

# Animal Control of Hanley, SK

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# Who am I?

- 2<sup>nd</sup> year Veterinarian Technologist student; RVT in June of 2023 & Doctor of Veterinarian Medicine in 2028
- Passionate about Animal safety & Care.
- Nature/outdoors is my happy place.
- Family of four: My partner, two dogs and me.
- Happy to be apart of the Hanley Community.
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# Why Have Animal Control?



- Provides licensing and the control and regulation animals.
- Provides impounding for cats and dogs, along with humane welfare management; for those that are at large and captured.
- Prohibits dangerous animals, ungulates, exotic and wild animals.
- Regulates litter cleanup & accumulation of feces
- Regulates excessive noise (mon-fri 11pm-6am or sat-sun +holidays 11pm-8am)



## Advantages to Obeying Bylaws

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- **Animals are not at large;** therefore children and the community will be safe from aggressive animals, the spread of parasites, wildlife, and overall free of nuisance.
- **Litter clean up;** will help maintain a clean environment within Hanley and keep parasitic levels low.
- **Quiet hour @2300;** this keeps you and your neighbour happy and helps everyone have a good nights sleep.
- **Animals containing a ID tag;** this helps animal control find your pets home as soon as possible and reduce worrying within your household.



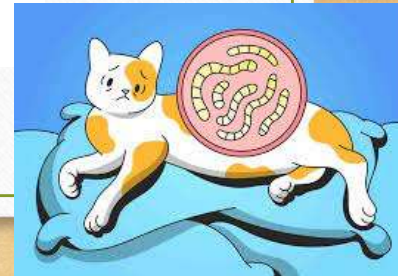
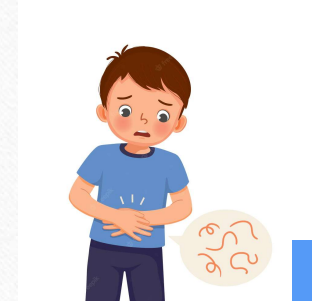


# Why should we be concerned about Parasites?

- Parasites infect many different animals, and humans are included.
- Some parasites are Zoonotic.
- A Parasite can transmit to all animals of your household even if only one is infected.
- Parasites can be transmitted many different ways such as; transmammary, fecal-oral, ingestion of prey, pseudopod, direct contact, or a fomite.
- Parasites such as ticks can transmit Lyme disease & mosquitos can transmit Heart worm.

## Prevention

- Keeping your pet up to date on dewormer & flea/tick preventative; especially if traveling.
- Not allowing animals to go at large
- Keeping animals from ingesting prey.
- Picking up feces right away.



# Animals at Large

- Animals being at large is the most common offence in Hanley.
- When animals being at large they can; leave feces in parks/playgrounds, your backyard, or in the streets of our community. Terrorise the public or other animals, contribute to property damage, and invite wildlife predators into town.
- Animals being at large can increase parasitic levels within our community. Cats are at a higher risk due to “hunting prey.” Domestic cats have no need for hunting and rodent control should not be done by cats. Prey animals, such as mice are the most likely to be infected with parasites which will transfer to the animal that ingests it.
- Animals that are not spayed or neutered would increase populations and unwanted young.

