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Newsletter



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Sundays in Centennial Park since 1962

A Successful Annual Trial

The annual Eastern Suburbs Dog Training Club Obedience trial was held on October 5. The successful event, with 176 entries, was due in large part to the contributions of trial secretary Julie Brandon supported and assisted by Liz Tarn. Many hours of work in processing entries, creating the catalogue as well as administering the results for presentations on the day was undertaken and accomplished expertly.



Julie Brandon & Liz Tarn

In addition Heather Martin ensured the smooth running of the trial rings on the day, recruiting and organising stewards as well as supplying essential items to ensure the trial could proceed successfully. Our thanks to this trio of dedicated contributors.

To all who assisted as stewards and workers, before and on the day, the club would like to thank you for your support.



Heather Martin

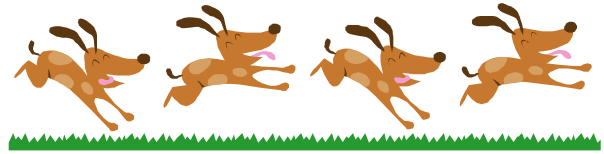


Scent discrimination underway in the UDX ring at the trial

TRIAL WINNERS

Not forgetting those who entered and participated in the trial as competitors, we hope you all enjoyed the day.

Congratulations to Club Members Rae & "Roxie" on gaining their CCD Title & Anthony Roussos & "Riley" on winning the Founders' Trophy for the highest scoring Club Member.



Riley & Anthony Roussos



Roxie with Rae Officer

COMMITTEE MATTERS

The recent General Meeting saw the appointment of new committee members. The office holders are
Jeff McMahon (President),
Martin O'Loughlin (Vice President),
Arianne van der Meer (Treasurer),
Kate Mackay (Secretary).
Julie Brandon (trial secretary),
Leonie Kelly and Claire Scivyer.
We thank Nicole Pensko for her time on committee and welcome Ilka Kolo and Sherlyn Koo as new committee members.

Too Wet to Train?

If we wake up to rain on Sunday the Club has a 2 stage cancellation process for wet weather. The first is to cancel joiner registration – we can't put out the registration desks in the rain. The 2nd, if the weather's too wild, is to cancel training classes. However, if it's not too wet and wild, the Club may run combined classes, depending on Instructor availability. Normal ground fees are due for these classes. In exceptional weather circumstances the decision to cancel training may be made on Saturday night before Sunday training. This will be recorded as a message on the club phone as

soon as the decision is made. Members can call the Club for a status update on **0412 645 154**. Please note: Unfortunately we cannot respond to voice or text messages. Keep an eye on our Facebook page too, for news on the day.

ENDURANCE TEST



Nicole Pensko & Charli with Tyler & Ilka Koo

If you are interested in trying something a bit different, then perhaps your first title could be the Endurance Test.

Nicole Pensko and Charli, along with Ilka Koo and Tyler recently completed the event and lived to tell.

The event is held once a year out at Erskine Park and is a 20km run or ride with your favourite pooch. Ilka's dog Muppet decided she didn't want to get off the couch for this one, so she subbed in Sherlyn's dog Tyler off the bench for the run.

There were around 35 people entered in the event with a vast array of dogs from bulldogs, to

terriers to the hardy kelpie. Before the day you must get a vet check to ensure that your dog is up to the task, they check temperature, resting heart rate and general condition of the dog. A bit of training and then you are right to go.

Charli and Tyler were well conditioned for the event, but we were all surprised that the owners didn't have to go through the same rigorous vet checks!!!

You have the option to run the 20km or ride a bike. Both Ilka and Nicole decide to run the event for a bit of bonding and fun on the day - little did they know that only 3 others elected to do this and most people rode their bike.

The run is completed at a set pace and divided into a 8km run followed by a vet check and short rest period, then a 6km run, followed by a vet check and the final 6km run and final vet check. Each break was to check the condition of the dog, heart rate and temperature to ensure they were able to continue. AGAIN....no checks on the owners!!

We are pleased to say that both of our competitors and their dogs passed the test and have gained their ET title.

A good fun day out and very enjoyable. Certainly recommended for anyone to do as the pace was quite easy to complete. If anyone would like further details, then please talk to Ilka or Nicole and I am sure they would be happy to pass on any further facts and tips.

Save Your Stamps

We collect used stamps as a fundraiser for the organisation 'Guide Dogs' who look after the training of guide dogs so that they can serve people without sight, or who are vision impaired. Please deposit your old stamps in the container to be found at the main desk on any Sunday. Over \$600 has been donated from this collection.

Activity Encouragement Trial

We will be encouraging activity class members with a club 'mock' trial on **Sunday November 3**. Held at the grounds as part of normal club activities, the event will be judged by Sandra Walker. All class participants are encouraged to enter as we present the opportunity to experience conditions similar to a 'real' trial. The event will run for an extended class period from 8.00am.

Welcome to new members....*and their dogs!*

Abi Murray
Adrian Pititto
Agnieszka Ng
Alex Mostovoy
Alla Nock
Angus Finlayson
Anna Mary Lyons
Annabelle Powell
Barry Sawtell
Ben Smith
Bharvi Maneck
Caitlin Hill
Catherine Sutton-Brady
Cathy Grace
Charlotte Brown
Christina Khederlian
Courtney Wotherspoon
Daniel Blake
David Curran
Diego De Diona
Dijon Johnston
Dikana Katsiotis
Doron Levy
Dylan Kelly
Dylan McIntosh
Elena Waring
Elina Filo
Elizabeth Quelle
Elizabeth Scott
Emily Spark
Erica van Lieven
Erin Bennett
Ethan Chigwidden
Evelyn Chensen
Felice Halse
Felicity Ford
Francesco Gallo
Gabrielle Goldberg
Gary Chigwidden
Genevieve Wilet
George Gerakiteys
Georgia Kite
Georgie Allsopp
Grant Morgan
Harriet Wran
Helen McMurdo

Howard Trang
Irene Watt
James Michael Hatherly
James Sexton
Janet Lee
Jarryd Hill
Jason Hirt
Jason Kiang
Jazeba Zreika
Jeffrey Jankelson
Jennifer Maclean
Jenny Spark
Jill Wran
Joe Khederlian
John O'Reilly
Jonathan Tan
Julie Jurd
Juliet Morgan
Justin Goldberg
Justin Ng
Karin Foetsch
Kate Muir
Katy Smithers
Kirsten Chee
Kirsty Muir
Kristy Meudell
Lachlan Hanrahan
Lara Liberman
Laura Jankelson
Lauren Taskis
Linda To
Lisa De Diona
Lydia Franks
Maria Katsiotis
Megan McIntosh
Melinda Weekes
Menglan Li
Michael Blaxell
Michael Nix
Michelle Murphy
Michelle Perkins
Mihir Mathure
Moises Lopez
Monique Braun
Monique Watts
Narelle Pike

Natasha Field
Neil Watt
Nicholas Bennett
Nicky Thomson
Paul Lovelace
Paul Wenck
Rachel Marsden
Ria Oxburgh
Riley Adlington
Rob Mingis
Rob Newlands
Robert Nock
Rodney MacInnes
Ryan Wastell
Samantha Bolton
Sarah Gregory
Selena Kilfoyle
Serena Curran
Shane Gardner
Shannon Most
Shelly Johnston
Sotiris Vorlow
Stephanie Gerakiteys
Stephanie Suszico
Sue Baker
Susi Garrett
Tabatha Lovelace
Theresa Sargeant
Therese Powell
Tilly Wenck
Tim Powell
Tim Scott
Tommie Akesson
Trent Windsor
Vanina Levy
Vicki Liberman
Virginia Beesley

ON TIME PLEASE

For participation in classes please ensure that you arrive on the grounds in plenty of time for inspection and training.

Inspection Line times:

Class 2 and Activity Classes from 7:45 to 8am

Adult Dog Beginners and Classes 1, 3 & 4 from 8:30 to 8:55am

(Puppies are inspected by Instructors in class)

From the Treasurer

Income (July - August)		Expenses (July - August)	
Joiners	\$3,150.00	Trial Ribbons	\$184.80
Renewals	\$714.00	Affiliation	\$356.00
Ground Fees	\$1,960.00	Equipment	\$48.65
Equipment Sales	\$506.00	Equipment Stock	\$842.71
Coffee Stall	\$22.70	Computer Expenses	\$746.90
Replace Badge	\$8.00	Newsletter	\$102.00
		Donations	\$180.00
		Catering Expenses	\$30.00
		Bank Charges	\$13.40
		Other Expenses	\$222.15
		Postage & Stationary	\$279.31
		Garage Rent	\$430.00
		Telephone	\$117.98
		Coffee Stall	\$11.75
Total Income	\$6,360.70	Total Expenses	\$3,565.65
Balance on CBA Bank Statement end 1 September 2013		\$8,726.04	
Investments: St George Bank Term Deposit		\$106,130.90	

SUCCESSFUL TRIAL



Sandra & Lyn with Miley, Dusty & Inky

Trial results from the Central Coast Rally O trial 24th August and Brush Farm obedience and Rally O trial on the 25th August.

Instead of doing agility we entered obedience and Rally 'O'. Wow what a weekend. Over the 2 days I came home with 14 ribbons between my 2 dogs Dusty and Miley, and my sister Lyn came home with 6 ribbons with her dog Inky.

Over the weekend Miley attained 3 passes in advanced rally o, gaining her advanced rally o title and one trial coming first. On the Sunday she came second in CCD on 97 points (out of 100) and gained her CCD title. On the Sunday morning at Brush farm Dusty gained her second novice pass and 1st place. The weekend before she gained her 1st novice pass and second place at Werriwa trial.

Both Dusty and Inky over the weekend gained their rally o excellent titles, which I believe are the first 2 dogs (actively training) to gain this title at Eastern suburbs dog training club. Their last pass for the title was at Brush Farm trial and it was a very difficult course and they were the only 2 dogs that qualified. Dusty coming first, and Inky second. We are both so proud of our dogs.

Sandra Walker

Calendar 2013

October	
6	LONG WEEKEND NO TRAINING ESDTC annual Obedience Trial
13	7.30am Promotion testing for Classes 1 to 2, 2 to 3, 3 to 4 9.15am Registration for Puppy Joiners
20	8.00am Registration for Adult Dog Joiners
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November	
3	8.00am Registration for Adult Dog Joiners
10	7.30am Promotion testing for Classes 1 to 2, 2 to 3, 3 to 4 9.15am Registration for Puppy Joiners
17	8.00am Registration for Adult Dog Joiners
24	7.30am Promotion testing for Classes 1 to 2, 2 to 3, 3 to 4 9.15am Last Registration for Puppy Joiners 2013
December	
1	8.00am Last Registration for Adult Dog Joiners 2013
8	FUN DAY Training concludes on this day
IMPORTANT DATES	
Nov 3	Activity class 'mock' trial
Dec 8	Last Day of training – FUN DAY

BETTER THAN A BUCKET !

Due to an injury resident greyhound Fangio sported a new look recently. To stop a dog scratching their face or biting a wound the face mask or OptiVisor is instead of the traditional Elizabethan protective collar - more commonly seen as a bucket on the dog's head. Owner Kate Mackay is full of praise for the alternative which is available online at www.provizorinternational.com an Australian company.



