



PET SHOP CHECK LIST

Case Number:

INSP202796

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Time of Inspection: 11:59

Name & Surname of Inspector/s:

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Name of Petshop:

Petworld XXL

Address:

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Somerset West

Name of Owner: Basson Stuart

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Pet shop's Veterinarian name:

Vet World

Practice name:

Vet world

Does this shop sell animals?

Yes

GENERAL

What happens to sick animals?

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:

Yes

What Rodent control does the shop use?

Bait boxes

Suppliers of animals:

	Animal type	Supplier name	Contact
1	Birds	Certified breeders	-
2	Fish	WCBS	-
3	Rabbits	Members of public	-
4	Reptiles	Certified breeders	-
5	Rodents	Breeders	-

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? Yes

Numbers of live rodents

	Total number
Rats	3
Mice	0
Guinea Pigs	0
Hamsters	12
Other	0

Group Structures Singly

Compatibility of Groups Good (Play & Positive Interaction)

Space Acceptable (stretch out, stand normally & turn)

Cage Maintenance Good

Hygiene of cages Good

Are cages raised off the ground to prevent handling/accidental kicking/reduce stress: Yes

Ventilation Good (No Ammonia Smell)

Draughts No

Temperature Comfortable (20°C- 24°C)

Do they allow breeding? No

How do staff handle animals? Fair

Do they allow public to handle the animals? No

	Adults	Supervised	Children	Supervised
Handling	No	No	No	No

Hiding areas Good (Box/Plastic Container)

Bedding description

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

Cleaning routine

	Per day	Per week
How often is cleaning done	1	1

Water provision

	YES or NO	Hygiene of water provision	Comments
Water	Yes	Clean	

Is the diet	Good & Nutritious
Diet	Good Pellets, Fresh Fruit
Frequency of feeding?	Daily
Do they remove old food?	Yes
Are the animals fully weaned	Yes (feeding themselves well)
Health concerns	No concerns noted
How are rodents transported from the shop	Travel boxes
Where are unweaned rodents kept?	N/A
Are unweaned rodents sold live?	No (Good)
How are rodents killed (as reptile food)?	Not Applicable - purchase dead rodents

Please describe any concerns relating to the rodents

No contraventions observed at the rodent section.

PUPPIES, KITTENS & RABBITS

Are there puppies, kittens &/or rabbits? Yes

Numbers of live puppies, kittens & rabbits

	Numbers	Breeds
Rabbits	7	

What treatment do Puppies get: N/A

What treatment do Kittens get:	N/A
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
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

	Adults	Supervised	Children	Supervised
Handling	No		No	

Hiding areas Good (Box/Plastic Container)

Floor construction: Straw

Bedding Straw

Bedding description

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

Cleaning routine

	Per day	Per week
How often is cleaning done	1	1

Water provision

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

Diet

	Feed type and brand	Frequency	Is the diet?	Do they remove old food	Comments
Puppies					
Kittens					
Rabbits	Daro	Daily	Good & Nutritious	Yes	

Are the animals fully weaned Yes (feeding themselves well)

	Condition of animals
Puppies	
Kittens	
Rabbits	Good

Health concerns No concerns noted

How are animals transported from the shop In travel bocxes

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

No contraventions observed during the time of the inspection.

FISH

Are there Fish? Yes

Numbers of live fish

	Breed	Numbers
1	Fish	830

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 Good (Bubbles)

Do the tanks have filtration Good

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

Are the tanks enriched Plants, Hiding areas, Rocks, Gravel

Are the tanks overstocked Fair

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	None
Compatibility of Groups	Good
How are fish destroyed when necessary	Acceptable – brain maceration
Do Aquatic Amphibians have a shelf or floating island to enable them to get out of the water	None
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 contraventions observed during the time of the inspection.	

BIRDS

Are there Birds? Yes

Numbers of live birds

	Breed	Numbers	Condition of birds
1	Amazon	1	Good
2	Parolet	3	Good
3	Plumhead	2	Good
4	Red rump	1	Good

	Breed	Numbers	Condition of birds
5	Cockatiels	2	Good
6	Lovebirds	3	Good
7	Quackery Parrot	2	Good
8	Canaries	10	Good
9	Rosella	1	Good
10	Finch	4	Good

Diet - with reference to the table above

	Feed type and brand	Frequency	Is the diet?	Do they remove old food	Comments
1	Finch and budgie mix	Daily	Good & Nutritious	Yes	
2	Parrot mix	Daily	Good & Nutritious	Yes	

Group Structures	Singly, 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	Good (all can rest on perches at same time)
Is the thickness of the perch adequate?	Yes
Are perches placed above each other (causing faeces to drop onto birds below?)	No
Do they allow breeding?	No
Suppliers of birds	Certified breeders
How do staff handle animals?	Fair

Do they allow public to handle the animals? No

	Adults	Supervised	Children	Supervised
Handling	No		No	

Cleaning routine

	Per day	Per week
How often is cleaning done	1	1

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 Travel boxes

Please describe any concerns relating to Birds

Bird - 1
Budgie - 1
Elegant Parrot - 1

REPTILES

Are there reptiles? Yes

Numbers of live reptiles

	Breed	Numbers
1	Ball pythons	11
2	Milksnakes	3
3	King snakes	2
4	Corn snakes	19
5	Crested geckos	7
6	Veiled chameleon	6

Diet - with reference to the table above

	Feed type and brand	Frequency	Is the diet?	Do they remove old food	Do they feed live prey?	Comments
1	Frozen rodents	Weekly	Good & Nutritious	YES		

	Feed type and brand	Frequency	Is the diet?	Do they remove old food	Do they feed live prey?	Comments
2	Panga aste	Daily	Good & Nutritious	YES		
3	Crickets	Daily	Good & Nutritious	YES		

Group Structures Singly, Same sizes together

Compatibility of Groups Good (Play & Positive Interaction)

Space - Note: The cage / tank should be large enough for the entire body of snakes, more than double in lizards. Acceptable (stretch out, stand normally & turn)

Cage Maintenance Good

Hygiene of cages Good

Are reptiles left in full sun? No

Temperature - Note: Comfortable
Snakes tropical 27°C – 38°C; Other 20°C–35°C;
Lizards 30°C-35°C

Do they allow public to handle the animals? No

	Adults	Supervised	Children	Supervised
Handling	No		No	

Venomous snakes: Are staff trained to handle No

How do staff handle animals? Fair

Security/safety Door Latch, Door Lock

Are tank covers secure to prevent escape? Yes

Enrichment/Hiding Area Logs, Wood, Box

Is bedding clean & absorbent? Yes

Cleaning routine

	Per day	Per week
How often is cleaning done	1	1

Heating Heat Lamp, Light Bulb

Safety of heat source Acceptable

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)

	Condition of animals
Reptiles	Good

How are reptiles transported from the shop Plastic containers

Please describe any concerns relating to reptiles

No contraventions observed during the time of the inspection.

SPIDERS, SCORPIONS & INSECTS

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

General comments

No contraventions observed during the time of the inspection.

Was a warning issued? No

Is a follow up necessary No