



FLEURIEU DOG OBEDIENCE CLUB Inc.

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Well we made it through Covid19 not without its issues but as best we could. Thanks to all those club members who have continued to support us by persevering with training even though it has been cold and wet at times.

IMPORTANT DATES

Unfortunately our special meeting to endorse constitution changes did not go ahead but stay tuned.

Monday 5th October –long Weekend no training. (beginning daylight savings)

Monday 12th October – Members Graduation BBQ (see below)

- Xmas bookings required

Saturday 28th November – Club Christmas Dinner (see attached leaflet)

PRODUCTS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

If you are looking for training assistance products such as collars etc, please see our head trainer David and he can assist you with the size etc that you need.

WARNING

In May, one of our members lost 2 of their beloved furry companions due to Ingestion of a mushroom. The mushroom happened to have a lethal toxicity and within hours it destroyed their liver and immune systems. Symptoms of mushroom ingestion are, vomiting, salivation, lethargy, seizures and ataxia (staggering gait) Our advice to you is, if your dog has ingested a wild mushroom, or if you suspect your animal has ingested a wild mushroom, contact your veterinarian IMMEDIATELY. Thank you to Andrew for sharing this painful experience with us. A copy of Andrews full account of his trauma is available from our Membership officer Jan.

Graduations

JULY

Beginners

Jasmyn Yon-Allen & Millie
Caitlin Munro & Bear
Alan Titterton & Mason
Helen Bowlden & Min

Grade 1

Len Norton & Milly
Anne Quirk & Milo

Grade 2

Sue Gasmier & Dotti

Grade3

Gail Phoenix & Morse

Grade 4

Gary Coombes & Ruby
Charlie Coombes & Toki
Sa'de Cook & Sharlie
Sue Cooper & Ayla

AUGUST

Grade 1

Jasmyn Yon-Allen & Millie
Caitlin Munro & Bear

Grade 2

Kerrie Jackson & Ruby

FROM YOUR COMMITTEE

As a committee we are focusing on a fun and relaxed experience for all our members and their dogs. At our most recent meeting we decided that, to further advance the fun we can have at our club, we would host a Graduation BBQ beginning Monday 12th October.

Let me explain what happens as part of the assessment and grading process. On the last Monday of each month our Head Trainer (David) along with your usual trainer will assess your dog against the criteria for your level. If your dog meets that criteria, David, will take your details to submit to our Membership officer. On the following Monday you will receive a graduation certificate for that level and you will move to the next level.

On Monday 12th October, we would invite you to stay for a few minutes after training to have a sausage and receive your graduation certificate. This is open to all members whether your dog has graduated or not. We are hoping that this will become a regular feature of post assessment night. There will be no charge to members.

CHRISTMAS

Members and their partners are invited to celebrate Christmas with Committee and Trainers at The Boulevard Café On The Lake, Bartel Boulevard, Encounter Bay, on Saturday 28th November at 6.30pm. A copy of the Menu available on the night is attached to this newsletter. To assist with planning for the event we would ask you to give your name and preference for what number of courses you would like and every attempt will be made to accommodate everyone. Please visit Christine in the Hockey club rooms to make your booking. This will be needed to be done by the Monday 12th October. Payment will be made on the night directly to the venue. Be assured that The Boulevard is a Covid safe café and all staff have been trained as Covid Marshalls in line with Government regulations.