



# Monthly Newsletter

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Hi Everyone,

We love the month of May here at Coquet Vets. The sun has started to shine, and it makes everyone feel a bit better about life in general. This month we have been concentrating on arthritis as our topic of interest.

We are pleased to say that our arthritis evening was a huge success with many of our clients attending and finding the talk interesting and informative. Don't forget to have a read of our arthritis articles, as both canine and feline arthritis is hugely common and there are so many things that we can do to help our pets to be more comfortable.

Our colleague Mo Poole (a registered canine massage therapist) also provided a canine massage clinic this month with us at Coquet Vets. Canine massage is something that is also worth thinking about for your older pets, but it can be used for many other conditions too (neurological, soft tissue, well-being), and Mo can see you here at the clinic. Visit [www.caninestrides.co.uk](http://www.caninestrides.co.uk) for more information.

We hope you enjoyed our articles this month - our particular favourite is the deer success story - do have a watch.

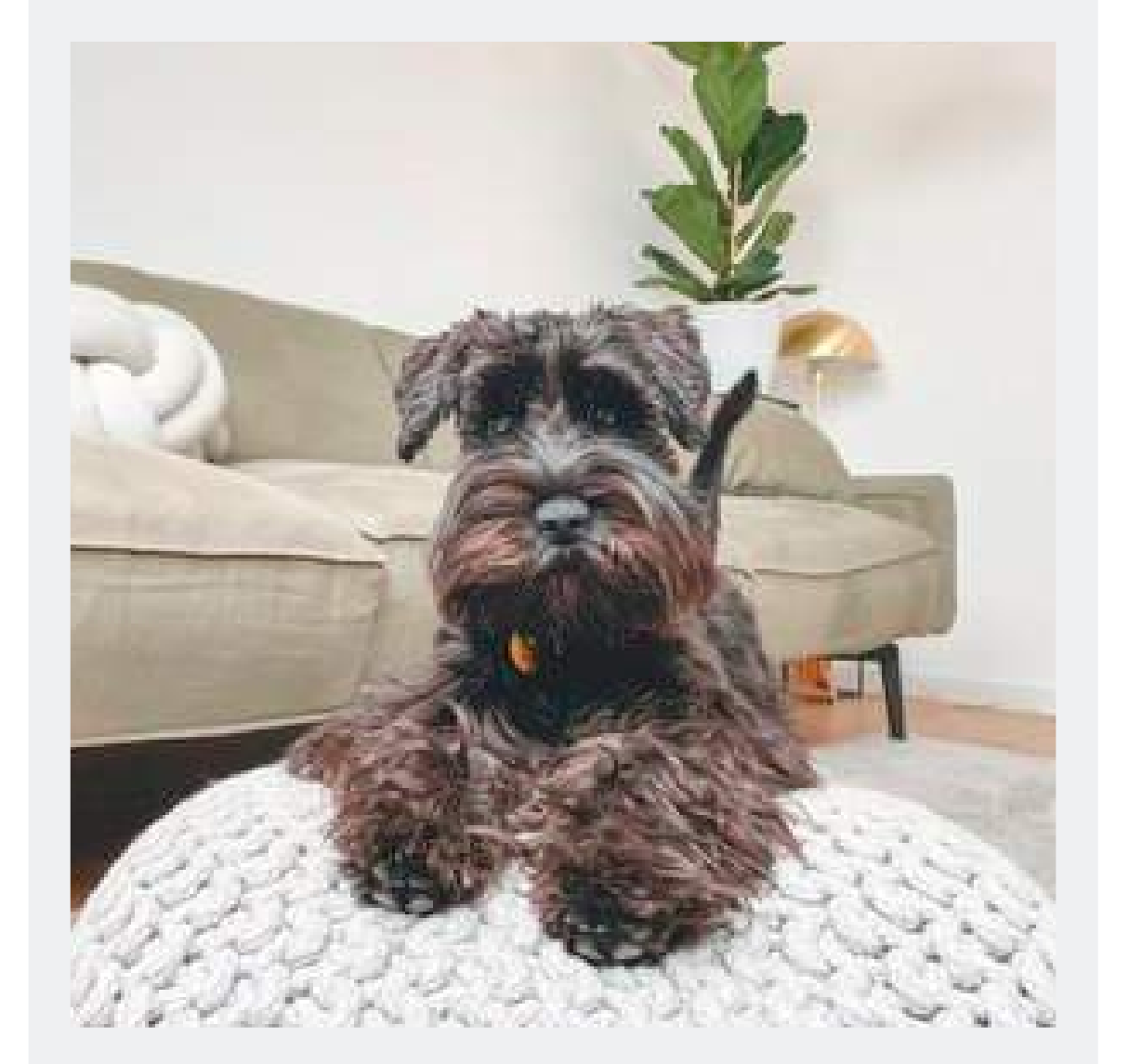
*The Coquet Vets Team*



## HOME CHANGES FOR ANIMALS WITH ARTHRITIS

There are so many different options for animals who suffer with arthritis. In this short article, we look at simple changes that you can make at home to help your pet live a more comfortable and happier life.

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## CASE STUDY: ROSIE & BEN - PET OSTEOARTHRITIS

For senior pets, osteoarthritis can be one of the long-term effects of knee surgery, as well as part of a natural ageing process. In this case study, we meet Rosie and her younger brother, Ben, who were both found to have osteoarthritis and needed some treatment.

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## OBESITY AND OSTEOARTHRITIS IN PETS

Arthritis is a common condition affecting middle aged to senior pets. Excessive weight in pets can also greatly contribute to an abnormal load on their joints. Tackling obesity is vital in the management of osteoarthritis, which is why Coquet Vets runs free weight clinics for your pets.

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## JOIN COQUET PET CLUB

Coquet Vets is a big advocate for preventative health care to keep your pet healthy and happy. Our preventative health care plan is designed to give you peace of mind and fantastic savings for a low monthly direct debit payment. The plan includes a range of services and savings, and you can also sign up for the plan online through our website, so there is no need to come into the practice. Click on the link below to find out more and see what is needed to join Coquet Pet Club.

>> [Find out more](#)

## LOCAL SPONSOR UPDATE: ROCK CRICKET CLUB (UNDER 11'S)

Coquet Vets are proud to sponsor Rock Cricket Club (under 11's) who won their first match of the season in sunny Blyth. We wish you lots of luck for the rest of the season.

Find out more about the club and follow the results: [>> Here](#)



## ADVICE CORNER: WHAT TO DO WITH INJURED OR SICK WILD ANIMALS

Unfortunately, it's that time of year where we are seeing a huge amount of wildlife killed on the road. A few weeks ago, one of our nurses saw a small deer knocked by the car in front on a dual carriage way near Cramlington.

The vet attended the scene and assessed the deer. Although it was stunned and had a few minor wounds, she couldn't find any life-threatening injuries, so she gave it pain relief and wrapped it up to take back to her farm. She promptly called her husband who prepared a calf crate and the deer was kept quiet and warm overnight.

We are delighted to report that the next morning the deer had made a full recovery and was successfully released - please watch the video in our article on this story, as it will put a smile on your face.

If you come across an injured or sick wild animal, it can be hard to know what best to do, so check out our article with some handy advice should you find yourself in this situation.

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## PROMOTION: BUY 1 GET 1 FREE ON VETERINARY HPM 'VET EXCLUSIVE' PUPPY AND KITTEN FOOD



If your pet is part of the Coquet Pet Club and it is already microchipped, you can use your £10 voucher towards buying Veterinary HPM 'Vet Exclusive' Puppy and Kitten Food.

This food can ONLY be bought from a veterinary practice; it is affordable, palatable and a great diet. There are different life stages for these diets, so your pet can stay on them for the rest of its life.

There is also a loyalty scheme where every 6th bag is free (smallest size bag is free).

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## OFFER: VACCINATIONS FOR LIFE

For a one off payment of £100 you can cover the cost of your dog or cats vaccinations for their lifetime. This includes a full general health check at the time of their annual vaccination once every year. This does not include puppy/kitten vaccination courses or kennel cough.

To find out more, call us on **01665 252 250** or email us at [info@coquetvets.co.uk](mailto:info@coquetvets.co.uk)



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