

# Little Coombe Kennels & Cattery

Duncan and Jenny Sheriff

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Autumn  
half-term holiday  
in October is  
booking fast!  
Please ring as soon as  
possible if you  
would like a space.

*Duncan is currently recovering from surgery to his shoulder, which he injured some time ago. He will be off work for a few weeks as his arm is completely immobile. His recovery is all going according to plan and now that the painful part is nearly over, he should start to enjoy the rest.*

*Some helpful friends provided him with a small bell but unfortunately this has had to be placed out of Duncan's reach due to excessive use. We'd like to thank my parents for helping us out once again during Duncan's convalescence.*

*Duncan was quick to  
master balancing his  
tea on his sling!*



**TILLY**, our boxer puppy, is six months old now and almost as big as Martha. She has completed a 6 week training course, which has made her well socialised and more obedient although we still have some way to go! She has been on a train journey, just to introduce her to as many new experiences as possible. We had not been on a train for years ourselves, so it was a novel experience for us too. She has yet to realise that cats do not play in the same way as dogs, so she is constantly being scratched by one of our four cats when she tries to play rough games with them. Hopefully she will realise soon that they need to be treated with some respect. She has also been introduced to the kennels which she took in her stride.

*A SOFT TOY ELEPHANT WAS FOUND IN OUR OFFICE. WE DO NOT KNOW WHICH DOG OWNS IT AS IT MUST HAVE FALLEN OUT OF ITS OWNER'S BAG. IF YOU RECOGNISE IT PLEASE LET US KNOW.*

### Microchipping

A safe permanent way to identify your pet.  
The first stage in the PETS passport process.  
Easily implanted, similar to an injection.  
Suitable for dogs and cats.  
Available at Little Coombe.  
Price £17.00 + VAT includes registration.

### Staff News

Kelly has joined our team on a temporary basis while Rachel is on maternity leave. Kelly is helping our other full-time staff Lorraine and Katie, and our part-time staff Angela and Kirsty.

*If anyone is thinking of transporting two cats by air, a client of ours has available a double cat carrier approved by B.A. Please ask Jenny for details.*