

Dog Friendly Cove - Drop in Day

Join us on Saturday April 8th for the very first Dog Friendly Cove - Drop In Day! 1-3 pm in Loirston Annexe.



The Dog Friendly Cove Initiative is co-sponsored by Cove In Bloom and Cove and Altens Community Council

and aims to work with local dog owners to solve problems such as dog fouling, provide access to information from relevant professionals including dog trainers and veterinarians, and serve as a sounding board for issues faced by local dog owners.

Our dog friendly drop in day is an open event that will run from 1-3 pm at the Loirston Annexe. No tickets are necessary and there are no fees for attending. We're delighted to say we'll have a large range of displays to interest the whole family - feel free to just pop in for a browse of our pet care stalls or join us for the full afternoon! Dogs are more than welcome to attend but for safety reasons we do ask that all dogs be kept on lead while at the event.

There will be a free seminar on dog law, behavior, and socialisation led by local

experts Clare Donald of Aberdeen & District K9 Training & Denise Sherriffs of Awesome Paws beginning at 1:45 PM which will be followed by a brief open question and answer session for attendees.

The Scottish Womens Institute is kindly providing refreshments for all our human attendees of the day and Burns Pet Nutrition and Fish4Dogs have stepped in to supply some free goodies for everyone's pups!

We are hosting a poster design contest for local school children to help with our initiative to keep Cove and Altens a clean, friendly environment for all dog-owners. Posters will be voted on by attendees from 1-2:30 pm and winning designs will be announced at the end of the event. The winning posters will be displayed in Cove later this spring!

There will be a host of local suppliers present including local dog walkers, trainers, groomers, and pet supply stores who will have merchandise available for purchase. Confirmed attendees at time of writing include:

The Dog Beautician, Vanity Fur, Decidedly Dogs, AJM Pet Supplies, Heartland Animal Care and Walkies4dogs.

We hope this event will be a bright beginning towards a more dog friendly and conscientious Cove. If you're a local pet care provider interested in participating on the day or simply a dog-lover who would like to be involved in future initiatives please contact us via our events page or at info@cove-bay.com. We'd love to hear from you!