

## **PUPPY AND KITTEN SCHEDULES**

### **VACCINATIONS:**

Puppies: DHPP—2 vaccines 3-4 weeks apart starting after 8 weeks of age (usually at 8 and 12 weeks.) Vaccines prior to 8 weeks of age don't "count".

Additional Parvo booster—given 3 to 4 weeks after last DHPP (usually at about 16 weeks.) Animals who are over 16 weeks of age when they get the second DHPP don't need this additional booster.

Bordetella—1 vaccine after 8 weeks of age for dogs who are going to be shown, taken to obedience classes, or boarded.

Rabies 1 year—Given at 3 to 6 months of age (usually along with the Parvo booster at 16 weeks.)

Kittens: FVRCP—2 vaccines 3-4 weeks apart starting at 8-9 weeks of age. Vaccines given prior to 8 weeks of age don't "count".

FeLV—2 vaccines 3-4 weeks apart starting after 9 weeks of age for kittens who will be going outside.

Rabies 1 year—Given at 3-6 months of age.

### **DEWORMINGS:**

Starting at two weeks old, deworm every two weeks until 12 weeks old and then monthly until 6 months old. For most puppies and kittens we see this means deworm at 8, 10, and 12 weeks and then at 4, 5, and 6 months.

All puppies and kittens should have at least one fecal checked for parasites that are not killed by the regular dewormings.

Owners can pay for these individually each time they come in at \$7.50 each or prepay for all the dewormings up to 6 months of age at a cost of \$30.00. If they prepay, be sure to mark boxes in the chart.

### **SPAY/NEUTER:**

Recommended at approx. 6 months of age.

### **MICROCHIP:**

Recommended for all pets. Can be done anytime, but usually done when spayed or neutered.