

uMngeni SPCA

Tariffs and Terms and Conditions of Boarding

BOARDING TARIFFS (per day or part thereof) Effective from : 01- Apl-2012

CATS

R30

DOGS

Small: (Maltese, Dachshund, Jack Russell, etc.)

R35

Medium: (Staffie, Bull Terrier, Spaniel, etc.)

R40

Large: (German Shepherd, Chow, Labrador, Doberman, etc.)

R45

Extra Large: (Gr. Dane, St. Bernard, Irish Wolfhound, etc.)

R50

Heating (optional): R15 per kennel per night

NB A penalty fee of R50 per day will be charged if a pet is left longer than the period agreed by both parties. Please see para. 4 of the conditions of boarding below.

Prices subject to change without notice.

Please read the Conditions for Boarding below as you will be asked to sign a copy of these when you bring in your first animal.

CONDITIONS FOR BOARDING AT uMNGENI SPCA

Animals can only be accepted for boarding provided that:-

1. They are over six months of age and have a valid certificate of vaccination against rabies, plus 5-in-1 for dogs and 3-in-1 for cats, from a registered veterinarian at least 21 days prior to admission. Vaccination against kennel cough is also required.
2. The owner agrees to pay boarding fees for his/her pets to the society at the rate laid down during their boarding period. This boarding fee will include bedding and standard SPCA food. Any special diets or medication requested by the owner must be supplied by the owner. There will be no consequent reduction in fees. Extras such as clipping, grooming, etc. will be by request and for the owner's account. Dipping, at no charge, will be by request of owner.
3. A deposit of at least 50% of the calculated total must be paid within 48 hours before the booking will be confirmed and the balance must be paid before the animal/s can be admitted.
4. The owner shall give reasonable notice of any change to the due date to collect his/her animal/s, on the understanding that they can only be accommodated if there is space available. **A PENALTY FEE AS LAID DOWN IN THE CURRENT TABLE OF RATES WILL BE CHARGED PER DAY OR PART THEREOF IF A PET IS LEFT LONGER THAN THE AGREED PERIOD WITHOUT NOTIFICATION.** It should be clearly understood that if boarding kennels or cages are not available for this un-booked period animals will be moved into the stray or adoption section.
5. Should the animal/s be with us for a period longer than 14 days without notification, they will be considered abandoned and will become the property of the SPCA. All rights of ownership of the animal/s will be relinquished to the SPCA who will deal with the animal/s as deemed fit.
6. The SPCA shall have the right to call in the services of the owner's veterinarian if, in the opinion of the Society's officials, the animal's health so requires, and the cost thereof, including drugs, shall be put on the owner's account with his/her veterinarian.
7. If the animal/s is/are required to continue or start on any veterinary treatment or drugs, the Society may, at the discretion of the owner's veterinarian, change such treatment or supply appropriate medication, and the cost thereof shall be put on his/her account with their veterinarian.
8. The animal/s may not be removed by the owner, or any person purporting to act on the owner's behalf, until all outstanding fees have been paid.
9. While all reasonable care will be taken to ensure the safety and good health of your animal/s whilst in the care of the SPCA, the owner shall not hold the SPCA, or any of its officials, responsible for the death, illness, injury, theft, disappearance or loss of their animal/s or any items of bedding, clothing, toys, collars or other items of equipment handed in by the owner to the SPCA.

For further information please contact the uMngeni SPCA, 033 330 4557 or visit them at 15 Campbell Road, Howick or on the web: www.umngenispc.org.za