

**An Evening of Animal Behaviour**  
30<sup>th</sup> Sept 09 – Ilketshall St Andrew, Suffolk

On Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> Sept 09 Jo Foster Animal Behaviour was launched at the first of a series of free talks featuring speakers Jo Foster and Jonathan Mitchell (both from Jo Foster Animal Behaviour) and Colette Checa (from Equinissimo). The hall at Ilketshall St Andrew was full of people wanting to understand a little more about their animal.

The evening was kicked off by Jo who introduced each of the speakers and the philosophies or principles that we work to as animal behaviourists. Colette continued presenting a bit of the science in the animal behaviour field which gave listeners a real introduction to the field. After the break Jonathan built on the platform that both Jo and Colette had provided and made practical suggestions to owners on how to introduce things at home with their animal. The evening was informative and enjoyed by all those who attended.



**The launch of the Jo Foster Evening Workshops**

Jo & Jonathan used this evening to launch a series of 2 hour workshops for animals owners. At just £20 per person these workshops will be fun, informative and interactive. For more details visit the events page on [www.JoFoster.net](http://www.JoFoster.net)

**Supporting Charities**

A special thanks to everyone who donated to our three charities of the evening

- The Wild Equid Protection Trust
  - The Arc Foundation
  - The Cinnamon Trust

A raffle & tea break donations meant we raised more than £100 for these charities

*Dear Jonathan and Jo,*

*Thank you very much for arranging the collection to benefit ARC, amongst others at your Open Evening in Suffolk on September 30th. As you know ARC is a very small charity dedicated to homing abandoned and abused dogs from Ireland and the proceeds of the raffle and collection ( £55) will be very welcome indeed .*

*. Very best wishes Lynne, Arc Foundation*

**What you had to say about the evening**

*Thank you for putting on the animal behaviour evening yesterday, we all enjoyed it and it was a good reminder about animal behaviour issues*

*We wish you well with your new business venture*

*A fantastic and informative evening – thank you*

**A huge thank you from us**

We would like to thank the following without whom the evening would not have been possible:

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