

# Dog Volunteering



## Tasks include:

- 🐾 Cleaning kennels and equipment
- 🐾 Preparing food for the dogs
- 🐾 Cleaning areas used for exercise, our arena the meet & greet room
- 🐾 Walking/exercising dogs: this includes dogs of various sizes and breeds
- 🐾 Making enrichment for the dogs
- 🐾 May be asked to help with the cattery side if comfortable

## What we are looking for in volunteers:

- 🐾 Volunteering with dogs is an active, hands-on role that can be physically demanding. Applicants should feel confident in their ability to handle the physical requirements involved.
- 🐾 Must be comfortable with walking dogs of various sizes and breeds.
- 🐾 A knowledge of dogs is desirable; however, we welcome applicants without prior experience, as we work closely with our volunteers to provide guidance and training on how to handle dogs confidently and safely.
- 🐾 Ability to work independently at times after full training from staff, adhering to our guidance and positive reinforcement ethos.
- 🐾 The ability to follow instructions as given by the team, this can be verbal or written. This can also mean following care/training plans.

