Strule Vets News Spring 2019



Passionate about animal care

MEET THE TEAM

We have recently added to our team here in Strule...

Anna joined our team in 2019 after having graduated from the Veterinary Faculty of University of Thessaly in 2018. After graduation, she participated in the Erasmus+ Programme in the University of Leon, in Spain. She enjoys travelling, listening to music and discovering new places in her spare time by walking or cycling. Having a love of horses, Anna began horse riding when she was student. She has always loved dogs and takes a special interest in canine behaviour. Through working with a dog trainer, Anna has learnt to read many behaviour traits in dogs and how to work with them using body language and hand signals. She looks forward to meeting all our clients and looking after your animals – large and small!





Our Horse Health Programme gives you the best preventive health care for your horse for only £10.99 a month! Follow us on Facebook for regular updates and information to help keep your knowledge up to date and your horse in great health! We have more information in practice so call in today and sign up!



Sign up to our **Healthy Pet**

Club and enjoy savings on your pet care!

Included in our monthly plan are vaccinations, flea & worm treatment, unlimited nail clips, 20% off certain medications and 10% off ALL products and services. Fixed price dental, 6 monthly health checks and discounted food are also included. Get in touch today for more details.



Medicines/Prescriptions
MUST be ordered 24 hours in
advance of you picking them
up. This applies to small AND
large animals. All our drugs
are prepared and double
checked by our veterinary
surgeons so ordering in
advance will give us time to
do this and will also help us to
serve you more efficiently.

Please remember that our small animal clinics are appointment only, so ring ahead if you need to see



BE PREPARED FOR LAMBING SEASON! Below is a list of supplies needed for lambing and you can get them all in Strule Vets! We have you covered. The main 4 points of prep for lambing are:

- 1. Feeding the ewes the right amount and type of feed during late pregnancy. This can have an impact on how your lambing season will go. If the ewes are overweight, there is a higher risk of a prolapse and bigger lambs making birth more difficult. If they are underweight, it can reduce the quality of colostrum and the lamb will be smaller and in poorer condition. Colostrum quality is of great importance as it is the main source of nutrition for the lamb, it provides antibodies to protect against disease and can help prevent hypothermia.
- 2. The lambing facilities need to be set up with clean pens and fresh bedding and draught free.
- 3. Have your lambing kit to hand, so you are ready for action.
- 4. Know your vets' number if you need us. 028 8166 1380 Put us on speed dial as we are here for you 24/7

Rubber gloves, protective sleeves or latex gloves	For assisting with difficult births and handling newborns		
OB lubrication	For assisting with difficult births		
Nylon rope, snare, or leg puller	For assisting with difficult births		
Disinfectant	For assisting with difficult births		
Bearing retainer, ewe spoon, or prolapse harness	For holding vaginal prolapse in		
Heat lamp or warming box	For warming chilled lambs		
Needles and syringes	For giving shots		
Thermometer	For diagnosing problems		
Iodine 10%, betadine, or chlorhexadine	For dipping navel cords		
Stomach tube	For feeding lambs		
Colostrum replacement	For feeding lambs		
Lamb milk replacer	For feeding orphan lambs		
Lamb nipples (teats)	For hand feeding orphan lambs		
Lamb bar	For feeding several orphan lambs		
Calciject No.6	For treating milk fever		
Oral dosing syringe	For giving oral medications		
Ear tags and an applicator	For identifying lambs		
Docking and castrating equipment	For docking and castrating		
Hanging scale	For weighing feed and lambs		
Propylene Glycol aka 'The Pink Stuff'	Vitamin boost		
Pocket record keeping book	For recording lambing data		

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Mon - Fri Sat	9-9.30am 2-2.30pm 4.30-5pm 9-9.30am 12-12.30pm	Mon - Fri Sat	9-9.30am 6.30pm-7.15pm 9-9.30am 12-12.30pm	We have now moved to an APPOINTMENT SYSTEM. Please contact the surgery to choose a convenient time.	* * * * * *	Convenient surgery hours Pet insurance advice Healthy Pet Club In-house laboratory Dental facilities 24 hr emergency
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