

Weekly Report of Kalimpong Animal Shelter

First of all, most of the staff from Kalimpong Animal Shelter have got vaccinated against Covid-19 on Monday. Thanks to the Shelter, Vet, Dr. Deo Pandey for managing the availability of Covid Vaccine for our staff. The second dose will be taken in 28 days. Dr. Pandey will manage the vaccine for few other staff who couldn't get the jab on that day due to their present health status then.

Coming to the latest update, the Animal Clinic has been attending to numerous patients. As there hasn't been any stop to Parvovirus in dogs, cases continue to come at KAS clinic every day.



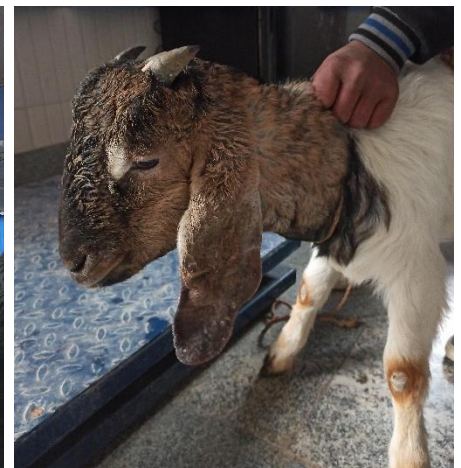
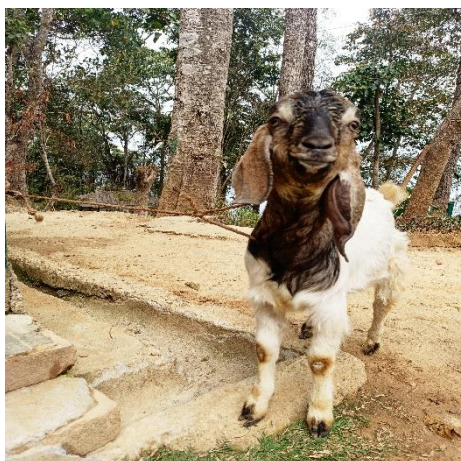
Due to spread of infection caused by the viral disease, parvo and distemper we are being more careful with keeping our shelter dogs safe so they aren't infected by the disease. Many are already vaccinated against such viral diseases. Because of the rise in parvo and distemper cases, we have had to suspend the ABC programme this week at KAS but Village Animal Birth Control camps continue.

On Wednesday, two surrendered kittens have found a forever home. Both siblings have been adopted by the same family who also previously adopted a puppy from the Animal Shelter.



Members from a newly formed Animal NGO, Maitri from Kalimpong brought a dog for treatment this week. The same dog was admitted to the KAS kennel and was discharged a day later with all the prescribed medicine for the dog.

The following day, a goat with hematoma was brought to KAS for her treatment. The goat had to be sedated for the small surgical procedure. Vet, Dr. Deo treated the goat and handed her over to the owner. Hematoma occurs when there is a bruise or an injury in the skin tissue. Generally, hematoma is a mass of clotted blood in the skin tissue.



Two dogs community dog have been surrendered to KAS this week. One of the dogs is a community dog and is suffering from secondary bacterial infection. Her treatment against her skin disease is taken care of by the KAS team.

On an average, we are having multiple cases of dogs for treatment, vaccinations and follow ups. On the other hand, there are a few cases of goats and other farmed animals coming for treatment once a week.

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