



Paws4Travels

by Park4Travels

FOR KENNELS AND CATTERIES

Licensed boarding across the UK

Fill your quiet weeks.

Free to join.

Pet owners across the UK use Paws4Travels to find a licensed kennel or cattery near them, then book and pay online. Switch on bookings for your kennel or cattery and we'll send them your way, on the dates you choose.

£0

Sign-up fee

Nothing to pay to join

8%

First month

Then 12%, only on stays

£29

Or a monthly plan

0% commission, cancel any time

YOU MAY ALREADY BE LISTED

Search your business name at paws4travels.co.uk and press Claim

We list every council-licensed kennel and cattery from the public licence registers. Claiming takes about 20 minutes.



1,295 licensed kennels and catteries
listed across 99 counties and council areas

Owners search by postcode or town
and book and pay online

WHY PAWS4TRAVELS

Bookings that arrive paid, complete and on your terms

Running a kennel or cattery means answering the phone between feeds, chasing deposits, copying vaccination dates off cards at the door, and hoping people turn up. Paws4Travels takes the booking side off your hands without changing how you look after the animals.

Without us	With Paws4Travels
Enquiries by phone, at all hours	Owners see your prices and spaces and book themselves, any time
Deposits to chase, payment on collection	Paid in full by card at the moment they book
No-shows and late cancellations cost you	Your own cancellation policy, applied automatically
Health details collected at the door	Vaccinations, flea, worming, vet and emergency contact before arrival
Quiet weeks stay quiet	Open the dates you want filled; owners nearby can book them
Card machine and card fees	No card fees: we take the payment

Why now

We list 1,295 council-licensed kennels and catteries across the UK, and only a handful take bookings online so far. Bookable listings show a "Book online" button and live prices, so owners searching near you can book straight away instead of ringing round. Being early means being one of the few they can book.

Who we are

Paws4Travels is run by Park4Travels Ltd, a UK registered company (number 16762547), which also runs park4travels.co.uk, the airport parking comparison site. We act as your booking agent: the stay is between you and the pet owner; we list you, take the booking and the payment, and pay you your share.

Your page may already be live

We list every council-licensed kennel and cattery from the public licence registers, so your business is probably already on paws4travels.co.uk, with your council star rating. Search for your business name and press "Claim" to add your photos, prices and rules and switch on booking. Not listed yet? Apply at paws4travels.co.uk/operators.

HOW IT WORKS

From a search to a paid stay

What the pet owner does

- 1 Searches by postcode or town**
They see licensed kennels and catteries near them, with council star ratings and prices.
- 2 Opens your page**
Your photos, description, facilities, prices, house rules and cancellation policy. Your exact address is shared once they've paid.
- 3 Chooses dates**
We check you have a space on every night. Closed days and dates you've blocked can't be booked.
- 4 Enters each pet's details and health record**
Your rules are checked as they go. A pet that doesn't meet them can't be booked.
- 5 Pays in full by card**
Your price plus our £1.95 booking fee, shown in the total before they pay. They get a confirmation with your address, phone number and drop-off times.

What you do

- 1 Claim your listing, once**
About 20 minutes: photos, description, prices, spaces, rules, cancellation policy and bank details.
- 2 Get every booking straight away**
By email, in your portal and calendar, and in your own diary if you sync it.
- 3 Look after the pet as you always do**
Check them in on arrival; you have the vet, emergency contact and the owner's consent for treatment.
- 4 Mark the stay collected**
Collected stays go on that month's statement.
- 5 Get paid**
By bank transfer within 10 working days of the month end, with a statement for every stay.

You're in charge, always

Every booking follows your prices, your spaces and your rules. Open or close dates whenever you like, pause online booking with one switch, and keep taking phone bookings exactly as you do now.

What comes with your listing

Your listing

- ✓ Photo gallery, description and facilities
- ✓ Your council star rating
- ✓ Prices shown for the owner's dates
- ✓ County and town pages, and postcode search
- ✓ A "Book online" button once you switch on

Bookings and payment

- ✓ Paid in full when they book
- ✓ No card fees, no card machine
- ✓ No double bookings: spaces checked per night
- ✓ Instant booking email to you

Your calendar, your way

- ✓ Calendar in your portal
- ✓ Two-way sync with Google, Outlook or booking software (iCal)
- ✓ API and webhooks for bigger systems
- ✓ Block dates and set closed days

Every pet's details, before arrival

- ✓ Name, breed, age, sex, neutered or not
- ✓ Vaccinations and when they were given
- ✓ Flea and worming dates, microchip number
- ✓ Medical conditions, medication and diet
- ✓ Good with dogs and people, any bite history
- ✓ Vet, emergency contact, consent for treatment
- ✓ Pet insurer

Your partner portal

- ✓ Today: arrivals, departures, staying tonight
- ✓ Bookings, prices and seasonal rates
- ✓ Listing, photos, facilities and health rules
- ✓ Cancellation policy and payout statements
- ✓ Messages from owners, with email alerts

Give back, if you like

After a couple of months you can give 1–10% of your share of each booking to an animal charity you choose. We pay it for you and show it on your page.

Help when you need it

Reply to any email from us or write to hello@paws4travels.co.uk. We can go through setup with you on the phone.



See a finished listing

Scan to open our example kennel and cattery: photos, description, facilities, prices, health rules and cancellation policy, all filled in. It shows exactly what owners will see on your page.

THE MONEY

Two simple ways to pay

COMMISSION

8% then 12%

of each booking, first month then after

- Only on stays that happen
- Nothing to pay up front
- Best for a few bookings a month

SUBSCRIPTION

£29 a month

or £290 a year (2 months free) · no VAT

- 0% commission on every booking
- Keep 100% of your price
- Paid by card, cancel any time

Both plans: £0 sign-up, £0 card fees, no contract (30 days' notice to leave), and nothing on your own customers or bookings. Owners pay us a £1.95 booking fee on top of your price; it never comes out of your share. Switch plans any time — each booking keeps the terms it was made under.

Worked examples

Booking	Your price	You get at 8%	You get at 12%	On subscription
Dog, 7 nights at £25	£175	£161	£154	£175
Two cats, 10 nights at £18	£360	£331.20	£316.80	£360
Dog, 3 nights at £30	£90	£82.80	£79.20	£90

Which is cheaper? The subscription, once you take more than £242 of bookings a month.

If a customer cancels late

Your own policy applies. On commission, we only take 12% of the part the customer isn't refunded (keep £87.50 of a £175 stay and you receive £77.00). On the subscription you keep all of it. No-shows work the same way.

When you're paid

Stays you mark as collected in a month are paid by bank transfer within 10 working days of that month ending, with a statement for every booking. There's nothing to invoice. The subscription is paid separately by card.

You decide who stays, and on what terms

Health and entry rules you can set

- **Dogs:** core vaccination (DHP), leptospirosis, kennel cough and how many days before arrival, flea and worming within your time limits, microchip, minimum age, bitches in season, entire males, bite history
- **Cats:** cat flu and enteritis, feline leukaemia, how many days before arrival, flea and worming, microchip, minimum age
- **Medication:** whether you can give it
- **Anything else:** add your own requirements, such as a meet-and-greet visit before a first stay

Owners must confirm your rules before they pay, and a pet that doesn't meet them can't be booked.

Your cancellation policy

Choose Flexible (full refund up to 2 days before), Moderate (full refund up to 7 days, 50% up to 2 days) or Strict (50% up to 14 days), or set your own refund tiers. Owners see it before they pay and it is applied automatically to every refund.

On the day

- **Refusing a pet:** you can refuse one that doesn't match what the owner told us or doesn't meet your rules. Tell us the same day.
- **If something happens:** you have the vet details, an emergency contact and the owner's consent for treatment.
- **Your insurance and licence:** you keep your own, as you do now. We never interfere with how you care for the animals.

Freedom and fairness

- **No tie-in:** pause online bookings any time, or leave with 30 days' notice.
- **Keep everything else:** phone bookings, your own website and other sites, at any price.
- **The one rule:** customers who book through us pay through us. Please don't take extra payment from them or move them off the site to avoid commission.
- **Data:** you use owners' details only to look after their pets, under UK GDPR.

The full Kennel Terms are at paws4travels.co.uk/kennel-terms and you accept them in your portal before taking bookings.

GET STARTED

Live in about 20 minutes

Have these ready

- ✓ At least 5 photos: rooms or runs, outdoor areas, reception
- ✓ A few sentences about your place and how pets are cared for
- ✓ Nightly prices, plus any seasonal prices
- ✓ How many dogs and cats you take a night
- ✓ Drop-off and collection times, and closed days
- ✓ Your health rules and cancellation policy
- ✓ Bank details for your payouts

Then

- 1 Find your business on our site and press Claim (or scan the code below)
- 2 Confirm your details and set a password
- 3 Follow the setup checklist in your portal
- 4 Accept the Kennel Terms
- 5 Switch on bookings; your 8% first month starts

Questions kennels ask

Do I have to take every booking?

No. You open the dates and spaces you want, and can pause online booking at any time.

Which plan should I choose?

Commission if you expect a few bookings a month; the £29 subscription once you take more than about £242 of bookings a month. Switch any time.

Can I still take bookings by phone?

Yes. Block those dates (or sync your diary) so they can't be booked online too.

Who holds the money?

Customers pay Park4Travels Ltd as your booking agent. Your share is held for you and paid monthly with a statement.

What if I want to stop?

Pause any time, or leave with 30 days' notice. Confirmed bookings are honoured and anything owed is paid.

READY WHEN YOU ARE

Claim your listing

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