

## WEEKLY REPORT OF KAS

Every year, Kalimpong Animal Shelter (KAS) team participates in the National Animal Week event colloquially known as Prani Sapta, which is a series of event organised by the Animal Husbandry / Veterinary Dept. once a year. KAS' role in such an event is to perform Animal Birth Control on small animals i.e., cats and dogs. So this year too, KAS participated in such an event where they conducted village spay and neuter camps in different Blocs of Kalimpong. Following the National Week event, KAS conducted another Village spay and neuter camp on last Thursday and Friday at Gorubathan and Jaldakha, Bloc II. The KAS team then had to halt back there for two days for the camp.

In conclusion, for their continuous participation, hard work and team spirit KAS Vet, Dr. Deo Pandey and team were invited to attend the felicitation programme on the last day of the National Week event where the KAS vet, Dr. Deo and team received an accolade for successfully running yearly Village spay and neuter camps, a project of KAS with many success stories over the years.



Souvenir with the citation in local language, Nepali thanking the KAS Team

Besides the continuous Programmes of KAS, the Animal Clinic facility has been operating full time and treating several animal outpatients every day. Parvovirus outbreak in dogs is still active.







**ANIMAL CLINIC AT KAS**



On Wednesday, 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 upon the kid and suggested of incision to the owner so to find the rectum and place it in its proper position. After a few minutes of careful procedure, he saved the newly born. The owner was very thankful to the Vet, Deo Pandey.



The new X-ray machine which was presented to KAS by Animaux Secours, France has been very helpful. Because of this equipment we not only have small animals undergoing x-ray but also large animals. Sometimes, it may be a calf, and at times, a goat.

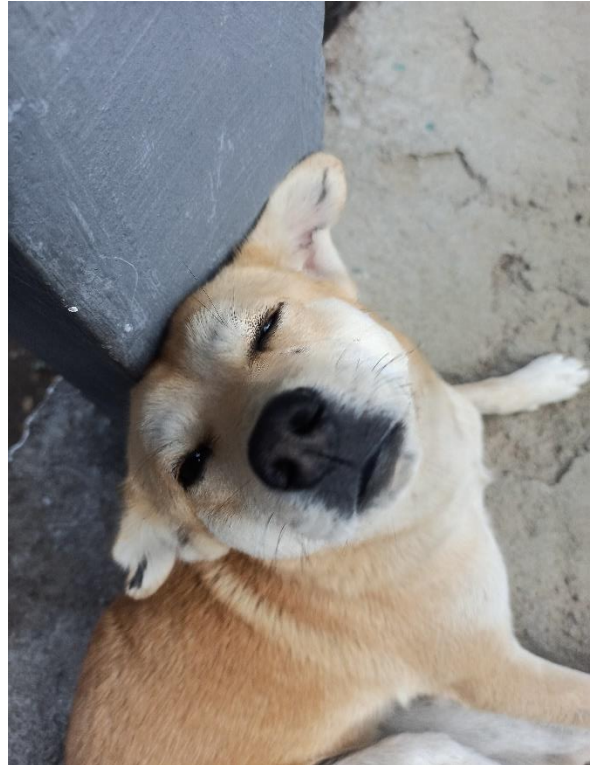
This week, we have had two nanny goats for an X-ray.



ADOPTED



Also this week, one of the puppies has found a loving home. Many others yet to be adopted.



The little girl (a visitor) holding the Shelter pup and our shelter dog, Honey asking for a boop steal the show this week



A college going young man visited Kalimpong Animal Shelter this week to gift the dogs a few blankets, bowls and some dog food.



Lastly, KAS has built a temporary enclosure for the surrendered puppies that keep coming in at KAS and which we put for adoption later. It was important to have this done because we were afraid to see many litters getting infected with canine parvovirus. With this, we hope we can keep the puppies safe and away from the Clinic area.



Also, we are in need of a small runway for some of the sponsored dogs because dogs have been piling up in the Shelter kennel and at times, they are making it difficult for the docile ones there. Most of these dogs are surrenders.

Thank you for your support always