

RCVS intended censorship of 2014 Election Biography and Manifesto

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Dear Tom

Your offering this year seems to be worse than usual. I have used track changes to show what I propose to remove.

I would like you to agree these changes or better still give me something we can publish.

The rules provide that I am *not required to publish* anything that I *reasonably consider to be defamatory or otherwise unlawful, or factually misleading and may in the absence of agreement with you either edit election statement* (and your biography is effectively this as well) before circulating it or decide not circulate it.

I look forward to hearing from you. I will be away next week so contact will be limited and if I do not hear from you or we do not resolve this, I will decide whether to publish the edited version or nothing at all.

Kind regards

Gordon

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From: Tom Lonsdale [<mailto:tom@rawmeatybones.com>]
Sent: 21 January 2014 20:04
To: Dawn Wiggins
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Subject: Manifesto

Hi Dawn,

Herewith the 18th manifesto for election to the RCVS.

It's to be hoped that someone at the RCVS and maybe some of the vet schools will get the message it's not OK for vets to actively, knowingly, deliberately poison their patients. Or am I being far too naive?

All the best,

Tom



Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons – Council Election 2014 Candidate Information Form

Candidate Information

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Candidate biography and statement

Candidate biography: (up to 200 words maximum – please refer to guidance notes, paras 14-19)

1972 London graduate.

1980s Gradual dawning that the veterinary profession operates in a junk pet-food bubble economy. The pet ~~cruelty~~, human economy costs and environmental costs are unsustainable. The bubble must eventually burst.

1991 Blew the whistle on the junk pet-food/veterinary alliance. See website.

1992 Commenced campaign to educate and inform the veterinary profession, pet-owning and wider public about ~~the~~ junk pet-food ~~seam~~.

1992/3 Circulated RCVS and Deans of British veterinary schools lecture monographs ~~alerting them to the incompetence and negligence of the veterinary leadership~~.

1993 Obtained and published legal advice in *Veterinary Dentistry*, Sydney University course proceedings, ~~of possible actions against manufacturers, vets and other peddlers of junk pet food~~.

1997 First time candidacy for RCVS elections.

2001 *Raw Meaty Bones* published. ~~Foreword by Oliver Graham Jones FRCVS, RVC lecturer and long time RCVS Councillor~~.

~~2002 Called upon young vets to sue their vet schools~~.

2004 ~~Eminent veterinarians Dr Richard Malik and Dr Douglas Bryden nominated~~ *Raw Meaty Bones* for Australian College of Veterinary Scientists prize.

2004 House of Commons Early Day Motion

2005 *Work Wonders* published.

2005 House of Commons Early Day Motion.

2006 to present: Lectures, articles and political campaigns for better pet health, human economy and natural environment.

Candidate statement: (not more than 300 words – please refer to guidance notes, paras 14-19)

'The test of the morality of a society is what it does for its children.' Dietrich Bonhoeffer.

'The only thing necessary for the triumph of evil is for good men to do nothing.' [Edmund Burke](#)

~~Veterinary incomes mainly derive from treating pets~~ — pets addicted to junk pet-food.

Denied ~~their birthright of~~ appropriate nutrients, teeth cleaning and mental stimulation — raw meaty bones diet fundamentals — ~~the junk food addicts' suffering begins with the first glutinous slurp. Thereafter nasty ingredients, vile mouth rot and obesity predispose pets to a litany of end stage diseases~~.

~~Unfortunately arrogant veterinary schools deny the obvious in their monster display of the Semmelweis reflex. They prostitute themselves to the pet food makers and then pimp their students for the pet food makers' pleasure~~.

Veterinary associations, ~~snouts deep in the pet food trough~~, host conferences in partnership with multinational pet-food makers.

Veterinary journals provide advertising and support for the pet-food industry. ~~Bogus 'research' papers never mentioning the main determinants of pet disease extoll the alleged benefits of artificial pet food and specifically condemn natural diets.~~

~~Brainwashed veterinary students graduate to become blinkered practitioners over-servicing a population of junk food poisoned pets, but seldom if ever confronting the key determinants of pet disease and suffering.~~

Alas the RCVS when 'Setting Veterinary Standards' fails to see, hear or speak about the junk pet-food ~~fraud — hypocrisy writ large and sinister manifestation of the rotten callous venal sham.~~

In previous years I've called for a full parliamentary inquiry. Now I believe that the RCVS Council should be dismissed and an administrator appointed pending the outcome of that inquiry. ~~I recommend that there be legal proceedings against prominent companies, veterinary institutions and individuals in respect to breach of contract, animal cruelty, theft and deception.~~

Please honour Bonhoeffer, Semmelweis and Burke; please vote to show that you care.