

Patron: Mrs Betty Cabena

NEWSLETTER

March 2010

EASTERN SUBURBS OBEDIENCE DOG CLUB



WELCOME AND HAPPY TRAINING EVERYONE!

YOUR COMMITTEE

Office Bearers

President	Brian Arter	9874 1432
Vice President	Janelle Burns	9806 0795
Secretary	Andrea Sciberras	9877 1528
Treasurer	Andrea Sciberras	98771528

General Committee

Mick Harvey, Yvonne Kitch, Graeme Carter, Deborah Willenberg

INTRODUCTION

Our Club was formed in 1969 to cater for those owners of purebred dogs who were interested in trailing their dogs to Obedience Trial standard and has been very successful in this regard. On being granted affiliation with the Victorian Canine Association in 1979, all breeds whether registered or not have been accepted.

CLUB RULES

- All dogs should be kept on leash at all times, excepted when given permission to work off leash in class.
- Handlers wishing to leave their dogs tied up on the Club grounds should only do so if their dogs are safe with people especially children. No dog may be tied up where it can reach another dog.
- Dogs in season should not come down to training for four weeks. This does not mean you should stop the training of your dog.
- Dogs must be immunised against distemper and canine hepatitis before coming to classes. This should also be renewed yearly.
- A dog suffering from any illness or skin problems should not be brought to classes until a Vet has pronounced the condition not contagious.
- Handler must remove their dogs excreta from the training area implements are provided.
- Physical punishment of dogs is not permitted in training classes.
- Instructors have authority over their classes and may ask a member to take their dog out of class if it is disruptive.
- Instructors are not permitted to handle and train a member's dog in class.
- While at the grounds before and after classes please control your dogs.

As this is my first report for the year I would like to welcome all members new and old to the Club and wish you all the best for the year. If you have any questions about your dog or training please ask your Instructor or myself.

There is a cuppa and biscuits supplied free after class so please stay back and get to know your committee and fellow members.

Our first event for the year was our fun day held in February the day was a great success the dogs just loved the fun and games. A big thank you to Ann and Committee members also our chef John for putting it all together on the day.

Congratulations to Debbie and Sanchez for gaining their second pass in Community Companion Dog at the Croydon Obedience Dog Club.

I would like to let you know that there will be no training on Easter Sunday the 4th of April training as usual the following Sunday.

Happy Training Brian Arter

Miriam Smith

NEW MEMBERS

Mick Van Watering Mackie Whippet Pauline Richards **English Setter** Poddy Chetan Chaunan Lucas Rottweiler X Hungarian Vizsla Kathryn Cisera Honey Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Tamara O'Dwver Izzv Hamish Golden retriever Kristine Reynolds Jill Diedrich Spoodle Poppy Greg Laker Cavoodle Coco Chris Kunst Coco Spoodle Amanda Love Staffordshire Bull Terrier Archie John Batt Kassie Labrador Retriever Carol Snell Tahlia Schoodle Andrew & Lucy Zurzolo Labrador X Mastiff Ash Rachel Duke Jasmin Staffordshire X Wei-Ying Wang & Xtang Le Maltese X Foxie Repo **Bonner Turner** Cavoodle Ruby Chris McDonald Zep Golden Retriever Mary McCleary Labrador Retrievert keira Paula Goodnight Golden Retriever Benny Michael & Kathryn McMahan **Border Collie** Ruffy Amanda Cooke Shetland Sheepdog Dusty Sam Hennah & Jojo Australian Terrier X schofield Westy X Jack Russell Kathie Harris Buddy Cavoodle Sally Spensley Molly Susan Distel Chester Pug X Beagle

RENEWALS - WELCOME BACK

Kelpie X

Barbara East	Sophie	Bearded Collie
Yvonne Kitch	Milo & Molly	Labrador
Helen Manini	Lucy	Border Collie X
Elizabeth Hullett	Juno	Jack Russell X

Calypso

RENEWALS ARE NOW DUE FOR 2010

OBEDIENCE TRIAL DATES FOR 2010

Club	Date
Dogs Victoria	3 rd Apr
Dogs Victoria	4 th Apr
Ballaarat Dog Obedience Club (Double trial	10 th Apr
Peninsula Obedience Dog Club	18 th Apr
Croydon & District Obedience Dog Club	28 th Apr
Welsh Corgi Club of Victoria	8 th May
Berwick Obedience Dog Club (Double Trial	16 th May
Wangaratta K & O Dog Club (Double Trial	16 th May
Labrador Retriever Club of Vic (Restricted to Breed	16 th May
Mornington Obedience Dog Club	23 rd May
Keilor Obedience Dog Training Centre	6 th June
East Gippsland Obedience Dog Club	13 th June
Gippsland Obedience Dog Club (Double trial) Monday	14 th June
Hastings & Districts Obedience Dog Club (Double	26 th June
Broadmeadows Obedience Dog Club	27 th June
Geelong Obedience Dog Club (Double Trial)	10 th July
Geelong Obedience Dog Club (Double Trial)	11 th July
VCA State Obedience Trial	7 th Aug
VCA State Obedience Trial	8 th Aug
Wangaratta K & O Dog Club	14 th Aug
Wangaratta K & O Dog Club	15 th Aug
Gordon Setter Club Of Vic Restricted to Gun dogs	21 st Aug
Bendigo Obedience Dog Club (Double Trial)	22 nd Aug
Western Port Obedience Dog Club	28 th Aug
Moorabbin & Districts Obedience Dog Club	29 th Aug

EASTERN SUBURBS OBEDIENCE DOG CLUB 2010 CALENDAR

FEBRUARY	7 th Training Starts & Committee Meeting
FEBRUARY	21 ST Fun day
JUNE	6 th Committee Meeting
JUNE	26 th 27 th 28 th Tracking Trial
SEPTEMBER	19 th Fun Day
OCTOBER	3 rd Committee Meeting
OCTOBER	17 th Obedience Trial
NOVEMBER	14 th Committee Meeting
DECEMBER	12 th Annual General Meeting
DECEMBER	12 th Last Day of Training & fun Day

FOR UPDATES TO THIS CALENDAR PLEASE CONSULT YOUR NEWSLETTERS All articles etc, for Newsletter to be given to Andrea Sciberras

Training Tip

Training should be part of your dog's daily life the minute the dog steps into your home until he/she is no longer in your care. Like teaching him / her to sit when told, coming when called, waiting for

the food bowl to be put down then told to eat, to stop jumping up on everyone that comes into your home. Walking down the street nicely not pulling nor jumping all over people and other dogs. Do not forget to do a couple of minutes of training each day. When you are training the food method just make sure you give the dog the reward straight away for the behavior you want, not the dog dictating to you. Obedience is all about dog attention. If you have that then the training will be easy so make all the training fun for you and your dog.

Never give up training your dog, be patient you can do it.

Vaccinations

Don't forget to have your dog vaccinated when the time comes around, to safe guard your dog while out and about, it is one of the requirements of the dog school so as soon as you have revaccinated your dog please show the vaccination card to your instructor.

To all Dog Owners

Please don't forget to carry something to pick up the poo when walking your dog. This is required by law. You are responsible for what your dog leaves behind and fines can be hefty if you are caught not cleaning up the mess.

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Members Please Note

There will be no classes on Easter Sunday the 4th of April training resumes the following Sunday

From Secretary Andrea Sciberras

Around the Obedience & Tracking Events 2009-2010

At Croydon Obedience Dog on the 12th of December 2009 Debbie Willenberg and Sanchez gained their second pass towards the Community Companion Dig Title with now only one more to go. Debbie and Sanchez passed with a Qualifying score of 85 points out of a 100.

At Southern Obedience Dog Training Club 21st of March 2010. Brian Arter and T Ch Kadnook Etched In Gold CCD (Dolly) also gained their second pass towards the Companion Dog Title with a Qualifying score of 175 points and second place on a count back

Congratulations to the team of Debbie & Sanchez and Brian & Dolly.

Results of Fun Day December 2009

Mini Agility
1st Liza & Juno
2nd Robbie & Hooch
3rd Harry & Sam

Dog and Handler Fast Walk (Boys)

1st Simon & Hannah

2nd Robbie & Hooch

3rd Robert & Juno

Fastest Eeater

1st Barb & Lewis

2nd Robbie & Hooch

Puppy Mini Agility

1st Margo & Charlie

2nd Luke & Misha

3rd Karen & Molly

Dog and Handler Fast Walk (Girls) 1st Melissa & Lewis 2nd Liza & Juno 3rd Tess & maggie

Results of the February 2010 Fun day

Mini Agility

1st Robin & Ringo

2nd Liza & Juno

3rd Mick & Lewis

Dog and Handler Fast Walk (Boys)

1st Andrew & Ash

2nd Mick & Lewis

3rd Harry & Sam

Musical Cones 1st Tess & Maggie 2nd Pat Tammy 3rd Barb & Chloe

Bacon Chicken Layer Cake

3 cups flour
1 tsp Baking powder
1/2 cup margarine softened
6 eggs beaten
1/2 cup corn oil
2 jars strained chicken baby food
2 cups finely shredded carrots
3 or 3 strips of bacon, fried crisp then crumbled or use bacon flavoured jerky strips cut into bits

Fastest Eeater

1st Petra & Roxy

2nd Tess & Maggie

3rd Melissa & Chloe

Dog and Handler Fast Walk (Girls)

1st Melissa & Sophie

2nd Tess & Maggie

3rd Tammy & Tia

Generously grease and flour two 8in round cake pans; set aside. Combine flour and baking powder; set aside In mixing bowl, beat softened margarine until smooth add eggs & corn oil; add strained chicken and shredded carrots and mix until smooth. Add flour mixture & mix thoroughly. Pour batter into the 2 prepared 8in cake pans. Bake at 325c for 60 minutes Let cool for a few minutes before removing from pans. Cool completely on wire racks. Place one layer on serving plate and spread yogurt over top. Place second layer on top the spread yogurt all over the top and sides Sprinkle with bacon bits

Tip I would suggest thinking the yogurt with gelatin