

## 10th Veterinary Nurse Qualifies With the Kingston Group

Ruth Brocklesby has qualified as a veterinary nurse with the Kingston Veterinary Group after passing her examinations with flying colours. Her success brings the Group's total of qualified nurses to 10, which is more than any other practice in the area.

Ruth, who works at Kingston's Willerby Road surgery, did so well in her studies that she was awarded a Personal Achievement Certificate by the College of Animal Welfare in Leeds, which ran the course. These are only presented to students who have performed exceptionally well.

She spent two years training to become a veterinary nurse. Her course included studying at the College of Animal Welfare for one day each week, carrying out assignments and taking two major examinations.

She said: "I've always wanted to work with animals and I really enjoy the variety of work that I get at the Kingston Veterinary Group."

Group Practice Manager Tim Rayner said: "We are delighted that Ruth has qualified as a veterinary nurse and the fact that we now have 10 nurses highlights our commitment to training and development to ensure that we offer the best possible animal care."

After leaving school Ruth studied for a National Diploma in Animal Care at Bishop Burton College before spending eight years with the Peel Veterinary Group and now three years with Kingston vets.

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