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World Animal Day was started in 1931 at a convention of ecologists in Florence as a way of highlighting the plight of endangered species.

Since then it has grown to encompass all kinds of animal life and is widely celebrated in countries throughout the world. October 4 was chosen as World Animal Day as it is the Feast Day of St Francis of Assisi, the patron saint of animals.



It is intended as a day of celebration for anyone in the world who cares about animals. It is not restricted to any one nationality, creed, religion, political belief or ideology.

Launched in the UK on 4 October 2003. organisations, groups, animal shelters,

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places of worship, schools, clubs and individuals who participated in what was to become an annual event, quite simply, helped make history.

As animal enthusiasts, Pet Owners Parliament members are encouraged to take a look at <http://www.worldanimalday.org.uk> - to find out more and see what you can do in your own way to help promote the values of World Animal Day.

You can download flyers to help promote World Animal Day. These leaflets are also ideal for distribution by individuals or from information stalls. Two PDF versions available [1/3 A4 double-sided](#) OR [2/3 A4 single-sided](#)

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