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#### **President's Message**

As we move into September and Spring, we can reflect on the huge number of major events held during August.

We saw several Breed Nationals which were enjoyed by so many enthusiasts from around the world. Congratulations to the winners and thank you to all those who planned and worked collaboratively for years to bring these events together.

Another Brisbane Royal has come and gone. Huge congratulations to those who enjoyed success in both the conformation arena and all our dog sport events. The "Ekka" is always a favourite for so many.

The Ekka was a perfect opportunity to showcase our dog world including our associate register stars.

Thank you to all our members who contributed positively at both the Dogs Queensland stand and the various breed club stands and for interacting with the public. These passionate members have made a positive contribution at not only the "Ekka", but at the recent Pet Show. Volunteers are the backbone of our organisation and we thank you for your continued support.

Many breed clubs and group clubs take the opportunity to hold events during Ekka week. Great events enjoyed by many!!!

We also held a very successful State Junior Handler Final at Dogs Queensland Dog Sports Grounds, Durack on 20 August, 2023. Congratulations to all our juniors on a fantastic event. These events don't occur without the support of the committees. We need to acknowledge Mandy Schelbach (former Chair of this committee) and the current Chair Duncan McAllister and their committees for their

dedication to our juniors. Also thank you to Toni Dennis for her work with the Junior Handler Suit swap. This was once again very well received!

We wish the overall winner, Monique Gardiner best of luck at the National Final. We know you will do your state proud!!!

August has also seen Dogs Queensland Board members working hard in the background building relationships with key stakeholders.

Junior Vice President Elisa McCutcheon, General Manager Rob Harrison and I met with representatives of the RSPCA. The topic of discussion was the proposed breed specific Legislation being proposed by the Queensland Government. This meeting gave us the opportunity to gain a better understanding and working relationship between our two organisations going forward.

Elisa also represented Dogs Queensland in a joint media interview with the RSPCA on this topic. Media coverage was seen on Channels 7, 9 and 10!

Carolyn Ryan

Dogs Queensland President















#### **Board Notes - September 2023**

#### DOGS QUEENSLAND SUBMISSION ANIMAL MANAGEMENT (CATS AND DOGS) ACT 2008

Animal management has long been a problem for Councils (particularly dog complaints and noise complaints).

Dogs Queensland is addressing the proposed reforms in Queensland to the Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008 by submitting the following submission.

<u>Dogs Queensland Submission Animal</u> <u>Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008</u>

## RULES FOR THE CONDUCT OF AGILITY TRIALS AND AGILITY GAMES: ORIGINAL RULE 7.2 REINSTATED

In 2020 Rule 7.2 in the Rules for the Conduct of Agility Trials and Agility Games was temporarily modified to safeguard Trial officials against the transmission of COVID. The States and Territory governments are now free from any COVID restrictions which makes this rule modification redundant. The National Agility Committee members has agreed the temporary rule is no longer required and the original Rule 7.2 should be reinstated effective immediately.

Please be advised that the temporary rule that was mandated in 2020 is now unnecessary and we ask that you revert to the original Rule 7.2 in the Rule Book as noted below. Should a future restriction be put in force in any State or Territory, that Member Body may reinstate the COVID modification until such time as the restriction is lifted without referring to Dogs Australia for approval.

7.2. Entering and Exiting the Ring
On the Steward's call of the dog's catalogue number, the Handler will enter the ring via the entry point, with the dog on lead either carried or walked and follow the Steward's and/or Judge's instructions.
The lead and harness or head collar must be removed, the collar may be removed and all items handed to a Steward or may be placed on the ground behind or in a provided nearby receptacle.
The steward will remove items after the dog/handler team commences their run.

For information purposes only please find below a copy of the temporary modified rule:

7.2 On the Steward's call of the dog's catalogue number, the Handler will enter the ring via the entry point, with the dog on lead and follow the Steward's and/or Judge's instructions. The lead will be removed, the collar maybe removed. The Handler will either place the lead/collar in a pocket whilst running the course or wear it on them (e.g. clipped around their waist like a belt). If any of these items fall to the ground or the dog grabs the lead while running the course this will result in a DQ. The lead/collar must be inaudible and if not this will result in a DQ.

## APPROVAL OF 2025 NATIONAL SHOW/ RESTRICTED OBEDIENCE TRIAL – ROTTWEILER CLUB OF NSW INC

Dogs Australia previously advised of the cancellation of the 2023 National Show/Restricted Obedience Trial to be held by the Rottweiler Club of NSW Inc due to continuing uncertainty of Covid-19 restrictions.

They are pleased to approve the rescheduled dates for this National Show/Restricted Obedience Trial which will now take place on 5 to 7 October 2024 by the Rottweiler Club of NSW Inc at the Dogs NSW Showgrounds, Orchard Hills, New South Wales.

#### APPROVAL OF 2025 NATIONAL SHOW – CHIHUAHUA CLUB OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Dogs Australia are pleased to advise the approval of the application received from the Chihuahua Club of South Australia Inc to conduct a National Show on the 24 to 25 May 2025 at the David Roche Park, Cromwell Road, Kilburn, South Australia.

#### APPROVAL OF 2025 NATIONAL SHOW – GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB OF QUEENSLAND INC

Dogs Australia are pleased to advise the approval of the application received from the German Shepherd Dog Club of Queensland Inc to conduct the 2025 National Show on the 30 May to 1 June 2025 at the Dogs Queensland Showgrounds, 247 King Avenue, Durack, Queensland.

#### FCI BREED TO BE ADDED TO THE NATIONAL BUSINESS SYSTEM - MUDI

Dogs Australia have advised an application has been received for re-registration of the following FCI recognized breed: **Mudi** 

They are currently arranging for this breed to be added to the business system and for their website to be updated with the relevant breed standard.

In addition, the ANKC Group listing will be updated with this breed being allocated to Group 5 (Working Dogs) as confirmed by the National Breed Standards Coordination Group.

#### DOGS AUSTRALIA JUDGES BADGES & DISCIPLINE SPORTING BARS

The following Dogs Australia Judges Badges and Discipline Sporting Bars are now available for purchase:

Judges (with loop), Judges (no loop), All-Breed Judge Bar, Agility Bar, Obedience Bar, Tracking Bar, Track & Search Bar, Retrieving Bar, Field Bar, Earthdog Bar, Dances With Dogs Bar, Herding Bar, Endurance Bar, Rally Bar, RATG Bar, Trick Dog Bar, Lure Coursing Bar, Weight Pull Bar, Backpacking Bar, Sledding Bar, Scent Work Bar and Double Split Rings.

Current pricing is: Judges Badges – with or without loops \$7.00 each, Discipline Sporting Bars \$5.00 each and Double Split Rings 20c each.

To order your badges simply email <a href="mailto:info@dogsqueensland.org.au">info@dogsqueensland.org.au</a> no later than the last Wednesday of each month. Badges can be collected from the DQ Office during business hours or can be posted for an additional cost.









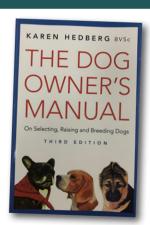
Dogs Queensland have a limited number of Microchip Scanners and DQ bags available for purchase.

To make a purchase, simply visit the Dogs Queensland office during business hours (Monday – Friday, 8am to 5pm) or to place an order, phone 3252 2661 or email <a href="mailto:pina@dogsqueensland.org.au">pina@dogsqueensland.org.au</a>. Postage rates apply, if required.



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#### Regulations for Judges Training Conformation 2023/2024 Self-Funded Adult Education Program

#### General

- The Rules and Regulations of the Dogs Queensland Judges Training Program (JTP) are amended from time to time; such amendments are published by DQ. These Dogs Queensland Regulations for the JTP comply with the philosophy of the ANKC Rules but also accommodate necessities required by the diverse nature of metropolitan and regional Queensland. These regulations are effective immediately.
- 2. Aspiring judges and all interested members are reminded that membership in the JTP confers no automatic right to become a Judge. Dogs Queensland will consider the suitability and behaviour of all applicants entering the JTP. Becoming a Judge requires successful completion of the syllabus following which the aspiring Judge must earn the privilege to be registered and acknowledged as a Judge. This privilege may be withdrawn should circumstances warrant and after all facts have been considered.
- 3. An essential requirement of acceptance, and continued progression, in the JTP (including applications for both theory and practical examinations) is a demonstrated significant and continued participation in the management or operation of an affiliated Dogs Queensland Club or Committee. Trainees must complete the "Club Activity" form each year. This documentation **MUST** accompany ALL applications; including first time applicants, theory examinations and practical examinations, irrespective of the number of Championship Show groups a Judge may hold. Applications which do not include this mandatory documentation will be rejected unless appropriately documented reasons for extenuating circumstances are approved by the Conformation Judges Committee (CJC).
- The Dogs Queensland JTP is available for eligible members of Dogs Queensland who are residents of Queensland. Queensland residents who were

- previously members of other ANKC Affiliates and were previously in an equivalent ANKC recognised training program, will be recognised under a reciprocal agreement, provided all requirements are fulfilled.
- 5. Any persons who were previously resident in another State or Territory (and members of that State or Territory), and were not in the Judges Training Program, and who are now bona-fide residents of Queensland, may apply to enter the JTP upon providing a letter from their previous controlling body showing they comply with the entry requirements for Aspiring Judges.
- The JTP is a continuous program. Persons who are unable to continue in the system due to illness, injury or issues of a personal nature, should apply in writing to the CJC for a leave of absence for a suitable period.
- 7. Members are not permitted to accept judging appointments or sign contracts to judge, until official written notification from Dogs Queensland, advising their judging status, has been received by them.
- 8. A member who has previously held Championship Show status may apply for reinstatement. Where a period of absence has occurred from the Judges List, reinstatement will be considered only after the member concerned has passed 90% of an Open Book examination on a number of the major breeds in the Group(s), plus those breeds which have been introduced by the ANKC during their absence. In some instances, particularly for longer periods of absence, the CJC may require a practical assessment which would be conducted using similar procedures to the Practical Examination as described in **Regulation 38**, and at a date to be determined by the CJC. Should the candidate fail the assessment, they would be added to the Open Show Panel and be required to fulfil the requirements as set out in Regulations 17-21.
- 9. A member who has previously held an Open show status and has previously passed the theory exams for a Group may apply for reinstatement to the Open show panel. To then proceed they must complete all the requirements of the current Group Training Program.



- 10. Any Trainee Judge or Aspiring Judge who is found to have engaged in unsportsmanlike or unprofessional behaviour or has breached the Dogs Queensland Rules or the Dogs Queensland Code of Ethics or the Board of Dogs Queensland Judges Code of Ethics, or is not fulfilling training regulations, will be held accountable and may be suspended or removed from the JTP and / or the Judges Panel.
- 11. The CJC, in determining whether to remove or suspend, will consider all the facts and will provide their recommendation to the Board of Dogs Queensland.
- 12. A right of appeal is available, and an appeal may be made to the Board of Dogs Queensland in writing within 14 days of the official notification of the removal or suspension.

#### **Definitions**

- 13. Terms used in these Regulations are defined below:
  - a. Championship Show Judge: A person who is qualified to judge individual breeds, or one or more Groups at Championship Show level.
  - b. CJC: Conformation Judges Committee.
  - c. DQ: Dogs Queensland
  - First Time Applicant (Aspiring Judge): A person accepted into the Judges Training Program as a First Time Applicant.
  - e. JTP: Judges Training Program.
  - f. Primary Group: The Group in which the candidate first bred / exhibited dogs.
  - g. Single Breed Judge (SBJ): A person who is qualified as a Breed Specialist, to judge a single breed at Championship Show level.
  - h. S.E. Queensland: The training region covered by Brisbane and surrounding areas (for Durack attendees) at the discretion of the CJC.
  - Trainee (Judge): A person who is qualified to judge one or more breed(s) or Group(s) at Open Show level.

j. Accredited Assessor – A judge who has held Championship status in that Group for 5 years or more.

### Stewarding/Writing Requirements for All Judges in the JTP

14. Starting 1st July and terminating 30th June each year, a Trainee Judge must fulfil the following requirements:

All trainee judges must complete a minimum of Ten (10) Stewarding appointments in Queensland at any Dogs Queensland affiliated Show. Six (6) of these must be at Championship shows, the other Four (4) can be made up of writing and assembly stewarding at Championship shows or stewarding at Open Shows.

- Note: Ring Stewarding for Two (2) or more Groups at the same Show on the same day is classified as One (1) appointment.
- a. The Ring Stewarding requirements are to ensure that candidates not only provide valuable assistance with the operation of Shows but also, and more importantly, enable them to observe the judging of breeds. Consequently, the function of Show Manager does not qualify for the aforementioned requirements.
- b. A maximum of five stewarding appointments are able to be counted at the Brisbane Royal Show, this can be made up of 5 ring stewarding appointments or for example 1 ring stewarding and 4 assembly stewarding appointments. Steward card must be signed by Show Manager indicating ring steward or assembly steward.
- c. All Judges in the JTP must maintain and produce, upon request, an official completed and signed Dogs Queensland Steward's Card.
- d. Stewarding requirements apply every year regardless of your intention to elevate to championship level or add an additional open show group. Failure to complete required stewarding each year may impact on your application in later years.



#### **Entry Requirements for First Time Applicants**

- 15. Criteria for Eligibility for acceptance as an Aspirant
  - a. Have held financial membership of Dogs Queensland or another ANKC Affiliate for a minimum of 8 consecutive years or be the son / daughter of a financial member, who has been a financial member for not less than 8 consecutive years.
  - b. Have been active in canine affairs (see Regulation 3).
  - c. Be a minimum of 18 years of age.
  - d. Have bred at least three litters under their own or shared prefix.
  - e. Have bred or exhibited to their title at least two champions.
  - f. Where Dogs Qld, in its sole and unfettered discretion, considers that exceptional circumstances exist, it may grant dispensation to a candidate from compliance with regulations 15d and/or 15e.
  - g. Have become an Accredited Conformation Ring Steward by attending the training provided by the Event Managers & Stewards Committee. Complete all the relevant requirements within the twelve months prior to submitting the application to join the Conformation Judges Training Program. A copy of the applicant's official completed and signed Steward's Card must accompany the Application Form.

#### **Judges Training Program**

16. Introduction to Judging Program

- a. Applications from First Time Applicants
  (Aspirants) wishing to enter the JTP must be
  submitted by no later than 30th November each
  year. Applications must be made on the
  prescribed form (available on the Dogs
  Queensland website) and all details on that
  form are to be completed.
- b. Once accepted by the CJC, Aspirants will enter

- the Introduction to Judging Program which will be held between January and July of each year. Dates to be advised and confirmed by the CJC on a yearly basis and published in the September Dog World.
- Aspirants who fulfil the requirements in Regulation 15, and who wish to enter the JTP, must achieve a 75% pass in examinations on the areas of:
  - i. Dogs Queensland Rules,
  - ii. Skeletal & Topographical,
  - iii. Anatomy & Movement,
  - iv. Dentition and
  - v. Canine Glossary of Terms.
- d. The examination date for the Introduction to Judging Program, will take place on the second Thursday in July each year. This will be conducted at Durack for metropolitan candidates and either by Zoom or with the Regional Coordinators for remote candidates.
- e. Aspirants, who are unable to attend the examination on the second Thursday in July, may apply to the CJC for dispensation for a deferred examination within 48 hours of the exam and must supply supporting documentation for the claim. If successful upon application, the CJC will nominate a secondary date for Aspirants to sit the deferred examination.
- f. Upon passing the Introduction to Judging Program examination, Aspirants must then apply to the CJC for their Primary Group as a Trainee Judge.
- g. Aspirants who do not pass examinations in the Introduction to Judging Program, may re-apply the following year.

#### **Group Training Program/Theory**

17. Applications to attend lectures are to be submitted to DQ before 15th July using the prescribed form available from the DQ website.





Trainees may apply for one (1) group per year (September to July). Split groups are not allowed. ie. Trainees are unable to be sitting theory exams for two (2) groups at the one time.

- 18. For each Group Training Program, a Trainee will be expected to complete the following requirements:
  - a. Attend all breed lectures which will be delivered via Zoom, unless otherwise advised.
  - Pass all breed lecture theory examinations (that is a mark of not less than 75% for each of part A, B, C and D);
  - c. Attend a minimum of 4 field days.
- 19. Breed Lectures: Trainees must attend all breed lectures for their nominated Group, commencing in September of each year, as published by DQ. Groups will be divided into a maximum of 4 sub-groups. Each field day is mandatory and if missed, trainees will be ineligible to sit for the theory exam for that sub group.

#### **Missed Lectures:**

A trainee may miss a maximum of two (2) lectures in one training year provided that they are not both in one sub group. (A B C D sub groups)

**N.B.** A trainee must attend a minimum of 80% of the duration of a zoom breed lecture, or this will be classed as a missed lecture.

To be eligible to sit for the examination in the sub group where a lecture has been missed, the trainee must

- a. Watch the recorded Breed Webinar as soon as possible after the missed lecture, and
- Write a 1000 word Breed information essay and submit to the Group Coordinator within 14 days of the scheduled lecture.
- **N.B.** Once a trainee has missed more than two (2) lectures in any one year, they will not be eligible to sit for any further theory exams in that year.
- 20. <u>Theory Examinations:</u> For metropolitan candidates, theory exams will be conducted at Durack and for distance trainees either by Zoom or with the

regional coordinators at the end of each sub-group. Dates will be advertised by DQ in September each year as per the Scheduled Breed Lecture dates. All theoretical examinations will be on the ANKC breed standards. The final theoretical examination for each Group will be held on the second Thursday of July each year.

- 21. It is recommended that any candidate who does not achieve the required pass mark in a sub group examination, re-attend the relevant breed lectures the following year before they re-sit that sub-group examination. Candidates will not be able to sit for their final Hands-on Examination in any Group, until all sub group examinations have been passed.
  - a. Trainees, who are unable to attend any examination due to exceptional circumstances, may apply to the CJC for dispensation for a deferred examination within 48 hours of the exam and must supply supporting documentation for the claim. If successful upon application, the CJC will nominate a secondary date for Trainee to sit any deferred examination.
  - b. Once all sub group theory exams have been successfully completed the candidate will then be placed onto the Open Show Panel.

#### **Practical Training**

- 22. Once a candidate has successfully completed the theory examinations and are placed onto the Open Show Panel, they must judge a minimum of one hundred and twenty (120) dogs at Open show level and a minimum of Four (4) full Groups.
  - a. Breed club and multi breed club numbers will count towards the one hundred and twenty (120) dogs but the trainee must still judge a minimum of four (4) full groups.
  - b. The candidate must have a minimum of two (2) satisfactory assessments completed by an accredited assessor whilst judging the full group. The trainee can choose their own assessor but must advise the CJC in writing/email a minimum of seven (7) days prior to the show for approval. The assessor cannot be family or a close friend. The assessor must



advise if the trainee is competent or needs more experience. A further assessment will be required if the trainee does not receive a competent grading.

- c. The CJC has the right to appoint an assessor for any trainee if deemed necessary and requires more than two (2) assessments.
- d. All trainees will be expected to attend a minimum of one (1) Breed Club specialty championship show and critique five (5) dogs with an accredited assessor approved by the CJC. Trainees must attend the entire breed show or a minimum of 50 dogs at that show. Breeds with different varieties are counted as one breed. eg Poodles.
- e. Complete fifty (50) critiques which are to be done in association with an accredited assessor and signed off by them. The critiques completed at the Breed Specialty show can be counted towards the fifty (50) critiques.
- f. A maximum of ten (10) critiques can be completed at any one show.
- g. No more than five (5) of these ten (10) critiques may be of the same breed.
- h. It should be noted that only ten (10) critiques of a particular breed will count towards the required number of critiques for an application for your hands on exam.
- i. Trainees in remote areas can complete their critiques from photos, except the (5) five critiques completed when attending the required breed specialty show with an accredited assessor approved by the CJC and signed off by them. The photos and critiques must be forwarded to the Group or Regional Coordinator.
- 23. When a judge obtains Championship status for their FIRST Group, they then must judge one (1) full Group in Queensland before they can accept appointments in the Group interstate or overseas. The judge must advise the CJC within two weeks of signing the contract as they may be evaluated at this show and feedback provided.

- 24. When a judge obtains Championship status in a Group, they may apply for a further Open show Group to bring them up to a maximum of four (4) Open Show Groups.
- 25. All Trainee Judges and Aspiring Judges are required to support all Judges Training activities including mentoring, assistance with breed lectures and supporting other Trainee Judges with entries at Open Shows.
- 26. All Trainee Judges who are considered by the CJC to reside a distance from the normal lecture venue (the Durack Showgrounds) that would pose a travelling risk, are to study through 'Distance Education'.
  - a. The Distance Education curriculum is available on the Dogs Queensland website under "Judges Training Documents". Candidates studying through Distance Education should check regularly for any amendments.
- 27. Where a Trainee fails to comply with the Rules and Regulations of the Group Training Program, the CJC may recommend to the Board of Dogs Queensland that the person be removed from the Judges Panel. The CJC, in considering whether to remove a person from the Judges Panel, will consider all the facts and will provide their recommendation to the Board of Dogs Queensland. A right of appeal is available, and an appeal may be made to the Board of Dogs Queensland in writing within 14 days of the official notification of the removal.
- 28. If through sickness, injury or other involuntary circumstances, a Trainee Judge cannot fully satisfy any requirement of the JTP, upon application, the CJC will consider each request for dispensation on its individual merit.
- 29. Applications for such leave of absence must be submitted in writing to the CJC immediately the pertinent circumstances arise.
- 30. The results of written examination papers are valid for life. The CJC reserves the right to use an alternative examination paper whenever it is deemed necessary.





#### **Practical Examination (Hands-On Exam)**

- 31. Application for the Practical Examination must be made on the prescribed form (available from the DQ website) and all details on this form are to be completed. This form must be received **NO LATER THAN 15th JULY** in any year.
- 32. Applications may be submitted subject to successful completion of all requirements in the Group Training Program. One (1) group per year.
- 33. All candidates and assessors will sign a confidentiality agreement to ensure the secrecy of all decisions; and refrain from any communication outside of this agreement.
- 34. An explanation of the examination procedure will be given to the candidate prior to the examination day. Any candidate, who is unsure of the procedure on the day, has the right to ask for clarification from any member of the CJC.
- 35. Each candidate and assessor will receive a score sheet. Candidates are to make no markings on these score sheets until the examination commences.
- 36. The Hands-on examination will consist of two breed classes and one mixed breed class. Each breed class will be comprised of a different breed and consist of 5 or 6 dogs of either sex in that breed. The mixed breed class will consist of 5 or 6 dogs of different breeds and of either sex (excluding the two breeds previously used in the two breed classes, unless exceptional circumstances require the re-judging of either breed as part of the mixed class). In all classes, dogs must be over the age of 6 months.
- 37. The examination will be conducted by 3 accredited assessors appointed by the CJC. A fourth person, also appointed by the CJC, will act as Chairperson and Coordinator for the ring.
- 38. The procedure for the Hands-on Examination is as follows:
  - The 3 assessors will examine the dogs independent of the candidates and determine their placings from 1st to last.
  - b. Independently, each assessor will then record their own placings on the score sheet provided.

- c. The candidates will then examine the dogs.
- As per normal judging procedure, candidates will have approximately 2 minutes to examine each exhibit.
- e. Each candidate will record their placings from 1st to last on the score sheet provided, without communicating their decisions to any other candidate.
- f. Each candidate will then provide their placings to all the assessors and then be interviewed and examined by all 3 assessors individually.
- g. All questions pertaining to the breeds are expected to be answered. The candidate will only be examined on the exhibits in the respective class.
- Questions asked during the Hands-on Examination, may be taken from current ANKC Breed Standards.
- Assessors will record on the score sheet comments relating to each candidate. This must be completed whether passing or failing a candidate.
- After all candidates have been examined on the two breed classes and one mixed breed class, the candidates will be excused from the examination ring.
- k. Assessors will then independently complete the assessment form, awarding a pass or fail grade to each candidate on the two breed classes and one mixed breed class, with valid written reasons.
- At NO time should either an examiner
  or candidate discuss any aspect of the practical
  examination outside of the official examination
  procedure. To do so is a breach of
  confidentiality comments relating to each
  candidate. All Papers remain confidential and
  the property of Dogs Queensland.
- A shortfall in the number of exhibits or assessors will not automatically invalidate an examination. Provided that the candidate is given an explanation and that the candidate



- agrees that the examination continue, the examination will not be declared null and void. No objections or protests because of these discrepancies will be considered thereafter.
- Should the candidate elect not to proceed with the examination, NO special examination will be arranged.
- 39. In order to be successful at the Hands-on Examination, a candidate must receive a PASS grade by at least 2 of the 3 assessors for EACH of the 3 classes.
  - Once a candidate receives formal written notification of passing the Practical Examination, they may accept and sign contracts for any sanctioned ANKC Show in that Group and judge immediately. Subject to Regulation 23
  - b. Any candidate who fails a Practical Examination must judge a further 25 dogs which includes one full group. They must be assessed when judging the full group by an accredited assessor appointed by the CJC and receive a competent result within that Group, before re-applying for Practical Examination. The candidate must advise the CJC a minimum of 14 days prior to the appointment.
- 40. If a candidate fails the Practical Examination in the same Group, for a third time, they will be ineligible to re sit that Group for a period of two years before reapplying. Trainees will be allowed to continue with a different Group.
- 41. Where deemed necessary by the CJC, the CJC reserves the right to elect additional Practical Examination dates.

#### Eligibility for a Single Breed Championship Licence

- 42. For a GSD Specialty license, see Dogs Qld website for details.
- 43. Members may apply for elevation to Championship Show Status as a Single Breed Judge (SBJ). The following criteria must be satisfied by the applicant:

- a. Provide evidence of eight years continuous financial membership, activity and experience as a breeder and exhibitor.
- Have titled or bred a minimum of five
   Champions in the breed in which the candidate
   is applying to become a SBJ.
- c. Bred at least three litters under their own, or shared, prefix in the breed in which the candidate is applying to become a SBJ.
- Attend lectures run by the Event Managers & Stewards Committee and become an accredited Ring Steward.
- e. Have completed all their relevant requirements within the 12 months prior to submitting the application to become a SBJ. A copy of the applicant's official completed and signed Dogs Queensland Steward's Card must accompany the Application Form.
- f. Complete the requirements of the Introduction to Judging Program under Regulation 15.
   Rule 15f does not apply to a Single Breed Championship licence.
- g. Attend the appropriate breed lecture night(s).
- h. Attend the appropriate breed lecture night(s).
- i. Complete the written examination for the breed and receive a 75% pass.
- j. Once all requirements have been satisfied, the candidate will sit a Hands-on Examination on a date to be determined by the CJC.
- 44. A Practical Examination for a Single Breed Licence will consist of one class of 5 or 6 dogs and 1 class of 5 or 6 bitches. In all classes, dogs must be over the age of 6 months. In breeds with more than 1 variety this rule may be modified to accommodate different varieties of the breed.
- 45. Where an applicant fails a Single Breed Examination, they will be required to obtain relevant additional experience/knowledge to be eligible to apply for another examination in the following year, providing he / she applies by the specified time, and providing it is the same breed.



#### **Scheduled Breed Lectures**

These dates may be subject to change – please check with your group coordinator. Should a lecture need to be reschedule for any reason whatsoever, then the new date will become the official lecture for that breed. Please check the dates as some may be on a different rotation.

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	Date	Breeds
	Sep 19th 2023	Yorkshire Terrier, Biewer Terrier
	Oct 3rd 2023	Miniature Pinscher, English Toy Terrier
Part A	Oct 17th 2023	Chinese Crested, Russian Toy
	Nov 7th 2023	Field Day
	Nov 14th 2023	Part A Theory Exam
	Nov 21st 2023	Cavalier King Charles Spaniel, King Charles Spaniel
	Dec 5th 2023	Chihuahua Long & Smooth, Italian Greyhound
Part B	Jan 16th 2024	Tibetan Spaniel, Japanese Chin
	Feb 6th 2024	Field Day
	Feb 27th 2024	Part B Theory Exam
	Mar 5th 2024	Affenpinscher, Griffon Bruxellios
	Mar 19th 2024	Pekingese, Pug
Part C	Apr 16th 2024	Australian Silky Terrier, Prague Ratter
	Apr 30th 2024	Field Day
	May 7th 2024	Part C Theory Exam
	May 21st 2024	Havanese, Coton De Tulear
Part D	Jun 4th 2024	Bichon Frise, Bolognese
	Jun 18th 2024	Maltese, Papillon
Tareb	Jun 25th 2024	Lowchen, Pomeranian
	Jul 2nd 2024	Field Day
	Jul 11th 2024	Part D Theory Exam

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	Date	Breeds	
	Sep 12th 2023	American Staffordshire Terrier, Cesky Terrier	
	Sep 26th 2023	Bull Terrier and Bull Terrier (Miniature), Australian Terrier	
Part A	Oct 10th 2023	Staffordshire Bull Terrier, Glen of Imaal Terrier	
	Oct 24th 2023	Field Day	
	Nov 14th 2023	Part A Theory Exam	
Part B	Nov 28th 2023	Cairn Terrier, West Highland White Terrier	
	Dec 12th 2023	Dandie Dinmont Terrier	
	Jan 9th 2024	Norfolk Terrier, Norwich Terrier	
	Jan 23rd 2024	Scottish Terrier, Sealyham Terrier	
	Feb 13th 2024	Field Day	
	Feb 27th 2024	Part B Theory Exam	
	Mar 12th 2024	Airedale Terrier, Irish Terrier	
	Mar 26th 2024	Lakeland Terrier, Jack Russell Terrier, Parson Russell Terrier	
Part C	Apr 9th 2024	Fox Terrier (Smooth & Wire), Welsh Terrier	
	Apr 23rd 2024	Tenterfield Terrier, Border Terrier	
	Apr 30th 2024	Field Day	
	May 7th 2024	Part C Theory Exam	
Part D	May 14th 2024	American Hairless Terrier, Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier	
	May 28th 2024	Bedlington Terrier, Manchester, German Hunting Terrier	
	Jun 11th 2024	Kerry Blue Terrier, Skye Terrier, Revision	
	Jun 25th 2024	Field Day	
	Jul 11th 2024	Part D Theory Exam	

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	Date	Breeds
	Sep 14th 2023	English Springer Spaniel, Welsh Springer Spaniel
	Sep 28th 2023	Clumber Spaniel, Cocker Spaniel (American)
Part A	Oct 12th 2023	Cocker Spaniel, Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever
	Oct 26th 2023	Field Spaniel, Sussex Spaniel
	Nov 9th 2023	Field Day
	Nov 14th 2023	Part A Theory Exam
	Nov 23rd 2023	Bracco Italiano, Italian Spinone
	Dec 14th 2023	English Setter, Gordon Setter
Part B	Jan 11th 2024	Irish Setter, Irish Red & White Setter
	Feb 8th 2024	Pointer
	Feb 22nd 2024	Field Day
	Feb 27th 2024	Part B Theory Exam
	Feb 29th 2024	Chesapeake Bay Retriever, Murray River Retriever, Irish Water Spaniel
	Mar 14th 2024	Labrador Retriever, Golden Retriver
Part C	Apr 11th 2024	Curly Coated Retriever, Flat Coated Retriever
	Apr 24th 2024	Spanish Water Dog, Lagotto Romagnolo
	May 2nd 2024	Field Day
	May 7th 2024	Part C Theory Exam
	May 9th 2024	German Shorthaired Pointer, German Wirehaired Pointer
Part D	May 23rd 2024	Weimaraner, Weimaraner Long Haired, Wire Haired Slovakian Pointer
	Jun 13th 2024	Hungarian Vizsla, Hungarian Wirehaired Vizsla
	Jun 27th 2024	Large Munsterlander, Brittany
	Jul 4th 2024	Field Day
	Jul 11th 2024	Part D Theory Exam

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	commer	ncing at 7.00pm	
	Date	Breeds	
	Sep 20th 2023	Beagle, Harrier	
	Oct 4th 2023	Hamiltonstovare, Foxhound	
Part A	Oct 18th 2023	Bloodhound, Otterhound	
	Nov 1st 2023	Bluetick Coonhound, Black & Tan Coonhound	
	Nov 8th 2023	Field Day	
	Nov 14th 2023	Part A Theory Exam	
	Nov 29th 2023	Deerhound, Irish Wolfhound	
	Dec 6th 2023	Greyhound, Whippet, Cirneco Dell'Etna	
Part B	Jan 17th 2024	Borzoi, Pharaoh Hound	
	Feb 7th 2024	Afghan Hound, Ibizan Hound	
	Feb 21st 2024	Field Day	
	Feb 27th 2024	Part B Theory Exam	
	Mar 6th 2024	Sloughi, Azawakh	
	Mar 20th 2024	Basset Hound, Petit Basset Griffon Vendeen, Grand Basset Griffon Vendeen	
Part C	Apr 3rd 2024	Saluki, Basset Fauvre De Bretagne	
	Apr 17th 2024	Dachshund (All Varieties)	
	May 1st 2024	Field Day	
	May 7th 2024	Part C Theory Exam	
	May 15th 2024	Portuguese Podengo (All Varieties), Basenji	
	Jun 5th 2024	Finnish Spitz, Norwegian Elkhound	
Part D	Jun 19th 2024	Rhodesian Ridgeback	
	Jul 3rd 2024	Field Day	
	Jul 11th 2024	Part D Theory Exam	

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	Date	Breeds	
	Sep 21st 2023	Pumi, Puli, Komondor	
	Oct 5th 2023	Bergamasco Shepherd, Bouvier	
Part A	Oct 19th 2023	Polish Lowland Sheepdog, Icelandic Sheepdog	
	Nov 2nd 2023	Briard, Pyrenean Sheepdog	
	Nov 9th 2023	Field Day	
	Nov 14th 2023	Part A Theory Exam	
	Nov 16th 2023	German Shepherd Dog, German Shepherd Dog LSC, White Swiss	
	Dec 7th 2023	Belgian Shepherd, Dutch Shepherd	
Part B	Jan 18th 2024	Maremma Shepherd, Tatra Shepherd Dog	
	Feb 1st 2024	Kuvas, Beauceron	
	Feb 15th 2024	Field Day	
	Feb 27th 2024	Part B Theory Exam	
	Mar 7th 2024	Old English Sheepdog, Bearded Collie	
	Mar 21st 2024	Australian Cattle Dog, Australian Kelpie, Australian Stumpy Tail Cattle Dog	
Part C	Apr 4th 2024	Shetland Sheepdog, Collie Rough & Smooth	
	Apr 18th 2024	Australian Shepherd, Miniature American Shepherd	
	May 2nd 2024	Field Day	
	May 7th 2024	Part C Theory Exam	
	May 16th 2024	Finnish Lapphund, Swedish Lapphund, Swedish Vallhund	
Part D	Jun 6th 2024	Welsh Corgi Pembroke, Welsh Corgi Cardigan	
	Jun 20th 2024	Norwegian Buhund, Border Collie	
	Jul 4th 2024	Field Day	
	Jul 11th 2024	Part D Theory Exam	

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	Date	Breeds	
	Sep 11th 2023	Central Asian Shepherd, Caucasian Shepherd	
	Sep 25th 2023	Newfoundland, Landseer (European Continental Type)	
	Oct 9th 2023	St Bernard, Tibetan Mastiff	
Part A	Oct 23rd 2023	Anatolian Shepherd Dog, Kangal Shepherd Dog	
	Oct 30th 2023	Pyrenean Mountain Dog, Estrela Mountain Dog	
	Nov 6th 2023	Field Day	
	Nov 14th 2023	Part A Theory Exam	
	Nov 27th 2023	Portuguese Water Dog, Leonberger	
	Dec 11th 2023	Shiba Inu, Shikoku	
	Jan 8th 2024	Alaskan Malamute, Siberian Husky	
Part B	Jan 22nd 2024	Akita, Akita (Japanese)	
	Feb 12th 2024	Canadian Eskimo Dog, Samoyed, Yakutian Laika	
	Feb 19th 2024	Field Day	
	Feb 27th 2024	Part B Theory Exam	
	Mar 11th 2024	German Pinscher, Dobermann	
	Mar 25th 2024	Rottweiler, Boxer	
Part C	Apr 8th 2024	Bernese Mountain Dog, Great Swiss Mountain Dog	
	Apr 22nd 2024	Russian Black Terrier, Schnauzer (All Varieties)	
	Apr 29th 2024	Field Day	
	May 7th 2024	Part C Theory Exam	
	May 13th 2024	Pyrenean Mastiff, Spanish Mastiff	
Part D	May 27th 2024	Neopolitan Mastiff, Tornjak	
	Jun 10th 2024	Bullmastiff, Mastiff	
	Jun 24th 2024	Dogue De Bordeaux, Cane Corso	
	Jul 1st 2024	Field Day	
	Jul 11th 2024	Part D Theory Exam	

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	Date Sep 13th 2023	Breeds Australasian Bosdog, Boston Terrier	
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	Sep 27th 2023	British Bulldog, French Bulldogs	
Part A	Oct 11th 2023	Shih-Tzu, Lhasa Apso	
	Oct 25th 2023	Field Day	
	Nov 14th 2023	Part A Theory Exam	
	Nov 22nd 2023	German Spitz, Japanese Spitz	
	Dec 13th 2023	Keeshond, Eurasier	
Part B	Jan 10th 2024	Chow Chow, Canaan Dog	
	Feb 14th 2024	Field Day	
	Feb 27th 2024	Part B Theory Exam	
	Mar 13th 2024	Great Dane, Dalmatian	
Part C	Apr 10th 2024	Xoloitzcuintle, Peruvian Hairless Dog	
rarec	May 1st 2024	Field Day	
	May 7th 2024	Part C Theory Exam	
	May 22nd 2024	Poodles	
Part D	Jun 12th 2024	Shar-Pei, Tibetan Terrier	
	Jun 26th 2024	Schipperke, Karelian Bear Dog	
	Jul 3rd 2024	Field Day	
	Jul 11th 2024	Part D Theory Exam	

#### **Summary of Judges Training Rules 2023-2024**

Rule	Comment
Rule 14	10 stewarding/writing appointments per annum for all trainees.
Rule 18b	Must pass sub groups A/B/C/D before being placed onto the Open Show Panel.
Rule 18c	Must attend mandatory field days as per Lecture series schedule.
Rule 19	Trainees attending lectures via zoom – if you attend less than 80% of each breed lecture this is classed as a missed lecture.
Rule 19	Only two missed lectures allowed over the year providing they are not both in the one sub group.
Rule 22a	Judge 120 dogs and a minimum of four full groups.
Rule 22b	Complete two satisfactory assessments with an accredited assessor – must source own assessor and must be approved by the CJC.
Rule 22d	Attend one breed club Specialty Championship show and critique five dogs in association with an accredited assessor.
Rule 22e	Complete fifty critiques in association with an accredited assessor.

Note: It is the trainee's responsibility to have read and understand the rules in full.

#### **Important Dates for all Trainees and Aspiring Judges**

Date	Comment
Tuesday 14 November 2023	Theory Paper, Part A State wide. To commence at 6.00 pm
Thursday 30 November	All "First Time" applicants, who wish to attend the 2024-2025
2023	lectures, must have their applications lodged with the DQ office
	by this date.
	NB: The following must be attached to the application
	<ul> <li>Stewards Accreditation Certificate</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>A copy of their stewards' card</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Club participation form.</li> </ul>
Tuesday 27 February 2024	Theory Paper, Part B State wide. To commence at 6.00 pm.
Tuesday 7 May 2024	Theory Paper, Part C State wide. To commence at 6.00 pm.
Thursday 11 July 2024	Theory Paper, Part D and Entrance exam State wide. To
	commence at 6.00 pm
Monday 15 July 2024	ALL APPLICATIONS FOR 2024-2025 CLOSE ON THIS DATE
	<ul> <li>Applications for Theory Exams in 2024-2025</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Applications for Lecture attendance in 2024-2025</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Applications for Practical Examinations for August 2024</li> </ul>
	NB: For the Practical Examination the following must be
	attached to the application
	<ul> <li>Current Stewards card</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Open Show assessments</li> </ul>
	• 50 critiques
	<ul> <li>Assessment/Mentoring Card</li> </ul>
	Open Show Judges Card
Saturday 24 August 2024	Practical Examination for all candidates within the State
	commencing at 8.30 am.
	Breed Specialty examination dates will be advised

All trainees judges are to complete their Stewarding and Writing Accreditation.

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#### **Breed Feature**

## IRISH SETTER



The Irish Setter has a wonderful happy-go-lucky temperament and is very affectionate. They are energetic and athletic, but they are also just as happy on the couch with their family.

 Submitted on behalf of the Setter Club of Queensland

'If you are lucky, an Irish Setter will come into your life, steal your heart and change everything'.

The Irish Setter is well known in the community as the 'Red Setter' because of their striking red coloured coat.

#### **HISTORY**

The breed was developed in Ireland as a working dog for hunting game.

Irish Setters are members of the "Setter" sub group. Each variety of setters has its own characteristics which underline the purpose intended for the breed and which distinguish one breed of setter from another.

One belief is that the foundation stock of the Irish Setter was the setting Spaniel. It is undecided as to what Spaniel cross was put over the setting Spaniel.

In Ireland, around 1770, a variety of Setters called Red Spaniels (in Gaelic, Modder Rhu), were also described.

After 1776 there was a development of firearms which saw the Irish Setter assume a more upright stance. As a result of the erect standing, these longer legged dogs were used to locate game for wing shooting as the dogs now needed to cover extended ground to find the scattered birds.

The Red and White Setter was the original Irish Setter. They were traditionally used by falconers, indicating the presence of game by going into a 'set' or 'freeze' when they scented game. Before the invention of gunpowder, they were used with nets and the hunters would come and throw nets over the crouching birds which the dogs had located.

By 1800, the setter type had become well established.

In early Ireland three distinct colour strains were known – the solid red predominating in the north, the parti-coloured red and white in the south and west, and an attractive shower of hail variety along the northwest coast.

It was felt that the reds tended to blend in with the surrounding countryside and that the dog stood



a very good chance of being shot. To prevent this from happening a piece of white cloth was tied around the red dogs necks so they stood out. Others argued the quarry too easily spotted the red and white dogs.

Early bloodlines included 1770 Maurice Nugent O'Connor solid reds (however his dogs did carry traces of white), Earl of Enniskillen in 1796 and Jason Hazzard from Timaskee County, Fermanaugh in 1812.

The first pointer and setter bench show, Newcastle on Tyne, England 1859 had class divisions by colour. A year later at Cork the classes were for Irish Setters with no mention of colour.

The first field trial was held in 1865 however Irish Setters competing at official trials started in 1891.

Selective colour breeding and some outcrossing to get a racier build and longer head resulted in a dog which was glamorously coated, lighter in bone and finer in the head than its cousins. The breed became a great success in the show ring in the mid-19th century as its popularity grew.

The Irish Setter was intended by the original writers of the Breed Standard to be a working Gundog and must be 'racy'. With his regal carriage and his hallmark chestnut red colour, the Irish Setter is built like an elegant thoroughbred horse.

#### **HALLMARKS OF THE BREED**

- Racy full of quality, most handsome and refined:
- Rich Chestnut coat deep mahogany to rich red;

- Brick on Brick head profile head is relatively long and lean, the skull slightly broader than the foreface when viewed from above. A definite stop exists between the skull and foreface so that in profile the appearance is that of 2 bricks laying parallel, the foreface about an inch lower than the skull. The cheeks should be flat (not rounded) and the ears set fairly low towards the back of the skull. The foreface is equal in length with the skull and should be fairly wide at the muzzle with nice depth, but tapering slightly from the back of the skull to the tip of the nose;
- Occipital prominence;
- Arch of neck;
- Eyes unshelled almond shape; raised eyebrows;
- Soft melting, kind, wistful and alert expression;
- Gently sloping topline, tail set below topline.

#### **TEMPERAMENT**

The Irish Setter has a wonderful happy-go-lucky temperament and is very affectionate. They are energetic and athletic, but they are also just as happy on the couch with their family. They love to be with their family, whether it be out and about or inside the house. They are lap dogs and enjoy having cuddles on your lap!







They live life to the full, have a cheerful personality and can be seen racing about having a great time even helping with the gardening!!



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#### WHAT THEY EXCEL IN

They are an intelligent breed, although they can be a little challenging to train as they were bred

to work independently in the field away from their hunter/owner. They love using their natural instincts to 'set' on birds and scent!



The Irish excel at Tracking, Obedience and Rally and because of their energy and endurance, Agility. They have very good noses, so any nose work in the field and scent work also!



#### **BREED SIZE**

As there is no height standard for Irish Setters they can range in size from 24 inches up to 28 inches, but preferably girls should be about 24-25 inches and the boys about 26-28 inches (as long as they are in proportion).

#### WHO SHOULD OWN AN IRISH SETTER?

Everyone! They are a wonderful breed and so sweet, playful, loyal, kind and loving and most beautiful in every way!!

The Irish Setter makes a great companion for anyone!. They are suited to young people who are energetic and want to have an enthusiast companion to go out and about with.

They are great with young families (children from 5 years old preferably, as they can be a bit

boisterous and maybe a bit bouncy for little ones) and they are wonderful for older people.

If you can't be with them, ensure they don't get too bored as they can become a bit destructive with toys, and other chewable items and gardening! Leave them in a safe place with some toys and distractions, particularly in their first two years.

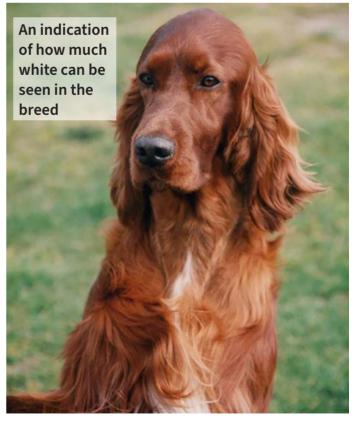
#### **COLOUR AND COAT**

The Irish Setter is 'Chestnut'. If you happen to google the colour chestnut you may find something like 'a medium reddish brown or a very dark tan that almost appears brown'.

The colour chestnut is named after the nut of the chestnut tree. The nuts have a range of colour with the younger nuts being a lovely rich red to the older nuts, a lovely deep red (mahogany).

The colour ranges from rich red through to mahogany. White is allowed on the chin/chest, toes and is sometimes found as a flash on the top of the skull.

It is important to remember, that even if it isn't a personal preference, the Irish Setter can have quite a bit of white. A snip on the forehead, white chin, white blaze on the chest, toes etc. Field bred lines can be seen with more white on them than other lines.



The image of the dog on page 23 shows how much white can be seen in the breed. This dog was born and bred in the UK and then travelled to America and became an American Champion. He has a significant white flash. The quality of the conformation of the dog meeting the standard is more important than the presence of white.

Puppies are not born with the silky shiny chestnut coat, but their colour deepens as they grow up to adults. The puppy coat will continue to darken as they get older.



The correct coat is silky with undercoat, never woolly/cottony. Their coat is short on the body, longer on belly/chest/back of legs/ears/tail of moderate length.

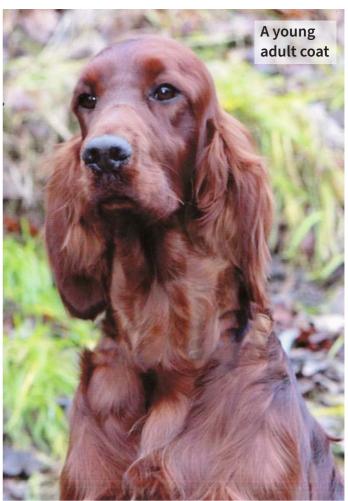
They are a shedding breed and need regular grooming. A weekly brush out to get any bits of grass or the "garden" is a good regular plan.

They should also have the hair under and around the opening of their ears cut short to enable more air to help keep their ears healthy and clean.

It's not uncommon across all lines around the world to see a little wave/curl in the coat.

The wave or "movement" in the coat as is the common term, is not new to the breed and historians of the breed talked of the wave or curl being in the famous Wendover Kennel in the UK.

The Irish Setters are usually good eaters. The girls



are definitely "foodies" though sometimes a young male might be a bit finicky but as adults they are all good eaters. Weight ranges for girls around 25-29kgs and boys range from about 30-35kg. But they are still lap dogs and love to be on your lap for cuddles!!

The Irish Setter is a magnificent chestnut medium sized dog, full of personality with a great temperament. They are great dogs who love their people and just want to be with them – whether it is out and about, at home in the garden or on the couch watching a movie. A low level of grooming is required and they can be demanding for pats, especially if you have a phone in your hand!

More information on the Irish Setter can be found in the following Breed Standards. Simply click on the following links:

An Interpretation of the Irish Setter Breed
Standard by the late Mr L.C.L. James
"Wendover" UK

W.J. Rasbridge - The Breed Standard



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# Making the most of your furry friend?

#### Information provided by the Australian Taxation Office

During the pandemic, many turned to side hustles to make some extra cash. With more time at home to work on our hobbies and interests the opportunity to start making income was there!

For some with super cute pets that side hustle was animal breeding.

#### **ARE YOU IN BUSINESS?**

Extra money = amazing. Unplanned tax debt = not so amazing!

If you've made the decision to breed that cute pup or kitty (or mini goat or chicken!) then you need to know if you're in business, because that will change how you need to declare any money you make.

The ATO has information available to help you work out if your animal breeding is a business. For example if:

- you are intending to be in <u>business</u> and make a profit
- you do repeated and continuous activities
- your activities are planned, organised and carried out in a business-like manner

If furry Frederica ignored social distancing rules at the local dog park and ended up with a once off litter, then it's probably not a business, but if you decided to keep breeding, then it may be.

Knowing whether you're in business, and what tax, super or registration obligations you have, can help make the most of the income you're earning. Remember you can only claim deductions if they relate to earning your income, you cannot claim



deductions for personal expenses.

#### YOU'RE READY TO TAKE THE PLUNGE! WHAT NEXT?

When you're <u>setting up a business</u> it's important to know what <u>business structure</u> you will have, as this defines who owns and operates your business which effects your tax and registration requirements. There are four main types – sole trader, partnership, company and trust.

A <u>sole trader</u> is an individual running a business. It is considered the easiest and cheapest business structure to run. These are people who either work for someone else and run their business on the side (aka, the side hustle!), or they run their own business full time. Sole traders can also have employees!

Sole traders pay tax at the individual rates of tax and include business income on their individual tax return. All their income (including any salary or wages they receive from both their regular job and side hustle) is calculated at tax time and is used to determine how much tax they pay.

Sole traders may also be entitled to some **concessions** which can help reduce the rate of tax paid, while still being eligible for the income tax free threshold.

#### ANIMAL BREEDERS AND PRIMARY PRODUCERS

When you hear the term "primary producers" you could be forgiven for thinking of farmers and their cattle, but did you know if you breed domestic pets for sale, and you're in business, then you're also a primary producer?

A primary producer can be an individual (sole trader), partnership, trust or company, and there are some tax considerations you need to know.

As a primary producer you are automatically added to the tax averaging system when you lodge your income tax return. Tax averaging evens out business income and tax payable over a maximum of 5 years to allow for changes in prices and production. This ensures that you do not pay more tax over a number of years than taxpayers on comparable but steady incomes.

This may benefit you as an animal breeder if your business income is expected to vary over the years. If you expect your income to remain comparatively steady, you can opt out of averaging, and pay tax at the ordinary rate each financial year.

If you're considering breeding animals as a business, check out starting your own business and Taxation Ruling 97/11 Income tax: am I carrying on a business of primary production?

#### CAN YOU AFFORD TO BREED THOSE PETS?

We all know the point of a side hustle is to earn extra income, but with that extra income comes extra responsibilities!

When you're breeding animals as a business and are a primary producer, there are special rules that apply to the way primary producers manage tax, including goods and services tax (GST), luxury car tax (LCT), and pay as you go (PAYG) instalments.

If you're earning salary and wages, plus sole trader income, both of these things will impact your payments for Medicare levy and income contingent loans - hello study loan (aka Fee-HELP!). It's important to remember this – because if you earn enough to put you in a higher tax bracket, then you may be paying more tax. So make sure you find out about what it means to be a primary producer and how it can impact your taxes!



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## 'Ohs' and 'Ahs' were heard all day at the Dogs Queensland Ekka Stand!

#### – Katrina Santas

Thank you to all the volunteers and Dogs Queensland staff for all their time and hard work on the DQ stand at this year's Ekka. A huge call out to all the exhibitors who came off the benches to showcase their breeds and meet the public.

Many a canine trick was wowed at, hundreds of children wiped their sticky fingers off to cuddle dogs, thousands of selfies were taken with a newly discovered furry breed, and smiles could be seen to the end of every day from the joy a dog brings to the life of so many people ...

To summarise the event is to say ... not only were the dogs showcasing their great temperaments and the love they have for us humans, but the humans showed what joy and love they have for dogs in their lives and the hunger they have for more information on how to get involved ...

DQ will be developing more PR ideas over the future months to highlight to the greater community what we are all about and how to get involved as it is evident from the crowds that swarmed the stand that people are looking to get back out and into community activities with their dogs and looking for reputable and trustworthy breeders to engage with and purchase from.

DQ will be involved in more canine promotional activities in the not too distant future, including next years' Dog Lovers Show and The Pet Show ... so keep your diary free to get involved and promote our pedigree dog world.



















## SCENT WORK AT EKKA 2023

#### - Kim Dawson

For the first time, Scent Work was amongst the dog sport disciplines offered at the 2023 Brisbane Royal Exhibition. Masters Vehicle, Excellent Container, Advanced Vehicle and Advanced Exterior searches were offered throughout the day and presented a challenge to offer searches that were clear, visible and informative for spectators while being fair to competitors in such a challenging environment.

Scent Work is a positive, challenging activity that allows dogs the opportunity to use their strongest natural sense in a way that is fun, engaging, and builds and strengthens a foundation of trust between the handler and dog. The sport is based on the task of working detection dogs to locate a specific target odour and communicate to the handler the location of the target.

A variety of dogs competed, from rescue dogs to purebred, and a variety of sizes from Welsh Corgis and Beagles to Golden Retrievers and German Shepherd Dogs. Scent work is a sport for any dog regardless of size or breed.

The Brisbane Royal presented a very challenging

Lakeisha and Lady:
Advanced Vehicle Search



environment with the large and ever-changing crowds, the nearby rides, loud noises and sharing the space with horses!

The crowd were very appreciative of the display of skill by the various teams, with the greatest challenge keeping quiet while the teams were working to avoid giving away the locations of the targets, and much cheering of each team's successes at the completion of each search.

It was an extremely successful day, with thanks to Barb Murfet for organising the Trial and acting as MC throughout the day, to the Judges Mike Jeavons (QLD) and Kim Dawson (QLD), and to the Stewards who gave up their time to ensure the smooth and efficient running of the event.

A huge thank you to our sponsors – Chery Springwood Motoroma for providing the vehicles for our searches, Sushi Hub for your very generous support of the Canine Competitions at the Brisbane Royal, and Accel Therapy.

For more information about the sport, please contact Rob at Dogs Queensland: rob@dogsqueensland.org.au



















## Junior Handler State Final 2023

Dogs Queensland would like to acknowledge all the Junior Handlers who took part in the Junior Handler State Final held at the Durack Show Grounds on Sunday 20 August 2023.

Congratulations to all the winners and a sincere thank you to all the participants, committee members, workers and volunteers alike.

In recognition of the event the following pages showcase the winners in each category, beginning with Tiny Tots on the following page.

All images are courtesy of Hey Fido and can be purchased by clicking on the following link.

https://heyfido.pixieset.com/ gldjuniorhandlersstatefinals/

#### Winners

7 Years - Under 10 Years

1st: Briar Manley 2nd: Ouinn Shaw

3rd: Jhack McKillop-Davies

4th: Koa Bazzocco

10 Years - Under 13 Years

1st: Indigo McKillop-Davies

2nd: Arabelle Knopke 3rd: Nevada Appleby

4th: Lexi Holmes

13 Years - Under 19 Years

1st: Monique Gardiner

2nd: Lily Rogers

3rd: Samantha Page

4th: Chloe Gordon

Highly Commended:
Chloe Keast and Sophie Keedle

#### State Final Winner: Monique Gardiner



#### State Final Runner Up: Lily Rogers



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## Tiny Tots:

Ari Cairncross, Quinn Cairncross, Spencer Cairncross Harper Dunne, Harli Loveridge, Charlotte Watt, Gracelyn Watt



7 to 10 Years:









## 10 to 13 Years:









## 13 to Under 19 Years:









Highly Commended:





# What questions should I ask my breeder for a new puppy? Why?

#### - Peter Bonney

Asking the right questions to a breeder is essential when bringing a new puppy into your home. So, what questions should I ask my breeder for a new puppy? Why? Here's a list of important questions to ask your breeder, along with why you should ask these questions, as well as the items you should receive to help your puppy transition smoothly.

There is a difference when someone says they are a registered breeder of a specific breed – eg GSD – German Shepherds Dogs, Rottweilers or other registered breeds, as opposed to a backyard breeder whose bitch may have had a litter. Some of the questions listed are focused on professional registered breeders whose life revolves around their dogs.



Choosing a breeder - ask the right questions

## Are the puppy's parents screened for any hereditary health issues?

Asking whether the puppy's parents have been screened for any hereditary health issues is crucial because it provides an insight into the potential genetic health risks that the puppy may inherit.

Responsible breeders prioritise the health and well-being of their puppies, and conducting health screenings on the parent dogs helps identify and prevent the passing on of any hereditary conditions.

By knowing the health status of the parents, prospective owners can make informed decisions about the long-term care and potential medical needs of the puppy. It also reflects the breeder's commitment to producing healthy and genetically sound puppies, contributing to the overall welfare of the breed. Ensuring that both parents are free from known hereditary health issues gives new puppy owners greater peace of mind and lays the foundation for a happy and healthy life for their new puppy.

Many breeds can have issues with hips, backs, breathing and more – so ask the right questions and expect good answers. Over the past 50 years **Bonnies Dog Obedience and Puppy School** have seen many people get a puppy that have minor or major health issues. This can occur with all breeders and all breeds. Sometimes an unhealthy puppy is sold.

#### Can you provide health clearances or certifications for the parents?

Asking the breeder if they can provide health clearances or certifications for the parents is essential because it allows you, the potential puppy owner, to ensure that the breeding dogs have undergone thorough health evaluations. These clearances and certifications, often performed by veterinary specialists, help identify any potential hereditary health issues or genetic conditions that could be passed down to the offspring. By obtaining this information, prospective owners can make informed decisions about the puppy's health and reduce the risk of bringing home a dog with preventable health

problems. Responsible breeders willingly provide such documentation to demonstrate their commitment to producing healthy and genetically sound puppies, promoting transparency and trust between the breeder and the new puppy owner.

#### "What is your policy regarding returning or addressing minor or major health issues if our puppy is found to have any?"

Every professional breeder will have a return policy. If you're buying your puppy from Gumtree, the chances are they will not have a return policy. Not always, but often.

### "If our puppy has any health problems, what steps do you take to address and resolve these issues, and what support do you offer?"

This should be covered under the return policy. There are differences in that if your puppy has something which can be sorted at the Vet, often the breeder may offer to pay for this. Even though breeders do there very best – things happen outside of their control.

### Have the puppies received their initial vaccinations and deworming?



Getting their first vaccinations from the Vet

Asking whether the puppies have received their initial vaccinations and deworming is crucial to ensure the health and well-being of the new puppy. Vaccinations protect the puppy from potentially life-threatening diseases, while deworming helps eliminate internal parasites that can harm the puppy's health. By inquiring about these essential healthcare measures, prospective owners can verify that the breeder is responsibly caring for the puppies' medical needs, providing them with a healthy start in life.

### How do you socialise the puppies during their early weeks?

Asking the breeder how they socialise the puppies during their early weeks is important because early socialisation plays a crucial role in a puppy's development and behaviour. Proper socialisation during this critical period helps the puppy become well-adjusted, confident, and adaptable to various environments, people, and other animals. Puppies that are adequately socialised are more likely to grow up to be friendly, happy, and emotionally stable dogs.

Responsible breeders should have a plan in place for exposing the puppies to various stimuli, sounds, and experiences to ensure they have positive interactions and a good foundation for their future interactions in the world. This question allows you to assess whether the breeder takes the well-being and behavioural development of their puppies seriously, leading to a more positive and enriching life for the new furry companion.

### Have you started any basic training or house training with the puppies?

Many breeders do start house training, particularly if the puppy is with them till they are a little older than 8 weeks.

#### Does the puppy know their name?

Why ask this? Well simply put, a breeder may use a name with a puppy. Not always though as you can often choose a name you and or your family want to call the puppy. Be careful if you get more than one puppy. The names you give should sound distinctly different (eg Peppa and Pippy). Maybe Peppa and George may work better when you are training the dog. Distinctly different names are

essential so the puppies and the family don't get confused.

#### Is the puppy crate trained?

Asking whether the puppy is crate trained is important, in order to understand the puppy's current level of comfort and familiarity with using a crate, as a safe space. Crate training can be a valuable tool for housetraining, preventing destructive behaviors, and providing a secure resting place for the puppy. If the puppy is already crate trained, it indicates that the breeder has taken steps to instill positive associations with the crate, making the transition to a new home smoother. Additionally, knowing the puppy's crate training status helps prospective owners prepare for the puppy's arrival.

#### How long have they had a collar on?

This is certainly a great question as many <u>breeders</u> <u>will have a collar</u> on their dogs very early. This can often be because they are easier to recognise.

#### Have you used a leash on the Puppy?

The answer to this is often no. There is little time to individually walk or be with each puppy in the litter. Don't worry if they have not yet **started leash training** as this is your job. It's FUN too.

### What are the advantages or disadvantages of getting a male or female puppy?

Asking this question really shows the breeder that you know there are differences in a getting a boy or a girl. There is some anecdotal information that suggest that females may be easier to house train and that fully intact males may become more aggressive. This is not necessarily true. What you are really looking for is a "great fit, for your family". Compatibility is the key. Be guided by your breeder on this matter.

### Which do you recommend for our family and our lifestyle?

Yes, please let them talk to you about what they recommend for your family. They will have questions for you too. What is your lifestyle? What other animals do you have at home? The answer to these and other questions they ask really matter when you are making a choice.

#### PEDIGREE AND BREEDING:

### Can I see the pedigree of the puppy's parents?



Pure Breeds - Pedigree

Asking to see the pedigree of the puppy's parents is crucial because it provides valuable information about the puppy's lineage and ancestry. The pedigree shows the lineage of the puppy's parents, including their registered names, titles, and the names of their ancestors. This information can reveal if the puppy comes from a line of healthy and well-bred dogs with desirable traits. It also helps determine if the breeding has been conducted responsibly and with the goal of improving the breed's qualities.

Access to the pedigree allows potential owners to make an informed decision about the puppy's genetic background and helps ensure they are acquiring a purebred dog from a reputable breeder who values transparency and the breed's integrity.

### What is the breeder's experience and reputation in breeding this specific breed?

This is a really great question because many breeders have been breeding a particular breed for years. Yes, there are breeders who are new, or fairly new to breeding. You can generally check if a breeder has been around a while by doing some research on the internet. You can also check the

registration of a breeder. In Queensland you can do this by going to <a href="Dogs Queensland">Dogs Queensland</a> - the leading body of expertise on dogs in Queensland and where the registration occurs.

#### LIVING CONDITIONS AND CARE:

Where do the puppies spend most of their time, and can I see their living conditions?



Where the puppies spend their time is very important

Asking where the puppies spend most of their time and requesting to see their living conditions is crucial to assess the breeder's standards of care and the puppies' overall well-being.

Understanding the environment in which the puppies are raised provides an insight into how they have been socialised and nurtured during their crucial early weeks of life. A clean and stimulating living space with appropriate social interactions is essential for a puppy's healthy development and behavioural adjustment.

By visiting the living conditions, potential owners can ensure that the puppies are raised in a safe and loving environment, indicating a responsible and caring breeder. It also allows them to see firsthand how the breeder interacts with the puppies and to evaluate whether the breeder's practices align with their expectations for raising a well-adjusted and happy puppy.

#### **TEMPERAMENT AND CHARACTERISTICS:**

### How would you describe the typical temperament and characteristics of this breed?

Asking how the breeder would describe the typical temperament and characteristics of the breed is essential to gain a better understanding of the puppy's potential behaviour and compatibility with you, and your lifestyle. Each dog breed has its unique traits, energy levels, and temperaments. The breeder's insights can help potential owners determine if the breed's traits align with what they are looking for in a companion. Understanding the breed's general temperament also helps new owners prepare for the specific needs and challenges associated with that breed. It enables them to make an informed decision about whether the breed's characteristics and temperament are a good fit for their family and living situation, ensuring a harmonious and happy relationship between the owner and the new puppy.

### Do you notice any particular traits in this specific puppy that you'd like to mention?

This is perfect as it helps you to fully understand the puppy you have choosen. Any great breeder can tell you about each puppy and how well balanced they are. Are they the boss of the pack or are they timid and shy? Or outgoing, smart, clever, balanced and so forth.

#### **FUTURE SUPPORT:**

### What kind of support do you offer after I take the puppy home?

Further advice as my puppy grows. Health and other checks. With every breeder I know they care about their dogs very much. You can always call them to ask any questions you may have.

#### PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT:

### Can I meet the puppy's parents or at least the mother?

Meeting the mother (and preferably both parents) of the puppy is essential because it provides valuable insights into the puppy's potential temperament, behaviour, and health. The mother plays a significant role in shaping the puppy's early



Wonderful and calm German Shorthaired Pointer mum with her relaxed puppies

experiences and behaviour, and observing her can give an indication of what the puppy may be like as it grows. Additionally, meeting the parents allows potential owners to assess their temperament, health, and overall well-being, providing important information about the genetic traits and characteristics that the puppy may inherit.

Responsible breeders encourage such meetings as they demonstrate transparency and a commitment to ensuring that their puppies are placed in suitable and caring homes. It also allows the potential owner to assess the breeding environment and the care given to the dogs, contributing to a more informed decision about adopting or buying, a puppy from that particular breeder. Remember, you may not be able to meet the father as often the sire is by artificial insemination. This is not uncommon. You can certainly ask them.

### How does the mother interact with her puppies?

It matters because it provides valuable insights into the mother's temperament and maternal instincts. A mother dog (Dam) / the bitch's, behaviour towards her puppies can give an indication of her nurturing and protective qualities. Observing her interactions can help potential owners assess the puppy's early socialisation experiences and how well the mother has cared for her litter. A wellattentive and caring mother can have a positive impact on the puppy's emotional development and behaviour, potentially leading to a more welladjusted and confident puppy.

Responsible breeders prioritise the well-being of both the mother and the litter and ensure that the puppies receive proper care and socialisation from their dam. Understanding the mother's role in the puppies' early life can help potential owners make an informed decision about the puppy's overall health and early experiences, leading to a successful and harmonious transition to their new home.

#### **FEEDING AND CARE INSTRUCTIONS:**

What type of food has the puppy been eating?

What is the recommended feeding schedule?

#### Can I get a weight chart guideline, please?

By asking these questions, you can ensure a smoother transition for the puppy, promote its well-being, and make informed decisions about its diet and care both now and into the future.

- 1. Feeding Schedule: Knowing the recommended feeding schedule helps establish a routine for the puppy's meal times. Puppies require regular and consistent feeding to support their growth and development. Following a proper feeding schedule also aids in housetraining, as it creates toileting patterns for your puppy. Can I get a weight chart guideline for my puppy?
- 2. Health and Nutrition: Understanding the type of food the puppy has been eating helps ensure that the new owner continues with a similar diet initially. A sudden change in diet can cause digestive issues or stress for the puppy. Knowing the current food allows you, the owner, to assess the quality and suitability of the diet for the puppy's health and nutritional needs.
- 3. **Transition and Continuity:** By continuing the same food at the beginning, the puppy can have a smoother transition to its new home.

  Gradually introducing new food, if desired,

can be done later to avoid digestive problems. Consistency in the early days helps the puppy feel more secure and reduces stress during the adjustment period.

- 4. Avoiding Allergies or Sensitivities: If the puppy has been eating a specific type of food without any issues, continuing that diet may help avoid potential food allergies or sensitivities in the early stages.
- 5. **Medical History:** The type of food the puppy has been eating can be relevant information for your veterinarian. It helps the vet understand the puppy's dietary history, making it easier to recommend any necessary adjustments or changes for the puppy's health.

### Are there any specific care instructions or preferences for this breed?

- Grooming Requirements: Understanding the grooming needs of the breed helps you prepare for regular grooming sessions, which can vary from daily brushing to occasional trimming and grooming (<u>Mastering Puppy Grooming</u>).
- Exercise Needs: Understanding the breed's exercise requirements is crucial in planning a suitable daily routine, whether it involves walks, playtime, or more vigorous activities. This knowledge is vital as it ensures compatibility between you and the chosen breed.

Many people make the mistake of selecting a breed solely based on appearance, overlooking the importance of aligning the dog's needs with their lifestyle. For instance, if you prefer a less active lifestyle and dislike regular walks, opting for a working line dog might not be the best decision. It is essential to choose a breed that matches your activity level and lifestyle to ensure a happy life for both you and your canine companion.

By being understanding of the dog's true needs rather than projecting our assumptions, you can create a harmonious and fulfilling relationship with your new puppy, for life and LOVE.

3. **Exercise:** How much exercise should I be doing with my puppy? They may make some

- suggestions about distances to walk them and when. What age can they use stairs?
- 4. Training Considerations: Knowing any breed-specific training considerations, can help you tailor your training approach for the future. Be prepared for puppy challenges or particular training techniques that work well with the breed you have chosen.
- Health and Medical Concerns: Being aware of any breed-specific health concerns or potential medical issues helps you monitor the puppy's health and be proactive in seeking veterinary care if needed.
- 6. **Living Environment:** Understanding the breed's preferences for living environments, such as space requirements, temperature sensitivities, or any other specific needs, helps ensure the puppy is comfortable and content in its new home.
- 7. **Socialisation and Interaction:** Understanding the breed's socialisation needs and how they interact with other living beings enables you to create suitable opportunities for socialising your puppy, ensuring that they grow into a well-adjusted and sociable adult dog.

Socialising involves exposing the puppy to other dogs, animals, and humans, while familiarising them with everyday household items like mowers, blowers, and hairdryers. To facilitate proper socialising and familiarising, it's essential to read the other articles I have written on socialising your puppy, as this process plays a critical role in shaping the puppy's behaviour and adaptability to various living beings and everyday items in the house.

By obtaining this information, you can create a suitable and nurturing environment for the puppy, cater to its specific needs, and foster a strong bond between you and your new 'Best Mate'. Your new adition continues to develop and grow, day by day and moment by moment. Understanding breed-specific care instructions and preferences helps you become a responsible and informed dog owner, ensuring a happy and fulfilling life for the puppy in your care.



So - you want one of MY puppies! Woof

- 1. **Contract and Agreements:** Can you provide a written contract detailing the terms of the purchase and any health guarantees?
- 2. Health Insurance: Some reputable and well know breeders may also include some Health Insurance. This will generally only be for a short period from 4 weeks through to 8 weeks which allows you time to sort your own Insurance for your puppy. This is done as all puppies can eat something they shouldn't. A great breeder cares deeply.
- 3. **Health Guarantee:** A responsible breeder should provide a health guarantee that outlines the puppy's health status and any recourse the new owner has if the puppy develops a serious health issue shortly after purchase.
- 4. **Return Policy:** Ensure that there is a clear return policy in case the new owner cannot keep the puppy for any reason. This ensures that the puppy can be returned to the breeder rather than ending up in an inappropriate home or shelter.
- 5. **Spay/Neuter Agreement:** Some breeders include a spay/neuter agreement that requires the new owner to have the puppy desexed/ neutered, spayed within a certain timeframe, especially if the puppy is not intended for breeding purposes.

- 6. **Registration Papers:** The new owner should receive proper registration papers or documentation from Dogs Australia, proving the puppy's pedigree and breed authenticity.
- 7. **Non-Compete Clause:** Some breeders may include a non-compete clause to prevent the new owner from breeding or showing the puppy without the breeder's permission.
- 8. **Puppy Care Instructions**: Ensure that the contract includes detailed care instructions for the puppy, including feeding guidelines, training advice, and recommended veterinary care.
- Socialisation and Training Requirements:
   Some contracts may <u>specify socialisation and</u> <u>training requirements</u> to ensure the puppy's well-being and proper development.
- 10. **Breeder's Contact Information:** The contract should provide the breeder's contact information in case the new owner needs to reach out for support or guidance.
- 11. What age do you recommend desexing the puppy? Breeders, Vets and your family are ALL important when it comes to making this decision (click here for more information).

It's crucial for you as a new owner to thoroughly read and understand the terms of the contract, before purchasing the puppy. If there are any unclear or concerning clauses, you should discuss them with the breeder, and seek legal advice, if necessary. A reputable breeder will have a fair and transparent contract that prioritises the well-being of the puppy and establishes a positive and supportive relationship between the breeder and you. Great breeders really CARE about their puppies.

#### What items do I take home with my puppy?

Asking for a towel or blanket with the scent of the puppy's mother and littermates is essential because, it can significantly ease the puppy's transition, into its new home. Puppies are highly sensitive to smells and familiar scents can provide comfort and reassurance during a stressful time. Having an item with the scent of the mother and littermates helps the puppy feel more secure and reduces feelings of separation anxiety. The familiar



Going Home with my new owner - WOOF

scent acts as a comforting reminder of their early environment, making the new surroundings less overwhelming.

This practice is commonly referred to as "scent swapping" and is recommended by us at Bonnies Dog Obedience and Puppy School as a helpful tool in helping the puppy adjust to its new family and home. I have found this extremely helpful and of incredible value. You should take the old pack (Mum and siblings) home with you – you do this by taking home a blanket, towel etc that has the scent of the pack on it. If you are going to see the puppy before your pick them up ask the breeder, "Can I bring a blanket"? They will know why or may even say, "I have taken care of this for you".

 A small supply of the puppy's current food to avoid sudden dietary changes.

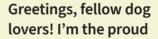
- Vaccination and health records for your puppy.
- Any relevant paperwork or documentation related to the puppy's pedigree and health clearances.

A big smile too and I hope that wherever you go to train your puppy and your dog, you will ask them just as many questions. At Bonnies "We love dogs". There are also some really good dog clubs in Queensland and in other parts of Australia. Research where they are. Generally these are dog clubs and are not for profit. Some great volunteers support as many people in the community as possible at a price everyone can afford. Check out Metropolitan Dog Club in Brisbane or one of the many others around Brisbane and the country.

Remember, responsible breeders will be more than happy to answer these and any questions you may have. Asking questions just shows how much you care. Breeders genuinely care about the wellbeing of their puppies and want to ensure they are placed in loving, suitable homes. They also care about you and your family. There reputation stands on being professional.

#### **PETER BONNEY**

CEO, Bonnies Dog Obedience and Puppy School – 50 years of service.





Director of Bonnies Dog Obedience and Puppy School, and am excited to share this dog article with all of you. If you or anyone you know has a delightful puppy at home or could benefit from more information about our best mates, contact www.bonnies.com.au.



#### CHANGED YOUR EMAIL OR RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS?

TO KEEP YOUR DETAILS CURRENT:

1. NOTIFY DQ OF YOUR NEW EMAIL ADDRESS

2. SEND PROOF OF RESIDENTIAL CHANGE, SUCH AS

DRIVERS LICENCE OR UTILITY BILL TO

INFO@DOGSQUEENSLAND.ORG.AU

### Welcome To Zone 2 News!

#### - Katrina Santas

#### SARINA KC WINS THE FUNDS BACK ...

Sarina Kennel Club was in Best In Show Winning company as part of the Great Community Fundraiser last month where over \$119,000 was raised by 82 local community groups through the local Rotary Club of Mackay North Inc Mitsubishi Car Raffle. All organisations that sold tickets and raised the funds receive their funds back to use to develop their not for profit activities in the local community with this year being the largest fund raiser ever in the history of the annual event.

The Sarina Kennel Club would like to thank all the dog people around Queensland for buying tickets this year. They sold just under 5,000 tickets at \$2 each and these funds will now go towards the much desired development of their new awning for the members to use at shows on their grounds, giving greater protection from the elements for both the dogs and their handlers in the near future whilst they prepare to compete at shows and dog sports events.

Although the winner of the car was not a dog show person, the club still won Best in Show in their eyes, as the much needed funds will certainly speed up their project now for their members and visitors. Huge congrats to all the team at Sarina for putting in the hard work ... a great club that certainly has its members striving together to improve their future in the region and in canine activities ... well done!





#### SHOWCASING OUR LOCAL BREEDING ...

Well done Gladstone Kennel Club! At the end of July 2023 the Club held Queensland Bred Sweepstakes at the beginning of their second championship show on the Saturday of two show day. The sweepstakes were a great success with 27 entries covering breeds from all groups on display.

Interstate judge from the panel, Mr Stephen Schwerdt (SA), was the presiding official for the sweepstakes and took the time to compliment all the exhibitors for their high standard breeding program in the regional area, stating the dogs could all hold their own in any show Australia wide.

The activity was also well supported by a local but anonymous previous canine exhibitor who was thrilled with the entry and supported with cash prizing through to 5th place – much to the delight of all those entered. The club and all those involved would like to say thanks for the support and you know you are always welcome at the shows.

In the end it was the two year old Chinese Crested Dog of Cassie Hatfield's, Ch Casmai Yankee Doodle, that took the top place and the lovely cash prize, well done!

Second was the five years young, Finnish Lapphund of Roslyn Seare's Sup Ch Theldaroy Xpensive Treasure (AI) and third, the eighteen month old Shih Tzu of Dean Dallinger and Monica Moore's, Ch Oeshih Lets Get Ready To Rumble.

It was great to see a club looking to showcase our wonderfully bred local dogs to interstate judges for a change from the usual sweepstakes offered at shows. Those that didn't enter on this occasion as well as those that did are keen to see another State Bred Sweepstakes opportunity again soon ... so clubs, let's try a few different things, you may be surprised how successful it can be and the fun that can be had!



#### **AFTER HOURS PAPERWORK DROP-OFF BOX**

Members are reminded that they no longer need to enter the Dogs Queensland office to deliver paperwork. A drop-off box is located at the entrance to the rear of the main building (underneath the Dogs Queensland sign). The new box is both secure and under surveillance.

### UPCOMING BREED FEATURES

Dogs Queensland is offering all Breeders the opportunity to advertise in the Dog World magazine Breed Features at the discounted rate of:

- 1/4 page \$100,
- 1/2 page \$175 or
- full page \$330



The following dog breeds are planned for the coming months:

October 2023: British Bulldog November 2023: Akita

For more information or to book an advertisement, email barbara@dogsqueensland.org.au

### DOGS QUEENSLAND LOVES DOG TALES

Members are invited to submit dog related stories of interest for inclusion in upcoming issues of our Dog World magazine.

All canine topics are accepted whether they be unusual, quirky or factual and can include 'paw-friendly' walks and cafes, heart-warming tales or antics while in lockdown to name a few.

Dogs Queensland would like to showcase your dog's story to the wider canine community. To see your story published simply send it through to <a href="mailto:barbara@dogsqueensland.org.au">barbara@dogsqueensland.org.au</a>

### Zone 3 News

### A Scent-sational Weekend For Scenting

#### - Hannah Marabini

What a fabulous weekend the 19 and 20 August 2023 turned out to be as the Cairns City Kennel Club hosted a double Scent Work Trial. The club offered all classes with all four elements on both evenings. Saturday evening showcased a total of 38 dogs with 143 entries in total. Sunday closely followed with 34 dogs entered and a total of 127 entries. Some handlers were also handling multiple dogs which adds another element of challenge.

The trial was held at the SES headquarters in Cairns. As always, the club is very thankful to the SES for allowing us the privilege of utilising their headquarters and many thanks to Matt Currey for liaising with the SES in order for the club to access these grounds.



The club had invited two amazing North Queensland judges – Debbie Schmidt from the Canine Obedience Club in Townsville and the Cairns City Kennel Club's very own Emma Mulligan. Both judges were scent-sational! They set challenging hides with some very smelly food distractions for the higher classes. Both Debbie and Emma were kind and encouraging. I feel that they felt the sorrow with us when our dogs were so close and just missed that final alert for a qualification or finding the very smelly and interesting food instead.

A very special mention must go to Emma as it was

her very first judging appointment as a scent work judge and what a spectacular job she did. Emma mentioned that the "The trial was exceptionally well organised and ran smoothly with the assistance of all the competitors. The venue was amazing and allowed for great class challenges to be set across the two days without compromise. It was fantastic to see such a range of handling styles, breeds and ages across the 2 days. The competitors are a credit to themselves, the clubs they represent and their instructors."

The weekend was full of many successes as well as some near misses and close calls. From novice through to masters there were many challenging hides and conditions but nothing that we couldn't overcome with our training and amazing

partnerships with our dogs. There were many happy handlers as their dogs surpassed their expectations in both their working ability and many qualifications were also handed out.

The quickest time of the weekend went to Kelsey and her gorgeous girl, Copper, with their novice container search (5:28sec). Masters exterior also proved to be a thriller with first and second place split by only 0.5 seconds! The green lipped muscle proved to be of spectacular interest in the Excellent and Masters container elements.

Over the two evenings of trials, 5 of 12 master container entries and 7 of 15 excellent container entries earnt a qualification. Trials are a great way to test our training and gives us opportunities to critique ourselves and work on the individual aspects we need to develop.

Hosting a Double Trial was a fabulous opportunity for our novice competitors to earn their first title and start their addiction to the sport a little quicker. Nat, one of our novice competitors has stated, "What a great sport scent works is as every dog can have a go regardless of reactivity or age."

Heather, another first time trialer, also commented that "Scent work is an excellent way to build a strong relationship between you and your dog since you, as the handler, are blinded to the scents so you must have faith in your dog to lead you to it."

There were many happy novice competitors this weekend as they obtained their novice title. That is the beauty of a 'double header trial'. Eight runs gives the novice competitor an opportunity to gain their first title. There were also multiple handlers in the advanced class who also gained the last of their qualifications in order to achieve their advanced title. Two of our more experienced trialers were able to finally achieve their first element title which was for vehicles.

As I'm sure many of you are aware, scent work is proving to be a vastly popular and quickly growing sport across Australia. In the Far North District it is proving popular across a broad variety of breeds and handlers. It is not only limited to breeds whose sole purpose is to scent or working dogs. Some of the non-traditional scent work breeds we have scenting (and succeeding) include Jack Russels, Miniature Bull Terriers, Poodles, American Staffordshire Terriers, Cattle Dogs and Associate Registered dogs. There are also have Labradors, German Shepherd Dogs, Border Collies, Cocker Spaniels and Belgian Shepherd Dogs (Malinois).

The success of scent work in Cairns is largely due to the instructors, Silke Weyland and Emma Mulligan from Cairns City Kennel Club. This year they have been joined by trainee instructors Lisa Murfin and Gab Schilli. Without their passion and love of the sport, we would not have such a large contingent of successful trialers. The club runs a total of 5 beginner courses throughout the year. The beginner course is a 4 week introductory course which is followed by a 4 week intermediate course where the handlers and their dogs are prepared for competition level at Novice and then Intermediate. Once they are competent and feel confident enough they will then join the Advanced training group where they are presented with further challenging demands of the sport.

The instructors are constantly providing challenging hides and constructive feedback to the handlers and ways that they can improve not only their skill but the working of their dogs.

















Something that I personally love about Cairns City Kennel Club is the great sense of community spirit amongst us. Everyone is so encouraging and supportive of one another, including members from other clubs. We had members from the Tablelands Obedience Club as well as the Canine Obedience Club in Townsville competing at our trial over the weekend. Everyone keeps an eye on each other's dogs, cheers for each other and is genuinely happy for the success of others.

It is really exciting to see that the Canine Obedience Club in Townsville will be hosting their first ever scent work trial on the 30 September 2023. It is sensational to see another North Queensland Club hosting scent work trials.

At the end of the day and regardless of the outcome, we each get to take the best dog home. Our best friend who shares our couch, our home, our heart and entertains our passion of competing in the crazy world of dog sports. They do it all for us.

Finally, I will leave you with one golden rule that the Cairns Crew have come to quote. As our instructor, Silke, of the Cairns City Kennel Club scent work team would say, "Always trust your dog".

Happy sniffing everyone!

#### . SAVE THE DATE .

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• 5PM ARRIVAL • 6PM START

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### Dogs Queensland Life Membership -Bob Mills



Dogs Queensland president, Carolyn Ryan (right) and Many Schelbach (left), recently presented Bob Mills with his Life Membership.

Highlights of Bob's outstanding achievements in the dog world are:

- A Dogs Queensland member for 29 years.
- First club was Lockyer Valley Obedience Club (Lockyer Dog Training Club).
- Trainer and Club President of LVDTC for many years.
- Bob has been a Life Member of Lockyer Valley Dog Training Club for over 10 years.
- Breeder of Australian Kelpies, MAJORTOURA.
- Competing in Dog Super Pal competitions.
- Judge for Agility and Jumping since October 1999. (Obedience, Novice)
- Agility Judges training program.
- President of the Dogs Queensland Subcommittee for many years.
- Appointed to ANKC Agility Committee in October 2006.
- Judging at Nationals, States, Ekka and all over Australia.
- Always willing to help new members, young and old to Agility.

Dogs Queensland is proud to acknowledge Bob on his continuing contribution to the dog world.

# Ladies Kennel Association gives back to the community!

The Ladies Kennel Association is continuing to support the Domestic Violence Action Centre, based in Ipswich, by donating proceeds from their recent Championship Show held at the Durack Sports Grounds on Saturday 29 July 2023. This contribution will aid the organisation in providing free and confidential services for people who are experiencing, have experienced, or who use violence in their relationships.

The \$5000 donation from the Club will contribute to existing services including telephone support, counselling, safety upgrades and security devices for the vulnerable, men's behavioural intervention program and limited emergency relief brokerage.

The DVAC has also developed educational programs for schools. Most importantly their services are both free and confidential.

For general enquiries, call 07 3816 2919 (Ipswich) or 07 4566 2630 (Toowoomba) while support services can be contacted on 07 3816 3000 (Ipswich) or 07 4642 1354 (Toowoomba) Monday to Friday from 9am to 5pm.

The Ladies Kennel Association would like to thank all those exhibitors who entered the Championship Shows and in doing so enabled the Club to donate to such a worthwhile cause.



### Northern Classic Kennel Club Championship Shows

Dogs Queensland congratulates all the winners and members who took to the Show Rings to exhibit their dogs in the Northern Classic Kennel Club Championship Shows on on Sunday 6 August 2023.

Thank you to all those who made the shows a success including exhibitors, workers and volunteers alike.

All images were taken by TAK Photography. They can be viewed and purchased from <a href="https://takphotography.com.au/dog-shows/2023-dog-shows-144/">https://takphotography.com.au/dog-shows/2023-dog-shows-144/</a>

































# IPSWICH KENNEL CLUB INC. SUPPORTS OUR AUSTRALIAN SERVICEMEN AND WOMEN

- Deborah McLean: Secretary IKC Inc.

Ipswich Kennel Club Inc. held their two Charity Shows at Durack on Sunday 30 July 2023. We held one Championship Show in the morning and another in the afternoon. A panel of local, interstate and International judges were provided for exhibitors.

As Charity Shows, we were hoping for better numbers but the 480 and 462 entries were respectable. Ipswich Kennel Club Inc. always tries to conduct worthwhile shows for exhibitors and provides a wide range of wonderful sponsorship, sashes and cash. We always try to spread as much sponsorship into group prizes as possible so more exhibitors walk away with a great prize. Working hand in hand with the Ladies Kennel Association of Queensland almost every class in group was covered across the four shows.

#### Thank you to our Sponsors:

- Black Hawk provided dry dog food for all four shows in General Specials. This is a wonderful contribution of approximately \$3500.
- Orivet provided 44 x \$150 vouchers = \$6600 which is extremely generous and will be very useful for breeders for DNA testing.
- Plush Puppy provided vouchers for General Specials in Show 2 to the value of \$400.
- Pet Mince Direct provided 28 x \$50 vouchers = \$1400 for Dog Meat which was used for Minor, Junior, Inter and Australian bred in groups.
- **Dogzonline** provided 14 membership vouchers valued at over \$700.
- Also a small family business called Rottwear who sell at the Redcliffe Markets donated 10 gifts valued at \$300.
- Ipswich Kennel Club Inc also ran some wonderful raffles of wine baskets and vouchers during the day.

All Best of Breeds were given a Scratchie so hopefully some extra money was won to cover entries and fuel.

#### **DONATION TO WOUNDED HEROES**

For the second year in a row Ipswich Kennel Club Inc has decided to support a local Ipswich Charity – Wounded Heroes. They are based in Bundamba and support Australian Servicemen and women and their families. They ease financial, emotional and personal hardships of those in the military. They support veterans and their families in crisis. They also run an OpShop and Coffee Shop at the site.

Ipswich Kennel Club Inc. is very proud to be a part of this charity as we support members of the Defence Force who selflessly and without hesitation answer the call of duty.

On Sunday, Ian McLean, President of Ipswich Kennel Club Inc. presented a cheque for \$5000 to Martin Shaw, the President of Wounded Heroes. We hope this money will provide help where needed.



The wonderful members of our club who each worked as part of the team to make the day /weekend a success deserve a pat on the back.

Thank you to all the exhibitors who entered and supported our Charity Shows.





### SHOW GAZETTE

**NOVEMBER 2023** 

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Show Dates: Saturday 23 September 2023 Entries Close: Saturday 16 September 2023

#### **CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL CLUB OF QLD**

Venue: Dogs Queensland Sports Grounds, 247 King Ave Durack QLD

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	OPEN SHOW				
Classes:		1(1a), 2(2a), 3(3a), 4(4a), 5(5a), 8(8a), 10(10a), 11(11a), 18(18a)			
Sweepsta	stakes: Veteran				
Property	Best Blenk	neim Coat/Colour,			
Classes:	Best Tri Coat/Colour,				
	Best Black and Tan Coat/Colour,				
	Best Ruby	Best Ruby Coat/Colour, Best Head,			
	Parent an	d Progeny.			

**Entry Fees:** \$7.00, Baby Puppy \$5.00, Catalogues \$3.00, Sweepstakes and Property classes \$5.00

Online Entries only: <a href="https://www.showmanager.com.au">www.showmanager.com.au</a>

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**Enquiries:** Jodie Ph: 0417799115

#### Judging starts at 10:00AM with Veteran Sweepstakes

Mrs F Vecchio Sweepstakes, Breed Classes, (QLD) General Specials and Property Classes

Please include colour of exhibit on entry form. Separate entry required for all Classes and Sweepstakes.

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#### **Show Dates: Friday 3 November to Sunday 5 November 2023**

**Entries Close: Monday 16 October 2023** 



#### **ALLORA KENNEL CLUB INC**

Venue: Allora Showgrounds, Darling St, Allora QLD



#### **SPRING SPECTACULAR**

4 CHAMPIONSHIP SHOWS AND 1 OPEN SHOW				
Classes:	1(1a), 2(2a), 3(3a), 4(4a), 5(5a), 10(10a), 11(11a), 18(18a)			
Sweepstakes:	Baby Puppy and Puppy			
Entry Fees:	<u>Champ</u> : \$15.00, Baby Puppies and Sweepstakes \$10.00, <u>Open</u> : \$3.00 Catalogues (covers all 5 shows) – Printed \$8.00, Online \$4.00			
Entries to:	Allora Kennel Club, PO Box 356, Ormeau QLD 4208			
Online Entries:	www.showmanager.com.au 🚱 Enquiries: Pamela Ph: 0417600885			

#### Friday 3 November 2023

#### **Championship Show**

#### Judging starts at 5:00PM with Sweepstakes

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Ring 1	Mr G Stibel (North Macedonia)	Baby Puppy Sweepstakes followed by Group 1
Ring 2 Mr R Ogden (QLD)		Puppy Sweepstakes followed by Groups 2 and 6
Ring 3	Mr G Kill (QLD)	Group 3
Ring 4	Mr I Rasmussen (QLD)	Group 7
Ring 5	Mr S Mitrevski (North Macedonia)	Group 5
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General Specials Mr R Ogden (QLD)

#### Saturday 4 November 2023 - Show 1

#### **Championship Show**

#### Judging starts at 9:00AM with Junior Handlers followed by Sweepstakes

Ring 1	Mr G Kill (QLD)		Baby Puppy Sweepstakes followed by Group 1
Ring 2	Mr I Rasmusse	n (QLD)	Groups 2 and 6
Ring 3	Mr R Ogden (QLD)	Cirneco Dell'Etna, Dad Greyhound, Irish Wo	y Group 4 less Afghan Hound, Azawakh, Basenji, Borzoi, chshund (All Varieties), Deerhound, Finnish Spitz, olfhound, Ibizan Hound, Norwegian Elkhound, tuguese Podengo (All Varieties), Saluki, Sloughi, o 4 Specials
Ring 4	Mr G Stibel (North Macedonia)		Puppy Sweepstakes followed by Group 5 after the judging of German Shepherds
Ring 5	Mr S Mitrevski (North Macedonia)		Group 7 followed by the remaining Group 4 breeds
Ring 8	Mr G Stibel (North Macedonia)		German Shepherds and German Shepherds LSC
General Specials Mr G Stibel (North M		Mr G Stibel (North M	acedonia)

#### Camping

60 Powered sites \$25.00 per night, Unlimited Unpowered sites \$15.00 per night to be paid for with entries.

Camping permit must be displayed. Full canteen and bar all weekend.

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Please note:

These shows will be held in an undercover Horse Arena

#### **Show Dates: Friday 3 November to Sunday 5 November 2023**

**Entries Close: Monday 16 October 2023** 



#### **ALLORA KENNEL CLUB INC**

Venue: Allora Showgrounds, Darling St, Allora QLD



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Classes	Classes: 1(1a), 2(2a), 3(3a), 4(4a), 5(5a), 10(10a), 11(11a), 18(18a)							
Sweeps	stakes:	Baby Pup	py and Pupp	у				
Entry F	ees:	Champ: \$	15.00, Baby	Puppies and	l Sweeps	takes \$10.00, <u>Or</u>	<u>oen</u> : \$3.	.00
		Catalogu	es (covers all	5 shows) – I	Printed \$	8.00, Online \$4.	00	
Entries	to:	Allora Ke	nnel Club, PC	Box 356, O	rmeau C	LD 4208		
Online	Entries:	www.shc	wmanager.c	om.au 🤇	3	<b>Enquiries:</b>	Pamel	la Ph: 0417600885
			Saturday	y 4 Novemb	er 2023 ·	- Show 2		
		Champio	nship Show -	Judging star	rts at the	completion of	Show 1	
Ring 1	Mr R Ogder	n (QLD)		Groups 1 ar	nd 7			
Ring 2	Mr G Kill (QLD)			Groups 2 ar	nd 4			
Ring 3	Mr G Stibel (North Macedonia)			Group 3				
Ring 4	Mr I Rasmussen (QLD)			Group 5				
Ring 5	5 Mr S Mitrevski (North Macedonia) Group 6							
General	Specials	Mr S Mi	trevski (North	Macedonia)				
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Ring 1	Mrs P Hewi		Group 1	Ring 5			Group 5	
Ring 2	Mr A Ziebel	• •	Group 2	Ring 6 Ring 7	Ms M Shuttlewood (QLD) Group 6  Mrs B Thomas (QLD) Group 7		Group 6 Group 7	
Ring 3	Ms L Cassid		Group 3					<u> </u>
Ring 4	Mrs J Andei	rson (QLD)	Group 4	General Spo		There will be no	Genera	i Speciais
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Ū	(North Mac		•			paniel, Curly Coate	•	ver,
	,	- 1				l, Flat Coated Retr		
			Irish Water Spa	aniel, Labrado	or Retriev	er, Lagotto Romag	gnolo,	
			Nova Scotia Dι	ick Tolling Re	triever, Sې	oanish Water Dog,	Sussex S	Spaniel,
		,	Welsh Springer	Spaniel				
Ring 2	Mr G Stibel	(North Ma	cedonia)	Groups 2 ar	nd 6			
Ring 3	Mr I Rasmu	ssen (QLD)		Group 4 fol	lowed by	the remaining Gr	oup 3 br	reeds
Ring 4	Mr R Ogder	n (QLD)		Group 5				
Ring 5	Mr G Kill (Q	LD)		Group 7				
General	Specials	Mr I Ra	asmussen (QLD	)				

#### **Camping**

60 Powered sites \$25.00 per night, Unlimited Unpowered sites \$15.00 per night to be paid for with entries. Camping permit must be displayed. Full canteen and bar all weekend.

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#### Please note:

These shows will be held in an undercover Horse Arena

#### **Show Dates: Friday 3 November to Sunday 5 November 2023**

**Entries Close: Friday 13 October 2023** 

#### MARYBOROUGH KENNEL CLUB INC

Venue: Maryborough Showgrounds, Bruce Hwy, Maryborough Qld

#### **4 CHAMPIONSHIP SHOWS**

	4 CHAMI IONSIIII SHOWS						
	CASH AND SASH SHOWS						
Classes	Classes: 1(1a), 2(2a), 3(3a), 4(4a), 5(5a), 9(9a), 10(10a), 11(11a), 18(18a)						8a)
Entry F	ees:	\$15.00, Catalogues – Online only \$1.00 per show					
Entries	to:	Maryboroug	h Kennel Club Inc,	PO Box 3	356, Ormeau Q	LD 420	8
Online	Entries:	www.shown	nanager.com.au	8	Enquiries:	Pam I	Ph: 0421076655
	Friday	3 November 2	2023		Saturday 4 Nov	/embe	r 2023 – Show 1
Judging starts at 4:00PM Judging starts at 8:00AM					nt 8:00AM		
Ring 1	1 Mrs L Black (NSW)		Group 3	Ring 1	Mr L Wright (	QLD)	Group 3
Ring 2	Mr L Wright	(QLD)	Groups 1 and 4	Ring 2	Mrs L Black (NSW)		Groups 1 and 4
Ring 3	Ms K Tosi (C	(LD)	Groups 6 and 7	Ring 3	Mr J Black (NSW)		Groups 6 and 7
Ring 4	Ring 4 Mr J Black (NSW) Groups 5		Groups 5 and 2	Ring 4	Ms K Tosi (QLD)		Groups 5 and 2
Genera	l Specials	Mrs L Bla	ck (NSW)	General Specials		N	Лr J Black (NSW)
Saturday 4 November – Show 2  Judging starts at the completion of Show 1  not before 2:00PM			on of Show 1		-		mber 2023 at 8:00AM
Ring 1	Mr J Black (I	NSW)	Group 3	Ring 1	Ms K Tosi (QL	.D)	Group 3
Ring 2	Ms K Tosi (C	(LD)	1 and 4	Ring 2	Mr J Black (N	SW)	1 and 4
Ring 3	Mr L Wright	(QLD)	Groups 6 and 7	Ring 3	Ring 3 Mrs L Black (NSW)		Groups 6 and 7
Ring 4	Mrs L Black	(NSW)	Groups 5 and 2	Ring 4	Mr L Wright (	QLD)	Groups 5 and 2
Genera	General Specials Ms K Tosi (QLD)			General Specials Mr L Wright (QLD)			

NO ROPED OFF AREAS, they will be removed without warning.

NO GAZEBOS/TENTS/VANS ETC set up prior to 2:00PM of the day before the first show.

Camping booked and paid for through <a href="http://nominate.com.au/stables/venueintroduction.aspx?=74">http://nominate.com.au/stables/venueintroduction.aspx?=74</a>





All schedules up to and including January 2024 Shows and Trials should be have been submitted to the Dogs Queensland office by 1 August 2023.

Please ensure all information is completed including Junior Handlers, Sweepstakes, Nominated Classes etc.

Submissions by <u>showmanager.com.au</u> are preferred or email ian@dogsqueensland.org.au.





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#### Show Date: Tuesday 7 November 2023 Entries Close: Tuesday 17 October 2023



#### MAREE KENNEL CLUB INC

Venue: Dogs Queensland Sports Grounds, 247 King Ave, Durack QLD



#### **CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW**

#### **MELBOURNE CUP DAY SHOW**

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	CASH AND SASH FOR ALL CLASSES					
Classes:	Classes: 1(1a), 2(2a), 3(3a), 4(4a), 5(5a),10(10a), 11(11a), 18(18a)					
Entry Fees:	Entry Fees: \$15.00, Baby Puppy \$12.00 Catalogues - Printed \$3.00, Online \$2.00					
Entries to:	Entries to: Maree Kennel Club, PO Box 356, Ormeau QLD 4208					
Online Entries:		www.showmanager.com.au		Enquiries:	Michael Ph: 0414 919 511 (no calls after 8:00PM)	
	Judging starts at 9:30AM					
Group 1		Mrs M Hobson (QLD) Group 5		Mrs D Norman (QLD)		
Group 2	Group 2 Mr J Daidone (QLD) Group 6 Mr D McGreevy (QLD)		Mr D McGreevy (QLD)			
Group 3		Mrs J McGregor (QLD)	Gro	up 7	Miss C Ryan (QLD)	
Group 4 Mr G Kerr (QLD) General Specials Mrs C McGreevy (QLD)				Mrs C McGreevy (QLD)		
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#### **Show Dates: Friday 10 November to Sunday 12 November 2023**

**Entries Close: Friday 20 October 2023** 



#### **CABOOLTURE KENNEL CLUB AND DOGS QUEENSLAND**

Venue: Dogs Queensland Sports Grounds, 247 King Ave, Durack QLD



	3 CHAMPIONSHIP SHOWS AND 1 OPEN SHOW					
Classes:	1(1a), 2(2	1(1a), 2(2a), 3(3a), 4(4a), 5(5a), 10(10a), 11(11a), 18(18a)				
Entry Fees:	Championship Show \$15.00, Open Show Automatic entry if entered in the Championship Show on 11 November 2023, otherwise \$3.00 an entry.  Catalogues per show, Printed \$3.00, Online \$2.00					
Entries to:	Cabooltu	re Kennel Club, PO Box 78	, Waterfo	ord West QLD 4133		
Online Entries:	www.sho	owmanager.com.au	3	Enquiries:	Nadia Ph: 0407591165	
Friday 10 November 2023 Championship Show Judging starts at 6:00PM				Saturday 11 No Open S Judging start	Show	
Mr B Santas (NS	W)	Group 1	Mrs S V	Vatherston (QLD)	Group 1	
Mrs G Cook (VIC	<b>C)</b>	Group 2	Mr N N	lcGreevy (QLD)	Group 2	
Mrs H Morrison	(TAS)	Group 3	Miss M	Attridge (QLD)	Group 3	
Mrs L King (VIC)		Group 4	Mr S Yiannou (QLD)		Group 4	
Mr W Douglas C	AM (VIC)	Group 5	Ms A Cooney (QLD)		Group 5	
Mrs V Harris (NS	SW)	Group 6	Ms C Cameron (QLD)		Group 6	
Miss S Shah (VIC	C)	Group 7	Mrs D N	Major (QLD)	Group 7	
General Specials	5	Mr B Santas (NSW)		There will be no	General Specials	
Satu	rday 11 No	ovember 2023		Sunday 12 No		
	Champions	ship Show	l	Champions	ship Show pe judged at 8:00AM	
Ju	dging start	s at 5:00PM	Jui	Breed judging st	, ,	
Mrs L King (VIC)		Group 1	Mrs G Cook (VIC)		Group 1	
Mr B Santas (NS	W)	Group 2	Mr W D	ouglas OAM (VIC)	Group 2	
Mrs V Harris (NS	SW)	Group 3	Miss S Shah (VIC)		Group 3	
Miss S Shah (VIC	C)	Group 4	Mrs H Morrison (TAS)		Group 4	
Mrs G Cook (VIC	<u>:)</u>	Group 5	Mrs V F	larris (NSW)	Group 5	
Mrs H Morrison	(TAS)	Group 6	Mr B Sa	intas (NSW)	Group 6	
Mr W Douglas C	AM (VIC)	Group 7	Mrs L K	ing (VIC)	Group 7	
General Specials	5	Mrs G Cook (VIC)	Genera	l Specials	Mrs H Morrison (TAS)	
		Total Control				

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#### Show Dates: Saturday 25 November and Sunday 26 November 2023 **Entries Close: Thursday 12 October 2023**

#### **GYMPIE AND DISTRICT KENNEL CLUB**

Venue: Kilkivan Showgrounds, 88 Mudlo Rd, Kilkivan QLD

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Classes:	Champ - 1(1a), 2(2a), 3(3a), 4(4a), 5(5a), 9(9a), 10(10a), 11(11a), 18(18a)				
Entry Fees:	\$15.00, Catalogues- Printed 5.00, Online \$1.00 (Covers both shows)				
Online Entries only:	www.showmanager.com.au	<b>₽</b>	Enquiries:	Kerry Ph: 0431646686	

#### Saturday 25 November 2023

#### Judging starts at 4:00PM with Junior Handlers followed by breed judging. Groups 4, 6 and 7

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Ring 2	Mrs C Rafton (NSW)	Groups 2 and 3			
Ring 3	Mrs C Butler (NSW)	Groups 5 and 1			
<b>General Specials</b>	Mr M Arthur (NSW)				
	Sunday 26 November 2023 - Judging starts at 8.30AM				
Ring 1	Mrs C Rafton (NSW)	Groups 6, 7 and 4			
Ring 2	Mrs C Butler (NSW)	Groups 3 and 2			
Ring 3	Mr M Arthur (NSW)	Groups 1 and 5			
General Specials	Mrs C Rafton (NSW)				

The shows will be in an undercover area. Food vendors onsite.

Please note council has increased fees for hire of grounds and camping.

Camping per night: Limited Powered \$25.00, Unpowered \$20.00.

Powered sites must be purchased through Show Manager prior to arrival.

Long power leads will be required for access to power and long hoses recommended if you want to attach to water. Please observe all signage, anyone removing or disobeying signs will be asked to leave.

No arrivals before 12:00PM on Friday 24 November 2023 and you must depart by 12:00PM on Monday.



Mr M Arthur (NSW)

Ring 1

### TRIAL **GAZETTE**

**NOVEMBER** 2023

#### **Trial Date: Sunday 3 September 2023 Entries Close: Friday 25 August 2023**

#### SUNSHINE COAST DOG OBEDIENCE CLUB INC

Venue: Buderim Park Sports Complex, 176 Ballinger Rd, Buderim QLD

SCENT WORK TRIAL	

**Online Entries only:** www.k9entries.com/ankc



**Enquiries:** 

**Entry Fees:** 

trials@sunshinecoastdogclub.org.au

\$15.00 per Element

Judging starts at 8:30AM with vetting at 7:30AM

Mrs N Kirkwood (QLD)

#### Vehicles

Novice (Odour Anise)

Advanced (Odours Anise/Clove)

Excellent (Odours Anise, Cypress, Clove)

Masters (Odours may contain Anise, Cypress, Clove, Birch)

#### Entries capped at 65.

No access to venue prior to trial.

Competitors may not bring target odours to trial venue.

If more than 65 entries received

then a ballot will be conducted on the 10th August 8:00AM at the Sunshine Coast Dog Obedience Club.

**Trial Dates: Sunday 17 September 2023** 

**Entries Close: Thursday 7 September 2023** 

#### CONTINENTAL HERDING CLUB INC

Venue: 245 Six Mile Creek Rd,
Postmans Ridge QLD

#### **HERDING TRIALS AND TESTS**

Entries to:	www.showmanager.com.au	
Entry Fees		
Entry Fees:	HIT \$10.00, HT \$15.00, PT \$20.00, Trial \$25.00	
Enquiries:	Anne Ph: 0419642845 Email: cacharelbriards@gmail.com	

### Tests 1 and 2 Judging starts at 8:00AM with vetting at 7:30AM with Duck events.

Mrs A Luck (QLD)	HIT, HT, PT (Ducks)
Mr P Mayne (QLD)	HIT, HT, PT (Ducks)
Mrs A Luck (QLD)	HIT, HT, PT (including boundary) (Sheep)
Mr P Mayne (QLD)	HIT, HT, PT (including boundary) (Sheep)

### Trial events will be run after Test events have finished.

Trial 1

Mrs A Luck (QLD)

A Course - All levels – Ducks
A Course - All levels – Sheep

#### Trial 2 at completion of Trial 1

Mr P Mayne (QLD)

A Course - All levels – Ducks
A Course - All levels – Sheep

As per Dogs Australia rules,
all entrants in PT must have obtained HT title.
All entries must have had prior
Herding Training before Trial/ Test date as per
Dogs Australia Herding Rules & Regulations.
Bitches in Oestrum will be run
at the end of the day, but must be presented for vetting at scheduled time.

Replacement Cost of Stock \$150.00.

Trial Dates: Fri 22 Sept to Sun 24 Sep 2023

**Entries Close: Fri 8 Sept 2023** 

#### **TABLELAND DOG OBEDIENCE CLUB INC**

Venue: Community Centre Grounds, 44 Mabel St. Atherton QLD

#### OBEDIENCE/RALLY/AGILITY/JUMPING/TRICKS/GAMES

#### **TRIALS**

Entry Fees:	\$7:00
Entries to:	Trials Co-Ordinator,  44 Mabel St, Atherton QLD 4883
Online Entries:	www.k9entries.com/ankc
Enquiries:	Tayla Ph: 0487418138

#### Friday 22 September 2023

#### Judging starts at 7:00PM with vetting at 6:30PM

Mrs H Miller (VIC)	Obedience all classes
Mr R Ashman (VIC)	Rally all classes

#### Saturday 23 September 2023

#### Judging starts at 9:00AM with vetting at 8:30AM

Mr M Sharman (QLD)	Agility all classes  Jumping all classes
Miss S Corben (NSW)	Tricks all classes
Mr R Ashman (VIC)	Games all classes

#### Saturday 23 September 2023

#### Judging 7:00PM with vetting at 6:30PM

Mrs H Miller (VIC)	Obedience all classes
Mr R Ashman (VIC)	Rally all classes

#### Sunday 24 September 2023

#### Judging starts at 7:30AM with vetting at 7:00AM

Mr M Sharman (QLD)	Agility all classes
	Jumping all classes

#### **TITLES NOTICE**

When applying for both **Championship and Non Championship Titles** members are notified they must post the original pedigree certificate to Dogs Queensland.

We regret to advise emails are not acceptable.

#### **CAMPING BOOKINGS AT THE DOGS OUEENSLAND SPORTS GROUNDS**

All bookings to camp at the Sports **Grounds must be made using the SHOW MANAGER** website, available through



the Dogs **Oueensland** website.

**TBA** 



**Trial Date: Sunday 24 September 2023** 

**Entries Close: Monday 11 September 2023** 

#### **GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB OF QLD**

Venue: Dogs Queensland Sports Grounds, 247 King Ave, Durack QLD

#### RESTRICTED OBEDIENCE TRIAL **Entry Fees:** \$15.00 catalogue included **Entries to:** Trial Secretary, 14 Elmwood Court, Boronia Heights QLD 4124 **Online Entries:** (2) www.showmanager.com.au Laura Ph: 0411634277 **Enquiries:** Judging starts at 9:00AM with vetting at 8:15AM

Mr W Patterson (QLD)

No Late Entries. Classes and Judges may be altered as numbers require.

Obedience all classes

#### **Show Date: Saturday 23 September 2023 Entries Close: Sunday 10 September 2023**

#### CABOOLTURE SPORTS DOG OBEDIENCE CLUB

Venue: Devine Court, Morayfield QLD

#### **DOUBLE RALLY AND DOUBLE OBEDIENCE TRIALS**

Online Entries only:	www.showmanager.com.au 😵	
Entry Fees:	\$10.00	
Enquiries:	Tracy Ph: 0450902520	
Rally Trials		
Judging starts at 9:00AM with vetting at 8:00AM		
Mr C Pain (OLD) Rally all classes		

#### **Obedience Trials**

Rally all classes

Judging starts at 2:00PM with vetting at 1:00PM		
Trial 1		
Mr C Giles (ACT)	UDX	
Mr T Griffin (NSW)	UD	
Mr B Nobbs (QLD)	CDX	
Mr K McGinn (QLD)	CD and CCD	
Trial 2		
Mr T Griffin (NSW) UDX		
Mrs C Pethers (QLD)	UD	
TBA	CDX	
Mr B Nobbs (QLD)	CD and CCD	

#### **Trial Date: Friday 29 September 2023**

**Entries Close: Sunday 24 September 2023** 

#### GOLD COAST DOG OBEDIENCE TRAINING CLUB INC

Venue: Ron Short Park, Alicia St, Southport QLD

#### **DOUBLE JUMPING TRIAL**

#### **Vennetia Miles-Owen Memorial Trials**

Entry Fees:	\$8.00,	
	NFC available JD, JDX, JDM - \$4.00 if	
	pre-nominated via www.k9entries.com	
Entries to:	www.k9entries.com/ankc	
Enquiries:	Lisa Ph: 0403 827 728	

#### Judging starts at 7:00pm

with vetting between 6:15pm and 6:45PM		
Ring 1	Mrs R Hansen	JD1, JDX1, JDM1, JDX2
	(QLD)	
Ring 2	Mrs L Kaddatz	JDM2, JDO, JD2
	(QLD)	

### Trial Dates: Saturday 28 October and Sunday 29 October 2023 Entries Close: Friday 6 October 2023

#### DOGS QUEENSLAND SCENT WORK SUB COMMITTEE

Venue: Queensland Sports and Athletics Centre (QSAC), Kessels Rd, Nathan QLD

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DOGS QUEENSLAND SCENT WORK STATE TITLES		
Entry Fees:	\$20.00 per Element	
Online Entries only:	www.showmanager.com.au 😢	
Enquiries:	Kim Ph: 0400671029	
Saturday 28 October 2023		Sunday 29 October 2023
Judging starts	at 8:00AM	Judging starts at 8:00AM
with vetting a	at 7:00AM	with vetting at 7:00AM
Ms D Puttoo	ck (NSW)	Miss S Needs (VIC)
Vehic	<u>le</u>	<u>Container</u>
Maste	er	(Odour Birch)
(Odours may contain Birch	/Anise/Clove/Cypress)	(Odours may contain Birch/Anise/Clove/Cypress)
Mrs Y Hand	ly (QLD)	Mrs Y Handy (QLD)
Vehic	<u>le</u>	<u>Container</u>
Excelle	ent	Excellent (Odour Birch/Anise/Clove)
(Odour Birch/Anise/Clove)		
Mrs J Washington-King (ACT)		Mrs J Washington-King (ACT)
<u>Vehicle</u>		<u>Container</u>
Advanced		Advanced (Odour Birch/Anise)
(Odour Birch/Anise)		
TBA		TBA
<u>Vehicle</u>		<u>Container</u>
Novice		Novice
(Odour Birch)		(Odour Birch)
Miss S Needs (VIC)		Miss S Needs (VIC)
<u>Exteri</u>	<u>or</u>	<u>Interior</u>
Maste		(Odours may contain Birch/Anise/Clove/Cypress
(Odours may contain Birch/Anise/Clove/Cypress)		Mrs N Kirkwood (QLD)
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(Odour Birch/A	inise/Clove)	<u>Interior</u>
		<u>Excellent</u> (Odour Birch/Anise/Clove)
Mrs N Kirkwo	204 (OLD)	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
	, ,	Ms D Puttock (NSW)
Exterior Advanced		<u>Interior</u> Advanced
Advanced		(Odour Birch/Anise)
(Odour Birch/Anise)		
TBA		TBA
Exteri		Interior
Novice (Odour Birch)  Novice (Odour Birch)		

No prior access to venue for training.

Competitors may not bring target odours to trial venue.

Teamwork and Participation perpetual trophy point score will run over the weekend. Individual Teamwork awards will be awarded for all classes (Judge's choice).

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### Trial Dates: Sat 4 and Sun 5 November 2023 Entries Open Mon 2 October 2023 at 6:00PM Entries Close: Fri 20 October 2023

#### **CAIRNS CITY KENNEL CLUB - OBEDIENCE SECTION**

Venue: SES Edmonton, Hambledon Dr, Edmonton QLD 4870

SCENT WORK TRIALS		
Entry Fees:	\$12.00	
Online Entries only:	www.k9entries.com/ankc	
Enquiries:	Jean Ph: 07 40554040 (After Hours) trial.secretary.cckc@gmail.com	

#### Saturday 4 November 2023

Judging starts at 6:30PM with vetting at 6:15PM

#### Ms S Weyland (QLD)

Vehicle

Masters:

(Odours may contain Birch, Anise, Cloves, Cypress)

<u>Excellent Class</u>: Odour – Cypress, Clove and Anise

<u>Advanced Class</u>: Odour – Cypress and Clove

Novice Class: Odour – Cypress

Interior Masters:

(Odours may contain Birch, Anise, Cloves, Cypress)

<u>Excellent Class</u>: Odour – Cypress, Clove and Anise

<u>Advanced Class</u>: Odour – Cypress and Clove

<u>Novice Class</u>: Odour – Cypress

#### **Sunday 5 November 2023**

Judging starts at 6:30PM with vetting at 6:15PM

#### Ms S Weyland (QLD)

Container

Masters:

(Odours may contain Birch, Anise, Cloves, Cypress)

<u>Excellent Class</u>: Odour – Cypress, Clove and Anise

<u>Advanced Class</u>: Odour – Cypress and Clove

<u>Novice Class</u>: Odour – Cypress

**Exterior** 

Masters:

(Odours may contain Birch, Anise, Cloves, Cypress)

<u>Excellent</u> Class: Odour – Cypress, Clove and Anise

<u>Advanced</u> Class: Odour – Cypress and Clove

Novice Class: Odour – Cypress

Entries capped at 80 per day.

Off lead options available.

No prior access to the venue.

No Target Odours allowed at trial venue

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Baby Puppies must not be entered in any Show or Trial Event until the dog is registered and allocated a number from Dogs Queensland.



Trial Date: Saturday 4 November 2023 Entries Close: Thursday 19 October 2023

#### **DOGS QLD AGILITY SUB COMMITTEE**

"PURPLE TRIAL"

Venue: Dogs Queensland Sports Grounds, 247 King Ave, Durack QLD

#### **AGILITY AND JUMPING FUNDRAISER TRIALS**

**Entry** \$11.50 First entry per dog **Fees:** \$7.50 for each subsequent run

NFC available JD, JDX, JDM, AD, ADX, ADM-\$2.00 if pre-nominated via www.k9entries.com

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Online Entries only: <a href="www.k9entries.com/ankc">www.k9entries.com/ankc</a>

Enquiries: Gaille Ph: 0429915871 gaille@jaspar.com

Judging starts at 4:00PM with vetting between 3:00PM and 3:45PM

Mrs B Murfet (QLD) JDE, JDM, JDX, JD
Mr R Mills (QLD) ADE, ADM, ADX, AD

Mrs L Kaddatz (QLD) ADO, JDO

No late entries.

Late payments will not be accepted.
Entries to be paid when entering trial.
Payment by Direct Deposit only.
BSB 084435 Account Number 763301979.
Payment reference Surname AGY 4/11
Unpaid entries will be withdrawn.
All dogs must be checked in.
Any dogs not checked in will be withdrawn.

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#### Trial Date: Sat 4 and Sun 5 November 2023 **Entries Close: Monday 16 October 2023**

#### GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB OF QUEENSLAND INC

Venue: Dogs Queensland Sports Grounds, 247 King Ave, Durack QLD

#### **UNRESTRICTED DOUBLE RALLY** AND LINRESTRICTED DOLIRIE TRICK TRIALS

AND UNKLITHICTED DOUBLE TRICK TRIALS	
Entry Fees:	12.00, Catalogues \$2.00
Entries to:	Trial Secretary, 14 Elmwood Crt,
	Boronia Heights QLD 4124
Online Entries:	www.k9entries.com/ankc
Enquiries:	Laura Ph: 0411 634 277
	trialsec@gsdqld.org.au
Saturday 4 November 2023	

Saturday 4 November 2023
Judging starts at 8:00AM
with vetting at 7:00AM

Mr C Pain (QLD)	Trial 1 – Rally all classes
Mr E Curry (QLD)	Trial 2 – Rally all classes

Sunday 5 November 2023
Judging starts at 8:00AM
with vetting at 7:00AM

Mr L Blumel (QLD)	Trial 1 – Tricks all classes
Mrs C Pethers (QLD)	Trial 2 – Tricks all classes

No Late Entries will be accepted.

Classes and judges may be altered as numbers require.

#### **Trial Date: Saturday 18 November 2023**

**Entries Close: Sunday 5 November 2023** 

#### **METROPOLITAN DOG OBEDIENCE CLUB INC**

Venue: Marchant Park, Chermside QLD

	OBEDIENCE TRIAL	
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Online Entries:	www.k9entries.com/ankc	kaentrios
Enquiries:	Helen Ph: 0/27881///9	

### Judging starts at 6:30PM

with vetting at 5:45PM		
Mrs J Christensen (QLD)	CCD	
Mrs S Bamford (QLD)	CD	
Mrs A Tamblyn (QLD)	CDX	
Mrs T Young (QLD)	UD	
Mrs C Fisher (QLD)	UDX	

The club reserves the right to replace and or add additional judges should class entries warrant.

#### **Trial Date: Friday 17 November 2023 Entries Close: Thursday 2 November 2023**

#### DOGS QUEENSLAND AGILITY SUB COMMITTEE

Venue: Dogs Queensland Sports Grounds, 247 King Ave, Durack QLD

#### **AGILITY/JUMPING/GAMES TRIALS**

Online Entries only:	www.k9entries.com/ankc
Payment by Direct	BSB 084 435 - Account 763301979
Deposit	Please use surname AGY 17/11 as
	reference

**Entry** \$11.50 First class per dog, Fees: \$7.50 per class after that

NFC available JD, JDX, JDM, AD, ADX, ADM -\$4.00 if pre-nominated via <a href="https://www.k9entries.com">www.k9entries.com</a>

Gaille Ph: 0429915871 gaille@jaspar.com **Enquiries:** 

#### Judging starts at 7:00PM with vetting between 6:00PM and 6:45PM

Ms R Hanson (QLD)	JDM/JDX/JD
Mrs M Waldon (QLD)	ADM/ADX/AD
Mrs D Sellwood (QLD)	SPDM/ SPDX/SPD

No late entries. No late payments. Entries unpaid at closing date will be withdrawn. All dogs must be checked in with Trial Secretary, any dogs not checked in will be withdrawn.

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**Trial Date: Saturday 25 November 2023** 

**Entries Close: Saturday 12 November 2023** 

#### **REDLANDS DOG OBEDIENCE CLUB INC**

Venue: Judy Holt Sportsground,

Cnr Randall and Bailey Rds, Birkdale QLD

#### **OBEDIENCE TRIAL**

Entry Fees:	\$10.00	
Online Entries only:	www.k9entries.com/ankc	kgentries
Enquiries:	Karen Ph: 0410757373	

#### Judging starts at 7:30PM

karen.moule@iinet.net.au

#### with vetting between 6:30PM and 7:15PM

With tetting between older in and 71251 in			
Mrs S Bamford (QLD)	CCD		
Mrs J Fenton (QLD)	CD		
Mr L Knauth (QLD)	CDX		
Mr W Patterson (QLD)	UD		
Mrs C Pethers (QLD)	UDX		



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