



Sincere thanks to the Founder

I would like to extend my heartfelt gratitude to our founders Christine and Jeremy Townsend and also the entire members of the Board for allowing me to be a part of Darjeeling Goodwill Animal Shelter as Trustee in Charge. I have witnessed your unrelentless work in the organization and I wish to continue your work with the same passion and dedication. I would also like to commend you for your role in the organization and for all that you have achieved so far. It is truly an inspiration for me and I would like to thank you for trusting me with your vision.

With the help of our dedicated team members, I would like to strive to work towards our common goal, for the betterment of Darjeeling Animal Shelter and Kalimpong Animal Shelter.



Dr Christine Townend

Trustee in-charge
Yamima Lepcha Dupont
DGAS

Manager's Report

Bravado to the unstoppable animal heroes' amidst the Covid pandemonium

It has been a challenging year for both human beings and animals since the Covid-19 pandemic enshrouded the whole world. Sad, many even succumbed to this deadly virus. Life had become very intimidating as the Covid outbreak called for immediate lockdowns. But this did not cease the focus of those warriors, including our very own 'Animal Shelter heroes' who fought the virus and continued to serve the vulnerable, including humans and animals, whose voices usually go unheard.



Salute to all such warriors !

The animal heroes of Kalimpong and Darjeeling Animal Shelter have left no stone unturned and have served the sheltered animals around the clock with all their might during the peak Covid period. From emergency walk-ins of animal patients to treatment and nursing of animals, the team catered to it all. The Animal Shelter Clinic was open partially and the team also extended help in rescuing a dog from a Covid-stricken family in Kalimpong. The Vet and Vet Assistants through thick and thin have managed greatly to reach out to those animals in need.

The team ensured that the five freedoms of animal welfare were not compromised and that the animals had access to all their freedoms – freedom from hunger and thirst, freedom from discomfort, freedom from pain, injury, and disease, freedom to express normal behaviour, and freedom from fear and distress.

Take a bow to all these good Samaritans at Kalimpong & Darjeeling Animal Shelter for being a ray of hope in the life of animals.

Arpan Karthak
Manager
DGAS

MESSAGE FROM
Dr Deo. Pandey
Vet-in-charge

Village
Spay and Neuter camps amidst Covid



Spay and Neuter camps have been of primary importance to KAS. Because it is through this project, Kalimpong Animal Shelter reaches out to far-flung areas and communities in Kalimpong and neighboring towns. Although, the first Covid wave impeded conducting camps far off the team managed to conduct camps at a later phase. These camps are very crucial as they bring life back to the animals. Camps not only help with spaying and neutering dogs, but they connect the team with more animals, both domesticated and farmed, and also the community. So, it creates a pool for awareness generation, helping and treating sick animals.



Village camps that were conducted later were in conjunction with the Govt. Veterinary Department. Finally, the distressed community owners were relieved when their cats and dogs were spayed and neutered at camp. Numerous dogs were also vaccinated against rabies. Anti-rabies Vaccination is the crux of the Animal Birth Control Prg. in other words, the Spay & Neuter Programme.

The KAS team ventured out to several Animal Birth Control camps this way despite the Covid pandemic and brought great relief to the needy animals and their owners.



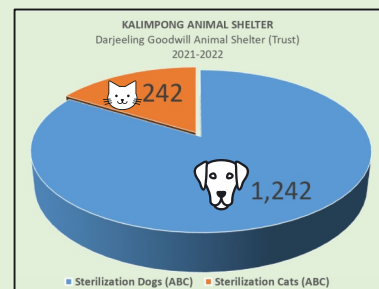
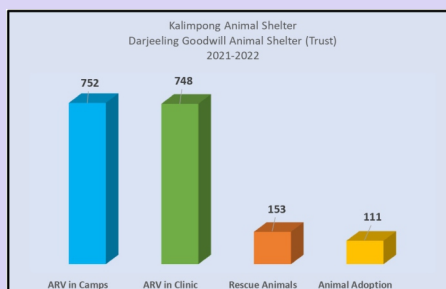
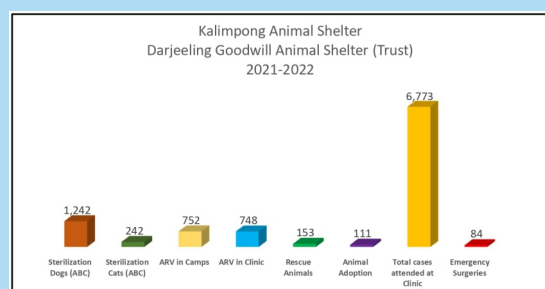
Clinical cases at Kalimpong and Darjeeling Animal Shelter this year; Canine Parvovirus and Distemper outbreak in dogs



Both Sister Shelters, Kalimpong, and Darjeeling Animal Shelters had innumerable cases of dogs this year with flu, nausea, and viral infection. It was startling to see the canine Parvovirus and Distemper outbreak in dogs too early this year. Canine Parvovirus and Distemper usually afflict dogs in the cold harsh weather, viz., in winter months unlike this year, where there were several Parvo and Distemper cases on the rise earlier than expected. D.r Deo and Dr. Mihir quote, "something very peculiar to see the viral disease active and afflicting dogs untimely." Canine Parvovirus and Distemper are preventable through vaccination which starts at an early age yet many animals are not vaccinated by their owners because of this they become vulnerable to the disease and many even lose their lives. So consulting the Vet for these pet animals at an early age and following the Vaccination procedure is advisable.



Besides, there were a great many emergency cases of road accidents, dystocia, injury, etc. that were attended by the Paramedical team.



Impact of Animal Birth Control Programme (ABC) - by Dr Mihir

The start of the sister shelters, Kalimpong & Darjeeling Animal Shelter brought an end to strychnine poisoning in dogs, which was earlier used to control the dog population in these small towns - Kalimpong and Darjeeling. Dr. Christine Townend, the founder of Darjeeling Goodwill Animal Shelter was the first lady to introduce the humane method of catching and spaying dogs in Darjeeling, based on WHO guidelines. This method was termed the Animal Birth Control Programme.



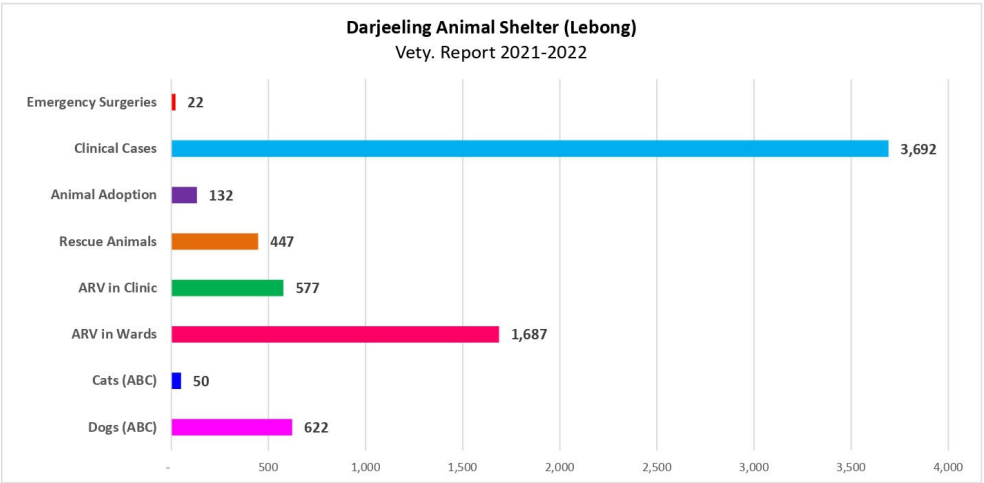
Today, both these sister shelters focus

primarily on Animal Birth Control Programme for the welfare of street and community dogs. Thousands of dogs have been sterilised and vaccinated against rabies since the start of the Animal Shelter, thus making it a very friendly and safe place for both humans and animals. The ABC Prg. has also covered the feline family and they have greatly benefited. Headed by the Shelter Vets, Dr. Deo Pandey, and Dr. Mihir, the Animal Shelter ABC Programme has been running to this day and will continue making bigger impacts in near future on the dog population in these towns.



The Animal Shelter Programmes would not have been possible without the support of Animaux Secours, France for Kalimpong Animal Shelter, and One Voice France for Darjeeling Animal Shelter. Also, Animal Protection Network, Sweden for supporting the Village camp ABC project of these sister shelters. The Animal Shelter is indebted to all the donor organisations for their continued support.

And it is a privilege to mention that Darjeeling Animal Shelter's Animal Birth Control Programme is now fully supported by Dogs' Trust Worldwide since mid-2021. Darjeeling Animal Shelter feels fortunate to have Dogs' Trust support.



Mass Anti-rabies vaccination drive in each ward of Darjeeling

An initiative by Darjeeling Animal Shelter

With the mission to make it a rabies-free Darjeeling, the team has been working relentlessly for the welfare of animals since the inception of the Animal Shelter in 2007. Rabies is a fatal zoonotic disease that is spread to both humans and animals through the bite or saliva of an infected animal. Dogs are the main vectors of rabies death in humans as dogs are the most domesticated animal and can transmit the virus easily to humans. According to the World Health Organisations- India still accounts for 20% of human deaths caused by rabies. So, it is a requisite to vaccinate all dogs against this viral disease-rabies, so that the dogs are safe for the environment, as rabies is a vaccine-preventable disease.

Both sister Shelters, Kalimpong and Darjeeling Animal Shelter initiated the Anti-Rabies Vaccination drive from the very start and generated awareness in the community through humane education, vaccination campaigns, etc. Such campaigns were efficacious in locating dogs and vaccinating them in every community.



The team has been continuing with the same programme even to this day with a new course of action –mapping areas, and wards for vaccinations. Dr. Mihir, the vet from Darjeeling Animal Shelter has initiated this ongoing follow-up yearly Anti-rabies vaccination camp in each ward of Darjeeling since June 2020 and has vaccinated over 10800 dogs throughout Darjeeling Municipality. This means, the dogs are safe for people and children as they are vaccinated and the follow-ups are done every year by the Animal Shelter. When the dogs are vaccinated, the team applies an organic colour on them and ties a collar around their neck embossed –Just Vaccinated. We thank, Darjeeling SP and Darjeeling Police for sponsoring collars for the street dogs of Darjeeling.

New Cattery for the sheltered and surrendered cats

Kalimpong Animal Shelter now has a well-established cattery for cats sponsored by Dr. Laura and Harry from Canada. The cats have been enjoying their new space freely since they moved into the new Cattery, as it provides a very big room for the cats and has a playground with tree trunks around, where they can sit quietly and sharpen their claws. The location of the Cattery is very suitable with direct sunlight flickering in, and with that, the cats are happily basking under the sun.



The Cattery project initially was prolonged because of the first Covid wave and subsequent others. After Covid relaxations in the Hills, the construction began, and finally, the Cattery was complete by mid-September, 2021 with monitoring by Mr. Norden from Holumba and Mr. Alain Dupont from France, who is a Trustee of one of our main donor organisations, Animaux Secours. Now that the cats have their own space, they are fortunate and content to enjoy it even if they do not have the freedom to move out of the enclosure like a free bird.



Donors – Harry & Laura with the adopted dog, Lucy from Kalimpong Animal Shelter

The entire KAS team is indebted to Dr. Laura and Harry, avid cat lovers for sponsoring the Cattery and for their love and kindness for the cats of Kalimpong and nearby. A big thank you to Mr. Alain Dupont, who designed the Cattery, which turned out to be cosy and spacious for the cats.

Handling Clinical to critical cases and numerous recoveries of inpatients at the Animal Shelter

It is not about cats and dogs always!

A helpless owner approached the KAS Vet, Dr. Deo for treating a goat kid with Atresia Ani, a congenital defect. The kid was a newborn and had spent sleepless nights because of his deformity in the rectum. Dr. Deo at KAS checked on the kid and suggested an incision. After a few minutes of careful procedure, he saved the newly born. The owner was very thankful to the Vet, Dr Deo Pandey.



Another kid visits the Shelter with a big wound on her back

The goat kid was brought to the KAS clinic. The kid while playing and jumping around bumped into the tin roof tearing his skin layer. His owner rushed him to Kalimpong Animal Shelter where his skin was stitched under anesthetic. The kid was later returned to the owner and was advised to follow the antibiotic course. The kid recovered fully after a few days of treatment.



Hematoma in a goat

A goat with hematoma was brought to KAS for her treatment. Hematoma is a collection of blood outside of blood vessels, caused by a bruise or an injury to the wall of a blood vessel. Dr. Deo examined the case and suggested the owner of a small surgical procedure. The goat was then sedated and prepared for the same. The clotted blood was drained through a surgical incision. The wounded ear lobe healed in a few days.



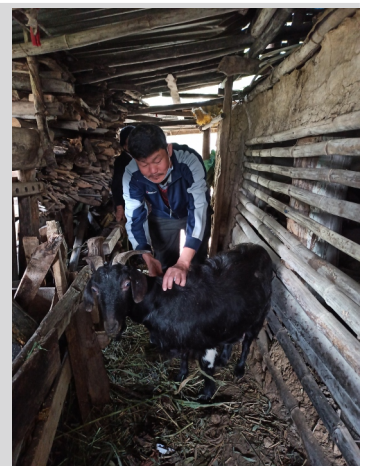
Making home visits to help sickly-farmed animals – The team is always a call away



The KAS staff made a home visit to treat a sick calf in the neighbourhood. The calf had a fever when her temperature was recorded. So the Vet suggested an antibiotic course for seven days. Mr. Sanjeev followed the case every day and helped with the antibiotic course. The calf too had swollen legs. With regular treatment, her health improved and she recovered well.

And a few miles away, there is another phone call for a home visit to treat a goat

The Shelter
Vet. Asst. Mr. Sanjeev
attended to the case and followed up daily
until the goat recovered.



Dystocia case in a cow

– Dr. Deo and the team travel far to help a cow in distress

Dr. Deo and team make a home visit at Payong Busty in Kalimpong for the treatment of a cow with dystocia- obstructed labour. And this is not the first time they have seen such a case. Dr. Deo and his team have seen hundreds of cow cases, where they have treated and saved lives. To treat such farmed animals, they often have to make home visits as they are requested before it. The communities have known by now, that the Animal Shelter does not limit their work to only handling small animal cases but also large animals.

In this cow case, the team had to travel for an hour to reach the spot. But this case was quite complex in nature, as Dr. Deo examined. The cow had very slim chances of survival. It took many hours for the team to carry out surgery on the cow. By the time, they got home after surgery, it was quite late around 9 p.m. But the team was glad to lend a hand to the helpless owner and the cow.

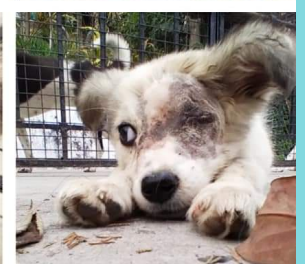


Saving animals every day

Meet one-eyed Moodie – a rescue pup by the Darjeeling Animal Shelter team

This little girl was rescued from Soom Tea Estate in Darjeeling. Caught in a scary dogfight she ended up injuring her eye. The Shelter team went on their rescue mission at the drop of a hat once they were informed of this little puppy, Moodie. On rescuing her, she was brought and admitted to Darjeeling Animal Shelter (DAS) in Lebong for her eye treatment. Her eye tissue had turned necrotic. So, the DAS Vet, Dr Mihir Mazagonkar had to perform an enucleation surgery though it was risky as she barely weighed 300 grams. Despite this fact, the surgery had to be performed as that was the only option. And this lucky girl made it through!

After her recovery, the Shelter team found a loving parent for Moodie, who was very willing and happy to adopt her. All thanks to the new parent.



A rescue by an animal lovers group from Kurseong, K9

A dog with a big patch of a wound on his nose was rescued by the K9 team and brought to Darjeeling Animal Shelter at Lebong for his treatment. This old boy had lost half the chunk of his nose due to maggots. Although the Darjeeling Shelter kennels were full of other rescues, this dog needed a place to admit. So, the Shelter team managed a kennel for him and began his treatment, from debriding to dressing the wound. It took time but his wound healed in many weeks. He was later handed over after his recovery to the K9 group from Kurseong.



Ricky and Baini's transformation after rickets

Ricky and Baini were puppies born with bow legs known as rickets. They were surrendered to the Animal Shelter because of this deformity. Rickets is a disease caused by Vitamin D deficiency. The puppies were accepted at the Animal Shelter and fostered, which further catered to their basic needs and treated them against rickets. These puppies needed a lot of supplements and a nutritious diet. Upon her recovery, after a few months, both puppies were able to stand and walk normally. Baini is a little younger than Ricky and she grew up with the cats at the Animal Shelter. Now both are healthy and enjoying their time. Ricky found a sponsor and Baini has found a loving home.



Baini & Ricky's transformation after rickets

Darjeeling Goodwill Animal Shelter (DGAS)
Veterinary Report 2021-2022
(April 2021 to March 2022)

Date	ABC		Clinic ARV	Camp		Rescue	Adoption	OPD Cases	Other Surgeries
	DOG	CAT		ABC	ARV				
April	7	6	56	16	55	3	2	641	0
May	4	0	50	0	0	9	7	582	6
June	44	20	86	41	55	28	7	686	11
July	67	20	67	91	243	9	6	477	7
August	102	14	71	49	62	14	6	499	14
September	46	21	61	57	101	13	10	508	10
October	46	15	43	18	0	16	11	516	10
November	47	19	50	52	22	11	14	556	7
December	103	45	79	86	40	17	8	595	5
January	32	8	60	0	0	16	11	581	8
February	65	43	53	143	26	8	13	543	6
March	67	31	72	59	148	9	16	589	0
Total	630	242	748	612	752	153	111	6,773	84

Attending to emergency cases of cats with dystocia

Dystocia is difficult /abnormal birth. Dystocia cases require immediate attention. Being an emergency case, Dr. Deo quickly attended to these cases and after observation, he found out a surgical intervention was required. So, he successfully operated on these felines and saved their lives.



The Animal Shelter team is ever-ready, be it for emergencies or rescues.

Salute to their team spirit!

A dog with a massive tumour seeks help

The tumour had enlarged in no time even though the dog was kept on medications before, the owner said. The dog was brought from Sangay Busty for the removal of such a malignant tumor. The dog was brought quite late at noon and several cases were still to be looked after at the Clinic, but the Vet Dr. Deo without further ado attended to the dog and successfully operated on him.

Dr. Deo Pandey suggested to the owner that the dog should get his leg amputated where the tumour was. Because the tumour had covered the limb and 'amputation' was the best possible option to help this dog survive. The procedure for the removal of his tumour took more than an hour but it was successful. Finally, the dog was free from carrying a heavy tumour that had troubled him for days. The KAS team followed up on the case post-surgery and was glad to know the dog was able to walk through on his three legs, he was happy to be saved and free from a life-threatening tumour.



Ample Cases

TO ATTEND EVERY DAY

Intestinal obstruction in a dog after swallowing a foreign body



A dog that had ingested a nipple was brought to KAS seeking help. The owner mentioned to Dr. Deo that the dog had not been able to retain food. Dr. Deo saw the case, examined the dog, and suggested the owner of an X-ray. Upon the X-ray report, it was found out the dog had swallowed a nipple which had obstructed the dog from eating for days. As the nipple had been lodged in the intestine, exploratory surgery was conducted by Dr. Deo to remove this foreign body. It was a long procedure, but Dr. Deo and Vet Asst. Mr. Lil was successful in removing this object. The dog after regaining consciousness was handed over to the owner who was advised to keep the dog on IV fluids for the next



Kukur Tihar for the shelter dogs

The Animal Shelter team has been following the ongoing tradition of Kukur Tihar, a day marked for honoring the dogs for their friendship and loyalty. This day is marked auspicious in the Nepali calendar for furry pals.

So, on this auspicious occasion, both sister branches – Kalimpong and Darjeeling Animal Shelter celebrated their day as always with treats and festoons of marigolds, and that's how the tradition has been carried on for generations in all Nepali-speaking regions in India, and obviously, Nepal. The sister Shelter, Darjeeling Animal Shelter, in particular, celebrated with the Darjeeling Police Personnel and the Superintendent of Police, who sponsored collars for the street dogs. Special thanks to the SP, Darjeeling.



Pictures below of Kalimpong Animal Shelter and the Vet, Dr. Mihir from Darjeeling, and the SP, second row to the right.

A home is where the heart is

- EVERYBODY NEEDS A HOME, WHETHER A HUMAN OR AN ANIMAL

Good news!

Two senior surrendered dogs have found a very loving home

These Apsos were surrendered to KAS after the demise of their owner from Siliguri. The dogs were then sheltered at KAS for over two weeks or more. We were actively searching for a loving home and a dog handler who could handle these senior dogs. They were scared and depressed to be left out but thankfully, they found a generous adopter who could handle the dogs properly. The dogs were happy at last to have found a loving and caring foster parent.



Meet Kuchi, an adopted kitten from KAS



She is so well- taken care of. She visits Kalimpong Animal Shelter yearly for her booster shots. Kuchi was dumped at the Shelter when she had not even started to wean properly. She was dumped along with her mother and siblings. She was a beautiful-looking cat with a soft coat. She was very sociable and always looking for a human touch. Once she started weaning, Kuchi was ready to go home, but she had to wait for a while until a cat lover showed up at the Shelter and was willing to adopt her.



Kuchi is now very happy to be in her new home where she feels so loved and special. She too has a little human friend and they both love to spend time together.

Darjeeling Animal Shelter
(LEBONG)

Veterinary Report
2021-2022

Months	ABC		ARV		Rescue	Adoption	OPD Cases	Other Surgeries
	Dog	Cat	Clinic	Wards				
April	57	4	122	0	31	6	671	2
May	19	0	134	0	49	8	444	2
June	52	14	57	160	44	19	402	4
July	38	2	20	51	36	10	339	6
August	65	8	17	214	44	14	299	3
September	71	12	37	298	39	14	320	2
October	63	0	21	40	39	13	229	0
November	61	1	15	924	21	13	201	0
December	67	3	18	0	39	11	207	0
January	38	0	94	0	40	5	202	1
February	63	3	13	0	34	6	196	2
March	28	3	29	0	31	13	182	0
TOTAL	622	50	577	1687	447	132	3692	22



Look at this unusual visitor at the Shelter - a Chinese Pangolin

Chinese Pangolin is one of the most endangered species in the world. Found in Asia, India, and Nepal, the Chinese Pangolin is under huge threat for its meat, scales, and skin, used for various medicinal purposes. Due to poaching, this mammal is on the verge of extinction.

Kalimpong hill is still covered by forests and there are many wild animals found there. The forest officials are on patrolling duty every day, yet there is a danger of these wild animals being poached. When any animal is found injured, the forest officials seek a little help from the Kalimpong Animal Shelter team for early diagnosis and treatment of the injured animal, if found. One evening, the forest officials brought an injured Chinese Pangolin to Kalimpong Animal Shelter for her treatment. The mammal looked very shy and was stooping down inside the basket. She had an injury on her back. Dr. Deo, the Animal Shelter Vet examined her and treated her scraped skin, and advised the forest personnel to keep her under observation. It was obvious the Pangolin had escaped a poacher and had hidden in fear. Soon after, the forest officials saw her, she was brought in for treatment.

With the Wildlife Protection Act, of 1972, it is illegal to hunt and trade Pangolins. The forest officials strictly adhere to this law and act when such a case is reported. However, in this case, the forest officials couldn't trace anybody.

After her wounds healed, she was returned to her own space and with proper surveillance. Sadly, such beautiful and harmless creatures are poached when it should be our duty to save all creatures for the ecological balance.

Training Programme

for the Vets and Assistants at Darjeeling Animal Shelter in collaboration with World Veterinary Services (WVS)

Lastly, Dr. Deo Pandey and Mr. Alain visited the sister Shelter, Darjeeling Animal Shelter at Lebung to attend the ongoing 'Vets and Assistant' training for the Animal Birth Control Prg' in collaboration with World Veterinary Services (WVS). The training program was conducted for two weeks. Two vet trainers working alongside Dr. Mihir and Vet. Assistants from Darjeeling Shelter and Mr Lil from Kalimpong Animal Shelter attended this Training Programme.



Workshop on Oral prophylaxis / Dental scaling

at Kalimpong Animal Shelter – by Dr. Anisha Rai and Dr. Gaurav Chettri

Dr. Anisha from Smile Dental Clinic, Kalimpong presented a demo on 12th August at Kalimpong Animal Shelter on Oral prophylaxis and highlighted some of the periodontal diseases- plaque, gingivitis, etc.

She illustrated the types of gum diseases and how to treat the patients with these diseases. So a proper demonstration was presented to the Animal Shelter Vets, Dr. Deo, and Dr. Mihir along with maneuvering skills esp., training of hands to use the 'dental Scaler'. Since dogs also have oral problems like humans, it is equally necessary to focus on their oral health and the treatment of such dental issues in dogs. Dr. Deo, the KAS Vet stated that " dogs after three years of age tend to have oral problems and if left unchecked, it could lead to serious problems in them. He added many dogs come to KAS with such issues - jawbones, bad breath, loss of teeth, etc., and knowing about the usage of dental scaling would be very essential and helpful in treating these dogs."



From the founder - Dr. Christine Townend

There is so much I could write about these people - Nirmal Jain deals with the Foreign Contributions Regulations Act and is a Trustee, spending so much time working on the FCRA. Janine and Martin are friends who got me involved in KAS and DAS and promised that Animaux Secours would send funding to keep the shelter going. Thanks to Maxime Gasconnet, who is the President of Animaux Secours, has ensured funding. Yamima Lepcha Dupont is taking over the running of KAS/DAS and Dr. Deo not only tends to animals that are brought to him in a sick state but carries out an ABC programme for KAS.



Christine
(Founder of DGAS)

Waiting eagerly to celebrate *Silver Jubilee - Yay!*

Kalimpong Animal Shelter will soon make it there

Only a year to go and Kalimpong Animal Shelter will celebrate its Silver Jubilee and commemorate the yester years. The Animal Shelter has come a very long way despite the challenges it faced. Not only has the Shelter existed there for animals but if one looks at the larger picture, the Shelter has also helped the local community by providing jobs to many around and engaging those on daily wages, whenever there is a need at the Shelter. The community is lucky this way. On the other hand, the community living with their domestic animals have easy access to the Shelter in times of need for treatment of their domesticated animals.

Thanks to Mr. Donald Karthak, the gentleman and now a Trustee of the Animal Shelter, who paved the way to developing this area, Middle Bong Busty, (where the Animal Shelter exists today) by selling his piece of land at a very reasonable price back then. He was very impressed with the life works of Dr. Christine, the founder of the Animal Shelter, and her vision behind starting the Animal Shelter in Kalimpong. Eventually, this is how the Animal Shelter came up in Middle Bong Busty and later, was extended to Darjeeling, currently known as Darjeeling Animal Shelter in Lebong

Sincere thanks to all donors, and supporters
for making a difference in the lives of animals.

Testimonial

My volunteering in Darjeeling and Kalimpong was the experience of a lifetime. I went to the DGAS and the KAS in June and July 2010, only 10 days after my diploma in veterinary medicine in France. I had learned so many things, but I was only starting to practice and I was quite clumsy during surgeries. In India, doctors Yogesh Sharma and DP Pandey taught me with patience how to spay street dogs and cats. We had little financial means but work was done every day with an efficiency that surprised me! Everyone was so patient and nice to me that I learned more than I could ever imagine. I use the stitches tricks almost every day at work, and my clients always ask to have their dog or cat spayed by "the vet who makes the Indian stitches"! But more than a teaching experience about vet medicine, it was a lifetime experience. Working in such conditions, under the monsoon rain, in a school, making bandages with fabric and splints with bamboo and so many things like this helped me a lot to be more resourceful. Living in a place where you couldn't expect the power to be on all day long, where you had to think one hour ago to turn on the heater to get hot water for your shower, where prevented you from going outside on strike days, for your own safety....and when you had to do so, to treat the General's dog, you were escorted by 4 soldiers with AK40....that's an experience you cannot forget, even when you are back in your cozy occidental life. People having so much less than you, but never complaining, while you are so sad because you couldn't get the last iPhone.... it put things in perspective, and my life, there was a "before India", and "after India". And I can never thank you enough, all of you at the DGAS and the KAS, for the opportunity you gave me!



Regards Aline



The Kalimpong Beauty Pageant Team

AT KALIMPONG ANIMAL SHELTER



Dear Donors, Supporters, and all our well-wishers.

On behalf of all the trustees and the DGAS family, we would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to all of you for your valuable contribution in cash and kindness.

It is with your support that **"Darjeeling Goodwill Animal Shelter"** can care for the animals of Kalimpong & Darjeeling and the surrounding area of Hills. We have achieved great success in saving countless voiceless lives.

We also take this opportunity to assure you that every penny is well spent for the welfare and health of animals in our care.

Arpan Karthak - Manager - DGAS trust

Yogita Chettri - Manager - Animal care & PR

DARJEELING GOODWILL ANIMAL SHELTER					
MIDDLE BONG BUSTY, P.O. KALIMPONG - 734301, DISTT. DARJEELING (W.B.)					
ADMIN OFFICE: MAHARANI FARM, DURGAPURA - JAIPUR					
BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31ST MARCH 2022					
PARTICULARS	SCHEDULE	DETAILS	AMOUNT As on 31.3.2022	DETAILS	AMOUNT As on 31.3.2021
		₹	₹	₹	₹
SOURCES OF FUND					
1. Capital Account					
a.) Corpus					
b.) General Fund	11		5,19,26,929		5,00,57,986
2. Grant Pending Utilisation	14		89,26,012		1,18,75,472
TOTAL			6,08,52,941		6,19,33,458
APPLICATION OF FUNDS					
1. Fixed Assets	8		4,60,65,095		4,41,63,628
2. Loan & Advances	9		3,08,678		9,15,400
3. Current Assets	12	1,55,15,904	1,73,48,927		
Less: Current Liabilities	13	10,36,826	4,94,797		
Net Current Assets			1,44,79,168		1,68,54,130
TOTAL			6,08,52,941		6,19,33,458
Accounting policies and notes on account					

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Trustee

DARJEELING GOODWILL ANIMAL SHELTER					
MIDDLE BONG BUSTY, P.O. KALIMPONG - 734301, DISTT. DARJEELING (W.B.)					
ADMIN OFFICE: MAHARANI FARM, DURGAPURA - JAIPUR					
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDING ON 31st MARCH, 2022					
INCOME/EXPENDITURE	SCHEDULE	DETAILS	AMOUNTS 2021-22	DETAILS	AMOUNTS 2020-21
INCOME					
Donation and Grants					
Duration for General Purpose					
Grant received during the year	19		95,55,728		79,66,177
Less: Project Specific Grants (Considered separately)			95,55,728		79,66,177
OTHER INCOME					
Interest and other income	20		5,32,460		7,87,117
Less: Money			100		100
TOTAL - A			5,32,960		7,87,117
EXPENDITURE					
Administration & Other Expenses	7A		99,976		44,340
Human Rescue Project Expenses	7		6,000		6,000
Cat ABC project & Veterinary Camp	14		4,59,809		1,85,969
			5,64,785		2,31,309
Expenses against Grants			1,29,03,897		1,22,72,770
Less: Commenced Expenditure			1,29,03,897		1,22,72,770
Excess of Expenses than Grants			5,64,785		2,31,309
TOTAL - B			5,64,785		2,31,309
Excess of Income over Expenditure (A-B)			(32,225)		5,25,778
Accounting policies and notes on account					

For B. L. Ajmera & Co.
Chartered Accountants
FRN : 001100C

(Rajendra Singh Zala)
Partner
Mem. No.: 017184

UDIN: 22011084AwCTZVI647

Place: Jaipur
Date: 28 SEP 2022

For Darjeeling Goodwill Animal Shelter

(Nirmal Kumar Jain)
Trustee
(Rajeshwari Kumar)
Trustee



Dr. Christine Townend

Founder

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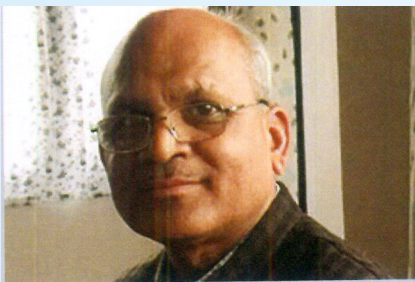
Mrs. Yamima Lepcha Dupont
Trustee -in-charge



Dr. Mehta



Mrs. Timmie Kumar



Mr. Nirmal Kumar Jain



Dr. Ringee Eden Wangdi



Mr. Donald Karthak

Team

DARJEELING ANIMAL SHELTER



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KALIMPONG ANIMAL SHELTER



Thank You

is simply not enough for all that they have done for the animals:

Our animals feel fortunate every day because they have your invaluable support. Our heartfelt thanks to all the donor Organisations :

Animaux Secours, France, One Voice, France , Working For Animals, Australia , Animal Protection Network, Sweden, and Dogs Trust Worldwide for helping animals in every way possible

We're equally indebted to all our dear supporters and well-wishers.
Keep inspiring the world with your kindness!

Help us serve and save more animals by contributing to our noble cause

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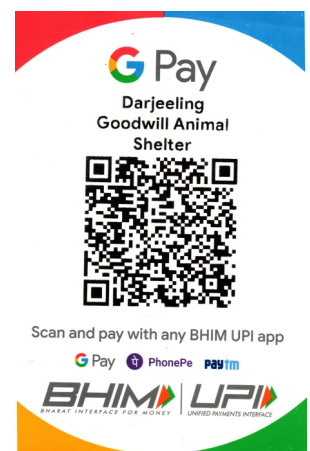
Account Name: Darjeeling Goodwill Animal Shelter

Account No: 11283934796

State Bank of India

IFSC Code: SBIN0000105

SCAN THE CODE TO DONATE



For Foreign Contributors

Account Name: DARJEELING GOODWILL ANIMAL SHELTER

Address: Maharani Farm, Durgapura - Jaipur 302018

Account number: 40093424933

Name of Bank : State Bank of India

Bank Address: New Delhi Main Branch, 11 Sansad Marg, New Delhi - 110001

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Number:

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Main branch of

Darjeeling Goodwill Animal Shelter

Middle Bom Busty

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Kalimpong - 734301

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Special Thanks To



Mme Janine Vogler
Patron



Dr Christine Townend
Jeremy Townend
Patron

Janine Vogler, the author of "Au secours des Animaux" describes herself as a diligent student and an animal lover who was loved by her teachers very much. Having witnessed the Second World War, she was deeply moved by the pain and suffering of not only human beings but also animals. This was the turning point in her life when she dedicated wholeheartedly to serving animals. Although she was pursuing her career as an English teacher, she was passionate about animal work and always ready to help any sick animal. She gradually became an inspiration to students whom she not only taught but also imbibed kindness in them through her activism for animals. Ma'am Janine with the help of her husband, Martin Vogler then started the animal movement in France and stayed committed to her cause to alleviate animal suffering. In 1964 , Janine was successful in establishing a Shelter for the animals, which came to be known as Animaux Secours. Later, Janine traveled to Jaipur in India as well to volunteer for the animals at Help in Suffering (HIS), Jaipur. Seeing a small setup in HIS for animals, Ma'am Janine actively participated in raising funds to expand the work of HIS. After a few years, she met Dr. Christine Townend (the founding Trustee of Darjeeling Goodwill Animal Shelter) who also volunteered at HIS then promised to help Christine to build a Shelter in Kalimpong. Janine's noble and selfless work for animals will always be honored. Today, she may be in her 90s but her passion and commitment to animals remain unshakeable.

- Alain Dupont



Mr. Maxime Gaconnet



Mr. Alain Dupont

Mr. Maxime Gaconnet, president of Animaux-Secours and to Mr. Alain Dupont trustee of Animaux-Secours who is staying with us in Kalimpong since 10 years and maintaining good connection with our main donor in France