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Cats Protection Stourbridge

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Festive Feline Fundraising!

This Saturday (7th December) sees the Stourbridge Branch of Cats Protection holding its annual festive event to raise much needed funds to help look after needy cats and kittens over the Christmas period.

The Christmas Fayre, is being held at Church Hall, Church Road, Belbroughton from 1:30pm onwards.

Everyone is welcome to attend, as there will be something for all members of the family – books, bric-a-brac, toys, white elephant, Christmas goods, gifts, games and lots more! Refreshments will be available throughout the afternoon. There will also be an opportunity to find out more about the work of Cats Protection locally.

Rob Hall, Public Relations Officer for Stourbridge Branch, said:

“We traditionally look after more cats over the Christmas period – we take in stray cats who are suffering because of the adverse weather conditions and, sadly, we take in cats and kittens that we given as unwanted Christmas presents. Our Christmas Fayre is one way to raise the extra funds needed to look after these cats and is also an opportunity for people to get some of those last minute Christmas gifts!”

Anyone with anything to donate should ring the Branch’s Information Line on 07092 301745 before Saturday.

Cats Protection is the UK’s oldest and largest feline welfare charity. The aims of Cats Protection are:

- ? To rescue stray and unwanted cats and kittens, rehabilitate and re-home them.
- ? To encourage the neutering of all cats and kittens not required for breeding.
- ? To inform the public on the care of cats and kittens.

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Notes for Editors

1. For more information please contact Rob, PR Officer, on 07884 432306.
2. Stourbridge Branch of Cats Protection covers postcodes **DY3 – DY10**, which encompasses Wollaston, Norton, Pedmore, Lye, Kinver, Kingswinford, Hagley, Brierley Hill, Tipton, Sedgley, Belbroughton, most of Kidderminster and some of Bewdley.