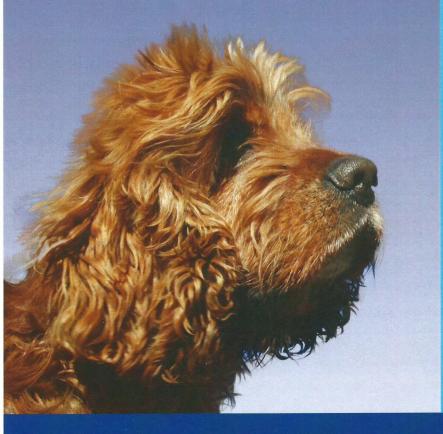
## LOST OR STOLEN DOG?

- Report stolen dogs to the police as soon as possible by calling 101
- Register your lost or stolen dog free of charge with www.doglost.co.uk or call 0844 800 3220 and access their help page for advice
- Contact your local dog warden



- Don't tie your dog up outside a shop
- Don't leave your dog alone in the car
- Make sure your dog has been micro chipped (from April 2016, your dog MUST be chipped)
- Your dog should always wear a collar and ID tag with your name and address on it. Avoid putting your dog's name on the disc
- Take clear photographs of your dog from various angles, and update them regularly. Make a note of any distinguishing features
- Vary your times of walks and routes; some dogs are actually targeted and snatched during walks
- Fit a bell to your garden gate so you hear if anyone opens it
- Keep your dog in view in the garden, don't just leave them outside unsupervised

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