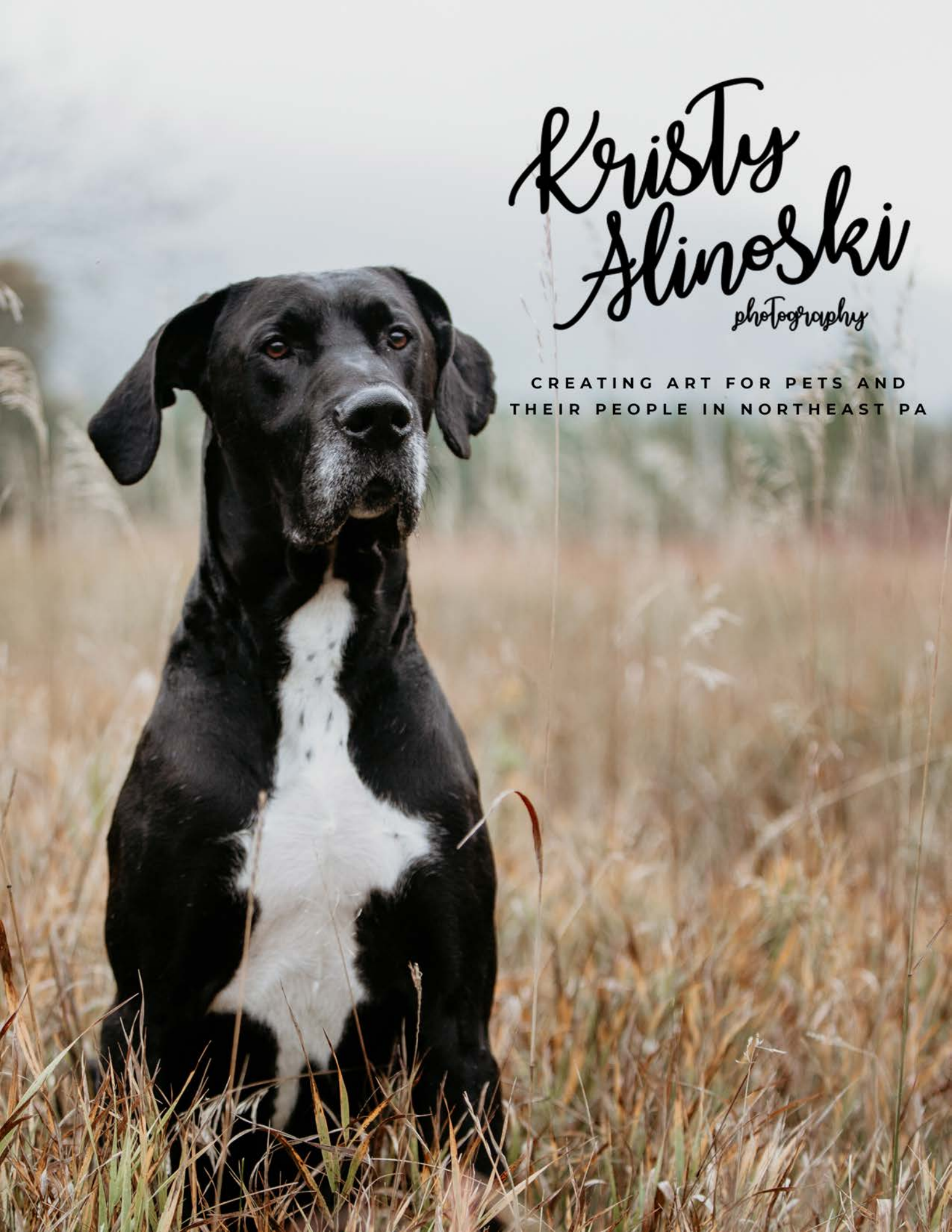
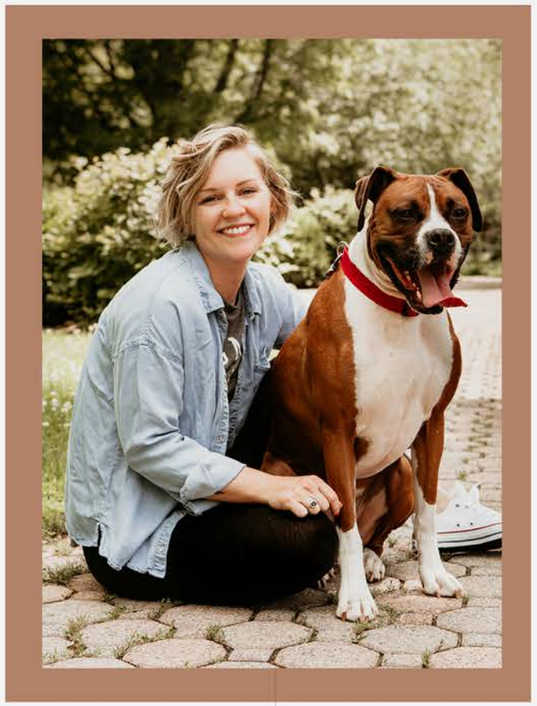

Kristy Alinoski
photography
CREATING ART FOR PETS AND
THEIR PEOPLE IN NORTHEAST PA

Hi! I'm Kristy



I'm Kristy, the crazy dog momma behind the camera. I'm making it my mission to help you create beautiful works of art that showcase the amazing four legged friends in your life.
My dogs are the little lights in my life, and if I could have one wish, I'd want them to be around forever. I'm sure you would too.
I can't make that wish come true, but I CAN capture moments you can treasure forever. I can't wait to meet the bright lights in your life!

Not all photography businesses are created equal.
Here's what you can expect from Kristy Alinoski Photography:

01

Your pets are the beating hearts of my business. Because I'm a pet photographer first and foremost, I not only know ALL the tricks and tips to create incredible images with four-legged subjects, but I'll also love and adore your precious animals—it's just who I am.

02

We create art. Sure, digital files are available and many clients choose to add them onto their order. But here at Kristy Alinoski Photography, the primary focus is creating tangible, beautiful art-work that will bring you joy for years to come.

03

Count on quality. Whether your artwork is handcrafted in Germany or framed using authentically weathered Vermont barnwood, rest as-sured that it comes from the best artisans in the business. If you're used to photo prints from Costco, you're in for a revelation!

The Experience

STEP 1

Schedule a free consult to book your session.

STEP 2

Prepare for your session. We'll schedule a call in which we'll plan all of the details: dates, times, locations, and what you may choose to do with the images afterwards.

STEP 3

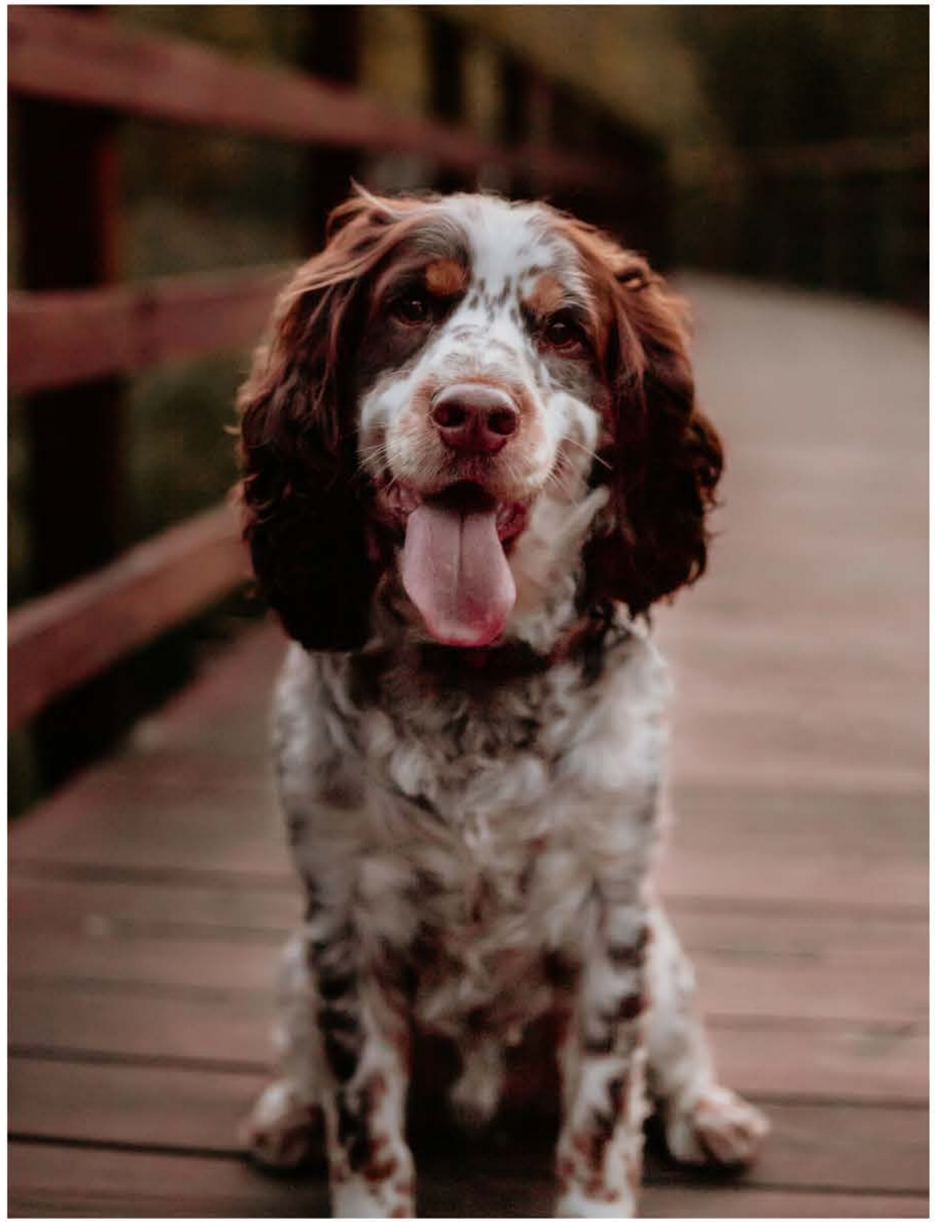
The session. This is where the magic happens! Leave all worries and expectations at the door and just enjoy the experience. Your dog's only job is to be a dog!

STEP 4

The ordering appointment. Held in person, this is where the much-anticipated image reveal happens! You choose your favorites, and I'll walk you through the options as we decide how you'll most enjoy your images, often through a combination of artwork, albums and digital files.

STEP 5

Sit back and enjoy your artwork!





My dog won't sit still

It's okay! I am well versed in successfully photographing hyper, untrained dogs. I guarantee that we'll be able to create images that you love—or I'll refund your reservation fee.

Here's a secret: Most of the dogs you see on my website were wearing leashes during our session. After some delicate Photoshop work...presto chango...suddenly you see before you a naked dog!

We can even use a special long line to safely create action shots if your dog can't be off leash. And with my arsenal of duck calls and squeakers, I know how to get your pup's attention. You let me know what kind of images you love, and I'll bring the tools and the know-how to create them for you!

Photoshop Magic

Leashes: all the cool kids are wearing them! Your dog's safety is of the utmost importance. Whether in an urban area or wide open spaces, I prefer to keep all furry friends on a leash for the safety of everyone involved. Even if your dog is not considered a "flight risk" you never know when a squirrel might jump out in your path. But no worries—as you can see from the Before and After images below, it'll stay our little secret thanks to the magic of Photoshop!











The Artwork

Wall art is the finishing touch in any home. Why settle for yawn-worthy prints from the home-dec store, when you could adorn your walls with your favorite four-legged family member?!

Choose from a variety of contemporary, rustic or traditional wall art options. Whether you decide on one single, breathtaking piece or a multi-image wall gallery, it's sure to make a joyful statement.

Limited wall space? You can also select from an assortment of archival coffee-table albums or image boxes that will showcase your beloved images for decades to come. Digital files are also an option, of course, but I recommend them as a complement to tangible artwork you can enjoy every day, no scrolling required.



Investment



SIGNATURE SESSIONS PACKAGES START AT $297

Most Popular

What does a session include?

- An on-location pet photography session in a predetermined location
- Session can include all humans and animals in the same household
- A personal viewing and ordering appointment to review all of your images
- Please see our most recent package offerings for included items

STUDIO SESSIONS STARTING AT $297

What does a session include?

- A planning session to review what your vision is and how we will accomplish it
- A private studio portrait session tailored to fit your specific design goals
- A one on one viewing session where I help you find the perfect way to display your artwork

****Multiple package options are available as well as ala carte pricing for custom artwork packages****

FAQs

My dog doesn't know sit or stay. Is that a problem?
Not at all! Some of my favorite portraits are of dogs standing up. And rest assured, I have a deep well of unique sounds and tasty treats to grab their attention—even if it's just for that split second while I capture each image.

My dog can't be off leash. Can I still do a session?
Yes! Absolutely! Believe it or not, 95% of the dogs that I photograph are on leash. Leashes not only keep your best pal safe, but they're also important for following local laws when photographing in urban environments. Thanks to the wizardry of Photoshop, leashes will be removed from most final images.

What about harnesses or gentle leaders, can those be edited out?
The wizardry does have some limitations. Super-bulky harnesses hide so much of the dog's chest that it's very challenging to accurately rebuild those areas in post-production. Gentle leaders can leave heavy shadows or pull on the dog's skin, so those are also a challenge to digitally remove. If your dog normally wears one of these for walks, I recommend using it while walking to our location, but also bringing a flat collar to use for the actual shoot. If you're concerned let me know and we could talk about other options such as using a quieter location where your pet will be more comfortable and able to safely be on a flat collar.

My dog is super reactive to other dogs/people/bicycles. How can we do a session?
I completely understand; the world can be a scary place for all of us sometimes. If your dog is nervous or reactive, we can choose a location that suits his temperment. I have a few out-of-the-way locations that receive very little dog or foot traffic, or we can rent a private location for a small fee, ensuring that we see won't see a soul.

My dog is a never-ending ball of energy! How do you manage high-energy dogs?
My camera shutter speed goes all the way up to 1/8000 of a second—in other words, plenty fast enough to capture even the most active dog! Our sessions never require your dog to sit, stay and behave for hours (or even minutes) on end. One of the benefits of hiring a pet-specific photographer is that we know how to work with "hyper" models and still deliver gorgeous images, jam-packed with personality.

FAQs

Can I be in the images, too?
Of course! I love documenting the wonderful connection between you and your dog. While we can certainly capture a traditional portrait of you both smiling at the camera, my clients especially love the candid images of the moments you share. If you're especially camera shy, I can still create some lovely, creative images that tell the story of your relationship. Please trust me, and remember that you don't need to purchase or display any images that you don't adore.

What time will our photo session be?
The most magical light for photography happens during the "golden hour," which is why I schedule most sessions during the last two hours of daylight.

How do I choose a location?
It's a big decision, but I'm here to help with plenty of recommendations. During our session-planning call we'll discuss the look you're after, any special needs your dog might have (mobility challenges, anxiety, reactivity etc.) and scheduling constraints on your part. With all that in mind, we'll settle on the perfect location for your custom session.

What if it's raining?
If the weather is less than ideal, we can definitely reschedule. Your reservation retainer simply transfers over to our new session date!

Who can come to the session?
Everyone who lives in your household (furry or not) is welcome to participate in our session. In the interest of minimizing distractions, however, I do ask that only those who will be in the photos come along. If you're interested in holding a session with your dog's best bud or your extended family, I'd be happy to put together a custom quote.

Do you photograph pets other than dogs?
Absolutely! I don't discriminate when it comes to our pet friends, though the majority of my clients are in the canine and equine variety.







Is this right for me?

A successful portrait session is an investment of both time and money, so it's important to make the right choice for yourself.

For Kristy Alinoski Photography clients, pets are cherished family members. They're loved to the moon and back and receive only the highest standard of care. They even, somehow, get away with stealing two-thirds of the bed! My clients are also discriminating, appreciating quality not only in the images we create, but also in the stunning heirloom artwork that results.

If you're ready to join the club of delighted clients, you can schedule your session by getting in touch today. Still have questions and would like to schedule a no-obligation, 15-minute discovery call? Let's do it! Give me a call today.

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