

## PROGRAMME

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After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information and a separate link to join the meeting.

### 10.00 Chair's Welcome

To approve the minutes of the 112<sup>th</sup> Open Meeting

Update on the work of the ADCH Board of Trustees and Committees

### 10.30 Update on Legislation

*David Bowles, Mike Flynn & Andrew Kelly*

**11.00 A global study of Companion Animal Adoption and Relinquishment during the Pandemic – how ADCH Members can help**

*Grace Carroll, Queen's University Belfast*

### 11.15 Break

### 11.20 Safeguarding – what it means for your organisation

*Kit Lendon & Tracy Genever, Blue Cross*

### 12.00 Attendees move into one of two streams:

#### CAT STREAM

**The importance of Kitten Socialisation - preparing a kitten to cope with the human world**

*Daniel Cummings, Cats Protection*

#### DOG STREAM

**Stray Dog Contracts: pros & cons**

Speakers include:

*Adam Clowes, Dogs Trust*

*Trevor Cooper, DogLaw*

*Giles Webber, Birmingham Dogs Home*

*Vanessa Waddon, Hope Rescue*

### 12.50 Any other business and member updates

### 13.00 Close

### **Forthcoming events**

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2021 – Virtual Open Meeting