



Due to the success of our microchip offer in April we will be continuing our special offer price of £10 per chip until the end of June. Ring either surgery for an appointment.



Date for your
Diary, see
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Pet Insurance

Why is pet insurance a good idea?

- ◆ Advances in veterinary medicine mean that you can do more for your pet but treatment can be expensive.
- ◆ Pet Insurance allows you to budget monthly rather than facing unexpected bills than you might not be able to afford.
- ◆ Having pet insurance allows you to concentrate on what is best for your pet rather than worrying about whether you can afford the cost of the treatment.

What to look for in pet insurance

- ◆ Is the company reputable?
- ◆ Have you compared the benefit levels and excesses?
- ◆ Will the excess or premium increase each time you make a claim?
- ◆ Will the company cover your pet for ongo-

ing conditions into its old age?

- ◆ Check the company will not place exclusions at renewal for an illness that has occurred in the previous policy year.
- ◆ Will the company cover: congenital and hereditary illness, hip-related conditions, dental treatment, behavioural problem and prescription diets.

Midforest Savings Scheme

We have devised a scheme to help you save towards the cost of your vet bills. It can pay for all routine work or be an emergency fund should the unforeseen occur. You decide how much and how regularly you would like to save. This is not an insurance scheme, it is purely to help save towards the cost of vet's bills. If you would like further information about our savings scheme, contact either surgery.

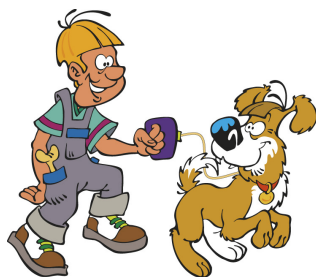
Your Pet Photos



Scrumpty -Labradoodle puppy

If you would like to see your pet's photo in our newsletter, email it to enquiries@midforestvets.co.uk.

Fun Dog Show



18th July 2009
In Aid of the Labradoodle Trust

New Forest Showground, New Park, Brockenhurst

Open 11.00 am

Rosettes to 10th place

PRIZES IN ALL CLASSES

Classes for all dogs—pedigree, mongrels,
crossbreed and Labradoodles

Agility, Obedience and Heelwork to Music Display

Archery *Stalls* *Food*

For entry form or further details ring 02380 284898

FREE Rabbit Clinics

Throughout June, July and August we will be running FREE rabbit clinics at our Totton and Lyndhurst surgeries.

It will be a great opportunity for you to discuss any aspect of your rabbit's care and get an insight into these complex beings!

In practice the majority of "ill" rabbits that we treat have a diet related illness. Problems/illnesses that can arise due to a poor diet are:

- * Diarrhoea—possibly leading to flystrike
- * Slower gut mobility
- * Dental problems
- * Anorexia
- * Osteoporosis/Arthritis
- * Cystitis
- * Obesity
- * Boredom problems leading to behavioural changes/aggression



At the FREE rabbit clinic our qualified veterinary nurses will be able to advise you on the ideal diet for your rabbit to promote good health and well being.

If you have your family members that are involved in your rabbit's care we encourage you to bring them along.

To book an appointment please contact either surgery.

If you would like our newsletter emailed to you each month then contact us at enquiries@midforestvets.co.uk

