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From The Editor

Welcome back to everyone. Hope you all had a safe and happy festive period.

It is great to see so many new members joining our club, this is great to see so many people taking an interest in their new family members.

A reminder that you need to have your membership badge each week, as if you do not have this displayed, unfortunately you will not be able to participate.

We have a new look committee this year, with a mix of returning members and new members also. Please speak to any of us if you have any questions or concerns.

Again this year, we will be emailing you a copy of our newsletter. Hard copies will also be available. If you have changed your email address or any details, please let Jodie know as soon as possible.

Each of our dedicated trainers are providing some valuable information and guidance for you all so please remember to thank them and please remember that we are all volunteers. We are doing our best to assist you all.

Please take note of our club page which has some important dates and further club details on it. Hope you have all checked out the photos on our facebook page.

Here is the link if you have not followed us yet.

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

Our club is increasing to gain some great sponsorship and support from around our town, of which there will be more to come, so please get behind these great businesses and lets support them and show our appreciation.

If you have any suggestions for further inclusion in our newsletter or facebook, please contact me via either facebook or email at jcook017@gmail.com.



See you all around the grounds

Jodie & Ted





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Life Members

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Our Instructors

Head Instructor – Ros

Puppies Under 6 Months –
Sa'de

Beginners- John

Grade 1 – Andrew

Grade 2 – Ian/Dave

Grade 3 – Gail

Grade 4 – Paul

Grade 5 – Paul

Trial – Ros



Graduations

December Graduations

Puppies:

Tania & Bonnie

Donna & Malbec

Michelle & Molli



Grade 1 to Grade 2:

Donna & Malbec

Bernie & Clancy

Rodney & Billy

Michael & Maggie

Paul & Leo

Gail & Narla

Karen & Moses



Grade 4 to Grade 5:

Mimi & Leonardo

Most Improved:

Tania & Bonnie

Frances & Poppy



Dog of the Month:

Donna & Malbec

January Graduations

Puppies:

Sharon & Milo

Lauren & Bobby

Judy & Frankie

Dylan & Dusty

Alex & Boo

Beginners to Grade 1

Ruth & Aroha

Silke & Lola

Trevor & Blaze

Grade 1 to Grade 2

Rhonda & Gracie

Anke & Jesse

Pam & Ivy



Grade 2 to Grade 3

Donna & Malbec

Karen & Ted

Satu & Reef

Sharon & Max

Suzanne & Maya

Bernie & Clancy

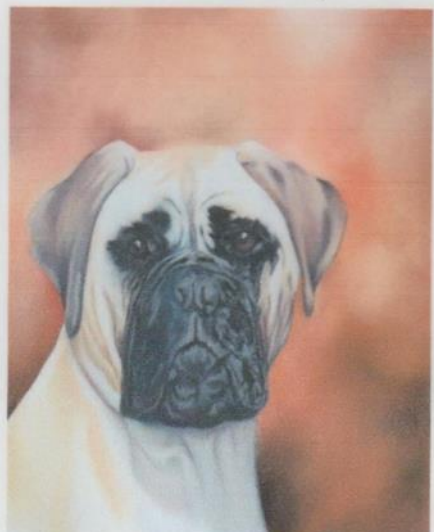
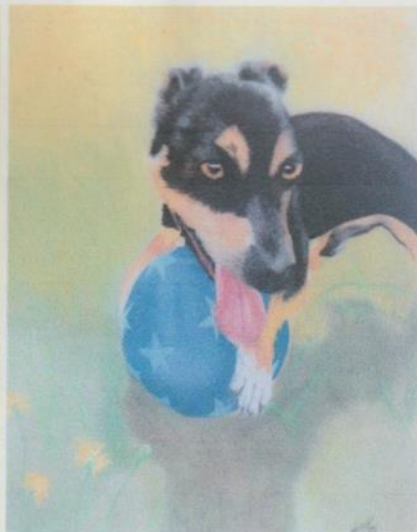
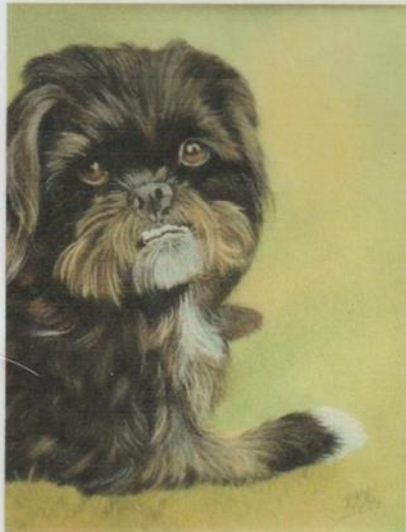
Most Improved

Bernie & Clancy Dylan & Dusty

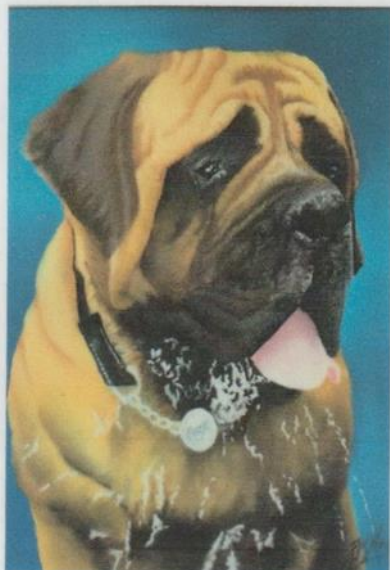
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Pet Paw-traits By Penelope McKay



Penelope J McKay - Fine Art & Photograph

It really is so much fun creating pet paw-traits for people so they can have a forever treasured memory of their fur baby. It is also very rewarding to have a gift that can be shared with others and bring great joy.

All Pet Paw-traits are completed in soft pastels and start \$125 (A4). All pet portraits are mounted only. Additional framing can be organised through a local professional framer. All I need to complete your treasured memory is a couple of great photos.

All enquiries should be directed to Penny on 0421 331 305 or by emailing penelopejean59@optusnet.com.au

Club News

A gentle reminder, when arriving at the grounds, please sign in and move away from the entrance area. This avoids any unrest between other dogs. Also please avoid the area where any class is in progress.

Don't forget to join our facebook page!! Lots of pictures and funnies to keep you all amused.

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

**A huge
welcome
to our
many new
members!**

**Hope you
enjoy your
training**

Please ensure that you sign in as you enter the grounds. Books are placed at either ends of the clubrooms.

Also you must wear a current membership badge at each training. If you do not, no training. See Jodie if you need a new one.



KEVS K9s

Mobile Dog Washing Service



0402 199 403

Victor Harbor Council Dog Guidelines as per their website

On/off-lead areas on beaches

The foreshore area between The Bluff and Chiton Rocks (excluding the river estuary sand dunes which are 24/7 on-lead areas) are subject to the following requirements:

- **Daylight Savings (October to March)**
 - Dogs must be on-lead between 10am and 6pm
 - Dogs may be off-lead but must be under effective control between 6pm and 10am
- **Non-Daylight Savings (April to September)**
 - Dogs may be off-lead but must be under effective control

Your dog is considered to be under effective control if you can see your dog at all times, you are able to control your dog in any circumstance and your dog is in close proximity to you. Your dog should not run up to other people or animals without permission, nor should it chase, harass or cause a nuisance to any person, animal or bird. This may mean that to be under effective control your dog needs to be on a lead at all times.

Victor Harbor Dog Park

The Victor Harbor Dog Park is located on Council land situated on the corner of George Main Road and Oval Park Road, Victor Harbor.

The dog park is open to the general public 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. It's a great space for like-minded people to meet, socialize, have a laugh and exercise their dogs. You are welcome irrespective of whether you have a dog or not.

The dog park is a fully fenced area and car parking is available adjacent to the park in the Recreation Centre car park.

The dog park has been divided into large and small dog exercise areas, so you can choose to exercise your dog in either the large area or the small area, whichever area you feel more comfortable in with your dog.

Drinking water is available onsite for your dog from two water stations.



"Can't take my dog?! But I don't even know HOW to run without my dog!"

New Members

Harriette & Acta Alex & Boo Chris & Teddy Bernadette & Clancy

Silke & Lola Nikki & Pig Lizzie & Truffle Tania & Bonnie Mary & Nova

Charlene & Pablo Anais Tubby Dianne & Chopper

Welcome

Lee-Anne & Bonnie Angela & Maddie Dylan & Dusty

Rolene & Kudu Lyndell & Lilliput Cara & Bella

Trevor & Blaze Toni & Jazy John & Daisy

Martine & Simba Peter & Mollie Donna & Malbec Karyn & Winx

Bob & Jimi Michelle & Molli Rowena & Gus Martin & Chibby

Charlotte & Casper Lauren & Bobby Sharon & Milo Ruth & Aroha

Sonja & Nina Vanessa & Hunter Colin & Shelby Judy & Frankie

Kathryn & Charlie Tracey & Lottie Nadia & Rosie Jessica & Rufus

Tania, Chris & Jet Joanne & Bodhi



MEMBER OBLIGATIONS (new member info below)

1. Current membership name tags must be worn in all classes.
2. All dogs must be currently fully vaccinated if they are taking part in our classes or in their vicinity.
3. Puppies should not be brought onto our grounds if they are under the age of 12 weeks.
4. Dogs must be kept on a short lead at all times, except when they are in grade 3 or above and requested by the Trainer to remove the lead during a specific section of a lesson.
5. Bitches in season are not permitted to enter classes or come onto the club grounds.
6. It is the owner's responsibility to keep his/her dog under control at all times and not allow their dog to interfere with any other person/dog.
7. Dogs are not permitted in the clubrooms.
8. If your dog fouls the grounds, plastic bags are provided to clean up the droppings. This is the owner's responsibility. The used plastic bags are to be placed in the blue lid bin.
9. Please do not allow your dog to urinate on the building walls or the veranda posts. If this should occur, please flush with clean water.
10. If you should see a dog tied up to a post or pegged, please keep away from it.
11. Playing or running your dog after class. If your class is finished, please consider other classes or grades that are still in progress. Walk your dog on leash away from the club grounds.
12. Dogs should not be given to children to run around with. There is no way a child could control or hold a larger dog should a situation occur. Your dog may be trained and reliable; however, other dogs may not be as secure.
13. The club's minimum age for handlers to train dogs is 12 years of age.
14. If the estimated maximum for Victor Harbor is 34°C or higher for our training night, then training is cancelled. If a significant cool change spreads across our area before 5pm on our training evening, which lowers the temperature **well below 34 C**, training **will** be available.
15. Current vaccination certificates must be shown at the time of renewing membership.
16. Appropriate footwear should be worn while training your dog. Thongs must **not be worn**.
17. Also please avoid wearing flapping clothing.
18. In the interest of the health of our members smoking is prohibited while handling your dog in class and also within 20 metres of the club room.
19. We do not accept the kicking or hitting of dogs.

New Member Info

You need to attend at 6pm on the first night to allow time for the joining process

(Also, please note that dogs are not permitted inside the clubrooms)

Please introduce yourself to the Club Officials on your arrival –Entry to clubrooms through the front door –adjacent to the training area.

IMPORTANT**–Please note that we need to sight the current **vaccination** documents and any **concession** card(s), at the time of joining. *** A club official will process your application on your first attendance.

You will need to pay the required fees before joining a class.

