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**Momentous Day**

100 word story by Alison Fry

Momentous day. Craved and dreaded in equal measures day. Then, June 4<sup>th</sup> 2015. Should have painted the shed day. I was dressed for it. Phone rings, now horse riding day. Chalk path with Red day. One unsure foot (his not mine) day. My life changed forever. Now it's the big day. Goodbye to pain and restriction day. Goodbye to a flexible foot day. Maybe hello to new opportunities day. Steadfast in my decision, knowing why I'm here I lose consciousness...drift back to life. Only one thing I want to announce to the nurses on this day. "I'm getting a puppy".