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# CATS ILLUSTRATED

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Today is New Year's Eve!



Today is New Year's Eve, and cats are going to try to stay up to midnight — or at least ten Pawsville time, when New York City is having its New Year's celebration. Even kittens are permitted to stay up until ten, but all adult cats know that they can't force kittens to bed tonight before midnight. Kittens have gotten snacks, drinks, and video games ready to entertain themselves in the couple hours leading up to midnight.

Image above - Harvey, who is going to try to find a way to stay up until midnight tonight.

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Some cats don't really feel up to staying up late. Harvey has tried to practice staying up for the past few nights, but he always falls asleep around nine, no matter what. So that he can be there at ten o'clock and midnight,

Harvey has gone to bed at two in the afternoon and has instructed Makenna and North to wake him up at nine forty-five, and then again at eleven forty-five. You might think that Harvey's sleep schedule would be screwed up after this, but Harvey will sleep until eight or nine in the morning no matter what he did the previous day.

Most cats have New Years' resolutions ready, and are ready to share them at midnight. Lunch has put up "End-of-Year deals" at her luncheon where she practically gives away food for free, only charging a dollar or two for a whole meal. Her luncheon was swarmed today, and Lunch is still working to serve all of her customers. Rudy and Judy have not attacked each other in the last week or so, and things seem to be looking better for them. However, Rudy bought a dozen eggs yesterday for no reason, and Judy was mixing some interesting chemicals in her garage. If you remember their resolutions, you might guess that their fight is not over yet.

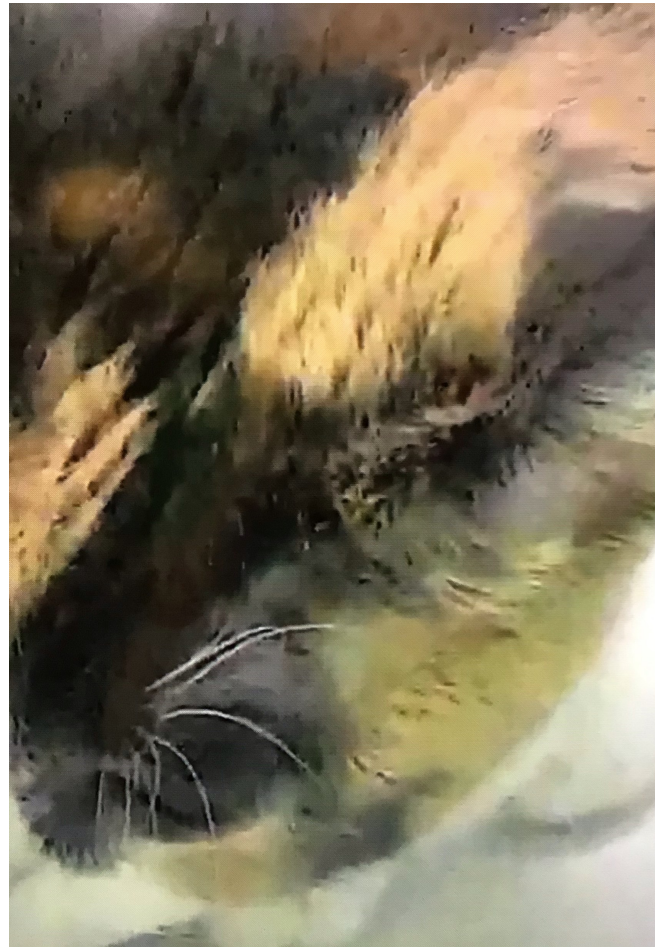


Image above - Juliet, who's very serious about giving up Kudo's.

Juliet has her resolution to stop eating Kudo's entirely, but she will need help from her friends and family to accomplish that feat. Juliet has burned all of the Kudo's in her house, and she is even exposing secret stashes in her walls that Blackpelt will cover with boards. Juliet's kittens have added safety features to her online purchasing account, so that if she tries to buy Kudo's, Juliet has to enter in a five digit passcode that will change weekly.

**"This is my last quote before 2022 — cabbages rule!"**

- MAVIS

happy stealing things at the moment. Rudy and Judy aren't going to stop fighting, and Harvey doesn't want to give up sugar.

Today is New Year's Eve, and tomorrow is the dawn of a new year. 2022. Three twos and a zero. A new year will bring a fresh start for many cats, and it will also bring a very special anniversary; 2022 will be a very special year indeed! However, some cats have said that they don't want a fresh start, like Naya, who is very

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