

Story of the Week 每周一报

Surfing dogs 宠物犬冲浪比赛

文字稿

Who is **top dog** of the California waves?

About 50 animals wearing **life jackets** took part in the annual dog surfing competition in San Diego.

They were **eager** to follow their owners to the water and looked pretty confident and skilled at keeping their **balance** on the surfboards.

The owners **guarantee** that their pets are safe and enjoying the ride. At least this dog seems happy.

The event raises money for the San Diego Humane Society and the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

词汇

top dog	老大, 首领 (这里指获胜的狗)
life jackets	救生衣
eager	急切的
balance	平衡
guarantee	确信

中文文字稿

谁是加利福尼亚冲浪比赛的获胜犬？

大约 50 只身穿救生衣的狗狗们在圣地亚哥参加每年一度的冲浪比赛活动。

它们急切地紧跟主人冲向水中，充满自信，并展现了冲浪板上的良好平衡技巧。

狗主人们确信他们的宠物安全并真正喜欢冲浪。至少这只狗看上去还是很高兴的。

这次活动是为圣地亚哥人道协会和防止虐待动物协会募捐。

Watch this video online: Surfing dogs

<http://bbc.in/1lp5SXm>

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