

SWARTLAND WEST COAST SPCA
INSPECTOR REPORT

I3159

Complaint Reference No.

Building:
Street: 6 MAKRIEL STREET
Suburb: WHITE CITY
Postal Code:
Inspector: CARINA BODENSTEIN
Date of Inspection: 2024-05-07
Time of Inspection: 10:00

RESPONDENT'S DETAILS

Name: WADE/CORNE GALLANT
Company:
Identification:
Email:
Tel 1:
Tel 2:

REPORT

Access Granted By: CORNE SMIT
Comment:
Were Animals Seen on the Property: Yes
Relationship to Property Owner: Neighbour
Captured By: CARINA BODENSTEIN 2024-05-07 11:15

CHECKLISTS

WATER AVAILABLE	Yes	
ADEQUATE SHELTER AVAILABLE	Yes	
ADEQUATE SPACE AVAILABLE	Yes	
CLEAN LIVING ENVIRONMENT	Yes	
ANIMALS IN GOOD CONDITION	No ***	Mange, open sores
VETERINARY PROBLEMS / HEALTH CO	Yes ***	Mange, open sores
CONFINEMENT OF ANIMALS	Free roaming - in property	

General Report Comments: Upon arrival, I called Corne twice and heard the phone ringing inside the house, however I did not get a response. After a while, a woman came out, named Natasha (Corne's girlfriend). She advises that they could not take the dog to a veterinarian, but Corne called Wesland Animal hospital and the receptionist advised that they just buy Nexxgaurd and the prescribed injection will burn the dogs (this is rubbish). Natasha showed me the Wesland Animal Hospital Receipt for the Nexxgaurd. Only 1x tablet was bought and given to the young female pitbull.

While we were talking the dogs were scratching profusely and the young pitbull also had raw sores on her ears that were bleeding.

I advised Natasha that this is unacceptable, as the dogs were supposed to be taken in and physically examined by a veterinarian. Natasha claimed they don't have money for these things and started having an attitude. I advised her that I will issue a final warning for the dogs to be taken in. She turned around swearing and went inside the house.

As I was busy writing the warning, a gentleman came from inside the house. This was Corne, the owner. He said the same as Natasha that they don't have the financial means to take both dogs. I made him look at the dogs and it was as if he for the first time actually saw the severity of their skins, especially the young pitbull as she can't walk 2 steps without having to sit and scratch.

Corne was also having attitude with me and said I must then take the dog as the dog is actually a stray he took in months ago and he can't afford to look after the dog. I welcomed this and had him give the dog to me. I loaded the dog in my bakkie and another male came from inside the house claiming the dog is his. He is apparently Natasha's son. He was shouting and swearing at me and wanted to take the dog from my bakkie. I advised him if he proceeds that he will be arrested for hindering me from performing my duties. He stayed inside the property and just kept screaming further at me. I then ignored him and only liaised with Corne while Natasha and this youngster kept shouting and swearing.

Corne advised that the black dog is their main dog and they have Bravecto for him. As his skin condition is not as advanced as the other dog, I agreed to give them a chance to proceed with treatment for him. I advised that I will follow up in 30 days to verify if his condition has improved.

Corne refused to sign the admission form as the dog is/was an alleged stray.

Dog admitted: ADM: D7945

ACTIONS

OWNER EDUCATED

REPORT OUTCOMES

Follow-up inspection to be conducted 2024-05-31

Animal(s) signed over D7945

INSPECTION ANIMALS

Description:

1 x DOGS (PITBULL) - AN UNSTERILISED FEMALE CALLED 'Kelly ' (COLOUR: White and tan) CONDITION: Severe mange

Description:

1 x DOGS (PITBULL) - AN UNSTERILISED MALE (COLOUR: Black) CONDITION: Starting mange