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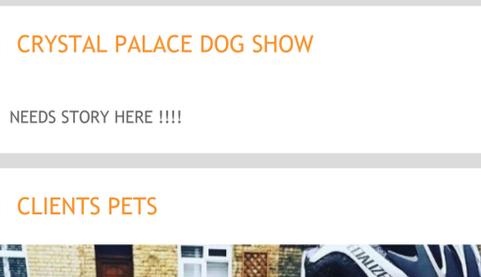
Paxton Vets Newsletter

Here you'll find great advice, offers for you and your pet, news, hints & tips, seasonal advice and much, much more!

PRACTICE NEWS

EXCITING NEWS!

Online appointments now available!



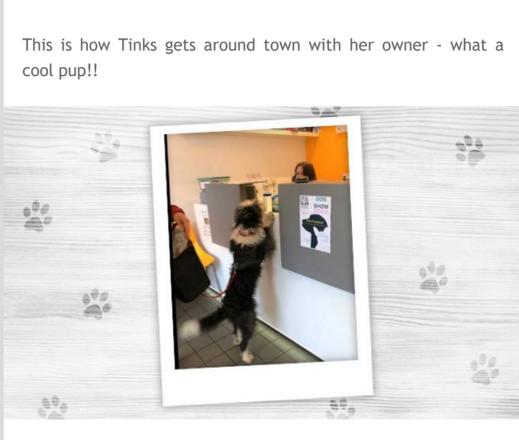
We are delighted to announce that you can now [Book your appointment online](#)

This is in addition to [Online Food Orders](#) and [Repeat Prescriptions](#)

CRYSTAL PALACE DOG SHOW

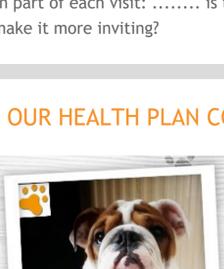
NEEDS STORY HERE !!!!

CLIENTS PETS



Tinks

This is how Tinks gets around town with her owner - what a cool pup!!

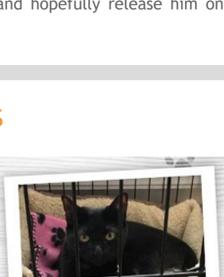


Trudeau

Trudeau is a very happy dog!
He yaps and pulls his owner into the Clinic each time he walks past.
He makes a bee line for Sally at reception and jumps up to ask for a treat!

Does your animal like coming to the Vet as much as this boy? If not, which is often the case, (especially as examinations and needles are often part of each visit: is there anything we could do to make it more inviting?

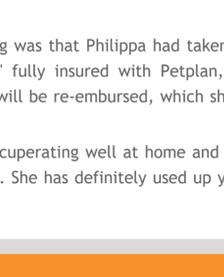
WINNER OF OUR HEALTH PLAN COVER STAR



Benji

Huge congratulations to the lovely BENJI, whos photo gained the most LIKES on our post following the photo competition for our Health Plan members.

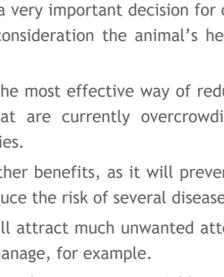
What a superstar he looks already in the photo, but now he will be featured for all to see and admire, as our title photo for June!!



This little fella was found by the chefs @sparrowhawkpub_ being pecked by crows, and bought into our clinic.

Thanks to the good folk at the London Wildlife Trust for taking him in to rear and hopefully release him one day. Good luck little man!

STAFF PETS



OUR STAFFS ANIMALS OFTEN NEED THE VET TOO!

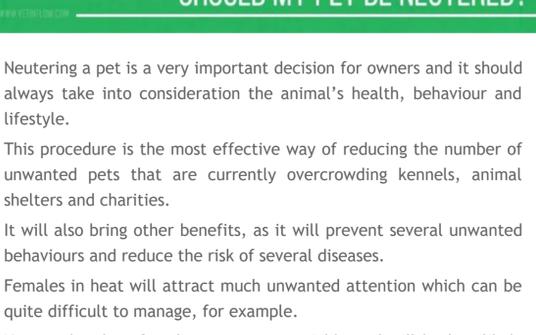
Bagheera was adopted as a very sick stray from the clinic by the Receptionist Philippa a few years ago, and is a much loved indoor cat. Unfortunately on the last Bank Holiday, "Baggy" decided she wanted to enjoy the sunshine, and ventured outside for the first time - just at the moment Philippa was moving her car crunch She was rushed to our out of hours Emergency Vet for treatment and transferred back to us the next day for Xrays.

Luckily she hasn't sustained any lasting damage or broken bones, and should be right as rain after a period of cage rest and pain relief.

Another blessing was that Philippa had taken her own advice, and had "Baggy" fully insured with Petplan, so that her Vet treatment fees will be re-embursed, which she is very relieved about too.

Poor Baggy is recuperating well at home and we all wish her a speedy recovery. She has definitely used up yet another of her 9 lives !

NEUTERING



AT WHAT AGE SHOULD MY PET BE NEUTERED?

Neutering a pet is a very important decision for owners and it should always take into consideration the animal's health, behaviour and lifestyle.

This procedure is the most effective way of reducing the number of unwanted pets that are currently overcrowding kennels, animal shelters and charities.

It will also bring other benefits, as it will prevent several unwanted behaviours and reduce the risk of several diseases.

Females in heat will attract much unwanted attention which can be quite difficult to manage, for example.

Neutered males often become more sociable and will be less likely to roam.

Spayed females have a reduced risk of ovarian and malignant mammary cancer, womb infections and neutered males have a lower risk of suffering from prostate disorders, among other benefits.

The recommended age for this procedure is assessed on an individual basis depending on health and behaviour.

If your dog is in season we will have to wait a little while before moving forward with the procedure (from 6 weeks to 3 months) since spaying during this time carries increased surgical risks.

If you have any questions or if you would like to know more about this procedure, ask your vet for advice! We are here to help!

WE'D LOVE THIS NEWSLETTER TO BE ABOUT YOU & YOUR PET TOO...

- Have you got a story to tell?
- Would you like an answer to a question?
- We'd love to see a photo of your pet that we can share
- Have they been brave lately ... have they survived an accident or illness?

Please email to

clifton@paxtonvets.co.uk

OR

Post directly to our

[Facebook Page](#)

We so want these stories... Please tell us!



DOG TRIVIA

The largest recorded litter for a dog was 24 puppies delivered by caesarean section for a Neopolitan Mastiff in 2005. Twenty of the puppies survived, setting another record for most surviving puppies.



CAT FACT

A cat's brain is more similar to a human's brain than that of a dog.

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