

# BERWICK OBEDIENCE DOG CLUB

## K 9 MAY TO JULY 2016

PROUDLY CELEBRATING OVER 30 YEARS OF PROMOTING RESPONSIBLE DOG OWNERSHIP

## President's Report

Hello everyone!

Well daylight savings is well and truly over sadly and so is our twilight training for another season. Special thanks to Alex, Ingrid and Graham for dedicating their Wed evenings as well as Sat afternoons so that we could all have extra time to train.

As some of you maybe aware the member for Narre Warren North, the Hon Luke Donellan, came down to visit the Club and share with us that we were successful in a grant application for \$15,000 dollars from the State Government! Thank you!! The \$15,000 grant along with money from the club will mean that we can complete drainage works on the rest of the grounds!! Just think, once it is done, no more floods and mud. This is a significant milestone for the Club so thank you to all who contributed to this.

Thank you to Heather Raditsis and the Obedience Sub Committee for organising and running another successful Members Comp. A real showcase for the hard work and dedication of our members and their canine companions. The standard was so high that the judges would like to encourage members to join VicDogs and take up trialling particularly in Rally-O. If you are considering trialling in obedience or Rally O then please feel free to come down for our Club Trial on Sun 15 May and be truly inspired by what can be achieved. Thank you to the unflappable Lynda Hawkins for organising the Trial!

As you all would be aware it is Members of the Club volunteering their time that keeps the club going and growing into the future. If you think you have even a little time available once a month your assistance would be very much appreciated. If you are considering volunteering but are unsure what it entails please feel free to come and speak with me on a Sat afternoon and I would be happy to answer any questions.

Thank you  
Shaz

REMEMBER TO CHECK THE  
WEBSITE FOR FUTURE SIGN  
UP DAYS FEBRUARY TO  
NOVEMBER FOR 2016.

## BODC wins Award

(Just in case you missed the last newsletter about the clubs award)

In late 2015 the Berwick Obedience Dog Club won the La Trobe Community Award. The club was recognized for its contributions to the community at a lunch time function. Another great achievement for the club for it's involved in providing dog obedience training to the community.



## Got some spare time?? Can you help out ??

Do you enjoy meeting new people.

Why not come and join us??

If you have some time to spare,  
we would love it if you could give some time to help  
the club.



Help with  
the barby

Shop



Kitchen



Office



Check the Website for new members sign up dates. Sign up begins 12.30pm. Please bring along your dog's current vaccination certificate, lead, collar and tasty food.



[enquiries@berwickodc.asn.au](mailto:enquiries@berwickodc.asn.au)

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P.O. Box 23,  
Narre Warren North 3804  
Phone 9796-9496



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Narre Warren North.  
Victoria 3804  
Melways Map 108 Ref E8

# HEAT POLICY

When the predicted high temperature on the Friday evening news is greater or equal to 32 degrees celsius the club will **NOT** be open on that Saturday. Alternative training is held on Wednesday evenings at 6.30pm regardless of the temperature. If the temperature changes on the Saturday morning to below 32 degrees, the club will still remain closed due to administrative activities.

## Club's Shop

For more info see full page advertisement in newsletter



For all your puppy needs, visit the club's great shop & speak with staff about the items we have on sale - open 12.30 pm to 3.15pm

### NEWSLETTER—DATES

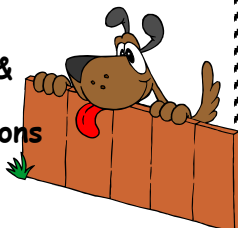
February—April,  
May—July  
August—October  
November—December

## NO TRAINING ON THESE WEEKENDS

**2016.**

Labour Day Weekend - Sat 12th March  
Easter Weekend - Sat 26th March  
Anzac Weekend—Sat 23rd April  
Queens Birthday Weekend - Sat 11th June  
AFL Grand Final Day - Sat 1st Oct  
Melbourne Cup Weekend - Sat 29th Oct  
Last Training Day 2015—Saturday 10th December 2016

**\*\* PLEASE ALWAYS CHECK THE NEWSLETTER, NOTICE BOARDS & WEBSITE FOR FURTHER INFORMATION \*\*\*** Also notifications will be posted on the club Facebook page.



**\*\*\*"CHRISTMAS / NEW YEAR" BREAK**  
2016/2017 CLUB CLOSED—After the Christmas Break Up on 10th December 2016. Club will RE-OPEN SATURDAY 4th February 2017.

## CAR PARKING



**PLEASE NOTE  
IF THE CAR PARK IS  
FULL, PLEASE DO NOT  
PARK IN THE STREET,  
AS IT IS ILLEGAL TO DO  
SO !!!!  
IF THE FOOTBALL IS NOT  
ON, THEN PLEASE PARK  
ON THE HILL**



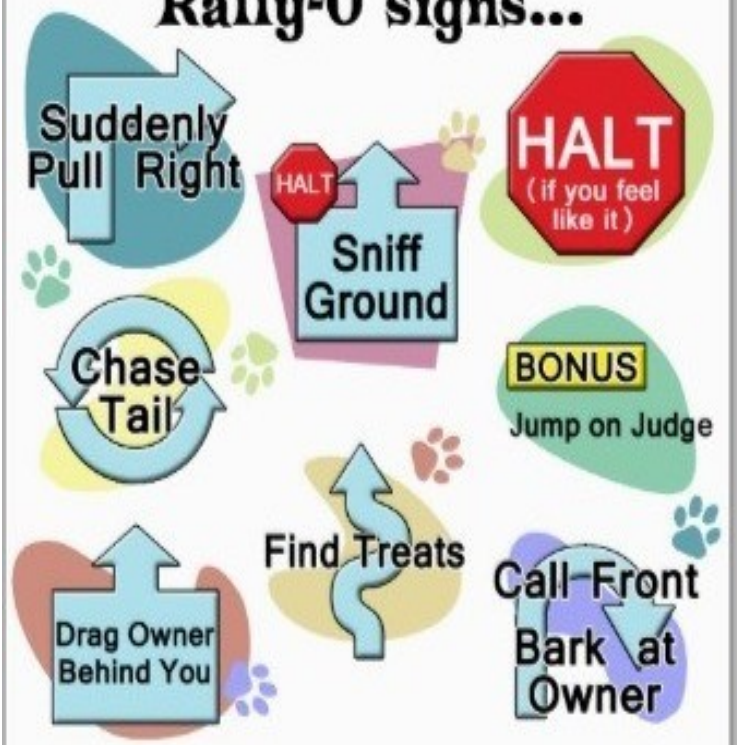




## Club History - Photos



### If dogs made the Rally-O signs...



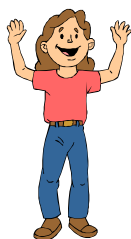
## PLEASE DO NOT

WALK YOUR DOGS ON THE FOOTBALL GROUND. WE HAVE PLENTY OF SPACE HERE AT THE DOG CLUB TO WALK AND EXERCISE YOUR DOG.

### THE INSTRUCTORS OBEDIENCE

Ron  
Ted  
Philip  
Sharon  
Ti-Li  
Laura  
Paul  
Alan  
Melissa  
Lara  
Colin  
Stephen  
Andrea

Alex  
Julie  
Ivan  
Karon  
Wayne  
Lisa  
Carla  
Susan  
Ingrid  
Graeme  
Don  
Heather  
Gabby  
Kristen



### THE COMMITTEE 2015/16

President - Sharon  
Vice-President - Ron  
Secretary - Glenda  
Treasurer - Annette  
Committee Members 2015/16  
Katherine  
Belinda  
Laura  
Stephen  
Daryl  
Vacant



KITCHEN - Glenda ,Erin, Rachel, Patrick, Angus & Geoffery  
OFFICE STAFF - Annette , Tracey , Deb , Terrie, Daryl & Melissa.  
HELPERS— Fiona K  
GROUND STAFF—Alex & Barry  
TRIAL SECRETARIES— 2016  
OBEDIENCE - Lynda H  
RALLY O—Hollie E  
Contact—obediencetrial@berwickodc.asn.au

### FLYBALL

Gordon  
Belinda  
Paul  
Janet  
HELPERS  
Chris M  
Ula  
Matt  
Monique

### AGILITY

Stephen  
Kris  
Linda  
HELPERS  
Hollie  
Janet

### RINGS

Barry

### RALLY O

Nick  
Susan



# Club's Shop

**Did you know that the BODC has a great shop?**

With friendly service and prices well below your regular pet shop!

**Hours: 12.30pm—3.15 pm**

**Why not come in and check us out for your obedience training, agility, flyball and trialling gear needs. We stock a great range including:**

**Leads - Leather, nylon**

- Webbing (90, 120 & 180cm)
- Adjustable/ multipurpose
- Snub



**Collars - Limited slip collars\***

- Correction chains\*
- Gentle leaders\*
- Training collars
- Easy Walk Harness

\*The correct sizes all expertly fitted to your pooch!

Car harnesses

Treat pouches

Kongs & Treat balls

Squeaky toys (for training)

UD Articles

Show arm bands

Dog crates (By Special Order)

Club clothing (incl. polo shirts, windcheaters, vests, beanies, caps & hats)

Club travel mugs (no more spilling drinks!)



**SHOP SPECIALS**

Dog Treats for training (from 50c/bag)

Selected in store specials\* If we don't have something that you need, see if we can order it in for you.



## WEATHERBEETA

### JACKETS

With winter coming on it maybe worth considering getting a jacket for your dog.

The shop now has Weatherbeeta water proof jackets available for members.

There are various sizes and colours for you to check out.







# Best Agility dog and handler in training

## 2015



Freddy M and Lug.

# Training Times

## OBEDIENCE

1.30pm to 2.15pm - Beginners & Red,  
2.45pm to 3.45pm -  
Yellow, Pink, Green & Blue  
Trial Rings 1 pm—2.30pm Advanced/Instructors  
Names must be entered on the sheet by 2.00pm  
Ring Stays at 2.30 pm  
2.45—3.45pm new to trialing

## FLYBALL

Team Training: 11.30am - 12.15pm  
Intermediate: 12.15pm—12.45pm.  
There are 2 beginner sessions: 1.00pm—1.30pm &  
1.30pm—2.00pm  
**Please Note:** Fly ball will only be held if instructors  
are available on the day.

## AGILITY

From 11.45 pm on Saturday's.  
**Please Note:** Agility will only be held if instructors  
are available on the day.  
**We ask that all handlers who help in setting up the  
course MUST EITHER have their DOG placed in a  
crate or left in the car.**

## ABOUT THE BERWICK OBEDIENCE DOG CLUB

The Berwick Obedience Dog Club was founded in October 1980. The club is the only one in the area that trains on Saturday afternoons. The club operates from the first Saturday in February until the first Saturday in December. We train every weekend except for long weekends (Labour Day, Easter, Anzac Day, Queen's Birthday, Melbourne Cup and AFL Grand Final Day). Training is also cancelled if the forecast maximum temperature is 32° or higher. Otherwise we train rain, hail or shine! The club also offers twilight training on Wednesday evenings during daylight saving time.



2003—Training where the 2nd  
Off Leash area currently is



2003—Training where the  
1st Off Leash area  
currently is.

Since 1980 the club has trained thousands of people in responsible dog ownership to make our local community a dog friendly area. The club has also produced a number of champions in obedience, flyball and agility. Our club has many dedicated and enthusiastic members. Each month more and more people decide that dog obedience training is a great idea for their family pet. It is fantastic to see 30 to 40 new members joining up on our sign up days and give their dogs a great start towards being a well-behaved member of the family. Our joining, membership and training fees are very reasonable to make obedience training your dog a very affordable hobby.



## Dog Friendly Destinations

Honeysuckle Beach House, The Honeysuckles, Seaspray.

In March this year we took a 4 day break with our 4 dogs and were really pleased to find through "Stayz", Honeysuckle Beach House. Only 2 hours from Melbourne, and 2 hours from South Gippsland the distance was perfect.

The weather gods smile upon us, the house was exactly what we needed being well furnished, securely fenced, lovely and clean and on a large block for the dogs with plenty of room to throw a frisbee and balls. There was easy access through the side gate to drive the dog trailer right up to the back decking, and the biggest winner of all for us was that literally out through the back gate and over a small sand dune we found ourselves on the beginning of the 90 mile beach!



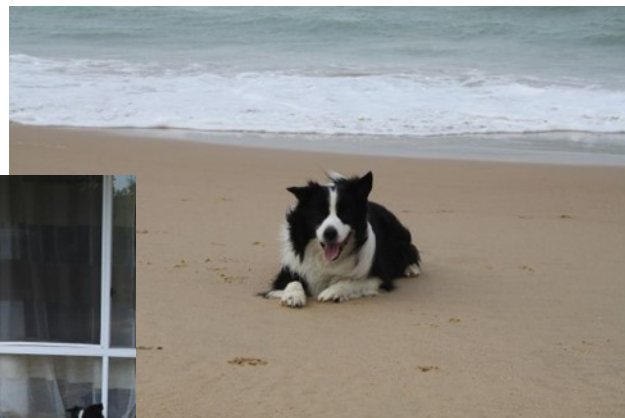
Pets are allowed inside the beach house but owners ask they stay off the furniture. Floors are mostly tiled or wooden laminate, with plenty of room for pets and owners to relax in. The kitchen was the most well equipped we have ever come across, so for anyone who knows that I cook for a living would know this put a big smile on my face. A veranda wraps around the entire house (which was handy for our old girl Jess who got her exercise doing lap after lap looking to see if someone had left a door open)! A quiet neighbourhood that was peaceful and relaxing with the only noise really being the honeyeaters in the native trees and the sound of the ocean. It was heavenly.....



The beach is dog friendly and we found over the 4 days every one we saw with a dog/dogs used dog etiquette and put theirs' back on lead as did we so there were no (strange dog in your face) incidents. Major shops are only 30 minutes away, and Seaspray 5 minutes up the road, but we opted to take all our

supplies with us.

We are looking forward to booking Honeysuckle Beach House again as soon as we get the chance. We found the house through Stayz, but you can also contact Claire Waymouth via email [beaubay@optusnet.com.au](mailto:beaubay@optusnet.com.au)



Karon S 







## Yellow Bandanas

The Berwick Obedience Dog Club has available **Yellow Bandanas** to identify dogs that may need a bit of space around them.

**The reason for needing one could be:**

- Nervousness
- Recovery from an operation (i.e.: convalescing)
- Unsociable to people or other dogs

**When approaching a handler and dog with a yellow bandana, we should:**

- ♦ Be respectful of their space
- ♦ Ask the handler if they are happy to socialize with your dog

When approaching a yellow bandana dog please make sure your dog doesn't go running up to it freely, just as the handler of the yellow bandana dog should be mindful of the space around their dog at all times.

Quite often handlers of yellow bandana dogs have put a lot of work into dealing with specific problems with them, so it would be disappointing if all their hard work was lost.

So if you feel your puppy needs to be given their own space, then go to the office and obtain a bandana for the day. Please return them when you have finished, so that other puppies can have their turn. This is not something the BODC is forcing on handlers as it is your choice and for the wellbeing of your dog/puppy.



## Club - Hydro-Bath

The club has purchased (using funds from the chocolate drive) a hydro-bath to give your dogs a quick rinse of the little bit of mud that they might collect while training. Come the warmer months we will be able offer its use to you to use for a full wash.

Some dogs are not used to being in a hydro-bath and need to be 'trained' before they feel happy about staying in it. If you have one of these dogs please try to come outside of the rush at the end of each session, so we can spend more time with you and your dog.



### Pound Road Veterinary Clinic

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- \* Hydrobath
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Sat 9am to 3pm, Sun 10am to 2pm

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# Fly Ball Weddings

Gochez-Smith on her marriage to Marco



Craig Chalmers on his marriage to Suzanne



## CRANBOURNE LIONS CONCERT BAND

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Wins A Prize!**

### TICKETS

**Pre-Purchase:** Adults \$20, Kids over 5yrs \$10

**Door Prices:** Adults \$25, Kids over 5yrs \$15

Kids under 5 Free (on laps)



**27th Aug, 7pm**

**Lynbrook  
Community Centre**

2 Harris St, Lynbrook



[www.trybooking.com/186487](http://www.trybooking.com/186487)

**ALL PROFITS DONATED TO  
BERWICK OBEDIENCE DOG CLUB**

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# Off - Leash Area Rules

- \* Do not enter when the flag is displayed - Obedience, Agility or Fly ball class is in progress.
- \* Dog owners using this area are responsible for their dogs and injuries or damage caused by them.
- \* Always consult those already using the area before entering.
- \* Only stay 5 minutes if others are waiting.
- \* Clean up after your dog.
- \* Dogs showing signs of aggressive behavior towards people or other dogs must be removed from the area immediately.
- \* Maximum of 8 dogs at a time.
- \* All dogs must wear a collar and owners must carry a leash at all times while in the area.
- \* Owners must not leave their dogs unattended while in the area.
- \* No toys are to be used in the off leash area on club days
- \* Beginners are not to use the off leash area. (unless during training with a BODC instructor)
- \* No young children permitted in the area.
- \* Some of these rules are not on the fence, as they are only during club hours.



## You Know You're Are Dog Person - when



You have a kiddie wading pool in the yard, but no small children.



You can't see out the passenger side or rear windows because there are nose-prints all over the inside.



**REMEMBER TO CALL YOUR DOG EVERY 90 SECONDS**



For up to date information regarding training time and tips join us on Facebook.  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/156097671085185/>



# Ground Rules 2016

1. No bitch in season is permitted on or near the training grounds.
2. All dogs are to be on lead between the hours of 11:30am to 4:00pm unless in the off-lead area. ). (Amended to include 'unless in the off-lead area' September 2007. Amended November 2015 changed to 4.30pm and added "under...area". )
3. Dogs droppings to be cleaned up immediately.
4. No hitting a dog except when trying to prevent a dog from biting a person or a dog
5. No smoking in class or in any undercover areas of the Clubrooms or Sheds. ('or in any undercover areas ... ' Added September 2010)
6. No dogs allowed in the club kitchen
7. Handlers must be financial members of the club to attend training.
8. No children other than child handlers to be in the training areas.
9. Children must be under direct adult supervision at all times. . (Amended to include 'direct' January 2008. Amended November 2015 to remove "especially....dogs.)
10. All handlers must wear their membership card when attending training.
11. The committee may require a dog to be muzzled whilst on the club's grounds & in the car park if it has bitten or shown an extreme tendency of unprovoked aggression towards people or other dogs. (Amended 'must be muzzled' to 'Committee may require a dog to be muzzled' July 2008)
12. Members have the right to appeal against muzzling.
13. Any member not complying with The Club's Rules are subject to the provisions of The Club's Constitution.
14. No training will be held if Saturday's predicted high temperature on Friday evening 6pm news is greater than or equal to 32°C. (Amended to include 'on Friday evening' October 2005, Amended to '30°C' February 2008. Amended to include "6pm news" October 2014. Amended November 2015 to 32°C)
15. No member is to enter The Club's rings/classes without an Instructor's authorization. (Amended "classes" October 2014)
16. No member is to drive The Club's tractor without authorization from The Committee.
17.
  - (a) No passengers are to be carried on the tractor or the trailer.
  - (b) The tractor is to be immobilized when parked outside the shed
18. The minimum age of a handler is 12 years. Members under 12 years must be approved by the appropriate training subcommittee before handling a dog. Adult supervision during training sessions is required for handlers under 12 years.
19. Off leash area (Added June 2007)
  - (a) Do not enter the area when a class is in progress
  - (b) Eight dog maximum limit
  - (c) Members must consult those in the ring before entering
  - (d) Five minute maximum stay when others waiting
  - (e) Any dog showing any sign of aggression must be immediately removed
  - (f) All dogs must wear a collar
  - (g) All handlers must carry a leash and a plastic bag
  - (h) Dogs to be under constant supervision
  - (i) No children under 12 years to enter the area
  - (j) All dogs to be recalled regularly
  - (k) No toys or balls in the off leash area during club hours.
  - (l) ~~Beginners are not to use the off leash area unless under the supervision of an instructor.~~ (added Jan 2012) (Amended "unless under the supervision of an instructor October 2014. Amended November 2015 removed as it is now replaced by the changes made in 2.)
20. That all handlers are to wear suitable enclosed footwear whilst training their dogs. Eg. No thongs or High Heels.
21. No unattended dogs are to be left in the Clubrooms.



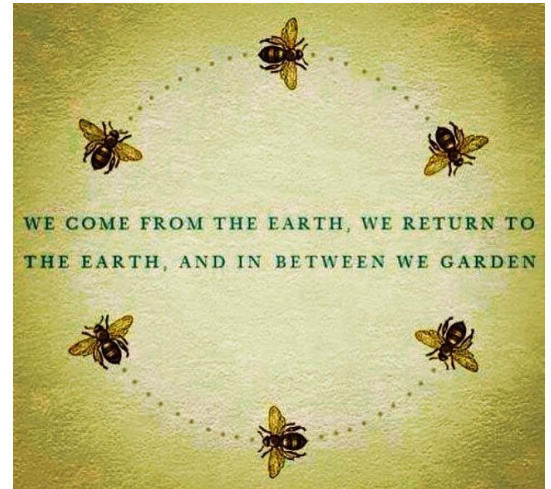


## FAREWELL—MARILYN KIRCHNER

*Sadly in April a dear friend of so many of us here at BODC lost her hard fought battle against cancer. Our deepest heartfelt condolences go out to Nick, the whole Kirchner family and their lovely dogs Lady and Mamie.*

*Nick and Marilyn came to Berwick Obedience about a decade ago with a lovely little Border Collie who sadly passed away not long after they joined. They came back to us some time later with Lady, a chocolate Standard Poodle who had springs for legs and needed just a little bit of training! Nick and Marilyn threw themselves into the task achieving excellent results, and just to make the challenge even better, welcomed a sister for Lady into their home. Mamie, a cheeky black Standard Poodle with even more "get up and go" than Lady.*

*Two boisterous poodles never seemed to phase Marilyn. She had great success with both girls at our club in Obedience, Agility and Rally, and also became accomplished in the Trial Ring. Marilyn also taught Lady complex skills and tricks which included jumping through hoops and saying her prayers to name a few.*



*Marilyn threw herself wholeheartedly into everything she did. I personally believe the word "can't" was not in her vocabulary. If there was a way to get something seemingly impossible done.....she would find it! Always with a positive outlook, negativity never had a fighting chance.*

*Marilyn was an amazing artist, a lover of nature, and a gardener with a seriously green thumb. Always willing to lend a hand, never shy of picking up a shovel at dog club and getting to it whether it be shovelling sand, planting trees or our annual working bee.*

*She had an adventurous spirit and a generous heart, and feel that I can speak for all who knew her, that her smiling face around our dog club will be sadly missed, although long remembered, and when thinking of her will always bring a smile to ours.*







# Rally Novice Title



**Belinda O'S and Molly**

Saracen River of Faith CCD ET gained their RN title at the Easter rally trial with a perfect score of 100 and won Highest score in trial and Highest scoring Berwick member

## Club Handouts

The Berwick Obedience Dog Club has designed 2 information handouts full of great diagrams and hints to help you with some of the most asked questions about dogs.

These information brochures are now available inside the club rooms and office  
Information for the whole family







## THE DO'S OF DOG TRAINING



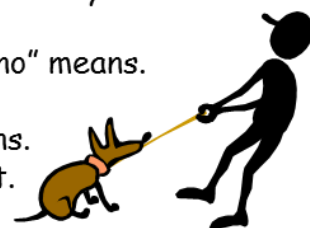
1. Do be nice to your dog every time they come to you.
2. Do get into the habit of using only one command, If your dog doesn't respond, reinforce the command.
3. Do use your dog's name to get their attention and then tell them what you want them to do.
4. Do use a normal tone of voice when you give command. Their hearing is quite acute.
5. Do be consistent in your actions and expectations.
  - Do provide an outlet for your dog's energies.
  - Do keep your dog's mentally stimulated by training them.
  - Do understand that your dog is a social animal, train them so that they can be a part of the family.
9. Do socialise your dog with people and other dogs.
10. Do become the pack leader.
11. Do make learning fun for your dog.
12. Do reward the behaviors you want.
13. Do spend plenty of time with your dog/s and give them lots of exercise.
14. Do keep trying and your dog will reward you by getting the message.
15. Do get outside help when you get stuck.



## THE DON'TS OF DOG TRAINING



1. Don't do anything your dog perceives as unpleasant when they come to you.
2. Don't nag your dog by repeating commands - it teaches them to ignore you.
3. Don't use your dog's name and then expect them to read your mind as to what you want.
4. Don't expect your dog to know what the exercise "no" means.
5. Don't yell at your dog. He's not deaf.
6. Don't confuse your dog with unrealistic expectations.
7. Don't try to suppress behaviors that need an outlet.
8. Don't let your dog stagnate.
9. Don't lock your dog up or put him out because you haven't trained him to behave.
10. Don't isolate your dog.
11. Don't expect your dog to obey if you are not their leader.
12. Don't get too serious in your training.
13. Don't reward undesirable behaviors.
14. Don't make them neurotic by neglecting them.
15. Don't give up when the going gets tough.
16. Don't blame the dog.



Source: "Dog Training for Dummies" - Jack & Wendy Volhard  
In cooperation with pet experts at Howell Book House  
Wiley Publishing, Inc, Indianapolis, Indiana - 2001.



# Autumn Members Competition Results

## 16th April 2016

Congratulations to the following members on their achievements and keep up the good work.  
(Apologies for any spelling errors).

### **Red #1 - Judge Laura**

1st Ryan L & Amber - 98 Points  
2nd Angela M & Tilda - 97 Points  
3rd Emma B & Tess - 94 Points  
Encouragement Joanne P & Violet

### **Red #2 - Judge Alan**

1st Joanne L & Amber - 94 points  
2nd Katrina W & Chivas- 90points  
3rd Philip G & Leroy - 75 points

### **Yellow - Judge Ted**

1st Jaye B & Giaan - 100 points  
2nd Melyce C & Karma - 74 points  
3rd Chris A & Zeus - 73 points  
Encouragement Kyle V & Aria

### **Pink - Judge Philip**

1st Jenny T & Flynn - 90 points  
2nd Nathan P & Wilson - 73 points  
3rd Ida de G & Apache - 68 points

### **Green - Judge Karon**

1st Stacci B & Alvin - 94 points  
2nd Merra C & Jax - 83 points  
3rd Staci B & Milly - 82 points  
Encouragement Katherine V & Matt

### **Blue - Judge Merrae**

1st Cheryl W & Wizard - 92 points  
2nd Laura B & Roxy - 88 points  
3rd Ian B & Mickey- 76 points  
Encouragement Freddy M & Lug

### **Rally O Red - Judge Walter**

1st Joanne L & Amber  
2nd Will R & Shelby  
3rd Tiffany S & Sienna  
Encouragement Ryan L

### **Rally O Yellow - Judge Susan**

1st Fiona G & Taro  
2nd Lyn St C & Silka  
3rd Jaye Be & Giaan

### **Rally O Pink - Judge Susan**

1st Jenny T & Flynn  
2nd Nathan P & Wilson  
3rd Kim D & Toto

### **Rally O Green - Judge Lisa**

1st Katherine V & Matt  
2nd Merra C & Jax  
3rd Ron Bk & Korie

### **Rally O Blue - Judge Lisa**

1st Ingrid J & Luci  
2nd Carol C & Shiloh  
3rd Monica N & Erik

### **Rally O - Trialling Judge Pam**

1st Lorraine P & Robbie  
2nd Lorraine P & Danny  
3rd Cheryl W & Wizard





# TRIALLING MEMBERS ACHIEVEMENTS



**2015**



**Titles Achieved  
2015**

Nancy Holden  
Morag  
Utility Dog (UD)

**Titles Achieved 2015**

Pam Brown  
Spencer  
Rally Novice (RN)  
Rally Advanced A (RA)

**Titles Achieved 2015**

Gordon Chalmers  
Murray  
ONYX

**Titles Achieved 2015**

Vivien Wilson  
Toby  
Flyball Dog (FD)  
Flyball Dog Excellent (FDX)

**Titles Achieved 2015**

Janet Fry  
Shaddow  
Flyball Master Excellent (FMX)

**Titles Achieved 2015**

Debbie Charters  
Miley  
Neuter Champion  
Dual Ch (Neuter) (T)  
Companion Dog (CD)

**Titles Achieved 2015**

Belinda O'Shea  
Frankie  
Endurance Test (ET)  
Australian Flyball Champion (AFch)

**Titles Achieved 2015**

Nancy Holden  
Kyna  
Grand Track & Search Champion (Grand TS Ch)

**Titles Achieved 2015**

Matt Haines  
Penny  
Flyball Master (FM)

**Titles Achieved 2015**

Pam Brown  
Sheldon  
Rally Advanced A (RA)

**Titles Achieved 2015**

Geoff Brown  
Sheldon  
Rally Novice (RN)

**Titles Achieved 2015**

Elysha Neylan  
Lucy  
Flyball Dog (FD)  
Flyball Dog Excellent (FDX)

**Titles Achieved 2015**

Lisa Sinclair  
Coffee Crème  
Rally Advanced Excellent (RAE)  
Companion Dog excellent (CDX)

**Titles Achieved 2015**

Judy Pillinger  
Tango  
Rally Excellent (RE)

**Titles Achieved 2015**

April Smith  
Zane  
Flyball Master Excellent  
(FMX)

**Titles Achieved 2015**

Belinda O'Shea  
Eddie  
Rally Excellent (RE)

# TRIALLING MEMBERS ACHIEVEMENTS



## 2015



**Titles Achieved 2015**  
Pauline Sampson  
Flint  
Flyball Dog (FD)  
Flyball Dog Excellent (FDX)  
Flyball Dog Champion (FDCh)

**Titles Achieved 2015**  
Elysha Neylan  
Lucy  
Flyball Dog (FD)  
Flyball Dog Excellent (FDX)

**Titles Achieved 2015**  
Matt Haines  
Penny  
Flyball Master (FM)

**Titles Achieved 2015**  
Janet Fry  
Barny  
Flyball Dog Champion (FDCh)

**Titles Achieved 2015**  
Janice Turriff  
Astro  
Flyball Master Excellent (FMX)

**Titles Achieved 2015**  
Paul Percival  
Princess  
Australian Flyball Champion (AFch)

**Titles Achieved 2015**  
Cody Smith  
Ana  
Flyball Master (FM)

**Titles Achieved 2015**  
Dave Chalmers  
Becky  
Flyball Master Champion (FMCh)

**Titles Achieved 2015**  
Sunny Day  
River  
Flyball Dog (FD)  
Flyball Dog Excellent (FDX)  
Flyball Dog Champion (FDCh)  
Australian Flyball Champion (AFch)

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## BASIC PRINCIPLES OF DOG TRAINING

Dogs learn by repetition, that is the same thing repeated several times, however dogs have a limited attention span to sights and sounds that do not have an immediate survival potential - Thus it is not advisable to repeat an exercise **more than 3 times in a row**.

### Beginners Class Exercises

Simple exercises in beginners are designed to give you a degree of control over your dog. Obviously you have more control over a dog that is sitting quietly rather than swinging on the end of the lead. After a few weeks of beginners, your dog will come when called and sit still while you put on their collar and lead. You will learn that you are the leader of the pack and the boss dog. And they will accept your direction and guidance.

**PRAISE AND REWARD THE BEHAVIOUR YOU WANT**  
**GROWL FOR THE BEHAVIOUR YOU DON'T WANT**