

Lanes Vets Newsletter

Pet Smile Month

Coronavirus Update

Firstly, we would like to say a huge thank you to all of our clients who have been so understanding throughout this very difficult time.

We appreciate how difficult it is to not be with your pets whilst they are being examined in the practice consult rooms, but we thank you for helping to keep our staff safe.

From Monday 12th April VIP health check appointments will be reopening. Although they will be limited each day so please bear with us whilst we endeavour to catch up.



By the 21st June, we will hopefully be allowing clients back into the waiting rooms in limited numbers. Although this is very much dependent on the governments guidelines.

Thank you once again for your continued support from all at Lanes Vets.

Pet Smile Month

Our pets teeth and mouths need looking after just as much as our own, in order to prevent dental disease.

However most pets don't tolerate their teeth being brushed, unless they are



introduced to regular

brushing from an early age. Therefore, tartar and plaque build up may need to be removed by a veterinary professional under a general anaesthetic. Dentals can range from a routine scale and polish to complex extractions, with dental x-rays.

If you think your pet is in need of a dental, please ring your local surgery to arrange for a free preoperative check with one of our veterinary surgeons. At these appointments your vet can assess your pets teeth and provide you with a better understand of what level of dental surgery your pet requires.



During the month of April (Pet Smile Month) there is a 10% discount off all dental surgeries and dental products (with VIP's receiving an additional 10% off too!)



Garstang

Leachfield Industrial Estate
Green Lane West, Cabus
Garstang, Lancashire
PR3 1PR
[01995 603 349](tel:01995603349)
(24 hour emergency cover)

Lancaster

Dimples Veterinary Practice
Units 4 - 5 Lake Enterprise
Court
Ladies Walk, Caton Road
Lancaster LA1 3NX
[01524 67777](tel:0152467777)

Poulton-le-fylde (Bracewell)

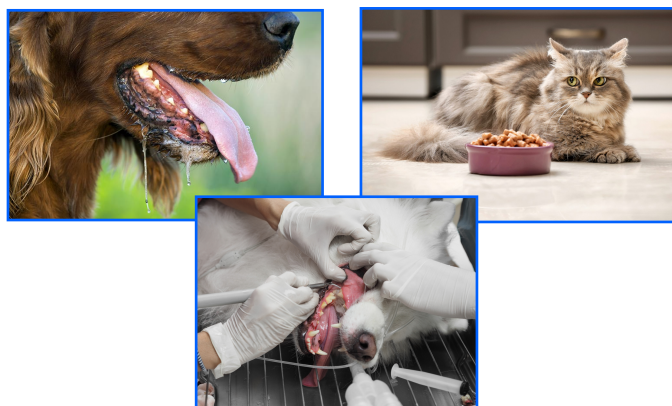
235 Garstang Road East
Poulton-le-Fylde
Lancashire FY6 8JH
[01253 891 088](tel:01253891088)

Cottam

Tabley Lane
Preston, Lancashire
PR4 0LH
[01772 970292](tel:01772970292)



Our pets teeth should be brushed daily in order to help prevent plaque and tartar formation. You can book in with our nursing team for a free dental check and advice on how to brush your pets teeth and what to use. This will help to prevent problems from occurring, which is beneficial because in severe cases dental disease can cause gingivitis, tooth loss, abscesses and even endocarditis (infection within the heart). So if your pet has any of the following signs, please don't hesitate to get them checked: bad breath, pawing at their mouth, excessive drooling, swollen/bleeding gums, plaque build up or not eating/picky with harder foods.



Dental X-rays are also offered at some of our branches. This allows the veterinary surgeons to visualise the whole tooth - even the portion below the gum line. With this additional information the veterinary surgeon has a better understanding of whether the tooth needs to be removed or not. Survey X-rays may be discussed at your pre operative appointment.

