

*District of Easington Council is committed to keeping residents informed about responsible dog ownership and dog fouling. How would you like to be informed of this information?*

- please tick
- Yes**
- District of Easington Council website
  - Infopoint
  - Events around the district
  - Local newspapers
  - LSPTV
  - Community meetings e.g. Parish Council, Residents' Associations, Community Forums etc
  - Other, please state:

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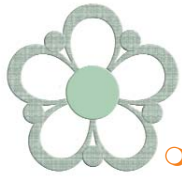


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# Responsible Dog Ownership

*Please help us gather some important information so that we can work towards encouraging responsible dog ownership in our area.*





## Did you know?

- You can be fined £50 for letting your dog foul in a public place and not cleaning it up.
- You can receive free biodegradable poop scoops from your local parish council.
- You can ring Envirocall on (0191) 527 5040 to report stray or nuisance dogs or owners who fail to clear up dog mess.
- Toxocara T. canis blinds up to 100 children a year in the UK and is spread by the toxocara roundworm, whose eggs are found in dog faeces.
- An average size dog costs approximately £3,000 per year for food, vets bills and holiday care.
- Every day dogs in the uk produce an estimated 1,000 tonnes of faeces.
- There are six UK laws relating specifically to dogs. They outline the responsibilities of both owners and local authorities.
- More than 400 stray dogs were recovered in District of Easington last year, most of which were pedigree.
- You can speak to one of our Dog Wardens for free information and advice about dog ownership.



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For further information please contact:

**(0191) 527 0501**

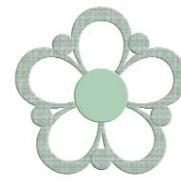
or e-mail:

**pride@easington.gov.uk**

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## Responsible dog ownership

### Your details:

Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

please tick

**Yes No N/A**

- Are you a dog owner?
- Do you think dog fouling is a problem in your area?
- Did you know that dog faeces is harmful to health?
- Do you think there are enough dog bins in your area?
- Do you carry poop scoop bags with you when you are walking your dog?
- Does your dog wear a collar and tag?
- Has your dog been microchipped?
- Is your dog wormed and vaccinated on a regular basis?
- Is your dog spayed or neutered?
- Do you let your dog out on its own?
- Have you attended training classes with your dog?
- Do you clean up after your dog if it fouls in a public place?

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