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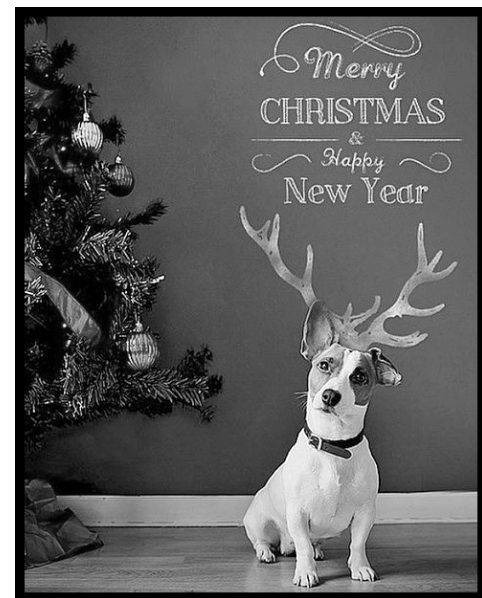
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The Committee

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COMMITTEE

PAULA WILKINS
MICHELLE BAIRSTOW
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Our Instructors

Jill and Amanda Houston,
Lesley Lynam, Kyran Bromilow,
Janet Pleece, Clarissa MacGuinness,
Millicent Hayes, Sally Pleece,
Paul Skewes, Jenny Bickmore,
Richard Manchester.



Life Members

Jill Houston, Jan Welyky, Keith Wilmhurst .



Christmas Party & Fun Night

Tuesday 13th December 6.30pm

Registrations close November 29th.

Partners and dependent children are welcome. Please only bring dogs that train at our club. Definite numbers are needed to inform the caterers and to ensure each dog gets a gift.

You can also register for 2017 and avoid the queue in February.

Member Name	
Total number of people attending	
Number of Dogs	





Titles

If you have gained any titles this year please complete the form below and return it by November 22nd. *Must have attended 6 months worth of training with the club*

OBEDIENCE, AGILITY, DANCING WITH DOGS AND RALLY-O
TITLES GAINED DURING 2016

Please indicate if you would like red/white wine (please specify which) or chocolates. (A Midland tradition!)

Name of Owner: _____

Name of Dog: _____

Title(s) gained:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

Name of Dog: _____

Title(s) gained:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____



President's Report

Term 4, 2016

Welcome back to training for Term 4, I hope everyone had a relaxing break.

It should start (hopefully) to heat up soon, so please remember to bring plenty of fresh water for your dog for training.

It is great to see a growing number of our members competing in Obedience and Rally O trials, recently at the royal show and the state obedience trial our club was well represented across all classes with a good number of wins and places.

In this edition of the club newsletter there is a nomination form for office bearers and committee members, this club is run by volunteers and need more people to step up so this club can survive into the future.

Happy Training

Paul Skewes

- Please remember to sign in at the table and pay your \$2 grounds fee to your instructor each week.
- Please clearly print your name (not your dog's!) and which class you are in to help with our records.



Class Description & Times for 2016

** Tuesdays **

Beginners	6:30pm	Beginners. Any age dog.
Class 1	6:30pm	Basic pet training
Class 2	6:30pm	Obedience training.
Class 3	7:30pm	Obedience training
Class 4	7:30pm	Preparation for CCD and CD
Rally O	7.00pm	Rally Obedience (every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month)

Rally O Dates - 11-10-16, 25-10-16, 08-11-16, 22-11-16.

Doggy Etiquette

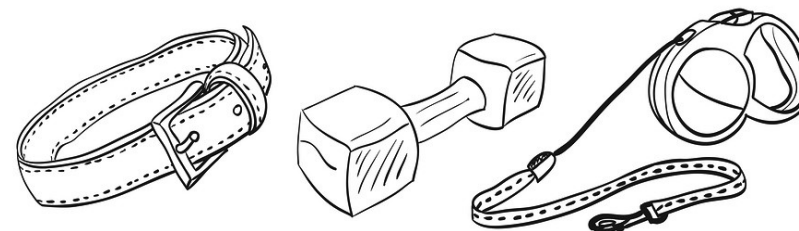
Please ensure you have full control of your dog at all times. Like humans, dogs need their personal space. Please check with other handlers before letting your dog approach another. Some timid dogs can be greatly stressed when boisterous dogs approach, sometimes causing aggression. Some of our dogs are still learning to be nice to each other and progress can be hindered after an unpleasant encounter. You may see a yellow ribbon or scarf used to indicate a very timid dog.



For Sale

We have a selection of leads, collars and dumbbells available. Come and see us at the front desk for some assistance with our products.

- LEADS
- COLLARS
- GENTLE LEADERS
- DUMBELLS





Committee Positions

Position Being Nominated For (circle position/s):

President Vice President Secretary Treasurer

Trial Secretary Committee member

Name of Nominee: _____

Signature Nominee: _____

Nominated by: _____

Signature: _____

I confirm that I have not been in the last 5 years:

- an undischarged bankrupt or my affairs are under insolvency laws;
- convicted of an offence in connection with the promotion, formation or management of a body corporate;
- convicted of an offence involving fraud or dishonesty punishable on conviction by at least three months or more imprisonment ; or
- convicted of an offence under Division 3 (the duties of officers provisions) or section 127 (the duty with respect to incurring of debt) of the Act.

Closing Date of Nominations: 15th November '16

All nominations addressed to: **The Returning Officer Box**



Code of Conduct

1. Closed shoes must be worn while training.
2. No smoking.
3. It's your responsibility to supervise your children at all times.
4. Dogs must be on a lead at all times, unless instructed otherwise.
5. Membership badges must be worn.
6. Remember to pick up after your dog.

Classes for Term 1, 2017

Beginners

Registration - 31st January
Commence - 7th February

All other Obedience Classes

Resume - 31st January

Remember to check out our website at
www.midlanddogtraining.com or our facebook page,
<https://www.facebook.com/MidlandDogTrainingClub>



Thursday Nights

Dancing with Dogs

DWD Beginners and DWD advanced will be held on the following dates in term 4.

October 20th
November 17th

Agility

As we are not running agility training at present, here are other options if you'd like to have a go. The following clubs run beginners and more advanced classes.

- Eden Hill Dog Fellowship-Monday night.
Contact Pam on 6296 7128 or email
EdenHillDogFellowship@yahoo.com.au
- Cloverdale Canine Companions
Contact Carol 0421 889898 or carolannf@westnet.com.au
- Northern Suburbs Dog Club
Website www.northernsuburbsdogclub.org
- Perth Training and Obedience Dog Club-Friday at Vic
Park. Contact 9378 9169 Or garfilyn1@bigpond.com



Blueberry Ice Cream

For Dogs

Ingredients:

- 1 cup of blueberries
- 1 banana
- 1 cup plain yogurt



To Make:

1. Add blueberries, banana, and yogurt to a blender and mix until smooth.
2. Pour mixture into a freezer-safe container. To make individual portions, pour into ice cube trays or moulds.
3. Cover and freeze for several hours or up to a day before serving.
4. Once frozen, scoop single servings into your dog's favourite bowl! Store leftovers in the freezer.



Summer Tips

1. Make sure your dog has access to shade during the day. On particularly hot days, let your dog inside to enjoy the air conditioning with you.
2. Make sure your dog has access to water. It is best to have a number of different water containers in case one is knocked over.
3. Provide a paddling pool to play in. You can add toys and even frozen treats to entice them into the pool.
4. Give your dog cool treats like ice cream, frozen kongs or home made pupsicles made from your dogs favourite treats.
5. Set up a sprinkler for some fun play time.
6. You can also buy cooling mats or vests to help them if they are struggling with the heat.
7. Walk your dog in the cooler times of the day, not only is it more comfortable temperature wise, but pavements can get very hot during the heat of the day and even burn their paws.
8. Never leave your pet in your car unattended, dogs can over heat and die within minutes.



Christmas Party & Fun Night!

Tuesday 13th December 2015, at 6.30pm.

Lots of fun activities planned, including...

- * Dog fancy dress
- * Games

Dinner provided.

Free raffle for members.

Don't forget to bring your dog, or you will have to eat the sausage off the string!

Immediate Family members are welcome.

Please ensure you complete the form on page 13 to register for the night.





Congratulations!

Perth Royal Show 2016

Midland Dog Training Club performed particularly well at this years Royal show with 3 members winning their classes in Obedience and 2 others doing wonderful work in the ring. In Rally O the top 4 competitors were Midland members, which we think is a fantastic effort!



Notice of Annual General Meeting

Date: Tuesday 13th December

Time: 6.30pm

Venue: Jack Mann Oval, Bishop Road

MIDDLE SWAN

- Notices of motion must be in writing and must be handed in at the front table by Tuesday November 15th.
- Nominations for Office Bearers and Committee close on Tuesday November 22nd.
- Forms can be handed in at the table. The form is available on the other side of this page.

Needed Urgently ~ New Blood!

Would you like to contribute to the life of the club?

New committee members and office bearers are very welcome. Here is a chance to give your ideas and opinions on what we as a club can offer our members.

Meetings are held once or twice a term throughout the year. We need help to assist at trials twice a year, at registration nights and at our Christmas wind-up.

Committee members also receive discounted membership.