

Queanbeyan and District Dog Training Club Inc

# THE NEWSHOUND

July 2018



# YOUR CLUB COMMITTEE

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## **COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

Jodie Moore

## **TRAINING TIMES SUNDAY MORNING**

|                         |                   |   |
|-------------------------|-------------------|---|
| Beginners               | 9.00 to 10.00 am  | Bitches in season are not permitted at training classes.<br><br>All dogs are to remain on leash whilst at training classes unless they are doing an exercise controlled by an Instructor. |
| Intermediate            | 10.00 to 11.00 am |   |
| Advanced                | 10.00 to 11.00 am |   |
| Community Companion Dog | 9.00 to 10.00 am  |   |
| Recreation              | 9.00 to 10.00 am  |   |
| Novice                  | 9.00 to 10.00 am  |   |
| Open                    | 10.00 to 11.00 am |   |

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# Trial Report

The day was fantastic as the sun was shining, the club received all up 88 entries, 50 for obedience and 38 for rally-o. There were only a few absentees which was great. Everyone enjoyed the day. Deb's Tuckerbox food van was a big hit.

Our club was well represented in Obedience:

In **CCD** Karen Roberts and Belle, Jodie Moore with Nix and Carmen Kong with Ben went really great, Sue Matthews and Waiwita Mustang Sally 88/100 came 2<sup>nd</sup>.

In **UD** Vic Grzeszkecicz and Uhlmsdorf Taylor Swift UD 183/200 came 1<sup>st</sup>, Vic Grzeszkecicz and Ulmsdorf Black Label CDX 181/200 came 2<sup>nd</sup> and Sue Matthews and Guilcroft Rollover Beethoven UD 180/200 came 3<sup>rd</sup>. Vic Grzeszkecicz with Uhlmsdorf Taylor Swift UD was awarded highest scoring club member.

In the Rally-O trial, **Novice** Karen Hore with Jai score of 84 came 2<sup>nd</sup> which was her dog's title in Rally-O Novice.

Big congratulations to all our members that entered the trial. I would like to give a very big thank you to the following people: Judges – Anne and Ritchie Butler, Susan Turner and Julie Cutts and Dogs NSW Mrs Peta Jones; the stewards – Jan Loose, John Bernardi, Ros Bush, Carmen Kong, Trish Lyon and Nicky; the helpers – Anne Butler, Karen Roberts, Jan Loose, Vanessa Tuckerfield, Jodie Moore and Michael Ziebell.

All your help on the Friday and on Saturday was fantastic and without your help and support help make this years a huge success.

*Fay Grunsell, Trial Manager*

Download issues of The Newshound - our Club magazine - in full colour  
Changes to class times due to inclement weather?  
- check the Web Site before you leave home

**[www.queanbeyandogs.org.au](http://www.queanbeyandogs.org.au)**

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**Highest Scoring Club member  
at the Club's Obedience Trial  
on 14 July**



Vic Grzeszkiewicz and  
Uhlmsdorf Taylor Swift UD  
in the Utility Dog ring with a score  
of  
**183 / 200**

**“Thank You” to our  
instructors and volunteers  
- we could not hold classes  
without you**

A huge *Thank You* to all of you who  
volunteered to take classes this term and to  
help out on Assessment Day and  
Obedience and Rally O Trial





QUEANBEYAN & DISTRICT DOG TRAINING CLUB INC  
**ALL BREEDS OBEDIENCE TRIAL**  
**14 July 2018**  
**RESULTS**

Community Companion Dog Class (CCD) Judge: Mrs Anne Butler

|                 |                      |  |          |
|-----------------|----------------------|--|----------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> | C Sisnaiske          | <b>Dual Ch (Neut) (RO) Saffioaire Busta Rhymes RM ET</b><br>White Swiss Shepherd | 89 / 100 |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> | AH & CE Kaspura      | <b>Neut Ch Leisureview Anne Otaransay</b><br>Cavalier King Charles Spaniel       | 88 / 100 |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> | S Matthews & W Kelly | <b>Waiwita Mustang Sally</b><br>Papillon   | 88 / 100 |

Utility Dog (UD) Judge: Mr Ritchie Butler

|                 |                      |   |           |
|-----------------|----------------------|---|-----------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> | Vic Grzeszkecicz     | <b>Uhlmsdorf Taylor Swift UD</b><br>German Shepherd Dog | 183 / 200 |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> | Viz Grzeszkecicz     | <b>Uhlmsdorf Black Label CDX</b><br>German Shepherd Dog | 181 / 200 |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> | S Matthews & W Kelly | <b>Guilcroft Rollover Beethoven UD</b><br>Papillon      | 180 / 200 |

Utility Dog (UDX) Judge: Mr Ritchie Butler

|                 |          |  |           |
|-----------------|----------|--|-----------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> | K Minton | <b>O Gr Ch Koonski Just a Dash UDX RA</b><br>German Shepherd Dog | 189 / 200 |
|-----------------|----------|--|-----------|

**QUEANBEYAN & DISTRICT DOG TRAINING CLUB INC**  
**ALL BREEDS RALLY-O TRIAL**  
**14 July 2018**  
**RESULTS**

Novice Class Judge: Ms Susan Turner

|                 |              |   |          |
|-----------------|--------------|---|----------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> | Janice Boyce | <b>Waiwilta Jak In The Box</b><br>Papillon                      | 95 / 100 |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> | K Hore       | <b>Ch Hillmagic Platnum Nokosi</b><br>German Shepherd Dog (LSC) | 84 / 100 |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> | N Backhouse  | <b>Chief</b><br>White Swiss Shepherd                            | 77 / 100 |



Advanced A Class Judge: Ms Julie Cutts

|                 |                    |   |          |
|-----------------|--------------------|---|----------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> | Ms N & Ms J Fallon | <b>Neberden Perfectionist CCD RN JD</b><br>Cocker Spaniel           | 83 / 100 |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> | Elaine Temby       | <b>Ch Neuter Ch Watervaal Raisin Havoc CCD ET</b><br>Cocker Spaniel | 82 / 100 |



Excellent A Class Judge: Ms Susan Turner

|                 |                |   |          |
|-----------------|----------------|---|----------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> | Jenny O'Connor | <b>Goldtreve Sweet Chili Jam RA</b><br>Golden Retriever                     | 97 / 100 |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> | Janice N Boyce | <b>Ch Nantiki Pocket Full O Sunshine CCD RA</b><br>Australian Silky Terrier | 89 / 100 |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> | M Smyth        | <b>Zisunka Bronte CD RA</b><br>Hungarian Vizsla                             | 81 / 100 |



Masters Class Judge: Ms Julie Cutts

|                 |                 |  |           |
|-----------------|-----------------|--|-----------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> | Laraine Frawley | <b>Morningmyst Lord Of The Isles CDX RAE ORA AD JD GD SPD</b><br>Golden Retriever                | 100 / 100 |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> | R Keeble        | <b>Wameika Quite Thestorm CD RAE RM JC</b><br>Brittany   | 97 / 100  |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> | Elaine Temby    | <b>Neut Ch Dual Ch (RO) Watervaal Winfrey Konexhun</b><br><b>CDX RAE RM ET</b><br>Cocker Spaniel | 95 / 100  |



Other qualifiers:

|                   |  |          |
|-------------------|--|----------|
| Linda Christison  | <b>Beljekali Jordie CD RAE</b><br>Belgian Shepherd Dog (Tervueren)         | 94 / 100 |
| Kay Malone        | <b>Jamie CD RA</b><br>Border Collie  | 93 / 100 |
| Miss H Christison | <b>Beljekali Kwintessence CD RAE</b><br>Belgian Shepherd Dog (Groenendael) | 93 / 100 |

# Special Achievements

Some of our members take their dogs to official trials.  
Here are their stars - you see them training most Sundays!  
Ask them any questions about trialling and other competitive sports

## Dogs ACT – Obedience titles and Rally O trial – 13 May 2018

|                |   |                                  |
|----------------|---|----------------------------------|
| Susan Matthews | <b>Guilcroft Rollover Beethoven UD (Teddy)</b><br>Utility Dog | 181/200<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Place |
|----------------|---|----------------------------------|

## Tuggeranong Dog Training Club – Double Rally O trial - Saturday 26 May 2018

|              |  |         |
|--------------|--|---------|
| Rhonda Daley | <b>Hillmagic Golden Snitch CCD (Gryffin)</b><br>Rally Novice | 87 /100 |
| Rhonda Daley | <b>Hillmagic Golden Snitch CCD (Gryffin)</b><br>Rally Novice | 91 /100 |

## ACT Companion Dog Club – Double Obedience trial – 16 June 2018

|                |   |                                  |
|----------------|---|----------------------------------|
| Susan Matthews | <b>Guilcroft Rollover Beethoven UD (Teddy)</b><br>Utility Dog | 184/200<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Place |
|----------------|---|----------------------------------|

## ACT Companion Dog Club – Double Rally O trial – 23 June 2018

|              |  |         |
|--------------|--|---------|
| Rhonda Daley | <b>Hillmagic Golden Snitch CCD (Gryffin)</b><br>Rally Novice | 95 /100 |
|--------------|--|---------|

*This gives Gryffin his Rally Novice (RN) title.*

|             |   |                                  |
|-------------|---|----------------------------------|
| Karen Hore  | <b>Ch Hillmagic Platnum Nokosi (Jai)</b><br>Rally Novice          | 87 /100                          |
| Karen Hore  | <b>Ch Hillmagic Platnum Nokosi (Jai)</b><br>Rally Novice          | 99 /100<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Place |
| Carmen Kong | <b>Happylea Upper Class RA JD GD SPD (Ben)</b><br>Rally Excellent | 83 /100                          |



# Assessment Day – 1 July 2018

Thanks to those wonderful members and friends who helped out on the day and particularly those who volunteered to Judge, set up rings and sit at the registration table as well as dealing with various other responsibilities that needed to be done.

## Beginners Ring 1 Judge: John Bernardi

- 1<sup>st</sup> Eleanor Harries with Caliber
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Therese Flapper with Widgiewa
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Cathy Rouland with Maisy



Also passed: Alex Eglitis with Wallee, Paul Livingston with Louie, Karen Cocks with Harper

## Beginners Ring 2 Judge: Jan Loose

- 1<sup>st</sup> Cindy Slaven with Finn
- 2<sup>nd</sup> April Dunn with Leo
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Matthew Walkington with Jinx
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Rachael Newitt with Terry



Also passed: Megan Jacobs with Leo, Jo Livingston with Arlo

**Beginners Ring 3 Judge: Christiane Weissbach**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Kim Cleary with Lolly
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Leigh Kalsbeek with Barney
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Julie Hogan with Jack



Also passed: Cathryn Walker with Walter, Louise Schlitz with Maisie, Sue Wright with Willow

**Intermediate Ring 4 Judge: Kathy Griffiths**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Michael Morris with Jada
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Dianne Walton-Sonda with Josie-Lee
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Aster Forster Britton with Rogue
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Pen Cullen with Frankie



Also passed: Jemma Crampton with Maisie, Daniel Goonan with Maverick

**Advanced Ring 5 Judge: Michael Ziebell**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Roma Thomas with Flossie
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Susan Matthews with Jessie
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Karen Hore with Jai



**Community Companion Dog (CCD) Judge: Anne Butler**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Chris Robinson with Nova 93/100
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Letitia Lyon with Ted 89/100
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Nikki Williams with Finn 87/100



**Utility Dog Judge: Ritchie Butler**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Susan Matthews with Teddy 191/200

**Open Judge: Ritchie Butler**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Fay Grunsell with Dusty 190/200



## Meet the Instructor: Rhonda Daley

*How long have you been training your dog(s)?*

My first dog was a GSD cross Kelpie who I bought 36 years ago. We trained at Belconnen Dog Obedience Club when they were just a paddock at the back of Mitchell. Since then I have owned 5 GSDs. All of these dogs were trained by me at either the ACT German Shepherd Dog Club or Queanbeyan. I have been an instructor now for 20 years, initially specialising in GSDs, but 10 years ago I branched out into training all breeds.

*What do you like most about training your dog(s)?*

I love seeing how they learn and progress to the well behaved dogs we all aspire to having. Each dog I have had has had its individual challenges, no two have been the same. I have learnt something new from each of the dogs I have owned. They have taught me that you can never know everything there is to know about training a dog, and that you have to keep your mind open at all times.



*What has been the best bit of advice you've received about dog training and why?*

If the training isn't enjoyable, you are doing something wrong. It can be frustrating, and drive you to tears, but in the end you and your dog must have fun or it just will not work. And if you and your dog are not having fun, then you are doing it for all the wrong reasons.

*Why did you decide to be an instructor?*

Honestly, I was frustrated with the quality of the Instructors I was being trained by and thought I could do a better job. I found that many had an instructing style that was regimented and if you did not fit their style you were left behind - no flexibility. Initially I was trained by a man called Bob Knight, who owned, breed, trialed and showed GSDs. He had a huge influence on my instructing style. Unfortunately he was lost to the dog world all too soon through a tragic accident. I like to hope that I am doing him proud every time I stand in front of a class.

*What is your biggest challenge as an instructor?*

No two handler and dog pairing are the same. Every team will learn differently and require different training strategies. The hardest challenge initially is to assess your class members and attempt to assess how each will learn. Once established though, watching them progress is a huge pleasure.

*How do you spend your time with your dog when it's not Sunday morning?*

My dog and I love to walk and there are many walking trails around Canberra where we love to walk. We are also actively competing in Obedience Trialling, Rally-O, and Noseworks. We both love Noseworks as it really allows the dog to use and develop his natural talents in locating scents.

## Notice Board

# AGM TIME

**THURSDAY 30 AUGUST 2018**

It would be great if you feel you can join the group of people who run your Club.

One two hour evening Committee meeting is held each month

- on the last Thursday - start at 6.30 pm and finish early

Please attend the AGM and volunteer for Committee

**Jerrabomberra Community Centre @ 6.30pm**

Want more information? 0422 729 162

Check the Club Website for your Class syllabus

Be prepared for next Sunday's lesson by reading about what will be taught

See your dog's photo taken on Assessment Day

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### **These items (and more) are on sale each Sunday Morning**

- a range of equipment for your dog
- dog treats – for training rewards
- treat bags - plastic lined and with velcro tabs
- poo bag holders - fasten on to your dog's leash
- ANKC Obedience Trial Rules – pocket sized books

## **MEMBERS ARE REMINDED**

**No dogs are permitted to be off leash** in the main training grounds, or in the small fenced off training area before or after classes on Sunday mornings

**WITHOUT** the express permission and supervision of one of the Club instructors

Members doing specific exercises during classes are exempt



## **DIARY DATES - July to September**

### **July**

|    |          |  |
|----|----------|--|
| 1  | Sunday   | <b>QDDTC Term 2 Assesment Day</b>              |
| 14 | Saturday | <b>QDDTC Obedience Trial and Rally O Trial</b> |
| 26 | Thursday | QDDTC Committee meeting 6.30pm                 |
| 29 | Sunday   | <b>QDDTC Term 3 commences</b>                  |

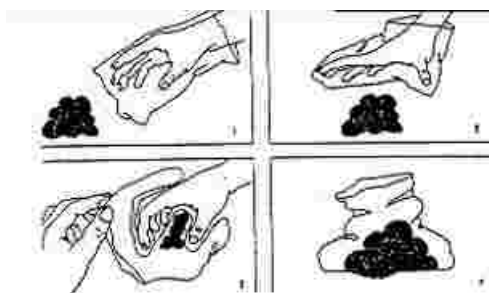
### **August**

|    |          |   |
|----|----------|---|
| 25 | Saturday | Belconnen Dog Obedience Club – Double Obedience Trial |
| 30 | Thursday | <b>QDDTC Annual General Meeting 6.30pm</b>            |

### **September**

|    |          |  |
|----|----------|--|
| 1  | Saturday | ACT Companion Dog Club and ACT Gundog Society Obedience Trials |
| 23 | Sunday   | <b>QDDTC Term 3 Assessment Day</b>                             |
| 27 | Thursday | QDDTC Committee meeting 6.30pm                                 |

### ***SCOOP THE POOP***



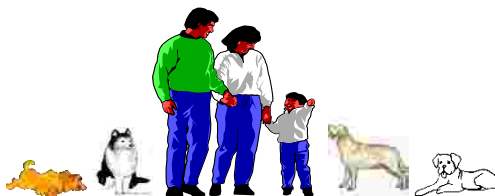
### **You are required to clean up after your dog if it defecates on Club grounds**

You can be prepared, wherever you go, by arming yourself with a small plastic bag or two. Simply put your hand inside the bag, scoop up the offending pile, reverse your hand out of the bag and tie the neck of the bag. Then dispose of thoughtfully.

Queanbeyan and District Dog Training Club  
now has a Facebook page

<https://www.facebook.com/QDDTC/>

Please follow the page as will have updates on weather, coming terms  
and events that may be happening at the Club.



## QUEANBEYAN & DISTRICT DOG TRAINING CLUB INC

# NOTIFICATION TO MEMBERS OF 2018 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**DATE:** Thursday 30 August 2018

**TIME:** 6.30 pm

**LOCATION:** Jerrabomberra Community Centre

### **AGENDA:**

The business to be transacted at the 2018 Annual General Meeting shall be:

1. To receive the President's Report, Secretary's report.
2. To receive and adopt the balance sheet and accounts of the Club for financial year 2017 / 18 accompanying reports thereon,
3. To elect office bearers and members of the Committee, as per the Constitution, for the following positions:
  - a. President
  - b. Vice President
  - c. Treasurer
  - d. Secretary; and
  - e. Assistant Secretary/Enrolments
  - f. Ordinary Committee members
4. To appoint an Auditor for the next financial year
5. To transact any other business.

### **AGENDA ITEMS:**

Written notice of any specific items to be placed on the Agenda need to be received or delivered by hand to the Secretary on or prior to **Thursday 9 August 2018** in accordance with the Constitution.

**NOTE:** Members are advised that a General Committee meeting will be held at the conclusion of the Annual General Meeting.

## SUMMARY OF THE DUTIES OF QDDTC COMMITTEE POSITIONS

### **President:**

Is the chief executive of the Club and presides at all General and Committee meetings, whenever possible, and represents the Club at all official functions.

### **Vice-President:**

In the absence of the President, is to carry out all the roles and responsibilities applicable to the President.

### **Secretary:**

Is to exercise and perform all the usual secretarial functions and generally attend to the secretarial work of the club and in particular shall be responsible for:

- (a) Collecting, registering and distributing all incoming and outgoing correspondence;
- (b) Taking minutes of all proceedings of meetings of the Committee and of the Club;
- (c) Maintaining and retaining all the necessary records of the affairs of the Club;
- (d) Keeping a complete record of all awards and honours made at all exhibitions and shows conducted by the Club; and
- (e) Promulgating all notices of meetings to members.

### **Treasurer:**

Is responsible for all financial transactions entered into on behalf of the Club and shall be responsible for:

- (a) Receiving and receipting all monies paid to the Club and cause the same to be paid into the banking account of the Club kept for such purpose within fourteen days of the receipt thereof;
- (b) Keeping all necessary books of account and financial statements as shall be required by the Auditors;
- (c) Preparing the Annual Balance Sheet and Accounts and accompanying reports;
- (d) Submitting financial statements to all meetings of the Committee and of the Club;
- (e) Producing to the Members in General Meeting the cash books and Bank pass book when requested so to do;
- (f) Keeping vouchers for payments authorised by the Club and the Committee; and
- (g) Keeping a true and correct inventory of all property of the Club.

### **Assistant Secretary/Enrolments:**

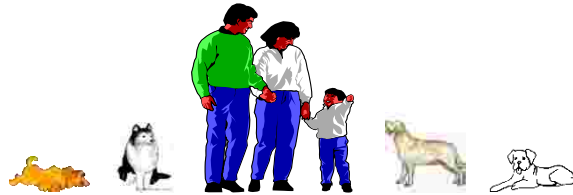
Assist the Secretary in exercising and performing their duties. Maintaining an enrolment list of all financial members.

### **Committee Members:**

Manage and control the affairs of the Club subject to and in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution. Some of these functions include:

- Trials (Obedience, Agility & Flyball)
- Shop,
- Grounds,
- Publicity and fund raising,
- Communications (Website, Newsletter)
- Training, assessment days, and
- Liaison.

**Note:** *The Executive of the Club includes President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and Assistant Secretary/Enrolments.*



**QUEANBEYAN & DISTRICT DOG TRAINING CLUB INC**

**NOMINATION FORM – 2018 / 2019 COMMITTEE POSITIONS**

**Applicant's Name:** .....

**Position:** .....

**Nominated by:** .....

**Date:** .....

**Seconded by** .....

**Date:** .....

***I accept the Nomination:*** ..... *(Signature of Applicant)*

***Date:*** .....

**Note:**

*All nomination forms must be received by the Secretary at least 21 days prior to the published date of the AGM.*