

EASTHAMS HILL SMALL ANIMAL RESCUE



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welcome to our first newsletter

welcome! We are now into spring and everything is looking much greener and drier at the rescue!

Our aim for our monthly newsletter is to showcase our animals that are up for adoption, show you the work that goes on behind the scenes our goals for the rescue and for you to take the journey with us!

we will also highlight a different issue each month that effects small animals to help educate and bring awareness.

And of course celebrate animals and the joy they bring to us everyday.

We hope you enjoy reading our very first newsletter and look forward to our may edition!



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ADOPT ME! SPOTLIGHT PET OF THE MONTH



BINKY

This is 4 year old Binky. He came to the rescue last year due to no longer getting on with another resident cat and his previous owner had to make the difficult decision to rehome him. Binky is believed to originate from Europe as he was implanted with a non UK microchip when he first came to us. Binky settled in very quickly when he came to us and we quickly found how loving and sweet natured he was towards humans, this sadly doesn't extend to other animals and is very feisty towards them.

Binky's personality

He is a very vocal cat and likes to communicate with you at dinner time especially!, he is a Lap cat and loves to snuggle up with you for cuddles and gives you his special bumps with his head "binks" to show his love and affection.

Binky's needs

Due to Binky not getting on with other cats he needs to be the only resident cat, he is also not suitable to be rehomed with dogs due to his unpredictable nature with other animals.

He would suit a family environment or someone who is at home a lot as he is a very social cat and enjoys the company of humans.

Adoption

Binky will come neutered, fully vaccinated, microchipped, flea and worm treatment and Vet checked before going to his new home.

He will also come with 4 weeks free petplan insurance.

Please visit our website: www.easthamsanimalrescue.co.uk click on our up for adoption Section and complete an adoption form.

EASTER AWARENESS

PLEASE BE AWARE OF ORGANISATIONS OFFERING "CUDDLE BABY RABBITS THIS EASTER"

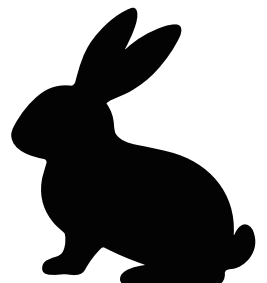
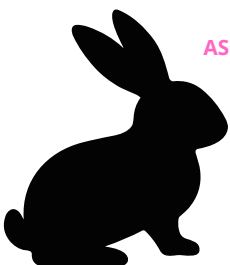
PLEASE RECONSIDER VISITING ANY VENUE THAT OFFERS CUDDLES WITH PREY ANIMALS, IT MAY SEEM ATTRACTIVE AND A NICE DAY OUT WITH THE KIDS BUT THE REALITY IS THAT IT'S AT THE EXPENSE OF THE POOR ANIMALS FORCED TO PARTICIPATE.

RABBITS NATURALLY DON'T LIKE BEING PICKED UP, THEY DON'T LIKE BEING PUT ON THEIR BACKS FOR A CUDDLE AND PHOTO OPPORTUNITY, THEY DON'T LIKE UNFAMILIARITY, THEY DON'T LIKE BEING FORCED TO INTERACT. ALL VENUES PROFITING FROM THIS WILL ABSOLUTELY TRY TO PLAY DOWN THE NEGATIVE IMPACT BY SAYING THINGS SUCH AS 'OUR RABBITS ARE USED TO IT' 'THEY ENJOY IT' 'IT'S ONLY A COUPLE OF PEOPLE AT A TIME' - THEY ARE NOT A SPECIES APPROPRIATE FOR SHOW AND TELL SESSIONS AND SHOULDN'T BE USED AS SUCH.

THERE IS NO THOUGHT FOR THE ANIMALS WELLBEING IN THESE SITUATIONS AND SHOULD NOT BE SUPPORTED.

SHOULD WE BE PAYING FOR THE SUFFERING OF SMALL ANIMALS?

AS A RESPONSIBLE RESCUE WE WILL NOT REHOME RABBITS DURING THE EASTER PERIOD.



APPEALS & DONATIONS



There are many ways you can donate and help support our rescue. This month we are focusing on the basics of comfort and enrichment, some of the below items we are always in need of, some of these things you may already have at home and have no need for them anymore and can be donated and used here at the rescue!.

- old towels and blankets of all sizes! As they make perfect areas for our animals to snuggle up in!
- newspaper and puppy pads! Great for all those leaks and accidental spills!
- hay also makes fantastic bedding (and food for eating!) as does straw
- food and treats for all our animals - rabbit, guinea pig & cat food is chomped through very quickly here!
- all our animals like to play so toys are a must to keep them entertained and stimulated (check out our amazon wish list for ideas) or if your pet doesn't play with the toys you have picked out for them we can take those too!

VOLUNTEER & FOSTER SPOTLIGHT

We are currently in need of fosters!

Fosters are an important part of what we do without them we couldn't create vital space for other animals in need, whilst the animal in foster care gets to live and thrive in a home environment helping them increase their chances of finding their forever home!

Benefits of becoming a foster

- providing a temporary home for an animal in need, and help us in turn so we can take on more animals in need, the more fosters we have on board the more we can help other animals
- no vet bills for our fosters, we cover the costs of any treatments needed whilst in your care.
- flexibility for those who can't commit to a long term pet but still love animals and want one in their lives
- Rewarding experience to know you have helped on the animal's journey to the next chapter of its life.

The animals also benefit from our fosters as it helps the animal socialise and learn to live in a happy loving home and bring out the best in the animal which in turn increases the chances of adoption!

If you want to know more and want to sign up to become a foster please visit our website and read our fostering policy or give us a call and we can talk you through it!

PET AWARENESS MONTH

April is pet awareness month! Which puts focus on pet responsibilities and awareness



for the month of april we will be running a photo contest! We want to see photos of your fantastic pets and the winners will receive a hamper for their pampered pet!

We will choose 3 winners for our 3 pet categories

- Pick of the litter for the cats
- hip hop to the top for our rabbits
- top dog for our dogs

We will announce more details on how to enter shortly! Keep an eye on our facebook and instagram pages.

Events & fundraisers



We will be at the Wellington park spring fayre on Sunday 3rd May where we will be raising funds for our rescue and promoting awareness!

we will be selling various pet related gifts and also be running a fun game for the kids to win a super cuddly!, also we are running a raffle! Which has some fantastic prizes including a 1 night getaway and an afternoon tea for two! Amongst some other pet related prizes! Watch our socials for more information.