



Summer Newsletter



With the average temperatures in April reaching 8 degrees hotter than average we are hoping that we are in for a good summer, with lots of dog walks, barbeques and other social events.



Sponsored Swim Raises £855 for the Dog's Trust



Topics this issue:

- Hydro Event
- Beat the Heat
- Rabbit Health
- Vaccinations
- Staff News

Opening Hours:

Winchester:
01962 854088
Mon – Fri
8am -7pm
Saturday 8-5pm

Overton:
01256 771998
Monday 9-6.30pm
Tues 9-5pm
Wed 9-1pm
Thurs 9-6.30pm
Fri 9-5pm
Sat 9-12noon

Facilities:

- Ample free car parking
- Modern Premises
- Large comfortable waiting room
- Consultations by appointments
- Separate dog and cat wards
- Radiography
- Ultrasound
- Hydrotherapy pool
- Dental theatre
- In house laboratory
- Special interest in heart and skin problems
- Nurse clinics

Please give us 48hrs notice for repeat prescriptions
Thank you!

Amanda Bunting rescued a chocolate Labrador called Nelson from the Dog's Trust. Nelson had been found wandering the streets limping. Amanda and her husband immediately fell in love with him, although he came with problems with his knees. They thought 'who else could give this dog Nelson a better chance in life than her, as she is a Vet herself'. After Nelson had had his extensive surgery to fix his knee, an important part of his recovery was physiotherapy and hydrotherapy. Tracey, Mildmay's hydrotherapist, was keen to get Nelson swimming and build his leg back up to full strength so he could have a better quality of life with his new owners.

As a way of thanking the Dog's Trust for rescuing so many unwanted dogs Mildmay decided to do a Sponsored Swim. This involved Tracey setting her clients a target and then on a chosen day in March/April they completed their swim. It proved extremely successful and was a huge amount of fun for both clients, staff and dogs!! We raised a total of £855 which will go to the Dog's Trust to help with rehoming and rehabilitating the homeless dogs.



Tracey Jones, Nelson and Amanda Bunting with the cheque given to the Dogs Trust.

Beat the heat this Summer!

As we enjoy the warm sunny weather its worth sparing a thought for our four-legged friends.

- Make sure clean water is always available to all pets – take some on walks and avoid exercise in the heat of the day
- Do not leave your pet in the car in the heat.
- Watch out also for grass seeds of the meadow grasses. They commonly become trapped in dog's ears – causing violent head shaking, or become embedded in the feet or other areas.
- Don't walk your dog in the heat of the day especially if old or has heart problems

