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## VISION STATEMENT

Our vision is a united club that spans the interests and activities of all the membership. Our aim for tomorrow is a country where Collies (Rough and Smooth) are bred by responsible, knowledgeable breeders and are owned by a fancy well versed in the breed and committed to their care and betterment. We welcome all walks of life and envision a membership as diverse as the activities they are engaged in. With support and education offered to all in their equally worthy endeavours, we strive for our great hope: A future where no Collie (Rough or Smooth) goes unwanted.

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## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Hello again, time is flying past at a great rate of knots.

The weather is starting to improve and no doubt we are all looking forward to that.

Not a lot has happened since our Club Champs shows but time rolls on and it is almost time for the Melbourne Royal again. Hope you all have your entries in for a Collie Specialist judge. Remember that nominations for Judges and committee members need to be submitted no later than Collie Day at the Royal Thursday 3rd October. Look forward to seeing you all there. Win lose or draw it's a good day to showcase our excellent breed and to catch up with others.

I would also like to express our sincere condolences to Gail, Michelle and Adam Doe on the recent passing of Robert.

*Cheers*

*Alan Wallace*

## SECRETARY'S REPORT

For the later part of the year ahead of us, we have a few interesting events to consider.

First, the Judges Training Exams are on the agenda with both varieties of Collies to be represented. It is always an aim to keep our breeds at the forefront of official events.

Followed closely by the Royal Melbourne Show, and the possibility of having a Breed Booth to be manned by us, to present our Collies to the general public.

Good luck to all exhibiting at the Royal.

Then comes the A.G.M. with all it's implications: nominate for committee; nominate judges; pay your membership – all the annual excitement. Please raise your hand to join in the fun.

*Kaye Reeves*

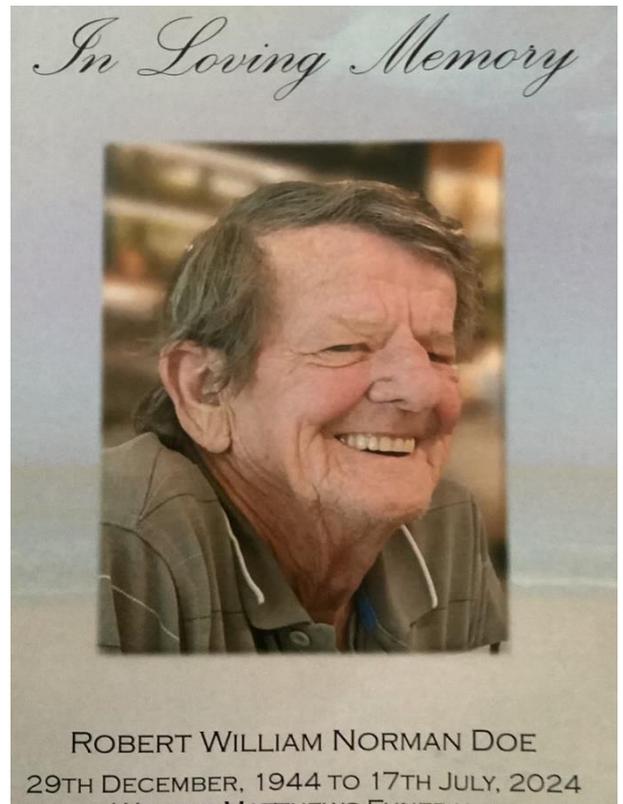
## TREASURER'S REPORT

<b>General Account</b>	<b>\$5,312.80</b>
<b>Balance as per Bank printout 01/08/2024</b>	
<b>Cheque awaiting clearance</b>	\$0.00
<b>Unpresented cheques</b>	\$0.00
<b>Available funds at 01/08/2024</b>	<b>\$5,312.80</b>
	Handbook \$0.00
<b>Rescue a/c</b>	
<b>Balance at 29/07/2024</b>	<b>\$3,394.29</b>
<b>Term Deposit (Handbook)</b>	
<b>Next review date 6/12/2024 – balance</b>	<b>\$13,860.62 @ 4.75%</b>

*Bronwen Cramond*

# Vale

Gail and Robert have been valued members of the Collie Club of Victoria Inc. for over 50 years with Robert serving in various capacities at different times - including President, Committee member, steward at our shows etc. He was a very talented craftsman and made the bases for the perpetual trophies for our shows, including the Robgai Trophy for Best in Show, donated by Gail and Robert, as well as the dais, place numbers etc. The Club and Committee would like to express our sincere condolences to Gail, Michelle, Adam and families.



## AGM

**Please don't forget our AGM!**  
**7:30pm for an 8pm start**  
**Thursday the 24<sup>th</sup> of October 2024 at KCC Park**  
**Please bring a plate for after meeting nibbles.**



# Dog Sports Report

*From the 1st of January 2024 to the 30th of June 2024*

Well on to 2024, and we are still in this funny place at the moment. There is a slow changing of the guard happening as older dogs retire or leave us and younger dogs start coming on board. We also have a few handlers out due to injury and life (isn't it full of unexpected surprises) but happily a few new people are balancing the numbers as they make their first forays into the wonderful and often challenging world of dog sports. It is also lovely to see more dogs with titles at both ends of their names, something that is quite common in some breeds but relatively rare in Collies.

## AGILITY:

Agility has been a two dog show this year, with Amy out for much of the last 18 months which just leaves Naomi Shaw in Rockhampton and Paula Wilkins in Perth to carry the flag.

Naomi's young boy Nakor (Ch Sunshard Advocate of Illusions TK.S) is only now coming of age. Still on the 28<sup>th</sup> of April Naomi and Nakor ventured up to Mackay doing a grand job of abandoning the household chores for a couple of quick runs in jumping novice. It was a pretty successful trip, as while Nakor had a bar down in the first run and then handler errors to contend with in the second he still managed a 1<sup>st</sup> place in the first run and a 3<sup>rd</sup> in the second.



At the Dogs West State agility trial Paula stepped out into the Masters jumping ring where she and Juno (T Ch Ellerran Dream Big RN TSD TK.S SD JDX) did a steady clear run and gained 4<sup>th</sup> place. Juno is a 500 dog which means she is in the same height class as the multitude of very competitive Border Collies, so it is great to see a Collie out there holding their own!

## DANCING WITH DOGS:



Dancing with dogs is one of those sports that looks deceptively easy, it really isn't as it has a lot of moving parts and is often quite challenging, when it is done well it is seamless and great fun to watch. The new tricks trials have helped open up the door for people to try freestyle and heel work to music. We still only have a handful of Collies trialling in the sport, but boy do they do us proud. In NSW we have Dolly and Greta who spent some time over summer attending various trials and gained enough passes to qualify for their free style to music started title in mid-January. Dolly who is a successful show dog can now add freestyle titles to her bow and will now be known as Ch. Vedamea Cross My Heart TK.N FS.S

A bit over two months later in mid-March Western Australians Vicki and Pixie completed the final pass they needed for their Freestyle novice title. They followed this up a few weeks later on the 5<sup>th</sup> of April when they decided to dip their toes in to the Heel work to

music classes. This was a resounding success with Pixie gaining her first started quali and a 1<sup>st</sup> place. Pixie will now be known as Mazarelli Pixie CCD FS.N RN TK.I

To top it off on the 13<sup>th</sup> of April Dogs WA hosted their annual State Dancing with dogs trials, Perth has a very strong Dancing with dogs community so Vicki was doubly delighted with how Pixie performed. Pixie gained a 3<sup>rd</sup> place quali in her Heel work to music started class and then backed that up with a 2<sup>nd</sup> placed quali in her Freestyle intermediate class. She also gained a 2<sup>nd</sup> place in one of the specialty classes. So, all in all they had a fantastic day, the important thing to remember about all this is that not only is Pixie doing a great job as a performance dog, but she and Vicki are showing us that physical limitations are no boundary. After a lot of soul-searching Vicki decided to continue trialling and she competes with a mobility aid but still does amazingly well.

## LURE COURSING:

Lure coursing is a bit quiet at the beginning of the year and we only have a trial or two going on but even so on the 19<sup>th</sup> of May Eva and Inka (Brafferton Incan Sea Treasure CCD TK.S RAE SWN TD CA) were out at the Adelaide Lure coursing club to gain the 4<sup>th</sup> of the 8 passes they need for Inka's CAA title. A week later Eva drove over the border to the Saluki club of Vic's lure coursing trial, resulting in two more passes toward her CAA title.

A month later, on the 16<sup>th</sup> of June Eva and Inka were out chasing plastic bags again. The Adelaide Lure coursing club are lucky enough to have the beautiful oval at Roseworthy, which is now part of Adelaide Uni to use for their trials, which is relatively close to the city and about the perfect place for a trial. Inka certainly agreed with the location and did her thing with her usual zest and came away with the 7<sup>th</sup> of the 8 passes she needs for her CAA title.



## OBEDIENCE:

With the usual suspects either between dogs or taking a break there hasn't been a lot going on with Collies in the obedience rings in the first half of the year. However, at the Easter trials this year Monica Neiwalda and Mogh (Neut Ch Raaybeam Capt JayTee Kirk RA), gained their first novice pass and 1<sup>st</sup> place as well as High Scoring Smooth Collie in Trial. The High Scoring Collie in trial rosettes are proudly donated by the Collie club to encourage Collies in the performance rings at selected trials. The brainchild of Shelley Donald who sponsored them for a number of years, they are much sort after and greatly admired by other non-collie competitors.

## RALLY:

Rally on the other hand is bubbling along quite nicely thank you very much! On the 10<sup>th</sup> of March, Vicki and Pixie (Mazarelli Pixie CCD FS.N RN TK.I) were out showing everyone how it's done in the rally rings, with a lovely 2<sup>nd</sup> place in her Advanced class with an oh so close to perfect score of 99.

Back in Melbourne a week later Southern ODC who have their grounds in Bangholme held the traditional season opener. Amy was only meant to be judging in the morning but unfortunately another judge had to pull out so there she was judging both AM and PM trials! Some performance trials allow judges to compete as well as judge (though clearly not the level they are judging at) since we have such a small pool of judges and ultimately the dogs either do what they need to, or they don't. Most judges won't do this since it is undoubtedly a lot of pressure, but well what do you do.... So off she went. Miss Katachi (Sunshard Shape of

Happiness TD JC), Deo's blue daughter managed a 97 in novice while Deo(Dual Ch (RO) Drambuie Dry and Dirty CCD CD TDX TSD RAE AD JDX GD SD SPD ET) gained a pass in Masters of 86.

The 31st of March was the Easter trial at KCC park, with all the usual Easter related shenanigans going on. Stuffed bunnies on the courses (one of the signs in Rally is a figure of eight around two cones with toys or sealed food containers as distractions on the other two corners of the "square") cheeky dogs, fun and games. However, Monica Neiwalda and Mogh, survived all this to come out of their excellent ring with a pass towards his title.

At the other end of the country a week later, on the weekend of the 6<sup>th</sup> of April Collie people were out in force up and down the east coast. Anissa Ruitenberg and her rough tri boy Darcy gaining their first and second Rally Novice qualies, and Chloe Lewty and her rough tri boy Rebel, also clocking up their first Rally Novice quali!

Meanwhile in Perth on the same weekend Pixie and Vicki were out collecting their second Rally Advanced pass.

To wrap it up a week later at Bathurst Royal Anissa Ruitenberg and Darcy gained the final pass he needed for his Rally Novice title, a lovely place to pull it off! Darcy will now be known as Cliffglynn the Perfect Storm RN (pictured above right)



Back in Victoria on the 14<sup>th</sup> of April the usual suspects ventured off to Croydon ODC for their annual April trial. Oh, how we all love Croydon, lovely grounds, great judges, and let's be honest here the amazing canteen that never fails to please. We all usually come home with happily full bellies if nothing else. Well, a group of us ventured out for the day but it was Amy that came home with cardboard. Deo and Taisa both gained a Masters pass in the AM trial, and Deo an extra one in the PM trial. However, it was Katachi who was the star of the show. In the morning trial she gained the final pass that she needed for her Rally Novice title and won the ring, she then rounded out the day with a spare novice pass. Katachi will now be known as Sunshard Shape of Happiness RN TD JC (pictured below)



Not to let grass grow under their feet on the same day Sandgropers, Vicki and Pixie were out claiming the last pass they needed for their Rally Advanced title. Pixie will now be known as Mazarelli Pixie CCD FS.N RA TK.I

The 19<sup>th</sup> of May was wet, not just sprinkling merrily wet but actual let's see how many coats we can soak through wet. It was also cold and if you've ever been to Berwick ODC's ground in Narre Warren you'll know that it is like a small cauldron, so after a while it was like standing in a wet, chilly puddle. No sane person would choose to stand out in this would they? But Amy still in a sling post op was judging. So, there we stood, getting wetter by the second with the score sheets rapidly resembling paper-mâché, never mind that though because sling or not she and Deo had made it back into a ring for a beautiful 3<sup>rd</sup> place pass in Masters. All I can say is the things we do for our sport. It took a week to dry all the jackets!

The following week the Border Collie Club of SA hosted a rally trial which Frankie and Tania Adams attended. They started off a very successful week with the final pass they needed for their Rally Novice title and a 2<sup>nd</sup> place. Frankie will now be known as Ch Foxbell Frank Zapper RN (*pictured right*)



Meanwhile on the same day at KCC park the Working dog club were hosting their annual double Rally and Obedience trial. While I was occupied filling in pass cards, Amy and Deo trotted out again with Amy only just out of her sling and claimed another pass and 2<sup>nd</sup> place in Masters, while Robyn Walls and her tri rough boy Sonny went out and sailed around their Advance classes to gain the final two passes, they needed for their title. Sonny will now be known as Sunshard Ode To Joy RA TD

Up in delightfully sunny Queensland on Thursday the 6<sup>th</sup> of June, Yuggera held a Rally trial with Naomi Shaw judging. Chloe Lewty and her team of Lexwood boys decided to have a second attempt at Rally at this trial and both boys managed a lovely matching score of 98 out of 100 for their troubles. This gave Rebel (Lexwood Blackfyre Rebellion HT TK.S CA) his second Rally Novice pass and Neo (Lexwood Winter is Coming TK.S SWN JC) his first.

Over the Queen's birthday weekend, the Gippsland Obedience clubs pull together and run three days of Rally and Obedience trials. It is great fun, very relaxed but often freezing! This year was no different with the Gippsland ODC's trial held at their Morwell grounds being held on the Monday. The food was great, and the trial was as always well run but the weather... well.... at least it wasn't pouring! Amy and Deo had a very successful day coming away with two Masters passes, from two.

## SCENT WORK:



Scent work is most decidedly the popular thing right now. It's accessible for most people, doesn't require masses of equipment, and training is relatively easy to find, and most importantly the dogs love it! We have quite a few dogs currently trialling with several more learning how it's done. For the moment trials are being held year-round which is not the norm for most sports which generally break over the summer.

The season started off on the weekend of the 13<sup>th</sup> of January. Hastings and District ODC held a twilight scent work trial at their lovely grounds in Hastings. Bryan and Sandra Crowley had a wonderful time with Durif, one of their trio of blue rough boys, gaining a pass in his Advanced Vehicles element. This pass gave which gave

him the final leg for his Advanced title. Durif will now be known as DUAL Ch (T) Ellerran Durif Parti Hi Lights SWA TSDX (*pictured*)

At the other end of the week, over in Adelaide Eva and Rocky (Brafferton Black Ice CDX RAE TK.S RM SWA TD JC )were out doing scent work too with Rocky gaining a pass in Advanced Interiors.

A few weeks later and Noarlunga City ODC in Adelaide hosted their own twilight trial, on the 2nd of February. Karen Mingham and Zoe (Ellerran Carry Me Home SWN FDX JC), who did a 100km round trip to attend were joined by Eva and her two roughs to round out the Collie entries. Zoe made her 3 minutes of sniffing count

and gained an Advanced Exterior pass for her efforts. Eva and Rocky, also had some success with Rocky gaining his first Excellent pass in the Containers element.

The end of February marked the beginning of Keish Wall and Lady's (Ch Mazarelli Lady of the Breeze RN TK.N SWA) run through scent work, with the pair out regularly and having a lot of success and fun along the way. At the Caboolture KC's trial, they picked up a 2<sup>nd</sup> place quali in their Excellent Vehicles element. Then over the week from the 7<sup>th</sup> to the 14<sup>th</sup> of March, they attended two further trials at Yuggera and Logan. At her first attempt at Masters level in the Containers element Lady gained a pass. Then a week later in her Advanced Vehicle element she not only gained a pass but won the ring!

In scent work you can progress through each element (containers, interiors, exteriors, or vehicles) at each level or work towards a title over all elements at each level. In the lower levels the handler knows how many hides (places where scent is hidden) there are but in Masters they do not. There could be none or there could be any number up to 3 - it's up to the team to work this out. The classes can be quite large with 30 dogs in a single class not being unusual.

After a week off Keish and Lady ventured out to the Sunny Coast scent work trial where Lady gained multiple qualies in Masters. One in Interiors, and two in Containers, this also gave her the final pass she needed for her Scent Work Container Element title (SWC). So Lady will now be known as Ch Mazarelli Lady of the Breeze RN TK.N SWA SWC

By the 14<sup>th</sup> of April the SA contingent were out again and about to begin a run of trials. The first at Gawler, where Eva and Karen had their blue girls at the Advanced level doing both the Vehicle and Interiors elements. Both girls gained passes in their Vehicle element even under some challenging distractions, and Inka (Brafferton Incan Sea Treasure CCD TK.S RAE SWN TD CA) also passed her Interiors element.

A week later over the weekend of the 20<sup>th</sup> of April, saw both girls and blue roughs at Bendigo. Eva and Karen made a weekend of it coming over from SA to compete. Karen and Zoe gained a pass in their Advanced Interiors element while Inka and Eva came home with a pass in three Advanced elements, Interiors, Exteriors and Vehicles.

Finally on the weekend of the 27<sup>th</sup> of April Para Districts ODC held their Scent Work trial, this trial was limited to Excellent and Masters levels and Eva and Rocky participated in three of the four elements. They came home with a 2<sup>nd</sup> place pass in Containers, and a pass in Vehicles as well as the teamwork award.

On the 9<sup>th</sup> of May Lady and Keish set off for Yuggera DC's scent work trial where Lady finally gained the final pass in her Excellent Exteriors element that she needed to complete her scent work excellent title. Lady will now be known as Ch Mazarelli Lady of the Breeze RN TK.N SWE SWC

After a few weeks off on the 26<sup>th</sup> of May Keish and Lady trotted off to Redlands where she collected another quali in her Excellent Containers class and a 1<sup>st</sup> place. While Keish was delighted with the quali and the win, Lady was far more delighted with the hippo toy she won for her efforts!

On the 7<sup>th</sup> of June the Dobermann Club of QLD hosted a scent work trial at Durak in conjunction with a big weekend of trials and shows. There were multiple Collies entered in this trial, including Chloe Lewty and her boys. While she and Neo (Lexwood Winter is Coming TK.S SWN JC) had a few little issues in Advanced, Rebel (Lexwood Blackfyre Rebellion HT TK.S CA) gained a quali in Novice



Vehicles element, which put him halfway to his scent work novice title. At the same trial Keish and Lady were entered in Masters. Lady did a wonderful job as she does and came away with the final pass she needed for her Scent Work Vehicle Element title. This means she will now be known as Ch Mazarelli Lady of the Breeze RN TK.N SWE SWC SWV

Over the weekend of 21st June the Dogs SA Scent Work Advisory Committee hosted a large trial at SACA park. There were a lot of Collies entered at this trial at least 7 that we know of. Firstly, there was Amanda Ware and Grace (Joshwyn Amazing Grace) (*pictured previous page*) who did exceptionally well, with 4 passes, including a 1<sup>st</sup> place in Advanced Vehicles, and a 3<sup>rd</sup> place in Novice Interiors and a partnership award. Then there was Denise Adams and her smooth sable girl Elsa (Ch Yaxeka Let It Go TK.S SWN FS.S) who gained a quali in her Advanced Containers element. Then we have Eva and her two, Rocky came away with two qualies in his Excellent elements, one in Exteriors and one in Vehicles, while Inka gained passes in the same two elements but at the Advanced level. Finally, we had Bryan and Sandra Crowley, who spent the weekend in SA with their team of blue boys. Durif managed a quali and a third place in his Excellent Exteriors class while the grand old man of the team Rioja (*pictured right*) went out and gained a second place quali (one of only two) in what was a very challenging Excellent Interiors class.



## TRACKING:

Tracking is currently in the midst of a perfect storm. January heralded the introduction of the Tracking Grand Champion title, and the extra tracks associated with that which of course, are more complex and difficult for both dogs and handlers but also clubs and judges to incorporate. The retirement of judges, the lack of available land and massive entries have meant a return to balloting. This means that there are fewer chances for the Collies we have competing to get out there as so many people are being balloted out. Tracking trial entries in Victoria are very healthy and often hover around the 100 mark and that puts a lot of pressure on clubs who can currently only cater for about half that number. Still there are a few managing to make it through those ballots!



The German Shepherd Club held their tracking trial at Ballarat over the first weekend in June and as is usual there was a good Collie entry. There were some success stories and of course some tales of not quite. On the 9<sup>th</sup> of June, Katrina and Ahsoka (T Ch Sunshard Talk Without Speaking RN CA) managed to score a test 9 track the first of the Grand Champion tracks and Ahsoka didn't let the side down ignoring the delights of sheep bones and bunnies to be one of the few teams to gain a pass at this level.

On the following day Elliot Glass and his associate registered Bessie completed her test 3 with a grading of good giving both Elliot and Bess their first ever title. Bess will now be known as MissBess TD (*pictured left*)

## TRACK AND SEARCH:

After last season most of the Collies who were out doing Track and Search have gained every title available and like Tracking this is a sport where once you have completed all the tracks your journey is finished. So currently, there are only a handful of Collies trialling and at present most of those are out due to handler injuries and the like, so the only one left standing is Katrina Wenzler's young blue rough girl Ahsoka (T Ch Sunshard Talk Without Speaking RN CA). So, on the 26th of June Katrina made the long drive up to Wodonga again for North East Tracking and Scent club's Track and Search trial, for Ahsoka's debut into Track and Search. Little Miss certainly didn't let the side down, passing her test 1 with a grading of good and then being lucky enough to not only be offered a track on but to make the most of it and pass her test 2 as well. All in all, it was well worth the long drive. (pictured)



## TRICKS:

Tricks is another sport that is currently very popular. Again the dogs enjoy it and it is a comfortable and accessible stepping stone to the more difficult and challenging Dancing with dogs titles. There are a few Collies participating in Tricks and there's no doubt a few more just waiting to dip their toes into the rings.

The 4<sup>th</sup> of February, saw Gawler ODC holding their first trial of the season. An evening trial on a very hot day at check in the temperature was still hovering at 37C which is the cut off, but fortunately by start time it was cooler. Julie Brown and her team went out for some fun as did Lynne Green with her rough sable boy, Tasgall Believe It or Not TK.S who actually won the novice ring! Julie's team did well with Rowan (R.CH. Collieston Rhythm And Rhyme CDX HTM.A FS.A TK.I JD AD SD SPD GD) claiming two qualies in advanced for a 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place, while her son Kudos gained his final started pass and a 2<sup>nd</sup> place! Kudos will now be known as Collieston Quintessential TK.S

A month later over in Perth, Vicki Long who is proof that mobility issues don't need to stop you getting out and having fun did just that with Miss Pixie. Together at the Western Classic they made their debut in the Intermediate level. Much to Vicki's surprised delight, Pixie not only gained a pass but she won her class.

Back up in Rockhampton on the 17<sup>th</sup> of March, Naomi escaped briefly from her judging appointment in another sport to sneak her incredibly opinionated smooth boy Nakor into his Novice tricks class. Well clearly Lord Barks-a-lot thought this was the perfect excuse to show up how good he is as he came away with a pass and 1<sup>st</sup> place.

On the 28<sup>th</sup> of April Naomi Shaw snuck off to Mackay, abandoning her other half to the household chores while she and Nakor went off in the pouring rain to play at tricks and agility. Nakor gained two passes in his novice tricks class and a 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place and his title! Nakor will now be known as Ch Sunshard Advocate of Illusions TK.N

On the 9<sup>th</sup> of June, Naomi snuck off (as you can see there's a lot of this going on!) briefly from her role as chief of CC of QLD show set up to do one tricks intermediate run with Nakor. This was his first go at the intermediate level and he was clearly bored with showing and Durak and thought tricks was much more fun pulling off a score of 78/80 before rushing back to the rest of the committee to finish setting things up!



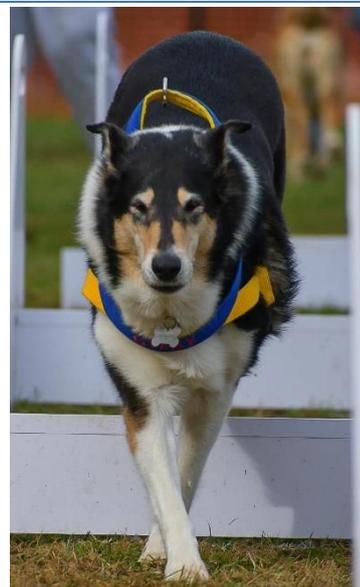
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## OTHER ADVENTURES:

Over the weekend of May 26, Jean Dally and team smoothie consisting of Gypsy and Faith ventured out to a very chilly Canberra to compete in the Mayhem Flyball competition, both girls ran magnificently with Gypsy coping with multiple episodes of interference. In spite of these challenges and in a very hotly contested comp their team managed 2<sup>nd</sup> place.



## Helpers Required!

The Club is looking for helpers who can spare an hour or three to help man a breed stand at Melbourne Royal on Collie Day. Collie Day is Thursday the 3<sup>rd</sup> of October this year and we'd love to have you. If you are willing to help out and talk to the public about our wonderful breed please contact Kaye Reeves for further information.

Amy Butler (butler22 @gmail.com) is also looking for helpers for our Collie breed and rescue stand at Dog Lovers, which is being held at the Show grounds this year on the 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> of October. The usual suspects will be there, but we'd love some extra company.



# Collie Club of Victoria Office Bearers and Committee

Position Nomination. Mover and Seconder (Print name and sign)

President: .....

Vice Presidents (2).....

Secretary .....

Assistant Secretary .....

Treasurer .....

Committee (8) .....

Please Note: All nominations for Office Bearers and Committee MUST BE SIGNED by all parties to the nomination.

Nomination forms and all agenda items for the AGM to be in the hands of the Secretary **no later than the 3<sup>rd</sup> of October 2024 (Collie Day at the Royal)**

**Note:** The CCV AGM is scheduled to be held on **Thursday the 24<sup>th</sup> of October 2024**, 8pm at KCC Park.



**Nomination Forms  
2026 Championship Show Judge**

Nominee:.....

Nominated by: .....

Signature: .....

Seconded by: .....

Signature: .....

Resume:.....

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**2025 Open Show Judge**

Nominee:.....

Nominated by: .....

Signature: .....

Seconded by: .....

Signature: .....

Resume:.....

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**In order to nominate or second a nomination, you must be a financial member of the Collie Club of Victoria. Current financial year ends 30th September. Nominations must be in the hands of the Secretary no later than the 3<sup>rd</sup> of October 2024 (Collie Day at the Royal)**



## **RALLY TRAINING**

Wednesday nights – arrivals from 6:30pm until 7:30pm

Pack up by 9pm

KCC Park

Boxhall Pavilion

(please enter via Door 5 closest to the leash free area)

Individual rally course runs and separate component training.

Please bring a crate, food rewards (soft non crumbly)  
a sense of humour, your dog and yourself.

Assistance with pack up and set up is welcomed.

\$10 for each handler and dog team.

\$5 for each additional dog (no more than two per handler please!)

Limited spaces, please contact Amy or Clare for further information via Facebook messenger, email ([clare012001@yahoo.com.au](mailto:clare012001@yahoo.com.au)) or text to Amy's mobile 0411 986 705

# Collie Club of Victoria Inc.

## Application for Membership

I/We: .....

**DogsVic Members**    Yes     No

If Yes, please provide your DogsVic Membership No:.....

Address: .....

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Telephone : Home.....    Mobile: .....

Email: .....

Hereby apply for membership / membership renewal of the Collie Club of Victoria Inc and acknowledge that the membership is renewable on 30<sup>th</sup> September each year. This being the **2024-2025 year**.

I/We agree to be bound by the Rules and By-Laws of the Club, and the constitution, Rules and Regulations of the Victorian Canine Association Inc.

Signature of Applicant/s .....    Date .....

.....    Date .....

Signature of Nominee: .....    Print Name: .....

(nominee must be a current financial member of the Collie Club of Victoria)

Please indicate category of membership required: **Single Membership**     \$25.00

**Joint Membership**     \$30.00

**Junior Membership**     \$ 5.00

**Would you like to receive your Chatter by email?** Yes  No

*(It arrives sooner and in full colour via email)*

Please forward completed application together with fees to the Treasurer:

Bronwen Cramond

PO Box 312

Wangaratta, Vic, 3676

[bronwenc@netc.net.au](mailto:bronwenc@netc.net.au)

(Cheques made payable to : Collie Club of Victoria Inc.)

**Direct debit BSB 033 038 Account number 105757**



**Ref:** Use your 'Surname' and 'Membership' however this form MUST be returned in either email or hard copy to the Treasurer.

Please Note: As per By-Laws for the Collie Club of Victoria, By-Law No 1 : "all subscriptions paid after 30<sup>th</sup> June shall be carried through to the following year".