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**~DEALING WITH~
ROUNDWORM**

Roundworm is an irritating parasite that affects all cats, but is especially unpleasant for kittens. More than this, it is also a threat to your family. Roundworm (*Toxocara cati*) can be passed on to humans and is associated with scarring and blindness. Young children are particularly at risk.
Treatment: Even if you do treat your cat for roundworm, reinfection can be very quick and may go unnoticed.

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Why Fleas keep coming back

Adult Fleas jump onto your pets or human host. Newly hatched fleas can survive for 4 days without feeding

Adult Fleas on pet begin feeding within 10 minutes and can begin laying eggs within 24 hours

Eggs a single flea can produce 380,000 in 12 weeks

Larvae move away from the light and into carpet, furnishings & bedding

Pupae mature into adult fleas in carpet & other soft furnishings

Fleas on your pet are only 5% of your problem! The other 95% are flea eggs and larvae, found in carpets, bedding, and other areas of the pet's environment.

Introducing our team . . .

Lucie Stanley has visited the Veterinary Centre Waimate for short bursts over the past three years but now we are lucky enough to call her a permanent fixture. Lucie comes from Wales and has brought her family with her this time - Noodles the cat, Connie the Springer Spaniel (8) and Fyn the Collie x Lurcher (7). The dogs understand Welsh commands but do not know very much English yet (well that is her excuse for them not listening anyway!). Lucie is competing in the Coast to Coast in February so she loves getting out tramping and climbing with her dogs in her free time....occasionally the cat follows too!

Lucie, Connie & Fyn

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Hey Kids!!!

Write a story or a poem about your favourite pet and send it to our Veterinary Centre

FIRST PRIZE
A scenic flight over North Otago - and you get to take a friend or family member with you!

PLUS
A \$250 cheque for your school

Plus loads of runner-up prizes up for grabs!

Don't forget your name, age and school. Drop your completed entry into your Blue Cross Veterinary Centre before Friday 31st October.

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Cotton's Corner

Spring is in the air - Babies! Babies! Everywhere!

Lambs, calves, kid goats, puppies and kittens too - I see them all around here!

I have seen a lot of "foster parents" coming in to buy milk powder and feeders for their orphan lambs and calves. Some buy feeders that feed 10 lambs or calves, or buy a tonne of milk powder at a time. My humans should count themselves lucky there is only ONE of me to feed!

Everyone seems so busy at this time of year - I hope you are finding time to watch the birds and smell the daffodils. Sometimes our humans need to be reminded to slow down and appreciate the small wonders in life....such as patting a beloved pet (wink wink nudge nudge!!).

....Cotton



Pet of the month



Noa Smith (9) with mates Maddy the pony and Whisky the cat.

Whisky rules the roost in the Smith household on the Waitaki Plains! He keeps his three big dogs in line by pouncing at them if they come running up to his humans too quickly. He is very protective! Whisky (2.5 years) is an Abyssinian and they are extremely adventurous and inquisitive cats. Every morning when they take Maddy the pony's rug off, he jumps up on her and runs up and down her back pulling out the thick shedding winter coat for her. What a sight this must be!

If you would like your pet to feature in our Pet of the Month spot please head to our website (www.vet111.co.nz) and look for "Cottons Kids Corner" and click on the "Pet of the Month" link for more details.

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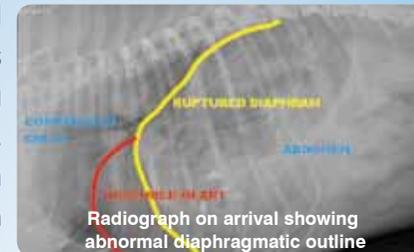
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Interesting Cases



Kora the Miracle Dog

Kora was rescued from near death as a pup by the loving Henderson family. While visiting a farm in Palmerston with her family she was

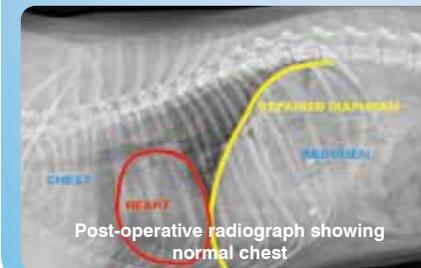


accidentally run over. Her grandparents rushed her to the Veterinary Centre Palmerston. She was given pain medication and promptly sent up to Oamaru for further treatment. On arrival at the veterinary hospital she was started on emergency support including intravenous fluids and oxygen. X-rays revealed that her stomach and liver had moved into her chest



Kora

preventing her from being able to breath. She was taken into surgery straight away to have her ruptured diaphragm repaired and her liver and stomach returned to their position in the abdomen. Kora was a real fighter and recovered remarkably



quickly from surgery. We look forward to Kora visiting us soon for a catch up with our miracle dog.



Because your pet deserves the very best