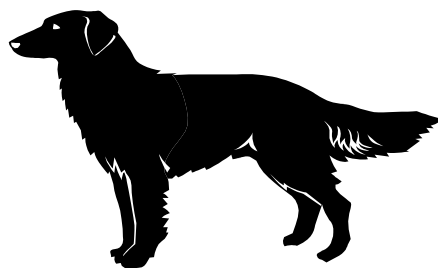




Patron: Mrs Betty Cabena

**NEWSLETTER**  
**September 2014**

**EASTERN SUBURBS OBEDIENCE DOG CLUB**



**WELCOME AND HAPPY TRAINING EVERYONE!**

## YOUR COMMITTEE

### Office Bearers

President	Brian Arter	9874 1432
Vice President	Janelle Burns	0406-008-178
Secretary	Andrea Sciberras	9877 1528
Treasurer	Andrea Sciberras	As above

### General Committee

Yvonne Kitch, Sue Collier, Margo Hone, Louise Robertson, Briar Sutherland, Sue Keane.  
Web Master: Graeme Carter.

### Web Site

[www.esodc.org.au](http://www.esodc.org.au)

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## 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 immunized 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.**

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## PRESIDENTS REPORT

Hello Members

Here we are two thirds through the year. August has been cold and wet and has kept some member's home, but I hope to see you back on Sunday as the weather warms up.

Many thanks to our Instructors who keep coming every Sunday and volunteer their time to help you have an obedient dog.

Welcome to all our new members hoping you will enjoy your time with us please don't forget to ask your Instructor any questions you may have about your dog training, they are here to help.

Our Tracking trial held at Coldstream in June 28<sup>th</sup> 29<sup>th</sup> 30<sup>th</sup> went off very well thanks to all the Committee and helpers for making it a great weekend a big thanks you to our property owner David.

Congratulations to all our trialing members who have gained passes and Titles in Obedience Tracking, Rally O and Showing.

The Club will be holding our Open Obedience Trial on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> of October at Simpson Park our training ground; we will need lots of helpers so please volunteer your time for the day. Please let your Instructor know if you can help. THERE WILL BE NO TRAINING ON THE DAY 19<sup>th</sup> of October training will resume normal time the following Sunday.

Happy Training  
Brian Arter

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## MEMBERS

### New Members

Kelly Cowley	Murphy	Cavoodle
Nadia Bruhn	Willow	Mini Foxy X
James & Eane Fricker	Rusty	Jack Russell X
Carl Pellegrino	Pickles	Rhodesion Ridgeback
Wendy Mackie	Scout	Border Collie
Rita & Patrick Smith	Bella	Cavalier King Charles Spaniel
Jake Johnson & Kyla Vaz	Oscar & Poppy	Beagles
Ebanee & Michael Kidd	Hooch	Mini Aussie Bulldog
Angela & Barry Leonard	Teddy	Jack Russell X Maltese
Noelene Hopcils	Holy	Shitzu
Paul & Kathryn Lechner	Jenson	Border Collie
Claire & Richard Iockley	Poppy	Puggle
Martha Benstead	Coco	Cavoodle
Lisa Frank & Ben Grovenveld	Digby	Mini Poodle
Sue & Shaun Driver	Chester	Cavoodle
Mark & Kristy Annell	Castov	Cavalier King Charles Spaniel
Natalie & Robert Gusman &	Groenveld. Harry	Cavalier X Toy Poodle

Fiona & Kyle Wright	Archie	Golden Retriever
Jacinta Rose, Olivia Magazzo	Hamish	Jack Russell X
Alison Warek Iwona & Aiden Lipski	Buddy	Beagle
Michelle Ng	Shelley	Boxer
Shayne & Sophie Heaton	Teddy	Spoodle
Jenny Cross	Charlie	Labrador Retriever
Yih & Priya Low	Mia	Husky X Golden Retriever
Ian & Mietta Cheever	Gus	Schnauzer X Poodle
Pam & David Milburn & Callum	Mia	Border Collie
Cindy Sexton & Graeme Keath	Layla	Terrier
Nicole Ryan Brett Goding	Buddy	Cairn Terrier X Mini Poodle
Claire Matt Oscar & Emilie Kuhnell	Sazzy	Kelpie X Rottweiler
Sandra & Brianna Melville	Jessie	Staffy X Pointer
Jason & Joel Cottam	Snickers	Cavoodle
Sophia Anastasion	Hugo	Labradoodle
Blair Megan Antony & Sarah Panishurst	Sam	Border Collie

### **Renewals – Welcome Back**

Pat & John France	Tammie & Heidi	Terriers
Alli Carr	Archie	Labrador Retriever
Jan James	Daisy	Bichon Frise X Shitzu
Sue Keane	Monty Caddie & Kaala	Golden Retriever

**Renewals are now due for 2014 - 2015 in the month you joined**

### **OBEDIENCE TRIAL DATES FOR 2014**

<b>Club</b>	<b>Date</b>
Northern Obedience Dog Club	14 <sup>th</sup> September
Ballaarat Dog Obedience Club (Double trial)	21 <sup>st</sup> September
Melton Dog Obedience Club (Double trial)	28 <sup>th</sup> September
German Shepherd Dog Club (InDoors)	5 <sup>th</sup> October
Gordon Setter Club of Vic (RTG)	11 <sup>th</sup> October
Frankston Dog Obedience Club	12 <sup>th</sup> October
Eastern Suburbs Obedience Dog Club	19 <sup>th</sup> October
Werribee Obedience Dog Club (Double trial & rally)	25 <sup>th</sup> October
Macedon Ranges Obedience Dog Club (Double trial)	26 <sup>th</sup> October
Northcote Obedience Dog Club (Obedience & Rally)	4 <sup>th</sup> November Tuesday
Gippsland Obedience Dog Club (Obedience & Rally)	9 <sup>th</sup> November
Southern Obedience Dog Training Club (Obed & Rally)	15 <sup>th</sup> November
Portland Obedience Dog Club	22 <sup>nd</sup> November
Portland Obedience Dog Club	23 <sup>rd</sup> November
OTEC Friends of Obedience (TW Rally/O trial) (Tuesday)	25 <sup>h</sup> November
OTEC Friends of Obedience (TW O/Trial) (Tuesday)	25 <sup>th</sup> November
Croydon & District Obedience Dog Club (Obedience Trial)	7 <sup>th</sup> December
Croydon & District Obedience Dog Club (Rally O Trial)	7 <sup>th</sup> December

## EASTERN SUBURBS OBEDIENCE DOG CLUB 2014 CALENDAR

FEBRUARY	2 <sup>nd</sup> Training Starts
FEBRUARY	16 <sup>th</sup> Committee Meeting
MARCH	30 <sup>th</sup> Fun Day
JUNE	1 <sup>st</sup> Committee Meeting (cancelled to another day)
JUNE	28 <sup>th</sup> ,29 <sup>th</sup> ,30 <sup>th</sup> Tracking Trial
SEPTEMBER	14 <sup>th</sup> Fun Day
OCTOBER	5 <sup>th</sup> Committee Meeting
OCTOBER	19 <sup>th</sup> Obedience Trial
NOVEMBER	9 <sup>th</sup> Committee Meeting
DECEMBER	14 <sup>th</sup> Last Day of Training & fun Day

**For Updates to This Calendar Please Consult Your Newsletter**

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### AROUND THE OBEDIENCE & TRACKING EVENTS 2014

Three Members entered Tracking trials this year.

Tracking Club of Victoria 14<sup>th</sup> July 2014 saw Yuki Kamo and Keanstar Grand Impression (Aska) gained their Test 3 which gave Yuki & Aska their Tracking Dog Title.

At the same trial Sue Keane and Goldnymph Puck RN TDX (Caddie) passed their test 7 towards their Tracking Champion Title.

Also at same trial Andrea Sciberras & Carlandy Ronin (Ronan) passed their test 3 which gave them their Tracking Dog Title.

The trio went to Gippsland Obedience Dog Clubs Tracking trial On the 20<sup>th</sup> July and gained passes, Yuki & Aska gained their test 4, Andrea & Ronan gained their test 4, Sue & Caddie passed test 8 to gained the alto mate in tracking (Tracking Champion Title)

Broad meadows Obedience Dog Club 29<sup>th</sup> June 2014

Briar Sutherland & IceBear (Bear) entered CCD and gained a pass with a qualifying score of 86 points and 4<sup>th</sup> place, also at the same trial entered Rally and passed Rally Excellent with a qualifying score of 84 points and 3<sup>rd</sup> place

Dogs Victoria State Trial 2<sup>nd</sup> August

Sue Collier & Deelee Delightful Soul RN (Waldo) gained an open pass with a qualifying score of 180 points and first place first pass towards his Community Dog Excellent Title.

Dogs Victoria State Trial 3<sup>rd</sup> August

Briar Sutherland & Icebear (Bear) entered Rally /O Excellent and passed with a qualifying score of 82 points.

Also at the same trial Margo Hone & Fernfall Rainbow Connection (Darby) entered Rally O Excellent and passed with a qualifying score of 83 points.

Tracking Club of Victoria 18<sup>th</sup> August

Yuki Kamo and Keanstar Grand Impression (Aska) gained their tracking test 5 not sure of the grading

Also on that day Andrea Sciberras and Carlandy Ronin (Ronan) passed his test 5 with a qualifying score of excellent.

Dogs Victoria State Trial 24<sup>th</sup> August

Andrea & Ronan passes their test 6 which gave him his Tracking Dog Excellent Title with a qualifying score of good.  
25<sup>th</sup> August also at Dogs Victoria State tracking trial Yuki and Aska gained their test 6 which gave them their Tracking Dog Excellent title as well.

**Track and Search:** saw Sue Keane and her Dogs enter Tracking Club of Victoria and Gippsland Obedience trials to gain passes towards titles.  
Crowlee Folkore (Monty) Pass test 8 TSD Tracking Club of Victoria trial and test 9 TSD Gippsland

Also Sue & Morningmyst Dark Angel (Kaaka) passed their test 4 TSD and test 5 TSD

**CONGRATULATIONS:** to the teams of Briar & Bear, Sue & Waldo, Margo & Darby Yuki & Aska, Sue Keane & Monty Caddie & Kaala Andrea & Ronan well done keep the good work up we would like to see more of our people entering trials, most of all enjoy the dogs and yourselves at these trials.

More Obedience results next newsletter of members passing with their dogs when I receive the result of their last achievement's.

James Malberg & Sanduka River of Love (Echo) has also branched out in another field and is showing his dog in Conformation not Obedience as yet. At the Caulfield show Echo & James came 1<sup>st</sup> in the Minor Bitch Puppy class. Also at the Box Hill show came 1<sup>st</sup> in Minor Bitch Puppy class, at the same show won Best Puppy in Group.  
Congratulations to James & Echo for their achievements.

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

**Don't forget to give Andrea in writing your passes for the newsletter**

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## TRAINING NEWS AND TIPS

### Training Tip

Training is all about patience kindness as well as giving the dog some direction on how to behave in the house and while out walking, dogs do not understand us they learn only by reparation and this will not be learnt over night. So when your dog sit, stands, or drops on their own tell them they are good dogs as well as the word relating to that action. There are lots of ways to train your dog and the Instructors try very hard to help you do this but you need to play your part in achieving this, we are not training your dog we are actual helping you how to manage your dog if you are having difficulty then please ask your Instructor about your problem. When training your dog please walk normally and stand up straight do not bend over your dog all of this is showing your dog you know what you are doing, don't forget to praise and treat your dog when they do the right thing only. Don't forget to practice at home all you and your dog has learnt on Sunday, during the week as well not just on Sundays at school

**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 re-vaccinated 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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