

Pet talk: everyone should take responsibility for fate of animals

by Alice Scott

Another puppy was hit by a car two weeks ago in Schreiber. It was owned by the same person who lost a puppy last year.

That puppy was brought to me in critical condition by two concerned citizens.

It was in need of veterinarian's care, but the owner refused to take him to the vet, and I had to have the puppy destroyed.

This is just one example of abuse that pets face in our towns. I also have had many calls from concerned children who are worried about some homeless puppies. They have been told that the puppies will be killed if a home can't be

found for them.

The mother of the puppies has had numerous litters and is always loose.

I am sure everyone remembers the outburst of letters sent to this newspaper concerning

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the increase in dog licence fees in Schreiber. I attended the town council meeting and saw the list of names of the people

who were protesting the increase.

If everyone who signed the petition became involved, then maybe there would be fewer unwanted and abused pets in our community. The town and the by-law enforcement officer can only do so much.

We do not have a local Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, so we have to be responsible for our own problems.

If you see a puppy or dog running around loose, report it to the local by-law office immediately. If an animal is abused and you see the abuse, phone the OPP and report it.

This problem can be beat if all of us help!

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along the way to this Constitutional spring. They can accomplish that by, at least on constitutional matters, making sure they listen to what their constituents want.

Quick action can save lives

If statistics hold true for 1992, more than 4,000 children in Ontario will be hospitalized for poisoning.

Doctor Margaret Woods, Pediatrician at Toronto's Hospital for Sick Children, agrees that "it's a challenge to foresee the curiosity and imagination of a child.

"Go through your house from top to bottom and sort out with little people in mind," she says.

"Throw out, securely package or put well away anything

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Drivers Beware !! Allyson & Melissa Have Turned 16!!

ANNUAL MEETING THE McCAUSLAND HOSPITAL

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Schreiber, Ontario

Time: 2000 hours
Wednesday, June 24, 1992



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