



THE WAG TALE

COASTAL COMMUNITY DOG TRAINING CLUB COMMUNIQUE

Calendar Dates

- 28th March - CCDTC Inaugural AGM
- 4th April - Easter Sunday
(no training)
- 25th April - Anzac Day (no training)

Be in the draw to win a
\$25 Meal Voucher!

Buy a square on our
lucky envelope for
\$1 to win!



Thanks to the Semaphore Hotel

Welcome to training in 2021

We were very lucky to have pleasant weather on 7th February for our first training session for 2021 to welcome our new and returning members. Our Instructors have all enjoyed their break and are refreshed and excited to commence the new training year.

The Committee and Instructors of CCDTC appreciate your commitment as responsible dog owners to train your pet, having a new dog does have it's challenges.

Just before Christmas I welcomed a new puppy to our family and am looking forward to sharing our training experience with you all as we progress through the classes.

I'm sure you will all agree that 2020 was a very different and challenging year. Who would have thought we would be living through a pandemic!

Unfortunately it appears we will be living with COVID 19 for a while longer, therefore I remind you to be COVID Safe at all training sessions, remember to social distance, sanitise your hands and if you are feeling unwell stay home. Please remember to check-in using the QR Codes displayed around the club grounds. If you do not have a smart phone, paper sign-in is available at the registration desk.

We have a new Corporate Supporter - The Semaphore Hotel have kindly donated a monthly \$25 voucher which we will raffle each month by way of lucky envelopes. Be in the draw to win by purchasing a square for \$1. (Drawn on the last Sunday of the Month)

Wishing you all every success with your training in the year ahead!

Sharon Heath - President

CCDTC Welcomes our New Members. . .



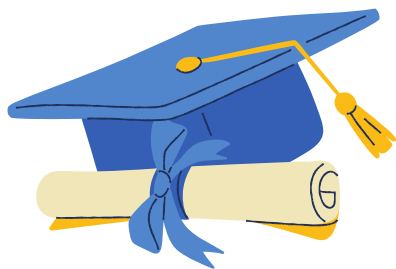
Michaela Cameron & Daniel Van Der Laan with Betty - Border Collie
Paul & Laura Thompson with Sunny - LabradorXGolden Retriever
Maryka Janes with Mishka - Poodle
Stephen Janes with Addie - Maltese X
Kelly & Roger Ward with Axel - German Shepherd
Josie Doolette with Callum - Shetland Sheepdog
Margaret Hoy with Max - Rottweiler
Carolyn Smolksi with Emmie - American Cocker
Kim Petersen with Fletcher - Bordoodle
Marisa & Matt O'Connor with Tilley - Labrador
Emma Salter with Hush - Staffy X Maltese
Nicole Douglas with Bonnie - Blue Heeler
Christine Kourakis with Charlie - Terrier X
Sara Thompson with Angus-Woof - Labrador
Alice & Beth Graljuk with Benji - Rottweiler X Mastiff
Jane Difava with Liliana - Pomeranian X
Wai, Amba, Anthony, Kristal & Jayde Fiorentino with Penelope - Staffy X
Helen Bansemer with Buttercup - Yorkshire Terrier
Lorraine Latus with Dougal - Cavoodle
Sandra Barazim with Yoshie - Yorkshire Terrier
Louise McCabe & Jim Vinecombe with Minnie - Border Collie
Kylie, Mollie & Gypsy Slater with Oatie - Kelpie X Collie
Rosalind DeGaris with Motza - Wire Fox Terrier
Elena Williams with Rufus - Schnauzer

CCDTC Founding Committee Members

- Sharon Heath (President)
- Jenny Pearson (Vice President)
- Megan Cradock (Secretary)
- Ian Ryrie (Treasurer)
- Lee Irvine
- Mark Scheer
- Karen Lamb
- Tim Ruskin
- Barbara Graham

Instructors

- Sharon Heath
- Megan Cradock
- Ian Ryrie
- Jenny Pearson
- Lee Irvine
- Mark Scheer
- Tim Ruskin (Aspiring)



Congratulations to our Graduates. . .

February

Class	Handler	Dog	Breed
<i>New Dog</i>	Sandra Barazim	Yoshie	Yorkshire Terrier
	Lorraine Latus	Dougal	Cavalier x Poodle
	Margaret Hoy	Max	Rottweiler
	Kelly Ward	Axel	German Shepherd
	Jane Difava	Liliana	Pomeranian X
<i>Good Dog Level 1</i>	Rick Landreth	Paddy	Border Collie
	Ros King	Freddie	Shetland Sheepdog
	Sandra Coopman	Mr Darcy	Standard Poodle
	Tanya Massy	Dennis	Standard Poodle
<i>Good Dog Level 2</i>	Vicki Jones	Haedi	Labrador
<i>Future Champs Level 3</i>	Tam Holmes	Zuri	Cocker Spaniel
	David Gaffney	Daisy	Golden Retriever

February Winner - Semaphore Hotel \$25 Meal Voucher

Josie Doolette
Congratulations!



Dog Leads for Sale

If you are in the market for a new lead for your dog, cloth leads are now available for sale for \$15 and can be purchased at the registration desk (in CCDTC Royal Blue of course!)

For those of you that like a little something special with some bling, plaited leads can be made to order for \$35.

All leads are made by our very own Ian Ryrie.



Notice of Annual General Meeting

In accordance with the Constitution of Coastal Community Dog Training Club Incorporated, the inaugural Annual General Meeting of the club will be held at:

11.00am on Sunday 28 March 2021

Birkenhead Naval Reserve, Heath Street, Birkenhead

AGM Agenda:

- 1. Welcome**
- 2. Apologies**
- 3. President's Report**
- 4. Treasurer's Report, Financial Statements and Auditor's Report**
- 5. Election of New Committee**
- 6. Appointment of Auditor for Financial Year 2021**
- 7. Any Other Business**
- 8. Close Meeting**

Nominations are invited for the Executive and Committee positions specified in the club's Constitution.

All appointments are for one year terms.

All positions are honorary (unpaid).

Nominations must be delivered to the Secretary on the prescribed nomination form by no later than

Sunday 21 March 2021.

2020 Breakup Day



2020 certainly provided its challenges and November was no different. From a burst of hot weather followed by a statewide shutdown due to a pizza fiasco we didn't know if we were going to be able to farewell the year with a Christmas breakup day.

Whilst we couldn't hold any training we did manage to have a photo shoot with our members dogs and Santa, and were able to present our Christmas Tree adorned with all the donated toys for Safe Pets Safe Families - Keeping people & pets together.

We think Santa may have been considering giving the reindeers a rest and utilising the talents of Angus the Irish Wolfhound to pull the sleigh (he's certainly big enough!)



Xmas Raffle Prize Winners



Thank you to all those who purchased tickets in our Christmas Raffle.

Congratulations to our prize winners:

- 1st Prize - Megan Makins & Jasmine McLean
- 2nd Prize - Shannon
- 3rd Prize - Martin Brooks
- 4th Prize - Roger Davies
- 5th Prize - Bob Stevenson

What does a yellow bandana mean?



There are times when CCDTC instructors will recommend a yellow bandana to be worn by dogs who need space while training.

It may be that the dog is anxious, reactive to other dogs, recovering from surgery, or being rehabilitated. If you see a dog wearing a YELLOW "I need space" bandana please respect that this is a dog which needs some space, do not approach the dog with your own dog or yourself without first seeking the owner's permission.



At CCDTC we hope to provide a safe and fun training environment for everyone.

You can help by observing the following safety instructions:

- Please ensure your dog is onlead at all times (unless participating in an off lead exercise under an instructors supervision)
- Please make sure you pick up after your dog
- Closed-in footwear must be worn to all training sessions (no thongs or sandals)
- Training equipment is not to be used unless you are participating in a class under an instructors supervision
- Please remember to remain COVID Safe - maintain social distancing, practise good hygiene and use the hand sanitisers provided
- Stay at home if you have any cold or flu symptoms or if you have been advised to self-isolate.



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