

Patron: Mrs Betty Cabena

# NEWSLETTER MARCH 2013

# **EASTERN SUBURBS OBEDIENCE DOG CLUB**



**WELCOME AND HAPPY TRAINING EVERYONE!** 

#### YOUR COMMITTEE

# Office Bearers

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# **General Committee**

Michael Harvey, Yvonne Kitch, Sue Collier, Margo Hone, Louise Robertson

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www.esodc.org.au

# 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 dog's 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.

## PRESIDENTS REPORT

## Hello Members

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, we are only too willing to help. There is a tea and biscuits free after class so please stay back and get to know your committee and fellow members.

Our first event for the year will be our Family Fun Day on the 24<sup>th</sup> March, with a sausage sizzle and games all family members welcome. You will find the flyer elsewhere in this newsletter. Congratulations to Sue & Waldo for gaining two passes towards their Advance Rally O

I would like to let you know that there is no training on Easter Sunday the 31<sup>st</sup> March, back to normal training the following Sunday.

Happy Training Brian Arter

#### **MEMBERS**

# **New Members**

Pamela McKean	Merlot	Labradoodle
Kate Rolfe	Cooper	Border Collie
Jessica Le	Cotton	Maltese X Shitzu
Dexter Saykas	Alfie	Japense Spitz
Jenny, Taya & Clifton Family	Kelpie & Whippet	Audrey & Charlie
Carlie & David Anderson	Remo	Kelpie
Kylie Bradshaw	Bella	Labradoodle
Gary Cheetham	Jessie	Labradoodle
Matthew Stanfield	Layla	Boxer
Piers & Catherine Hardiman	Rory	Collie
Kira & Sarah Constable	Monty	Toy Poodle
David Helen & Lachian Wines	Nessie	Golden retriever
Angelika Wagner	Charlie	Spoodle
Leonie Wallace	Benson	Pomeranian X
Debbie Dick /Trotter	Harry & Breagle	GSP & Cavoodle
Mandi Ellul	Homer	Beagle
Marguerne Gleary	Basil	Cavoodle
Angela Hayes &	Morrison	Golden Retriever
Brend Denning		
Amber & Tim Thogersen	Sparky	Australian Terrier
Kathryn Searles	Millie	Border Collie
Sarah Malkin & Luke Caldor	Rufus	Husky X Retriever
Ben & Margarita Fair	Marky & Tolkian	Bull Mastiff X & King Charles Spaniel
Pam & Janita Dunner	Charm, Gemma & Rosie	Cav King Charles x 2 & Poodle X
Michelle Cappuccio	Railly	Cavador
Rob & Annmarie Lambert	Summer	Golden Retriever
Heather & Kristy Parslaw	Kayla	Labrador Retriever
Ivana Calvisl	Bonnie	LabradorRetriever

Peter & Rylee Moore	Lenny Zac	Neo Mastiff & Pugaliar
Jen & John Toogood	Ruby	Kelpie
Allan Smith	Bella	Cocker Spaniel
Kaitlin Warren & Jarrod Turner	Tess	Kelpie
Ivan & Annette Kayne	Modge	Great Dane
Julian Roche	Tilly	Mini Schnauzer
Sarah & Damian Sampiman	Jasper	Weimaraner
Kim & Leon Tsiandikcis	Atticus	Mini Groodle

# **Renewals - Welcome Back**

Yvonne Kitch	Daisy	Labrador Retriever
Rick & Lilianna Faralla	Larry	Pomeranian X Corgi
Carol Snell	Tahlia	Schoodle
Dafydd Smith	Peppa	Pug

# Renewals are now due for 2013

# **OBEDIENCE TRIAL DATES FOR 2013**

Club	Date
Southern Obedience Dog Training Club. Double Trial	16 <sup>th</sup> March
Border Collie. Restricted Trial	23 <sup>rd</sup> March
OTEC State trial (Obedience am Rally O pm)	30 <sup>th</sup> March
OTEC State Trial (Obedience am Rally O pm)	31 <sup>st</sup> March
Ballaarat Dog Obedience Club. Double Trial	6 <sup>th</sup> April
WEIMARANER Club of Vic Restricted Trial	14 <sup>th</sup> April
Peninsula Obedience Dog Club	21 <sup>st</sup> April
Croydon & District Obedience Dog Club	28 <sup>th</sup> April
Berwick Obedience Dog Club. Double trial	19 <sup>th</sup> May
Wangaratta K & O Dog Club Double Trial	19 <sup>th</sup> May
LABRADOR Retriever Club of Vic. Restricted trial	19 <sup>th</sup> May
Mornington Obedience Dog Club & 2 Rally Obed Trials	26 <sup>h</sup> May
HUNGARIAN Vizsla Club Obed Restricted to Gundogs	1 <sup>st</sup> June
Bairnsdale Dog Club Obedience & Rally O Trial	8 <sup>th</sup> June
East Gippsland Obed Dog Club (Obed am & Rally O pm	9 <sup>th</sup> June
Gippsland Obedience Dog Club Double Obedience Trial	10 <sup>th</sup> June Monday
Hastings & District Obedience Dog Club	22 <sup>nd</sup> June
Broadmeadows Obedience Dog Club	23 <sup>rd</sup> June
Warrnambool Dog Training School Double Trial	29 <sup>th</sup> June

# Eastern Suburbs Obedience Dog Club 2013Calendar

FEBRUARY	3 <sup>RD</sup> Training Starts
FEBRUARY	10th Committee Meeting
MARCH	24th Fun Day
JUNE	2 <sup>ND</sup> Committee Meeting
JUNE	22 <sup>ND</sup> ,23 <sup>RD</sup> ,24th Tracking Trial
SEPTEMBER	15th Fun Day
OCTOBER	6 <sup>TH</sup> Committee Meeting
OCTOBER	20 <sup>TH</sup> Obedience Trial
NOVEMBER	10th Committee Meeting
DECEMBER	8th Last Day of Training & fun Day

## **AROUND THE OBEDIENCE & TRACKING EVENTS 2013**

At the Pet Expo Rally O trial run by Dogs Victoria on the 2<sup>nd</sup> February saw Sue Collier & Deelee Delightful Saul (Waldo) gain two passes towards their Rally Advance Title. With qualifying scores of 95 & 98 points.

Congratulations: To the team of Sue and Waldo.

Members that are trialing please let me know so I can include your passes in our newsletters thank you.

#### TRAINING NEWS AND TIPS

All articles etc, for Newsletter to be given to Andrea Sciberras

# **Training Tip**

Training is all about teaching your canine pal something every day of its life, i e sitting before feeding, sitting when friends come visiting your house and not jumping up on them before being patted. It is best to wait until your dog is calm before being patted. When you take your dog for a walk make sure you are not being pulled along, but you do not have to have the dog heel all the time, make yourself more interesting to be with and your dog will walk nicely beside you. Occasionally recall your dog to you on the walk this teaching your dog to come when called, do not forget to reward the dog for the behavior you want.

# Never give up training your dog, 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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## **Results Fun Day**

Mini Agility

1<sup>st</sup> Alicia & Jasper

2<sup>nd</sup>.Mick & Dylan

3<sup>rd</sup>.John & Heidi

Baby Agility
1st. Tuan & Sybelle
2nd. Claire & Polly
3rd. Kelly & Coco

Fastest Eater

1<sup>st</sup>. Yvonne & Daisy

2<sup>nd</sup>.Mel & Anja

3<sup>rd</sup>.Scarlet & Buckley

Men's Race 1<sup>st</sup>.Brett & Honey 2<sup>nd</sup>. John & Tammie 3<sup>rd</sup>.Tuan & Sybelle Ladies Race

1<sup>st</sup>.Melissa & Anja 2<sup>nd</sup>.Gaby & Bella 3<sup>rd</sup>. Pat & Tammie

**Musical Cones** 

1<sup>st</sup>.Cassie & Dolly 2<sup>nd</sup> Margo & Darby

3<sup>rd</sup>. Johanna & Chloe

Waggest Tail

1<sup>st</sup> Claire & Polly

2<sup>nd</sup> Sophie, Georgia & Bella

3<sup>rd</sup> Pat & Tammie

Kids Race

1<sup>st</sup>.Logan & Jasper 2<sup>nd</sup> Sophie & Charles 3<sup>rd</sup>.Lachlan & Tammy

**Fancy Dress** 

1<sup>st</sup>.Kelly & Coco

2<sup>nd</sup> Sophie, Georgia & Bella

3<sup>rd</sup>.Claire & Polly

Jelly Bean Winners

Scarlet

James Whitechurch

# **Dog Treats**

Hot Dogs, no name ones from the supermarket are a good training treat. Just cut them up into small pieces put them on a paper towel and pop them into the microwave for 20 seconds or until just firm not too hard. Or you can get some twiggy sticks from the supermarket and cut them up into small pieces.

#### Wholemeal Biscuits

For the problem dog, who for digestive reasons is unable to take dry food as part of their everyday diet:

1/2 lb wholemeal flour 1/4 tspn salt

1 oz dripping or marg 1/4 pint of milk and water 1 tspn vegemite pinch of bi-carb soda

- 1. Dissolve the fat, vegemite and bi-carb of soda in warm water diluted milk.
- 2. Mix flour, and salt
- 3. Add liquid and mix to a stiff paste
- 4. Roll out thinly cut into rounds or squares etc
- 5. Place on greased try and bake for 30 minutes at 350fh

Don't forget to bring some water as well as treats for your dog on training days, and a hat for you on these hot days, also if you go out to work or are away from the house for any length of time please make sure your dog has some shade and plenty of water.