## Interesting Tick Facts: \*\*

After one blood meal, a tick can grow anywhere from 10 to 25 times its original size. Imagine growing into a 100-foot giant after eating lunch!

 Female ticks can lay anywhere from 2,000 to 18,000 eggs.

 Ticks are virtually blind and find their prey by sensing body warmth or by smelling breath.

 A tick uses a numbing agent in its saliva so that you don't feel its bite.

 Opossums and timber rattlesnakes can each devour up to 5,000 ticks a season.

 Ticks have been around since the time of T-Rex.

