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In this quarterly newsletter we have selected some topics about our clinics or your pets that may be of interest to you. You can also receive this newsletter via email. Just visit our website at www.arubavets.com

Cooperation with orthopedic specialist

Since 2006 we are cooperating with Dr. Radboud Kemme, specializing in orthopedic surgery and advanced diagnostic procedures. On short trips to Aruba he performs operations like putting in artificial hip joints, decompressing back-hernia, sophisticated solutions for ruptured cruciate ligaments and meniscus in the knee. Several dog owners have taken advantage of this possibility. Unfortunately these operations are not cheap, since they include airfare, and specialized instruments and implantates, but if you are interested you can contact us.



Dr. Kemme performing a knee operation in which the course of the anterior knee tendon is altered in order to compensate for a ruptured cruciate ligament in a dog



Personalia

What's new, or rather: who is new?

Some of you have been worried because they haven't seen Priscilla for a while, usually one of our most visible employees at the front desk. Not to worry: Priscilla has taken time off to give birth to and enjoy her first child Jerson (and a bunch of other names) but she will be back! Mother and son are doing well



Typical acute allergic reaction in a dog: swollen face and eyelids, rash (hives) and some pretty severe itching

Allergic reactions

Never seen one? Don't be scared!

Many things can cause acute allergic reactions: insect bites, things you inhale and also some medicines. Unfortunately the medicine we have to use to cure our infamous tickfever (infectious anemia) in Aruba can cause an allergic reaction in up to 5% of puppies. It is not dangerous but should it happen to your dog, tell us, so we can add an anti allergy medicine to the remaining injections of the 5 day treatment