

E-Newsletter - K9 CAPERS



Note for Belconnen ABKC Exhibitors this weekend!

The Belconnen ABKC are holding all breed shows this weekend, 23/24Nov, & will be releasing all the information soon. However, please note that Ring 4 is out of action this weekend so be aware of your ring allocation when it is published & when coming to Canberra.

To All Exhibitors & Members at Dogs ACT events/grounds

All exhibitors are reminded that when attending any event on the Dogs ACT grounds that your dogs must be under control at all times, that means on a lead. No dogs are to be allowed to run loose/off lead at any time while on these grounds. If you are camping your dog is not to be placed on a very long leash where it can interfere with other campers or animals.

Reminder - Dogs ACT Hot weather Policy

As the weather heats up it is timely to remind all affiliates & exhibitors that Dogs ACT has a 'Hot & Inclement Weather Policy' for Conformation Shows (Rules & Regs 15).

15.6(a) You are reminded that conformation shows must be cancelled when the BOM forecasts a temperature above 38 degrees or higher at 10am (on the eve) one day prior to an affiliate's advertised event.

15.6(c) It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to check the BOM's website (<http://www.bom.gov.au>) at the time specified.....

Did you know? Summer & Paralysis Ticks

Summer weather is almost here & it is important that your dogs have the correct treatment for paralysis ticks; these ticks are one of the most common & preventable causes of death in dogs each year. Those with pet medical insurance will find that treatment for ticks is not covered as this is a preventable disease. Tick season is between August & March & are found along the eastern seaboard & in beachy areas near Canberra. Ticks are found in both beach & bushland areas. There are 4 types of ticks with the paralysis being the most dangerous; these are bush, cattle, brown dog & paralysis. Ticks can cause skin damage, irritation, allergic reactions & anaemia. Daily checking is important around the eyes, inside ears, under the collar, on & around lips, & around the anus

Could you be a sponsor for our Junior Handlers?

If you are able to sponsor the Australia wide Junior Handler competition then we are looking for you! This is a well-respected competition for our youngsters each year with the winner able to compete at Crufts the following year. Get on board now if this sounds like you!

Please send in your expression of interest to the Dogs ACT office (admin@dogsact.org.au) no later than Tuesday 10Dec19.

From the Office

Dogs ACT office want to advise its members that no cash is kept on the premises. This means that if you wish to pay for a ribbon, membership, certificate etc they would like you to know that you will need to bring the exact money with you in cash as they do not hold any change; of course cards & cheques are accepted at any time.

Santa's ACT Christmas Shows

The ACT Ladies & Canberra All Breeds clubs are proud to join together to deliver you the best 6 shows you will encounter.

The final 6 shows for 2019 will be held over 3 days on 13/14/15 December. This weekend is always one to remember with excited children receiving gifts from Santa & treats from his elves, as well as junior handlers & tiny tots. The big exhibitors aren't forgotten either with fabulous dress ups, elf treats, cash prizes for the 'Best Decorated Festive Canopies' & Christmas parties abound.



Entries are through [Show Manager](#) & online close on 9Dec (paper entries on 2Dec). Santa's Toy Workshop elves need to know if you are bringing your little one, so that no one misses out. Email their name & age to ACTLadiesKC@gmail.com

Get your Christmas on & come celebrate with us in Canberra. Don't miss these 6 shows where elves deliver everyone cool refreshing treats & a fun time is had by all.....

CACIB Shows 2020 - Message from ANKC

For those of you chasing that international champion certificate here are the 2020 ANKC approved CACIB shows.

16Feb20	Twilight Country Club - Victoria
29May20	Winter International – South Australia
10Jul20	FCI Winter Festival Championship Show – West Australia
28Aug20	Dogs NSW Spring Fair Dog Show – New South Wales
18Sep20	API Shows - Queensland
25Oct20	Combined Breeds Dog Club of Tasmania (South) – Tasmania

Erratum: Breed Nationals for 2020

An error in the venue was published last week for the Bull Terrier National in March 2020. Please see correct venue here & on website under events. Full schedule is to be found on Easy Dog Entries.

08MAR – Bull Terrier National – Bolivar, South Australia

Are you interested in canine health?

If so, then Dogs ACT are seeking a responsible, canine health conscious person to represent the ACT & sit on the ANKC National Canine Health & Wellbeing Committee. If you believe you have the ability & the interest in all canine health topics please send in an expression of interest to the office (admin@dogsact.org.au) no later than the 20Dec19.

Contact with the Office

Dogs ACT office is open Tue/Wed/Thu from 9.30am to 2.30pm; email admin@dogsact.org.au; telephone (02) 6241 4404; PO Box 815, Dickson ACT 2602.

Late night at the Office

The first late night is **Wednesday 27th November from 4pm to 7pm.**

Dog socialisation classes will be on the grounds so come up to the office & get your paperwork handed in at a time that suits you.

Upcoming Events - Nov

- Sat 23Nov/Sun 24Nov – Belconnen All Breeds Club - 3 championship shows
- Sat 23Nov – Double Rally Obedience Trials – Tuggeranong Dog Club Greenway
- Mon 25Nov – Evening Agility & Jumping Trial – Belconnen Dog Obedience Club Mitchell

Upcoming Events - Dec

- Tue 03Dec – Agility Ribbon Trial – Companion Dog Club Narrabundah
- Fri 13/Sat/14/Sun15 – 6 Championship shows - Canberra All Breeds & ACT Ladies ABKC

Upcoming Events - Jan 2020

- Sat 18Jan20 – Double Rally Evening Trials – Companion Dog Club Narrabundah
- Sat 18Jan20 – Dogs ACT – 1 Evening championship show
- Sun 19Jan20 – Dogs ACT - 2 championship shows
- Sun 26Jan20 – Dogs ACT - 2 championship shows
- Mon 27Jan20 – Dogs ACT - 2 championship shows

Full details of all events are located on our [website](#)