

Our Year: A Swan Family word lib

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Hello Family and Friends,

It really HAS been _____ *Conjunction* interesting year for we three Swans and we hope that it has been a great
_____ *Animal* for you all too. We are happy to report that we still have our two old, sweet dogs, Clarence and
Ellis and they are doing surprisingly well for the ripe ole age of (almost) 14. Evie has grown like a giant
_____ *Noun* and is healthy, happy and full of _____ *Plural noun* and adventures. Here's the rundown:

Kaweah started his year off great by taking a business trip to Amsterdam in which he had "the best vacation of
my life!"; and learned a few things too. Karen started experimenting with the creation of "Mudpuddle"; face-
masks at the cabin and we had some fun photo-shoots of us running around with sparkling, drying clay on our
_____ *Plural noun*. Evie was sent to the "Cave of 1000 Kisses"; about a million times. We traded in the
broomsticks for a running Volvo and Dad has been teaching Evie how to work on her. We visited
_____ *Plural noun* in upstate New York in June and Evie visited her first monument in Bennington, VT, but what
she really remembers is the maple _____ *Noun* she ate at the top. We road-tripped it home, Mom, Dad, Evie
and the dogs for _____ *Number* days in the car, it was an adventure for sure! Evie's favorite part was
_____ *Verb ending in ing* a cow bone in the flats of Wyoming and since has added a partial deer jawbone (with
teeth

!) to her collection- thank you Aunties Cate & Sheryl. Evie took swimming lessons and is proud of her ability to do a "starfish"; and glide under the water, she went to her first Renaissance Faire and had her face painted like a _____ Animal _____ which she still talks about! She LOVES dogs, horses and working with clay. She wants to be a veterinarian when she grows up and tells _____ Adjective _____ stories about all the characters she created like Lolly, Koda, Doke and the Cloud-Eating-Cats. Mom and Evie took another trip out east and went with the family to New Hampshire for two weeks at the beach, in which we went on a fireworks boat cruise, played in the _____ Plural noun _____ and made sand candles and greeted Hurricane Irene. Karen and Kaweah celebrated 14 years together and Evie turned 4- wow! We spent as much time as possible at the Cabin and each day that we are there, we appreciate the beauty and wildlife of such a _____ Adjective _____ place. There. What more can we say?

Happy Holidays to all of our loved ones. We hope you have a _____ Adjective _____ year, filled with wonderful surprises!

XXOO Karen, Kaweah, Evie, Clarence & Ellis.