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### Brangore Vets receives the "thumbs up" from Governing Body

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#### PET PASSPORTS

Please give us plenty of notice to help you get your pets ready if you want to travel abroad. Most cats and dogs take 7 months to be able to travel in and out of the UK without the need for quarantine. Please contact us early if you are considering travelling abroad with your pet so that we can help you get all of the relevant vaccines, blood tests and parasite prevention in place to help make your trip safe and successful.

The Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons (RCVS) has awarded Brangore Vets with Tier 2 status as a small animal veterinary practice. This is a tremendous achievement for a one vet, one vet nurse veterinary practice, proving that we maybe small but are perfectly formed! We hope you and your pets agree!

In order to achieve our accreditation we needed to prove to a veterinary inspector that we have good protocols in preventative healthcare for our patients, are up to date on all drugs legislation, are competent at containing and limiting spread of contagious disease, have good x-ray, operating and sterile surgical facilities on

site and keep abreast of the latest techniques and treatments for the animals under our care.

We have recently updated our kenneling facilities, have invested in a Doppler blood pressure monitor for cats, and have a new anaesthetic machine capable of generating it's own oxygen gas! All to improve the care your pets receive if ever they need our expertise.

#### BREAKING NEWS

We will soon be launching our own **PET HEALTHCARE CLUB**. The aim of this club is to promote good preventative healthcare for your pets while helping you to save money. Dogs, cats and rabbits will be able to join



Archie Zilic, it's a dog's life...

the club, which aims to spread the costs of vaccinations, health checks, worm and flea treatments over 12 monthly payments. **PET HEALTHCARE CLUB** members will be eligible for discounts on other products including veterinary exclusive diets, routine operations and preventative dental care. Call us if you would like more details.

### BEWARE: Lily Pollen Poisonous to Cats

Lily pollen can cause serious and usually fatal kidney damage in cats after ingestion. Although our friendly felines are usually far too clever to eat poisonous plants, they may accidentally eat lily pollen while grooming their fur or paws after brushing

past cut flowers in the house. Please be aware this can and does happen to cats. If you can't resist these beautiful blooms please consider snipping out the pollen laden stamens to reduce the risks.





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your pet

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Remember this summer, Dogs die in  
Hot Cars. Never leave your dog alone  
in a car on a hot day.

**25% OFF WORMING TREATMENTS\* TO  
SAY THANK YOU!**

Bransgore Vets will celebrate its 3rd an-  
niversary this August. We have grown  
considerably over the last 3 years and  
have enjoyed being a part of our local  
community. Thank you to everyone for  
your continued support.

**\*BUY 3 WORMING TREATMENTS FOR  
YOUR DOG/CAT GET ONE FREE DURING  
JULY AND AUGUST 2010, INCLUDES  
SPOT-ON MULTIWORMERS FOR CATS  
TOO!**

## Emergency Service Update

Tara has been on call now for 3 years, except for holidays abroad when a locum vet moves into her house and takes over at Bransgore Vets. We have every intention of carrying on with this service for the vast majority of the time. However, in order to ensure your pets are always covered in an emergency and to allow Tara to visit friends, family and take her children on trips outside of the immediate vicinity it has been necessary to use a specialist emergency service on occasion. So that you are aware, in case an emergency arises, the back up emergency service is summarized here and on our website.

Contact Bransgore Vets on 01425 672742 and follow the advice on the answer phone message. If you have been directed to the Black Dragon Emergency Service Clinic their address is:

PDSA Pet Hospital, Castle Lane West, Moordown, Bournemouth, BH9 3JU

Black Dragon is a specialist veterinary emergency service that provides emergency cover and treatment for Bransgore Vets clients and their pets when we are unavailable.



Directions from Bransgore Vets to PDSA Pet Hospital/Black Dragon, Total distance 9 miles, estimated driving time 25 minutes:

1. Turn left out of Bransgore Vets onto the Ringwood Road take 2nd left onto Derritt Lane
2. At T junction, Turn left onto Salisbury Road B3347, then Bear right onto Ringwood Road B3347, pass Woolpack Pub, Sopley
3. Turn left onto Avon Causeway, signposted Hurn
4. At Hurn Bridge roundabout take the first exit onto Christchurch Road B3073
5. Go straight on at the traffic lights and continue on B3073
6. Turn left at next traffic lights onto Slip Road, signposted Bournemouth, Continue onto A338 "Spur Road"
7. Take First Exit off A338. At roundabout, take the 3<sup>rd</sup> exit onto Castle Lane West A3060, signposted Wimborne
8. Continue straight over roundabouts and traffic lights on Castle Lane West A3060, pass Castle Point Shopping centre on right. The PDSA PetAid Hospital is located on the left, next door to and just before a Kwik Fit Centre.