild Whiskers - wildwhiskers.com

### Other options

Invisible Fence - invisible fence.com **Kritter Kommunity** – kritterkommunity.com Cats with an Altitude – catswithanaltitude.com



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