## FRANKSTON DOG OBEDIENCE CLUB

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## President's Report

Hello members, hope you are all well and enjoying your training. It's great to be back again after our 4th lockdown.

Saturday the 3rd of July saw our first club competition day in 2 years, and it was great to see so many of our new members having a go. Well done to all, and a big thank you to 4 legs our major sponsor for over 10 years.

Our presentation evening is going ahead this year and it's a very special one. It's our 30 year celebration and something to really look forward to. Just a reminder that this year will recognise titles from both 2020 and 2021. So when applying for your

title trophies, don't forget both years. Please see me in the kiosk to start your payment plan. For details see the add in this newsletter.

I'd like to take this opportunity to thank all our tireless volunteers who spend their Saturdays assisting with the running of the club. Your assistance is greatly appreciated.

Remember to dress warm for training and enjoy your dogs!

Kim Dearden President

## Club Competition Day 3/7/2021

For the first time in what felt like 10 years, we managed to hold our first Club Competition Day of 2021. The rain stayed away and COVID-19 lockdowns have moved to other states. Our Victorian restrictions allowed us to hold our FunDay. We had Agility and Flyball early in the day with competitions for beginners through to the trialling and team dogs for each sport.

Below are the 1,2,3 results fro the Obedience section for the day. Congratulations!

#### **Puppies**

1<sup>st</sup> – Bev Jacobson with Pip
 2md – Cassandra Clark with Nikeeta
 3<sup>rd</sup> – Kerry De Rosayro and Summer

#### **Beginners 1**

1<sup>st</sup> – Barry Groves and Noxie 2<sup>nd</sup> – Mark McDermott and Neo 3<sup>rd</sup> – Jessica Bottomley and Oscar

#### **Beginners 2**

1<sup>st</sup> – Russell Walters and Ziggy 2<sup>nd</sup> – Lauren Monohan and Casper 3<sup>rd</sup> – Jason Taylor and Marty

#### Pink

1<sup>st</sup> – Susie Young and Otto 2<sup>nd</sup> – Lauren Monohan and Storm 3<sup>rd</sup> – Rebecca Nickols and Zenkie

#### **CCD**

1<sup>st</sup> – Helen Campbell and Tango 2<sup>nd</sup> – Mark Herstreit and Molly 3<sup>rd</sup> – Danise Gartland and Boots

#### Veterans

1<sup>st</sup> – Diane Gnieslaw and Amber 2<sup>nd</sup> – Andre Torpy and Paddy



## Welcome to our New Members

Joyce Anne Alenton with Fox

Johnny & Elise Morse with Winston

Ted & Andrea Cottle with Indie

Paul & Sonia Evans with Bowie

Alexsandra Usatoff with Nigel

Rob & Kellie Lock - Mackay with Murphy &

Charlie

Joanna & Chris Abbott with Nala

Astrid Marshall with Millie

Ashley & Trent Kirkman - Thiessens with Bandit

& Rebel

Bev Jacobson with Pip

Warwick Reader with Orlando

Robyn Pendlebury with Banksy

Tania, Jacob, Macky & Jamie Paul - Thomas with

Pepper

Lenie & Bruce Rigby with Coco

Tracy Crittenden with Sam

Emma Marriner with Neville

Sheena Styles with Chico

Caillan & Hayley Smith with Gilbert

Helen & Jack Williams with Maximus 'Max'

Eve & Roger Fisher - Hinga with YogiBear

Greg, Mikayla & Robyn Simpkins with Bruce

John Whateley with Bear

Robyn Stafford with Frankie

Megan Ryan with Starfyre

Tahlia & Daniel Martin - Mitchell with Freddie

Caitlyn & Wendy Langdon with Khya

Rebecca & Michael Young with Bluey

Jeneane Sullivan with Paddington

Ivan & Veronica Mlinaric with Mack

Simone Wenske with Bentley

Alice Westmore with Norma

Katrina Turner with Edge

Katie Wood with Huxley

Virginia & Krystelle Darby - Winn with Daisy,

Duke & Charlie Brown

Luke & Debra Bruenjes with Buddy

Ruth &

Raymond Daley with Narnia & Xander

Jenni, Nicholas & Micha Cummins with Toby

Julia & Branko Hawkins - Topal with Suzi

Sofia & Oli Csernatony - Torok with Nat

Paula & Emily White - Ryan with Harvey

Craig & Julia Colgan with Darby

Tamar Ratnik with Rupert

Heather Johns with Ted & Charlee

Sam & Samantha Saxton - Fraser with Jet

Kara & Gary Bourne - Mcdiarmid with Lulu

Emma & Will Robinson - Smith with Koda

Jamie & Alex Simpson - Travaglia with Remi

Dave Ward with Mayla

Amanda & Kayla Hogg with Daisy

Jessie & Harry Rech - Pugh with Lenny

Raveena & Mohan Grewal - Singh with Kaya

Alycia & Romeo Hayes - Kertesz with Dakoda

Bernie Quinlan with Millie

Gael Taylah & John Vanderven with Penny

Derek Poulton with Talica

Lyn & Len Barnes - Nidenko with Quincy

Adam Degabriele with Axel

Katerina Vermes with ace

Kyle Patterson with Cali

Melinda & Amy Dowswell with Gomez

Brittany Burkitt with Harlow

Di & Alex Yucel - Kain with Bali

Debbie & Neil Lund with Ruby

Annette Kiernan with Spencer

Medha & Matt Murtagh - Freston with Nelson

ANDREA KERSHAW with Greta & Hugo

Jarryn Patterson with Buddy

Fiona Curwen with Rex

Waddell Narelle & Andrew Potter with Duke &

Larry

Ryan & Zoey Chung - Ko with Milo & Otis

Shaun & Ashley Fuller - Cook-howlett with

Gnocchi

Lyn Harrison-Wild with Taz

Yvonne Beswick with Connor,

Ebony & Misty Vance, Micah & Lu van der

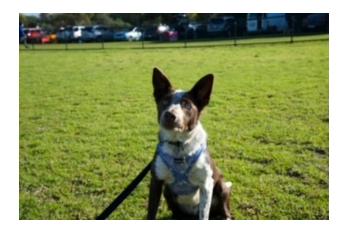
Noord with Oscar

#### **July 2021**

Jo Baker with Sheba Stuart & Aidan O'Callaghan with Lucky & Jewels Bianca & Taylor Nichols - Castle with Floss Tyler Czebotar with Bindi Ashleigh & Angela Hood -Davies with Cooper & Lexie Mark & Ann Mcdermott with Neo Pepita & Matt Nelson - Nelson with Millie Debbie & Alex Navin - Hatfield with Gerry Pip & Nola Coulthurst with Maisie Zac Staggard with Bucky Vishal Rajeshbabu with Sid Tony Rowland with Coco, Riley & Max Camila & Craig Lemos - Martin with Tilly John Pastura with Max Doreen Meehan with Trixie Maree & Alexandra Smyth with Ava Lisa & Felicity Chalker - Warren with Anakin Rachelle & Mandy Honig with Alaska Cameron & Jodie Dean with Daisy Errin Lindner with Steven



Bert & Christine Kokenberg with Reggie Tamara & Oscar Brown with Nala Eric & Fiona Daffy with Nellie Rozlyn & Ron Chidgey with Saffy Michele Brennan with Jetta Sam & Anna Nolte - Livova with Basil Danielle Irving with Fanci Matthew & Claire Lupica with Rocket Ebony & Andrew Carnegie - Levey with Pepper Mark & Elena Owen Gandini with Bluey Imogene & Zac Falconer-Adams Kearney with Sadie & Copper Bree Carrigg with Rylee Benjamin Fullard with Leroy Delia & Ramon Navarro with Reggie Alice Bayly with Autumn Renee & Loren Watkins - Dennett with Hiccup Matthew & Holly Kerr - Samson with Krip JACQUI & DAVID BISHOP with MOLLIE



Welcome back to Covid-Safe FDOC! Please remember to stay up to date with current government requirements.

#### You must:

- Carry a mask with you at all time and wear your mask where you cannot social distance
- Practice good hand hygiene Sanitizer can be found around the grounds. Please ensure to sanitize your hands when handling club equipment and after touching frequently touched surfaces
- Maintain a distance of 1.5 meters from other members

## **Agility News**

#### Funday Results 3<sup>rd</sup> July, 2021

Our agility numbers have seriously diminished over the last 2 years, so it was pleasing to have 40 runs scheduled for this day. This was largely due to several handlers running 2 dogs. Our trainee judge, Darren Wallace, did a great job providing and judging some fun courses, ably mentored by Roger Padfield and Scott Fletcher. Thanks guys.

The weather was very cold but the sun shone most of the time and the forecast rain stayed away.

#### **Masters Jumping**

1<sup>st</sup> Lisa Retford and Buddy
 2<sup>nd</sup> Danielle Marsh and Ty
 3<sup>rd</sup> Kaye Grant and Sasha

#### **Excellent Jumping**

1<sup>st</sup> Scott Fletcher and Koa

#### Novice Jumping Trialed

1<sup>st</sup> Michelle Raki and Dusty

#### Masters Agility

1<sup>st</sup> Sandra Scaffochia and Shilo 2<sup>nd</sup> Lisa Retford and Buddy

#### **Excellent Agility**

1<sup>st</sup> Leonie Jasper and Axel

#### Novice Agility Trialed

1<sup>st</sup> Michelle Raki and Dusty
 2<sup>nd</sup> Scott Fletcher and Koa
 3<sup>rd</sup> Kaye Grant and Sasha

#### **Beginner Agility**

1<sup>st</sup> Jenny Williams and Jessy
 2<sup>nd</sup> Joanne McComiskie and Mya
 3<sup>rd</sup> Judith Soerink and Pumpkin





## Volunteers Wanted!

FDOC is completely volunteer run. Everyone from the person that signed you up on your first day to the kiosk ladies to the instructors and everyone in between are volunteering their time for the greater good of the club. Thankyou to all our volunteers for the time and effort. We are always looking for volunteers to help at the club. Sometimes we need small things done, other times we need larger, more time consuming roles filled.

This year we have held 2 fundraising bbqs at Bunnings Carrum Downs. Thankyou to everyone that volunteered a few hours of their time to take a shift slinging snags. It was wonderful to see so many members volunteering to support these!

#### Can you help with any of the following?

**Instructors!** We are always looking for keen new instructors! We run an instructors course each year, if you're keen to get involved chart to Albert – our chief instructor!

**Cleaners!** Our clubrooms don't clean themselves. Can you donate some time to help keep our amazing facilities clean? If yes please chat to Kim in the kiosk!

**Scanning in attendants!** Can you help us to monitor the scanning in table. Our Covid Safe plan requires everyone to check in and we are responsible for monitoring this. If yes please chat to Kim in the kiosk!





#### 2021 Committee

#### **Executive**

President – Kim Dearden
Vice President – Lauren Dolley
Secretary – Peter Gibson
Treasurer – Janice James

#### **General Members**

Tasha Sharp
Charles Murton
Kate Dunkley
Penny Roberts
Pauline Dodd
Mailie Gibson
Katrina MacDonald
Bruce Saunders

## Flyball News

The Flyballers have been have a blast over the past few months, training hard and having fun! Unfortunately there hasn't been much to report on the competition front! Keilor's competition was cancelled before it even began due to soggy grounds and Purely for Points was off the a great start until the weather pulled things to a screaming halt!

#### **Purely for Points**

Purely for points co-hosted by the Franskton and Berwick flyball teams was shaping up to be an epic day of racing. Teams from all over the state had assembled their national's teams in a sneak peak of what to expect in October in Canberra. The lightning bolts were undefeated having beaten the 2 top seeded teams in division 1 and running some great low 18 second times. The cyclones and blizzards were running beautifully in Division 3 and 4. The skys remained clear until lunchtime and we were hopeful of all logging times for Nationals, however the weather gods had other plans sending gale-force winds and icy rain our way

after lunch. With safety always taking top priority the proverbial pin was pulled and everyone headed home.

#### **Member's Comp**

Our first members comp in what feels like an eternity sent a brilliant morning of racing our way. The team dogs were eager to be back racing and the beginner dogs gained their first experience of flyball racing

Congratulations to everyone on a brilliant effort! Regardless of whether your dog placed the dog/handlers teams were all brilliant!

#### **Division 1 Pairs**

1<sup>st</sup> – Poppy and Monty

2<sup>nd</sup> – Dakota and Storm

3<sup>rd</sup> – Mac and Kona

#### Division 2 Pairs

1<sup>st</sup> – Sami and Amber

2<sup>nd</sup> – Kali and Willow

3<sup>rd</sup> – Jodie and Zeke

#### **Intermediates**

1<sup>st</sup> – Casper

2<sup>nd</sup> – Cobber

3<sup>rd</sup> – Mocha



#### **Beginners** $\frac{1^{st} - Milo}{1}$

 $2^{nd}$  – Rusty

3<sup>rd</sup> - Sophie

### VALE DAISY 01/04/2016 - 30/03/2022

One of my Avon customers told me that her daughter was looking for a new home for her dog Daisy, a sixteen-month old female chocolate Labrador, as she didn't have time to look after her so Daisy came for a play date with Chloe and never left.

I enrolled Daisy at Dog Club, where she hated obedience training. soI decided to try agility training at the Frankston Dog Obedience Club, where she could use her brain and all her energy, then I started tracking training with her. I also registered Daisy with Dogs Victoria and registered her name as Driving Miss Daisy.

Daisy and I had fun at tracking where she gained both her TD and TDX titles and some failures along the way. Daisy enjoyed her retirement with both Lucy and Sophie and then Daisy went downhill, so unfortunately 2 days before her 15<sup>th</sup> birthday Daisy gained her angel wings.

Daisy or Driving Miss Daisy may be gone but she will always be remembered and always in my heart.

Fran Mills



# Presentation Evening 2021 Celebrating 30 Years

Seaford Hotel
Buffet Style Dinner
\$35 / head
All FDOC friends & family welcomed
Payment Plans Available

Please join us to celebrate the achievements of our club and highlight our members & dogs that have impacted FDOC in the last two years. It will be an amazing night to also celebrate the club's successes over the 30 years we have been training.



Please see Kim at the kiosk to organise payment