



WINTER WHISPERS

If your appointment is around 5 o'clock, you may catch one of these beautiful winter sunsets from our deck at The Barracks Vet Surgery. It is always worth taking a few minutes out of our busy days just to stop and enjoy.

Exercise •

The stimulation and therapy a daily walk provides is immeasurable. It is even better for our dogs than for ourselves, as animals pick up so much information from smells and socialising. Cats adore pouncing, so take a few minutes a day to play with a piece of scrunched up paper on a string. (Keep the video camera handy.) For older or arthritic pets, gentle frequent movement will be appreciated in the cooler weather. Strenuous exercise may cause sore joints, so easy does it. There are some excellent arthritis treatments for both dogs and cats which James can explain on your next visit.

Treatments •

Even though fleas are hiding for winter, don't forget to treat all pets monthly. Otherwise fleas will hatch in your home in plague proportions to ruin your summer. There is a nasty cough going around local dogs, so please remember the annual kennel cough vaccine, which will help your dog fight off all forms of "dog flu".

Aiming for the skies •

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