



## **Important**

Information provided by Fixing Feral Felines & Dreamweaver Lane for the upcoming spay & neuter clinics

For their safety, pets must be properly prepared in advance of their surgery.

Please let us know if your pet has any health conditions or is on any medications/supplements (even non-prescription or over the counter ones) before surgery as these can affect our anesthetic and surgical plans. If these are not disclosed to us, your pet may have an increased risk of having serious complications.

## **The night before the procedure**

For all animals over 4 months of age, no food, treats, snacks or anything else considered a solid is **NOT ALLOWED AFTER 8 PM** the night before the procedure.

To avoid accidental consumption of food, grass, prey, or other objects, your pet must be kept indoors overnight. When taking your dog out in the morning to use the bathroom, keep them on a leash to prevent access to anything edible. Cats should be kept in overnight and provided with a litter tray.

Water is allowed right up until morning and in fact it is better not to take it away at all in order to prevent dehydration before surgery.

If your pet is found to have eaten anything after 8PM we will unfortunately need to reschedule their surgery. Pets that do not fast are at a high risk of vomiting and aspiration during surgery, which can be life threatening.

## **The morning of the procedure**

- **Do not feed ANYTHING this morning**. This is to reduce the possibility of vomiting when under anesthetic.
- Take your dog out on a lead to give them the opportunity to go to toilet.
- Make sure they are clean and dry prior to admission. This can help prevent wound infections.

**PLEASE ONLY  
ONE ANIMAL PER CARRIER!!!**

- Ensure Carrier is labeled
- name of animal
- your name & number
- ADD gender, age if known & colour
- ALSO list on carrier whether friendly or wild
- We may need to contact you during the procedure or to discuss results. Please be prepared to leave a contact number where we can reach someone at all times.

On paper please provide what treatments you want besides the operation to spay or neuter with the same above information listed on your carrier to avoid any mix ups!

Treatments may include:

- vaccines
- ear mite treatment
- deworming

Although all of the treatments listed are included in price they must be requested no discounts will be given if not wanting full package.

Nail trims available upon request!

All animals should be in a kennel or otherwise safely contained to prevent escape or injury. If your dog or cat is aggressive, please remember to warn our staff so that we may take the proper precautions before handling your pet. Please make sure the carrier is secured and covered!

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DROP OFF TIME

PICK UP TIME

## **Post-Op**

At the time of pick up, you will be provided with a printed set of instructions on how to care for your pet after surgery.