



- Who works with rescues
- How many vets or veterinary people are here?



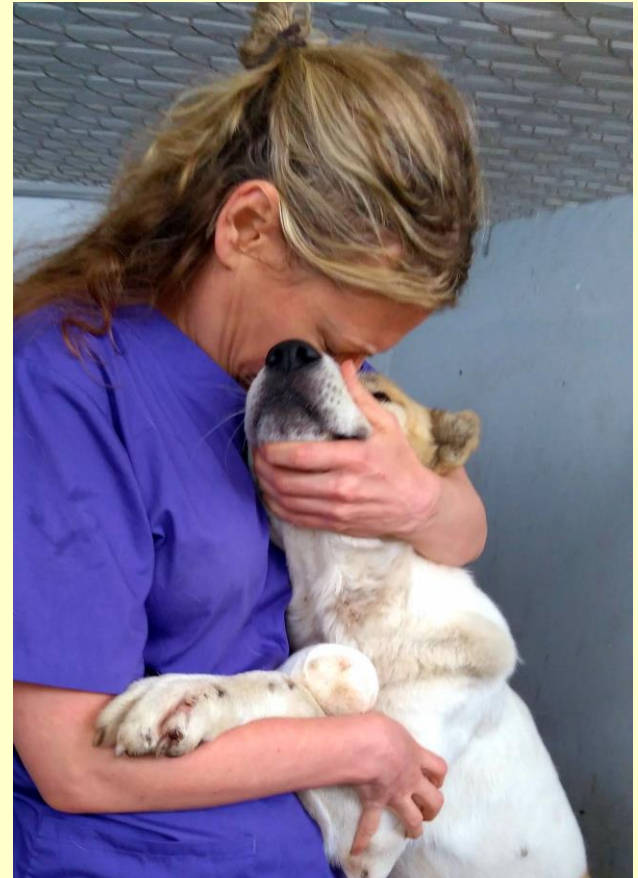


Have you ever experienced any frustration, tension or disagreement with your vets?



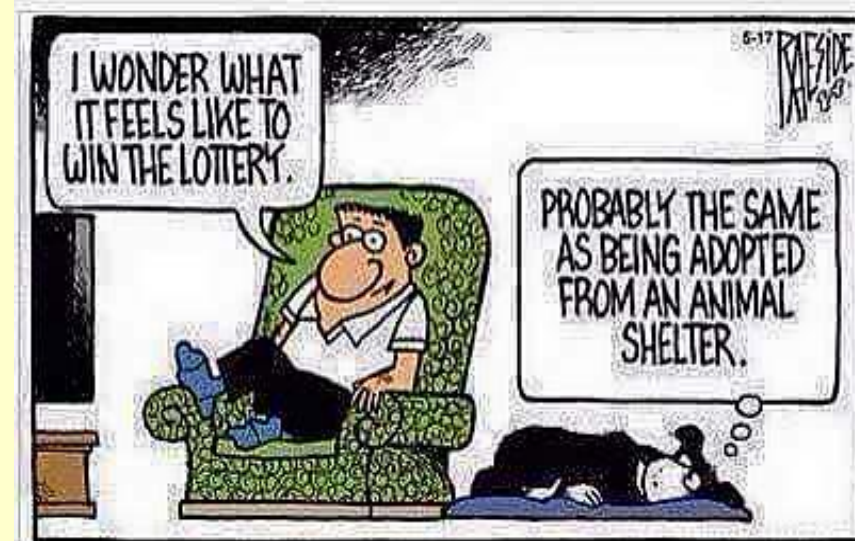


Some days the only “people”
who really understand are
animals.





- Why is that? Both sides have a lot in common:
- We are both animal lovers
- We spend every day with animals
- We want to improve animal welfare
- We care.





Animal arrives at your place, you

- feed it
- treat it
- care for it
- re-home/release it
- give it love
- give your time
- address the five freedoms...
- vet visit (diagnostics/preventative treatment, surgery, documents)
- back to you to
- feed it.....



Points of potential tension:

- 1. Finances
- 2. Time
- 3. Difference in opinion

Q:

- How do you approach your animals?
- Time? Financially?
- Is it a question of quantity or individual?
- Is it a question of QOL?

Case Arwen:



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- Arwen's story:





Just because we can doesn't mean we should





- But what would you do in this case?





And what would your vet suggest?

- Treat?
- Amputate?
- Euthanise?





- Is she owned? Rehomable? Will she have access to food? (hunting with one front leg is difficult)
- What is her quality of life going to be?
- How much will it cost to treat?
- How long is it going to take?

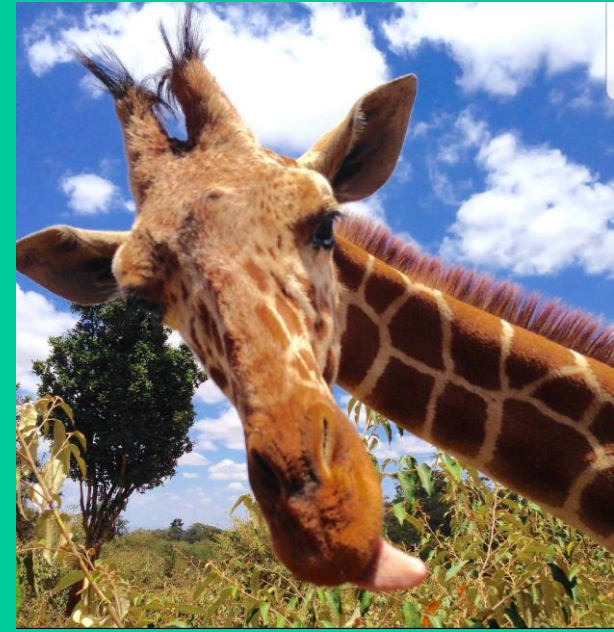
A Common Goal; Bringing NGOs and Vets Closer
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Can we reduce the vet costs?

<https://wvs.org.uk/what-we-do/veterinary-aid-parcels>





<https://www.facebook.com/groups/655751167945937/>

-> Veterinary volunteering

<http://www.dogstrustinternational.com/training/international-training/>

-> DogsTrustInternational Course

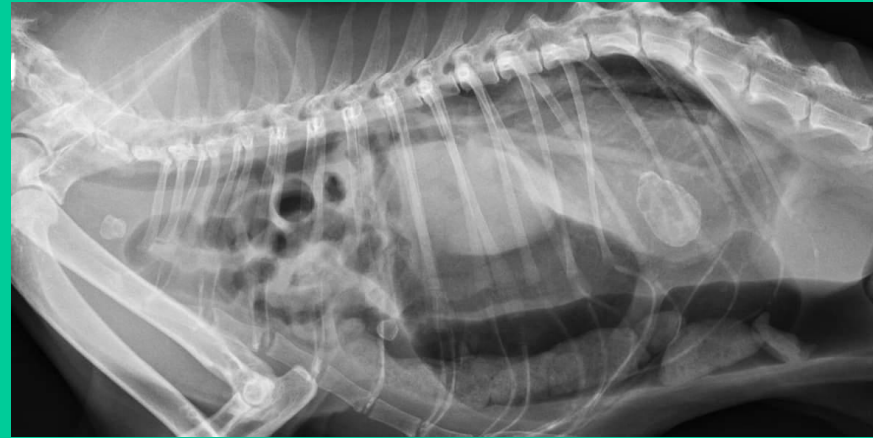


<https://www.facebook.com/groups/veterinaryeccsmalltalk/>

Veterinary case support group

<https://www.wsava.org/Guidelines>

Global veterinary guidelines to standardise veterinary approach





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Thank you

