



Santa Paws – Frequently Asked Questions

**Hosted by Men in Sheds in support of Weston Hospicecare
Saturday 13 December 2025**

What time does Santa Paws start and finish?

Santa Paws opens to the public at 10:00am and closes at 2:00pm.

Where is Santa Paws being held?

The event will take place at the Old Cricket Pavilion in Clarence Park East,
Weston-Super-Mare.

What can I expect on the day?

Get ready for a fun and festive day out with your furry friends! You can enjoy:

- A chance to have your pet's photo taken with Santa Paws
- Festive treats for both pets and owners
- A cheerful holiday atmosphere with games, laughter, and community spirit
- A Raffle to win a doggie goodie hamper

How much does it cost to participate?

- A minimum donation of £7.00 includes:
 - A festive photo with Santa Paws
- A mince pie and a cup of alcohol-free mulled wine (or tea/coffee)
- A treat bag for your pet

Do I need to pre-register?

No pre-registration is required — simply turn up on the day!

What if I have more than one dog?

All pets must be included in one photograph for the £7.00 minimum donation, but each pet will still receive a treat bag.

Can I be in the photo with my pet?

Absolutely! Supporters are welcome to join their pets in the photo with Santa Paws.

What happens if it rains?

In the event of bad weather, Weston Hospicecare reserves the right to cancel the event at short notice.

Please check our social media channels for the latest updates.

Is parking available?

Limited parking is available on neighbouring streets.
Please be considerate, as the event is held in a residential area.

Are there any safety rules for dogs?

Yes – for everyone's safety, all pets must be kept on a lead at all times.
Weston Hospicecare cannot accept responsibility for pets' behaviour during the event.

What if my pet has a food allergy?

Please inform a member of staff before accepting any treats for your pet.

Can I bring my own camera?

Yes! You're very welcome to use your own phone or camera to take photos.

Is there anything I need to bring?

Just bring your pet, your festive spirit, and maybe a few extra treats to keep your furry friend happy during the day!

Will there be a queue?

Due to unpredictable attendance numbers, the event will operate on a first-come, first-served basis.

Contacts at Weston Hospicecare

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