



Ensure your best friend receives the best care when you're gone

Canine Care Card

In the event of my death Dogs Trust will care for my dog(s). Please call 01 879 1832



Registered Charity Number 20057978

Sign up for your FREE Canine Care Card today and we'll take care of your best friend for you.

Why should I get a Canine Care Card?

Because you want to make sure your best friend is loved and cared for when you are no longer here.

No one wants to think about passing away. But if it happens suddenly, you want to know your precious and faithful friend will be looked after. And we can help you.

All you need to do is sign up today to receive your Canine Care Card. Thanks to our generous supporters – dog lovers like you – we're able to offer our Canine Care Card service FREE of charge.

You'll have the peace of mind of knowing that your dog will be cared for by people who love dogs as much as you do.

These are three promises we'll make to you and your best friend:



Dogs Trust **never** destroy a healthy dog. Rest assured that your dog will be kept safe, warm, fed, looked after and loved.



Your dog will receive a full veterinary and behavioural assessment as well as a whole lot of love and care in our Rehoming Centre until we find the perfect Forever Home that suits their individual needs.



If we can't find the perfect home for your dog, Dogs Trust will care for them for the rest of their days.

Máirín loves her dogs, Tico and Kimmie, as much as you love yours! Like many dog lovers, Máirín signed up for a Canine Care Card, because she wants to ensure the best future for her best and most faithful friends.



I absolutely adore my dogs Tico & Kimmie. I would be heartbroken to imagine them left all alone if I was to pass away suddenly. I decided to register for a Dogs Trust free Canine Care Card to give me peace of mind knowing my cheeky chaps will be so well cared for in the future by Dogs Trust.

Máirín DeBurca,
Canine Care Card holder



Máirín DeBurca with her best friends, Tico and Kimmie

Become a Canine Care Card holder today

Give yourself peace of mind today, it will only take a few minutes of your time. It's the best way to ensure your best friend will be loved and cared for if they ever need us.



Canine Carer Sarah with Guy, Pitbull cross

Here's what you need to do...

1

Complete your form overleaf and return it to us by freepost. We'll send your **FREE** Canine Care Card shortly after receiving and processing your form.

2

When you receive your Canine Care Card, fill it in right away. It's wallet-sized, so you carry it with you at all times.

3

Leave clear instructions in your Will stating that you want Dogs Trust to care for your dog(s). This is vital to ensuring your final wishes are met. Here is suggested wording you can use: "It is also my wish that Dogs Trust care for and rehome any dogs I may own at the time of my death".



When Bruno's owner passed away he came to Dogs Trust to find the perfect Forever Home.

Bruno's Story...

Bruno's owner passed away in front of him. As you can imagine, he was traumatised. The person he looked up to and loved most in the world was now gone.

But Bruno wasn't alone. We were here to look after him.

A neighbour of Bruno's owner brought Bruno to our Rehoming Centre. Bruno was very nervous at first, and badly missing his best friend. But with time, care, and lots of love and cuddles, his heart eventually began to mend.

As an older gent himself, Bruno struggles with health issues including a weak spine and hip. Thanks to the help of supporters who fund our work, we never give up on any dog. Bruno got all the veterinary care and attention he needed to be a happy and healthy dog.

We are glad to say that Bruno's wait is over. He has found a loving home where he can live for the rest of his days.

Like Bruno, many other dogs will get a second chance. Thanks to our Canine Care Card service, dogs like Bruno will never be left alone or unloved.

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1 Tell us about you:

Title Name Surname

Address

From time to time we would like to send you exciting updates about our work, products, services and let you know about other opportunities to help, including fundraising activities and research. Email and phone can be a quick and cost effective way for us to contact you.

I'm happy to receive emails. My email address is:

Email:

I'm happy to receive phone calls. My phone number is:

Tel. No:

If you have provided a mobile number are you happy to receive Text Messages? Please tick box for Yes:

If you would prefer not to receive information by post please tick this box:

Don't worry, we'll still keep in touch about your Canine Care Card.

2 Tell us about your dog:

If you pass away suddenly, we'll use the information you provide here to find the perfect loving new home for your dog. If you have more than one dog, or would like to tell us more about your dog, please attach another sheet of paper to your form.

Name Sex: Male Female

Age Breed

Distinguishing Marks

Is your dog microchipped? Yes No If yes, please give details

Is your dog neutered? Yes No

Please give details of dietary and/or medical requirements

a) How does your dog react around: Other dogs?

b) People?

c) Children? (Please specify ages)

Does your dog have a favourite treat?

What type of home would suit your dog?

Describe your dog's personality?

Is there anything else we should know?

3 Tell us about your Vet:

Name of Vet

Telephone

Address of Vet

4 Leave a lasting legacy

One way for your love of dogs to live on forever is to remember Dogs Trust with a gift in your Will - together we can bring about the day when every dog gets the chance to live out their life happy, cared for and loved. We'd love if you could let us know your thoughts or plans by ticking the appropriate box below.

I have already remembered Dogs Trust in my Will.

I intend to include Dogs Trust in my Will.

Please send me more information on leaving Dogs Trust a gift in my Will.

Thank you! Please return your completed Canine Care Care form to Dogs Trust, in the Free Post envelope provided. We'll aim to send your Canine Care Card within 2 weeks of receiving your form.

For further details on how we store and use your information please check dogstrust.ie/privacy.

If at any time you decide you'd like to change how we communicate with you, or you don't want to hear from us again, that's okay! You can opt out of communications or change your preferences at any time by phoning Lo Call **1890 25 29 28** (Option 3) or visit dogstrust.ie/keepintouch.

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Remember Dogs Trust with a gift in your Will

Every dog, now and in the future, deserves the chance of a happy life

Thanks to our incredible supporters – caring people like you – we've helped drastically reduce the number of dogs being needlessly destroyed in Ireland. But it's not enough.

Even one dog needlessly destroyed is one dog too many. Dogs Trust are working to bring about the day when we can save every dog. As someone who loves dogs as much as you do, you can help us make this happen.

Many caring dog lovers like you, also choose to leave us a gift in their Will. Perhaps leaving a gift in your Will to Dogs Trust is something you've never considered. But if you're ready to start the conversation, we'd be happy to talk to you.

When you think about your dog's future, please spare a moment to think about how you can shape a happier and more hopeful future for all dogs in Ireland.

If you'd like to talk confidentially, please call Gillian on 01 879 1832, or email her on gillian.mcdermott@dogstrust.ie



Guy, Pitbull cross

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