



Pet Sitters International's
2008 Pet Sitter of the Year™

Rob Nager
Decadent Dog Inc.



America's ongoing love affair with pets is at an all-time high, but pet owners' love affair with their pet sitters comes in at a close second! Pet Sitters International (PSI) was bombarded with nominations for its 2008 Pet Sitter of the Year award.

Each year, Pet Sitters International honors one member who exemplifies the optimal care that pet owners respect and deserve for their pets. This member represents professionalism in the pet-care industry.

The Pet Sitter of the Year award, sponsored by Business Insurers of the Carolinas, was created by PSI in 1995 and is considered the professional pet-sitting industry's highest honor.

Standing out from the crowd, however, was Robert Nager of Needham, MA, who was crowned the 2008 Pet Sitter of the Year.

A lifelong resident of the Boston area, Robert Nager walked away from a sales and business development career to found a full-service pet care company, Decadent Dog, in 2002. Since joining Pet Sitters International that same year, Robert has been actively involved in both the association and his local community.

In addition to his PSI affiliation, Robert is certified in first aid and CPR for pets. His pet-sitting service is fully insured and bonded and is a Better Business Bureau accredited business.



"Robert's overall commitment to excellence in every aspect of his business made him stand out from the pack. He exemplifies what a professional pet sitter should be and is a leader in this growing industry."

- Patti Moran
President and CEO, Pet Sitters International