



TOWN OF VINCENT

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A Grrreat Day Out – Mircochip Your Pet

The Town of Vincent is pleased to announce that it has teamed with the City of Nedlands and Town of Claremont to offer pet owners discounted microchipping this November.

"Having your pet microchipped is a great way to help protect your furry family member in the event that they get lost. The microchip is about the size of a grain of rice and there is no discomfort involved in the chipping process. Your details are confidentially recorded on the barcode of the microchip and stored on the Australia-wide Central Animal Records database. The record is kept for the life of your pet and if your pet is lost they can be safely returned to you – even if they have lost their ID tag", said CEO John Giorgi.

On Sunday 22 November from 9.00am to 3.00pm pet owners are encouraged to head to Woodville Reserve (corner Fitzgerald and Farmer Streets) in North Perth with their dogs (on leash) and cats (in cage) and take advantage of the discounted microchipping rate of \$35 per pet (cash or cheque only). The microchipping will be carried out by local vets.

"Come along to the popular dog park with your pet, get a great discount on the microchipping and stay on to enjoy the spring weather. Why not make a day of it with your canine and feline companions? For a gold coin donation you can enjoy a sausage sizzle knowing that all proceeds are being donated to Shenton Park Dog Refuge Home. There will also be refreshments, pet products and info stands, making it a great day out for you and Fido or Felix!" concluded Mr Giorgi.

For further information contact Ranger Services on 9273 6000.

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