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Businessman in sex case shame

A BUSINESSMAN has been jailed for six years for sexually abusing two children and making indecent images of others.

Scott Cordner, 42, of Ferrers Road, Yoxall, plotted with another man to target a two-year-old girl at a house in Staffordshire after the pair met in an internet chatroom.

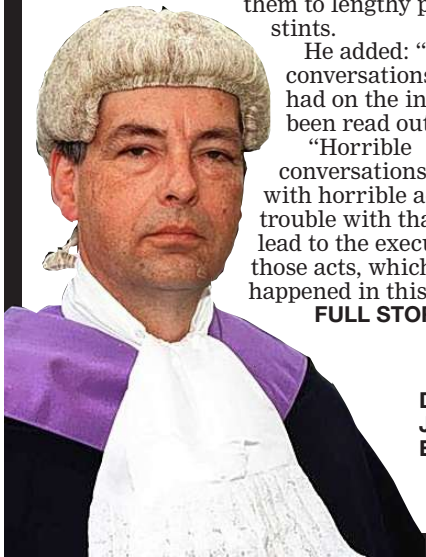
He also abused a seven-year-old, Stafford Crown Court was told.

Judge Mark Eades (below) described their conversations as 'disgusting' as he sentenced them to lengthy prison stints.

He added: "Some of the conversations you two had on the internet have been read out.

"Horrible conversations, dealing with horrible acts. The trouble with that is it can lead to the execution of those acts, which is what happened in this case."

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DISGUST: Judge Mark Eades.

A38 measures are working a year on

VITAL lifesaving measures given the green light on the A38 a year ago are already paying off.

Twelve months after a new speed limit and central reservation gap closures between Barton under Needwood and Branston were agreed, new figures have shown that accident levels have fallen.

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'I'd rather save my PET than a life'

By Rob Smyth

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MORE people in Burton and South Derbyshire would rather save the life of their pet than a stranger, shock new figures have shown.

Blood cancer charity Anthony Nolan found that only 50 per cent would put their lives at risk or decide to help save their fellow man compared to 75 per cent who would rather help a pet.

Now, charity bosses and cancer survivors are pulling together to try to bolster the number of people willing to join the bone marrow donation register.

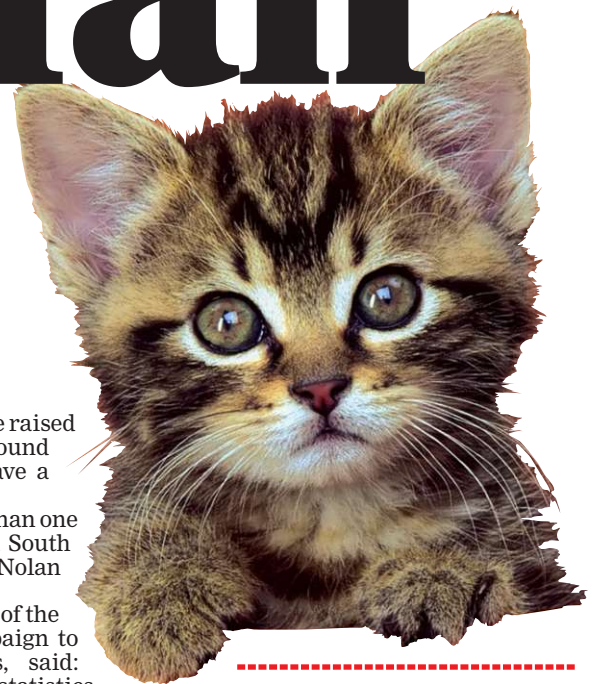
Anthony Nolan chief executive Henny

Braund said: "These findings have raised thought-provoking questions around how far we would each go to save a stranger's life."

The statistics showed that less than one per cent of people in Burton and South Derbyshire were on the Anthony Nolan register.

Katherine Sinfield, centrepiece of the Mail's 'Take Five Minutes' campaign to increase bone marrow donors, said: "What's worrying is that these statistics relate to lives. We're not talking about materialistic objects, we're talking about giving someone – maybe someone close to you in your family – a chance of survival."

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