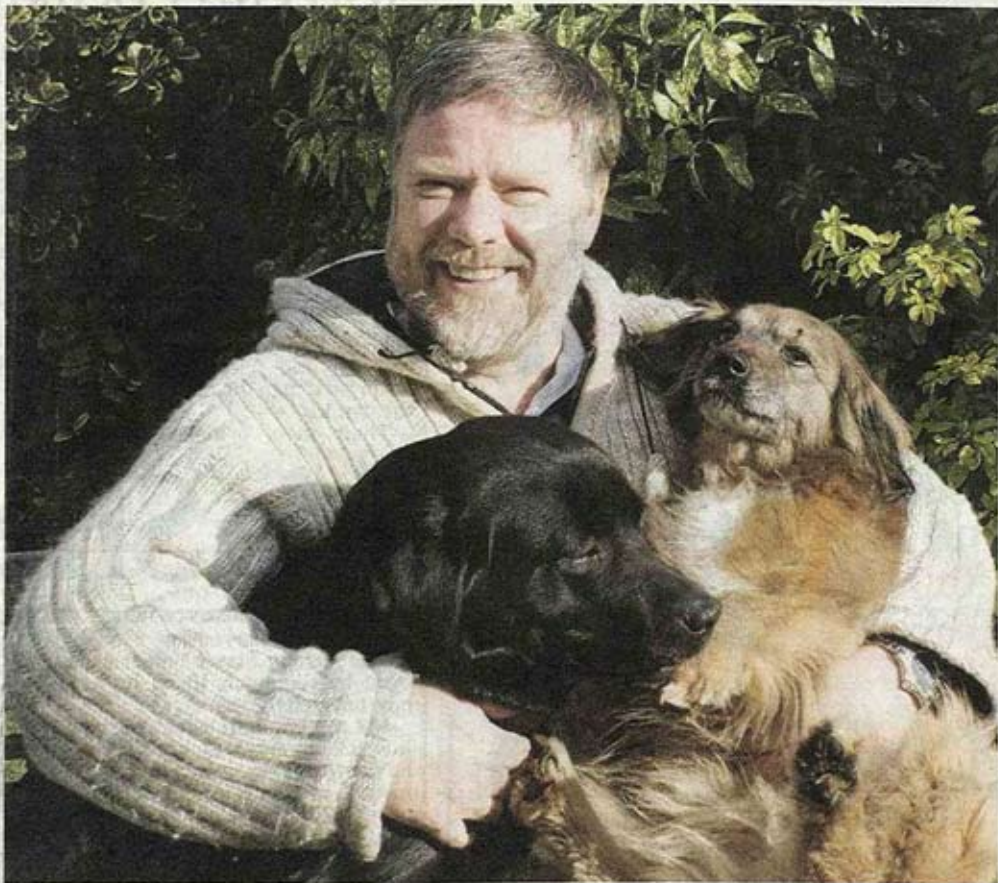


Kenilworth vet wins national awards



Mike Martin. Picture submitted.

A KENILWORTH vet has received two awards for his outstanding work with animals.

Mike Martin, owner of Martin Referrals, in Waverley Road, received the accolades at the annual British Small Animal Veterinary Association (BSAVA) Congress, held in Birmingham.

He was presented with The Blaine Award, given annually by the BSAVA, supported by Royal Canin, for outstanding contributions to the advancement of small animal veterinary medicine or surgery.

Mr Martin is the first vet who works outside a university or institution to be given this award in more than 20 years.

He also received The Dunkin Award, presented to the author of the most valuable article published in the Journal of Small Animal Practice by a small animal practitioner during the previous 12 months.

The vet said: "I feel extremely honoured and delighted to have received such distinguished awards."