



MEDIA RELEASE

Cats Protection Stourbridge

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Appeal for Bric-a-Brac

Stourbridge Branch of Cats Protection, the national feline charity, is appealing for people to donate bric-a-brac and good quality jumble for its sale on Saturday 5th October.

Everyone is welcome to attend the event, which starts at 2:00pm at Hawbush Community Centre, Brettell Lane, Amblecote.

There will be something for all members of the family – books, bric-a-brac, toys, jewellery, white elephant, jumble 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, PR Officer for Stourbridge Branch, said:

“We are an organisation run entirely by volunteers. All the money that we need to look after the cats in our care has to be raised from the local community. Our events at Hawbush Community Centre are always a great success and a chance for people to pick up a real bargain.”

Anyone with anything to donate should ring Gaynor, Fundraising Officer, on 01384 422091 or the Enquiry 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.