

Welcome to Kingsteignton Veterinary Group's first Newsletter of 2017! Firstly, we would like to apologise that due to technical difficulties you did not receive a newsletter with your vouchers last July as planned. Those vouchers are enclosed for you to put towards any treatment or purchase of goods with us at KVG, and we hope you'll enjoy spending them!

The KVG newsletter team →



Breeders' Summer Microchip Offer - back for 2017!

Last year new legislation was passed meaning all dogs of 8 weeks and older must be microchipped, meaning a new cost to breeders. To help with this we offered a Summer Microchip Offer where all litters of puppies could be microchipped for £10 each, and it was so popular it's back for 2017 between June & September! If you're planning to breed from your dog, why not give us a call or pop in for a friendly chat to see what else we can offer breeders?

Staff News

We would like to warmly welcome some new staff members who have joined us recently!



Jodie Cleave – Vet
Joined us in August 2016



Tania Yelland - RVN
Joined us in January 2017



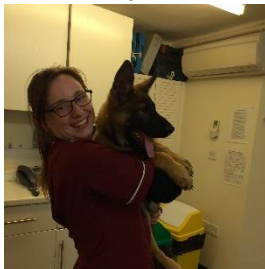
Heidi Baumbach - RVN
Re-joined us in May 2016 as an RVN



Olga Biggs – SVN
Previously our Kennel Assistant



Heather Beastall – SVN
Joined us as a student in November 2016



Katie-May Arcscott - Kennel Assistant
Previously worked as a General Assistant



Sharon Brint – Admin
Joined us in Aug '16, has worked at well-respected local hotels.



Lisa McKeever - Admin
Joined us in Sept '16. Previously worked at a local hospice.

25% Off Full Year's Parasite Control

Get a handle on those pesky pests this year with our parasite control offer. When you buy a year's worth of **any** parasite control treatment for one of your pets (including for fleas, worms and ticks), get 25% off! Running February until April 2017.

Webshop

We stock brands like Hills & Burns, and it's ready to collect from the branch of your choice in 2 days! Visit kingsteigntonvets.webshop.vet/

Free Blood Test for Common Heart Condition in Larger Breed Dogs

Larger breed dogs can often suffer from a condition known as dilated cardiomyopathy, or DCM. Last year we had a very successful offer of a free blood test and heart check with a vet to see if dogs of at-risk breeds have the beginnings of the condition. If you would like to take us up on this offer or would like further information, please give us a call, or see our website for more details.

Update Regarding VHD2 Vaccination for Rabbits

If your rabbit has had the VHD2 vaccination to defend against the new strain of viral haemorrhagic disease, the latest advice is that the vaccination should be repeated to bolster immunity every 12 months. This is unless there is an outbreak in the local area, in which case it is advised the vaccination is repeated every 6 months. As there were VHD2 outbreaks reported and confirmed in the summer in our area, if you had your rabbit vaccinated you should arrange for a booster to assure continuing immunity. For further information on the VHD2 vaccination schedule, please see our website.

Recommend a Friend Cards

Have you ever recommended us to someone you know? Did you know that both you and the person you recommend can get £10 off our services and items we sell? To the right is a Recommend a Friend Card. If you fill your name in on the back and hand it to someone you've advised to use us, when they come to us for the first time we'll apply £10 credit to both of your accounts! The more you give away the more money you get off, and there's no limit, so go wild!

Recommend a Friend

Recommend a friend to register with us and you'll both receive £10 off!

Ask your friend to bring this card when they come to register and we'll do the rest!