



PET SHOP CHECK LIST

Case Number: **INSP190462**

Date of Inspection: October 3, 2023

Time of Inspection: 09:53

Name & Surname of Inspector/s: Jason Page

Name of Petshop: Grassy Park Pets

Address: N/A, 114 5th ave
Grassy Park

Name of Owner: Shanawaz Mohammed

Cellphone Number: (073) 269-6444

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Does this shop sell animals? **Yes**

GENERAL

What happens to sick animals? Self medicate, Taken to vet

What happens to animals after hours: Kept in shop

What treatment do Puppies get: N/A

What treatment do Kittens get: N/A

Quarantine Cages provided for sick or new animals: No

What Rodent control does the shop use? Do not have problems

Do they breed? No

If breeding, what happens to the offspring? N/A

If removed for hand rearing, from what age: N/A

RODENTS

Are there Rodents? Not sold

PUPPIES, KITTENS & RABBITS

Are there puppies, kittens &/or rabbits? Out of stock

What treatment do Puppies get:	N/A
What treatment do Kittens get:	N/A
Group Structures	Same sizes together
Compatibility of Groups	No rabbits at the moment
Space	Acceptable (stretch out, stand normally & turn)
Cage Maintenance	Good
Hygiene of cages	No animals at the moment
Draughts	No
Ventilation	Good (Fresh & Clean)
Temperature	Comfortable (20°C- 24°C)
Shelter provided in outside pens	Not applicable
Do they allow breeding?	No
How do staff handle animals?	Fair
Do they allow public to handle the animals?	No
Hiding areas	No Animals at the shop during inspection
Floor construction:	No rabbits at the shop during inspection
Bedding	No rabbits at the shop during inspection.
Bedding description	

	YES or NO	Type of bedding	Does it need to be changed?	Comments?
Is the bedding clean and absorbent?	Yes	Straw	No	No rabbits seen

Cleaning routine

	Per day	Per week
How often is cleaning done	1	7

Water provision

	YES or NO	Bowl type	Hygiene of water provision	Comments
Water	Yes	Non-Tip Bowl	Clean	No rabbits seen

Diet

	Feed type and brand	Frequency	Is the diet?	Do they remove old food	Comments
Puppies	N/A				
Kittens	N/A				
Rabbits	Rabbit pellets	2 x Daily	Good & Nutritious	Yes	No rabbits seen

Are the animals fully weaned Yes (feeding themselves well)

	Condition of animals
Puppies	N/A
Kittens	N/A
Rabbits	N/A

Health concerns No concerns noted

How are animals transported from the shop In a box

Please describe any concerns relating to Puppies, Kittens and/or Rabbits

No concerns observed. They do not sell any puppies or kittens and they did not have any rabbits during the inspection.

FISH

Are there Fish? Yes

Numbers of live fish

	Breed	Numbers
1	Goldfish	19
2	Oscar	1
3	Guppies	18
4	Malawi	3

Hygiene of tanks Good

Is water clean Clear (see fish clearly)

Is equipment (nets/heaters) in good repair Good

Do the tanks have efficient aeration Fair (some bubbles)

Do the tanks have filtration Fair

Is water in tanks tested appropriately for temperature/pH/ammonia/nitrites/oxygen Yes

Are the tanks enriched	Rocks, Gravel
Are the tanks overstocked	Good
Are lights turned off at night for fish to rest	Yes
Do tanks have covers	Yes
Water at proper level (should be small gap between top of water and cover)	Yes
Condition of animals	Good
Describe Concerns	No concerns observed
Temperature Suitable - Goldfish 10°C – 22°C	Yes
Temperature Suitable - Tropical fish 23°C- 27°C	Yes
How often are the fish fed:	Daily
Is enough species specific food given	Appears Acceptable
In the event of a power failure is the pet shop owner / attendant informed:	Yes
How do staff handle animals	Fair
Any dead fish observed: Describe Reason	No dead fish observed
Compatibility of Groups	Good
How are fish destroyed when necessary	"Have never experienced any sick fish"
Do Aquatic Amphibians have a shelf or floating island to enable them to get out of the water	N/A
How do the buyers transport the fish from the shop	In strong plastic bags pumped with pure oxygen
Is the chlorine removed from tap water before adding to tanks(Aerated for 24 hours or a de-chlorinating product used)?	Yes
Please describe any concerns relating to the fish	No concerns observed with the fish during this inspection.

BIRDS

Are there Birds?	Yes
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Numbers of live birds

	Breed	Numbers	Condition of birds
1	Ringneck parakeets	1	
2	African grey	2	
3	Sun conure	1	
4	Blue headed parrot	1	
5	Pigeons	6	
6	Canary	8	
7	Rosela	6	
8	Finches	40	Lack of perches
9	Gouldian	10	
10	Cockatiels	6	

Diet - with reference to the table above

	Feed type and brand	Frequency	Is the diet?	Do they remove old food	Comments
1	Budgie mix	Ad-lib	Good & Nutritious	Yes	
2	Cockatiel mix	Ad-lib	Good & Nutritious	Yes	
3	Parrot mix	Ad-lib	Good & Nutritious	Yes	
4	Fresh fruit	Other	Good & Nutritious	Yes	Supplementary to seeds. At least once per week

Group Structures

Same sizes together

Compatibility of Groups

Good (Play & Positive Interaction)

Space

Acceptable (stretch out, stand normally & turn)

Cage Maintenance

Good

Hygiene of cages

Good

Ventilation

Good (Fresh & Clean)

Are birds exposed to draughts?

No

Are birds left in full sun?

No

Temperature

Comfortable

Shelter provided in outside pens

Not applicable

Adequate Perch Space - Note: Birds need more horizontal space than vertical. Approx 10cm horizontal space per bird such as parakeets

Poor (birds on floor & cage sides) ***

Is the thickness of the perch adequate? No ***

Are perches placed above each other (causing faeces to drop onto birds below?) No

Do they allow breeding? No

Suppliers of birds Staff does not know

How do staff handle animals? Fair

Do they allow public to handle the animals? No

Cleaning routine

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How often is cleaning done	1	7

Water provision

	YES or NO	Bowl type	Hygiene of water provision	Comments
Water	Yes	Non-Tip Bowl	Clean	

Are the animals fully weaned Yes (feeding themselves well)

Health concerns No concerns observed

How are birds transported from the shop In a bax

Please describe any concerns relating to Birds

- 11. Rollikeet - 2
- 12. Green cheek conure - 4
- 13. Budgies - 29

The perches in some of the cages are not sufficient. More suitable perches to be provided.

REPTILES

Are there reptiles? Not sold

SPIDERS, SCORPIONS & INSECTS

Are there spiders, scorpions &/or insects? Not sold

Was a warning issued? Yes

Warning number 13554, 13555

General comments

The facility still has time to comply with the warning issued on Friday, 29 September 2023. They have time until 05 October to comply.

Follow up to be carried out on the 06th of October 2023.

Is a follow up necessary	Yes
Date for follow up	October 6, 2023