

Chief of Canine Entertainment!



This young dog literally applied for the job of being 'Chief of Canine Entertainment' for our lovely school children that visit ACE as part of our education programme. She is obviously taking the position very seriously and is thoroughly enjoying herself!

Chicken Bone



This poor kitty was rushed to our hospital when her owner saw that she was in need of help.

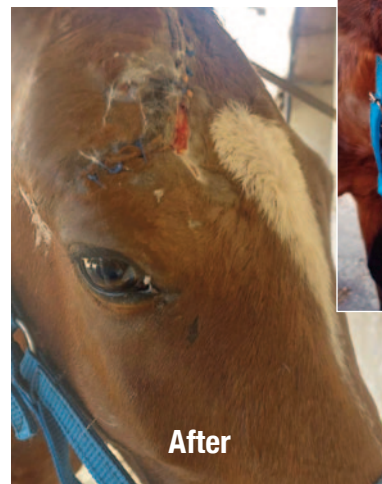
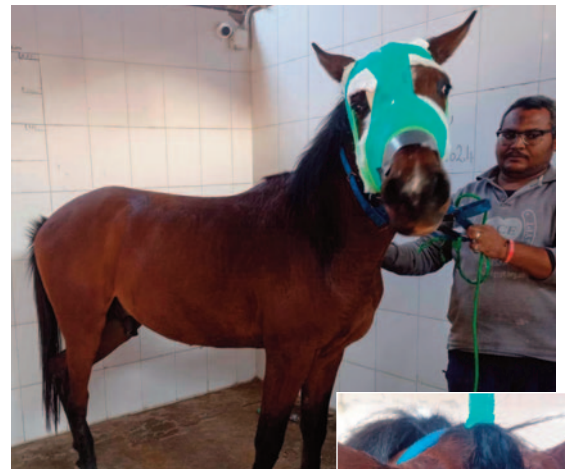
An X-Ray revealed that she had eaten some chicken and a bone was lodged in her larynx, just in front of her trachea.

Following surgery to remove the bone she was well enough to go home.

Road Traffic Accidents

Those of our supporters who have visited Egypt will have experienced the chaos of travelling by road. Almost daily we are brought horses and donkeys that have been involved in an accident on the streets in and around Luxor.

This handsome lad is just one of many that we have seen so far this year. Thanks to the treatment that he received from our team of vets and volunteers he has made a good recovery and is almost ready to be discharged.



Over The Stable Door

Some news about a few of our recent inpatients



Ginger

Ginger arrived with a belly and flank wound after she escaped and galloped straight into a carriage carrying two elderly people who were upturned onto the pavement. Both were taken to hospital for shock and wounds. Therefore, it took ages for this mare to be brought into ACE for treatment. Her stay will be for several months. If you can help with her care we would very much appreciate it.



Prince

This horse fell over onto a sharp piece of metal causing a deep wound on his shoulder. Thanks to our team's care he has a good prognosis.



Felix

This long-eared lad has been a resident with us for a few years now after he was orphaned and hand reared by volunteers. Here he is enjoying a relaxing massage from Dr Assma.



Apple

This lad arrived following an accident. Our vets had to operate to remove part of his broken cheek bone. He is recovering well.

We value your support and would like to keep you informed about our
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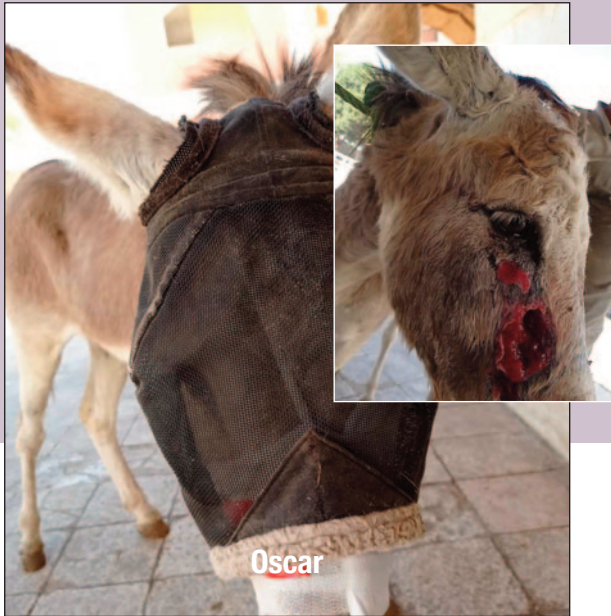
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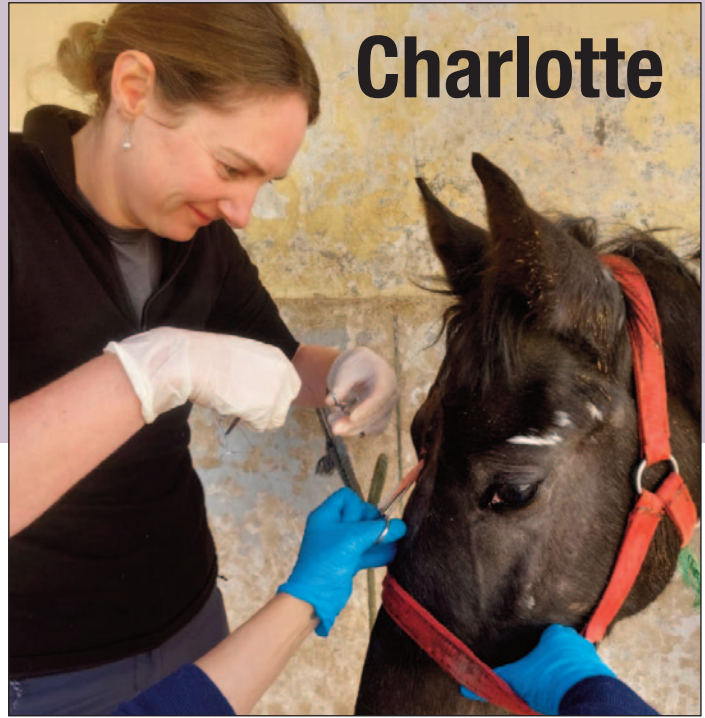
Oscar

Oscar is healing well after being admitted with a deep face wound that he received in a traffic accident.



Molly

Young Molly received a nasty bite from a stallion. Unfortunately infection had set in before her owners were advised by a friend to bring her to us. She is healing well.



Charlotte

Our lovely volunteer vet Charlotte is trying to work out how to fix this yearling which has extensive damage to his face caused by running straight into an A/C unit. The large sinus bones are so damaged that there is a big hole in his face. He too will be with us for a long time.



Thank You
Kevin

Kevin from Stride and Sons Auctioneers in Chichester, West Sussex, has kindly been providing us with commission free sales to benefit ACE. How wonderful!

Perhaps ACE supporters could ask their local auction house if they could sell something commission free and donate to our charity? Thank you.

CAN YOU DONATE THE PRICE OF A CUPPA TO ACE?

Can you go without just one of your daily cups of tea or coffee and donate the money to ACE? The average price of a cuppa is around £2.60 / \$3.14 / €2.93. Go on! Give it a Go! Your swap will help provide a free wormer to a dog or donkey, or a much needed vitamin injection. Just think how happy and grateful the animals will be.



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General Volunteering at ACE

We are mother and daughter, Bea and Bex, who spent a week as general volunteers at the end of January this year.

Why did we volunteer at ACE?

Between us we have visited/volunteered at animal welfare establishments in Romania, Nepal, Kosovo, Madagascar and Egypt. We have an animal sanctuary in Devon with rescue horses, ponies, sheep, poultry, dogs and one brave cat adopted from one of our fostered litters for the Blue Cross. Bea worked in an international business and in the UK not-for-profit sector. Bex has degrees in zoology and works in fundraising for the RSPCA in Exeter.

We were initially interested due to a recommendation from our friend and ACE supporter, Ann Spencer. We really admire how long ACE has been established (since 2000) and the number of supporters. We felt we could help with bringing supplies and lending basic support even without any vet training. Having spent several weeks at EEA in Giza in 2017 we had an idea of the challenges in Luxor. The UNESCO World Heritage sites in Luxor were a definite draw. WOW! We were not disappointed!

How did we get there?

We flew from Heathrow directly to Luxor on EgyptAir to take advantage of the generous luggage allowance, filling four bags with everything from nose bands to scalpels. Generous donors made sure our bags were full of useful supplies. Kim picked us up from the airport and we felt safe and well cared for throughout our stay. Our return was by car (you can get a bus) across the desert to Hurgada and then EasyJet back to Bristol with our backpacks.

Through planning the trip and collecting donations we have met lots of interesting and dedicated ACE

supporters. The pre-arrival information was complete and very helpful. Helen always responded quickly to our questions. Our twin bed ensuite apartment was comfortable with a good shared kitchen too.

What did we gain from the visit?

We were impressed and delighted to meet Kim and her team. The vets and staff are all incredibly dedicated and hard-working. We were invited to observe and assist with everything from morning rounds with inpatients (holding heads and bandages, stroking faces, leading in and out as appropriate) to fitting nose bands and donuts under harnesses to outpatients. With our home experience with newborn kittens we were able to be 'hands on' with a litter of newborn pups whose mother had died giving birth - cleaning, first bottle feed and advice to the caring human family. We had lots of questions and interesting chats with the vets about their patients. Yes, the wounds and conditions of the equines can be distressing but they were all so well cared for at ACE (a caring respite from their working lives), that it was fantastic to see it all first hand, in action.

Would we do it again? YES!

What you should know!

Life in Luxor is very hard for animals and humans but what ACE offers is truly inspiring and makes a difference to so many. We felt welcome and supported and wholly recommend volunteering. Staying in one of the apartments really lets you know how the charity operates. However, even a day visit if you don't want to be 'hands-on' is well worth your time and is very encouraging to the team.



Kara Sue and her girls, Portia and Victoria, collected some super raffle items. A bottle of Moët et Chandon champagne, bottles of wine, liqueur chocolates and more. They sold tickets to friends and put the raffle items with the donkey notelets, to which they had added Xmas hats, in an estate agent's window. Despite it being hard going at times, with an added donation from Kara Sue, £250 was raised for ACE.

FOR MORE INFORMATION or for fundraising info (most information can be found on our website) please contact Helen on: +44 (0)7880623807 or: helen@ace-egypt.org.uk

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