

# Be a KIND Reporter



Congratulations! You've just been hired by *KIND News* to write a follow-up article. In "Space Invaders: Wildlife as Pets," you learned about a dog named Pete who is training to sniff out Burmese pythons in the Everglades. Now *KIND News* would like you to write an article about Python Pete.

articles answer these questions: **Who? What? Where? When? Why?**

Want more info for your article? You'll find it at **news.nationalgeographic.com/kids/2005/03/snakedog.html**.

Another reporter has collected some background information for you. Use her notes and what you learned in "Space Invaders..." to write your article. Remember that news

Write your article on the back. Don't forget to include a headline!

- 🐾 Python Pete is a beagle.
- 🐾 His trainer is Everglades wildlife researcher Lori Oberhofer.
- 🐾 Pete is trained to find pythons in the Everglades using his sense of smell.
- 🐾 Oberhofer keeps Pete on a leash to keep him safe.
- 🐾 When Pete locates a python, he barks. Park officials remove the snake.
- 🐾 Pete is rewarded with a treat.
- 🐾 His first day on the job, he located two ten-foot pythons.

Use this space for notes on other points you want to make in your article.

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