



THERE'S A NEW SPRING IN OUR STEP

As Robin Williams said "Spring is nature's way of saying Let's party"

Introducing "dogcember" •



The Barracks Vet is proud to be throwing a fancy dress dog party to raise money for Animals Asia. Some of you are already planning goodies to sell to help out! Go to www.dogcember.com for more details, to donate or to see some hilarious costumes. All quiet and friendly dogs (and their owners on leashes) are welcome. Please save Sunday 5th December 10am til 2pm in your diaries. Simon Bryant from "The Cook and The Chef" is on the bbq, and there will be prizes galore!

Spring health •

Ticks will be plentiful this year. Be sure to use a topspot squirt like frontline every two weeks until about April. It's also important to run your hands all over your dog and cat every day to double check, feeling for something like a pin head. If you see symptoms like lethargy, weak back legs, vomiting or coughing, hurry in to the vet, bringing the tick with you if you find it. To avoid hot weather itches, use a good dog shampoo, watch exposure to irritating plants like wandering jew, rinse off salt water after swimming and keep on top of the fleas. James can help if the itching does appear.

Thank you for voting •



Thanks to you all, we have made it into the finals of The Mosman Daily Business Achiever Awards in two categories ... best professional service and best new business. (Someone who shall be nameless even did a happy dance.) Your support is extremely encouraging, so thanks again and we hope to see you soon.

By the way, we are now on [facebook](#) and [twitter](#).

Cheers from all the team,
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