



BONDING BEHAVIOUR ADMISSION FORM

Name of owner	
Name of rabbits	
Home address	
Email	
Phone number	
Emergency number whilst away	
Do you wish to be contacted in the event of an emergency?	
***emergency treatment protocols are covered within consent form document.	
Name of vet practice you are registered with	
Contact details of vet practice	
Do you have pet insurance?	
Insurance details	
Date of arrival:	
**Date of collection TBC	
Total number of days TBC	
**Bonding takes a minimum of 10 days but can take up to 4 weeks	
50% to be paid on arrival Cancellation charges: 25% cancellation fee 4-2 weeks before arrival date, 50% cancellation fee less than 2 weeks before arrival date	
All prices include health checks, regular updates and the finest hays and forage. 2-3 bunnies: £15 a day Group of 4-6 bunnies: £20 a day Group of 7-8 bunnies: £25 a day NURSING: extra £2-£5 a day, per bunny, depending on complexity of care.	

Name of rabbit	
Age & gender	
Does your rabbit normally live indoors or outdoors?	
Neutered/spayed?	
Date of last Myxo-RHD vaccine*	
Date of last VHD2 vaccine**	
<p>*expected to be given annually and is required to be up to date to be eligible to board. **expected to be given every 6-12 months and is required to be up to date to be eligible to board. There is now one vaccine which covers all 3 diseases which is given annually.</p>	
Has the rabbit been tested for E.Cuniculi?	See leaflet explaining what EC is yes/no negative/positive
Date of last EC blood/urine test and result	
<p>Date and length of last Fenbendazole treatment: Panacur/Lapizole 28 days 9 days This medicine offers protection/treatment for worms and EC. If you have requested that your rabbits free range on Caroline's grass you may wish to treat with Panacur before, during or after their boarding stay as precaution. Cocci, worms and EC can be transmitted via urine/ faeces. Uneaten caecals can be a sign of cocci or worms. A simple faecal examination for around £28 can conclude concerns either way. Cocci is treated with Septrin or Baycox. Rabbits known or suspected to have active EC, worms or cocci will not be allowed on grass.</p>	
Please describe your rabbits personality. Who do you think is dominant/lower in pecking order?	
Please describe your rabbits feeding regime	
Caroline will recommend any changes and make an individual care plan if required	
Please describe any specific dietary or special requirements for your rabbit	
Please list any ongoing medicines your rabbit is currently taking, including dosing and timings	

Print name of owner_____

Signed (Owner)_____

Date_____

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Page to describe rabbits history/bonding issues.
Please email photos of housing/environment as this is also essential.
Videos can be sent to WhatsApp.

ROSS Consent Form

Rabbit names

1	2
3	4
5	6

On admission, all rabbits will receive a health check by Caroline. Caroline holds a qualification from City and Guilds in the safe use and management of Veterinary Medicines that provides training in many aspects including recognising signs of ill health. It is at this point that any outstanding or new health concerns should be discussed and the current state of health of the rabbit(s) agreed between both parties. If you (the owner) is not present, they will be informed of the outcome of the assessment in writing. Caroline's qualification also covers the correct storage and administration of medications, she will happily administer any medications prescribed by a registered veterinary surgeon, which have been recorded in the admission form with consent from yourself (the owner).

Should the initial check over raise any concerns, or if there are any changes to your rabbits condition during their stay, Caroline will discuss the prospect of taking the rabbit for a veterinary consultation with Caroline's local rabbit specialist vets.

1. Helen Inzani at Cambridge Vet Group
2. Iain Cope at Newmarket Vets4Pets
3. Jo Headly at Beaumont Sainsbury Animal Hospital (referral only)

The above vets will be available varied days and times. Sometimes Caroline may only be able to see their colleagues. Her local out of hours clinic isn't a rabbit specialist but should be able to deal with emergency care until a properly qualified and experienced vet becomes available. Some local vet practices are competent of tear duct flushes and vaccinations.

Should my (the owner) rabbit require emergency veterinary attention during its stay I give permission for Caroline to take him/her for a veterinary consultation and act as an agent at the above vet choices, if I am not immediately contactable. The cost of this veterinary consultation is between £40 and £48. If the named rabbit, after veterinary examination requires emergency first aid, treatment and/ or medication I give consent for this to be administered up to an initial cost of £150. If after this emergency veterinary consultation it is deemed that the condition does not require immediate treatment, I understand Caroline will try to contact me before arranging any further mediations or diagnostic tests. Should my rabbits condition change during his/her stay that raises concerns with Caroline but would not be considered an emergency, I understand that I will be contacted prior to any veterinary consultations and treatments.

I understand that I will be expected to cover any veterinary costs and that this should be settled with Caroline at the point of collection, or paid direct to vet on day of treatment where possible. It is a legal obligation for consent to be gained prior to any non-emergency treatment. I also understand that although Caroline doesn't charge for her time taking rabbits to the vets, there will be a fee of 45p a mile to cover travel expense. Usually around £18

R.O.S.S is located within Caroline's home. It is a two bedroom flat with two gardens. Caroline has a special room to house the rabbits to be bonded which can be split up to cater for the initial stages, where the bunnies need to be kept separate but see each other.

The bedrooms are often busy with boarding bunnies so for the main stages of bonding the kitchen is used. Sometimes all rooms of the house need to be used along with different methods, puppy pens, small spaces, enrichment etc. Sometimes complex bonds are easier to work with when there are no boarding bunnies in the house. Sometimes to use the garden is essential while other types of bonds/bunny personalities makes the garden/extra large spaces detrimental. Caroline will constantly adapt facilities to cater for the bonding process in a positive way and keep owner informed.

To use the garden, the owner must give consent. The owner makes an informed personal choice to use the grass areas and can undertake their own risk assessment. It is advised that rabbits are treated with Panacur to protect against worms and EC before, during or after holiday boarding. Rabbits with uneaten caecals or poor body condition are advised to get a faecal test done to check for coccidiosis/worms which are easily treated. If Caroline has cause for concern, that rabbit will not be allowed on grass. **(YES/NO) TO USE GARDENS/GRASS.**

All rabbits are cleaned regularly to ensure good hygiene and comfort. I have viewed the accommodation and/or have received an adequate description of the facilities and consent to the named rabbits to be boarded/ bonded there for the duration established on the admission form.

Unless specific dietary requirements are otherwise stated above, rabbits staying with Caroline will receive a healthy diet of daily fresh herbs/greens, wild forage, Supreme Science Selective and continuous access to good quality hay and bowls of water. Each rabbit will receive a tailored care plan for the duration of their stay.

I understand that Caroline has 25 years of experience in bonding behaviour in rabbits and consent to the methods and protocols that she uses. I also understand that despite this experience and high success rate that no bonding is guaranteed. I am happy that Caroline has explained the complexities as to why successful bonding may not be possible. If it becomes apparent that a bond will not be successful I understand that Caroline will contact me at the earliest opportunity to discuss the options. I understand that if the bond

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is successful I will receive guidance and support for care after the bonding process.

I understand that whilst every precaution is taken to reduce the risk, injuries can occur during bonding as rabbits can become quite aggressive and unpredictable. These can vary from mild scratches to injuries requiring more invasive veterinary attention with or without the need for general anaesthesia for wound repair. Costs and expectations of veterinary treatments have been covered earlier in this document, but are likely to be higher if GA and wound repair are required.

I understand that rabbits are prey species, therefore changes in environment and activities such as bonding can induce stress and/or anxiety. On occasion this can challenge their immune system. Caroline uses veterinary recommended products such as Pet Remedy and Nutracalm to try to reduce stress as much as possible. I understand any concerns will be raised and discussed directly with me (the owner) at the earliest opportunity.

I understand that in the event of a rabbit not being collected on the pre-determined date, for any reason, without discussion with Caroline, after a period of 14 days the rabbits will be handed over to a suitable rescue centre/become the property of ROSS.

As the owner, I take full responsibility for leaving the named rabbits at Rabbit Owner Support Services (ROSS) for behaviour/bonding or nursing and understand the risks involved.

I understand that Caroline will not be held responsible or liable for any unforeseen circumstances that arise (such as injury or illness) during their stay or on their return home.

I understand that I will be expected to settle all outstanding payments on collection of the named rabbits

I understand that Caroline and any veterinary staff involved with the care of my rabbit will act in his/her best interest, with special reference to emergency situations if I am not immediately contactable.

After completing the above admission forms, I am happy that the information provided to ROSS is correct and sufficient to provide my rabbit with appropriate ongoing care during their stay.

OWNER SIGN & PRINT NAME _____ **DATE** _____