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For the capture, sterilization and release or adoption
of stray or semi-wild cats

Our Address

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Send your e-mails to
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Website address
www.la-protection-des-chats.com

AND REMEMBER....!



...you are helping to raise the status of the cat to a
more worthy position in villages and towns
across the CHARENTE MARITIME.

Our charity was created in September 2007 under law 1901

We thank *Les Amis des Chats* for their help in
the conception of this brochure.

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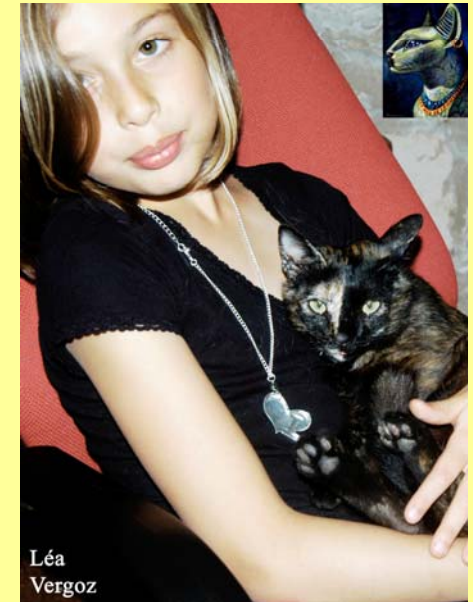


Association N° W174001125



THE CAT...

...is an intelligent and affectionate
companion, and has it's place in
history, but when left to fend for
itself it becomes semi-wild or stray,
and it's numbers can increase to
unhealthy levels.



Clément Vergoz

DID YOU KNOW that a stray cat
and her kittens can produce 30
kittens in one year - that together
they can produce 1,945 kittens in
three years - and that this
proliferation can spread serious
feline diseases across France?

INFECTION

Cats pass on these diseases when they mate or fight - and when *pet cats* and *stray cats* meet they infect each other equally, resulting in suffering and death in both populations.

DISEASE

Feline aids & leukaemia are fatal, leading to a lingering wretched death for a stray cat - and for the pet cat shown here, in the terminal stages of leukaemia, the kindest remedy is euthanasia.



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Coriza has various symptoms, is highly infectious and spreads rapidly. It can blind a kitten leading to abandonment and death.



This blinded kitten was found abandoned



Several weeks later after treatment

STERILISATION

Neutering both male and female cats is **THE BEST PROTECTION** against the spread of disease and is also **THE HUMANE METHOD** for reducing their numbers.

OUR SERVICES

1 - We aim to provide practical assistance (& financial assistance if possible) within our programme for neutering stray cats, as well as testing for serious disease.

2 - We also aim to find homes for kittens and cats after identification tattooing. Those not suitable for adoption will be returned safely to their familiar haunts.



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← adoption



Robert Estall

↑ release

3 - We also want to encourage cat owners to neuter their pets. We will do this with subsidies - 40€ for a female - 20€ for a male.....but subject to approval by the association.



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A neutered cat will not only live a longer, healthier life but will become a more loving pet, leading to a more rewarding relationship.

EDUCATION

Cats are enchanting animals which *millions* of owners will verify. However, some uninformed people regard them as vermin, yet in one year a stray cat can kill 1,000 verminous mice and rats.....so who is right?

Hopefully education will convert those who poison cats as vermin or pests, but if that fails *we will prosecute them* under the law.

We will also provide advice & information on cat care through our web-site.



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FINANCE

What we want to do will cost money which we will have to raise ourselves despite the generous support expected from sponsors.

We will run events, boot sales and market stalls to raise money but even so that will not be enough! We will not be able to do everything that's needed without more support....

....SO, THIS IS WHERE YOU CAN HELP!

Upon becoming a member your donation will assist enormously - please complete the form attached to this leaflet and join us to help our furry friends

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY
