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Black Dog - for all your doggie accessories. Find them in our store.

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Session Three 2018

Assessment 29th & 31st July

Session Four 2018

Intake Lecture: 5th & 7th Aug
Continuing: 5th & 7th Aug
Beginners: 12th & 14th Aug

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To keep up with TDTC news, why not join our facebook group. Search Tuggeranong Dog Training Club.

COMMITTEE

Think warm thoughts



Our instructors are better than the postman ... rain, hail or shine our lessons will be on. We only cancel if the grounds are too dangerous for dogs and handlers ie lightening or flooded grounds. So come prepared – it is never as bad as you think it is going to be.

FUNDRAISING

Thank You to all the wonderful people who headed down to help out at the Bunnings BBQ last session. Your support is greatly appreciated and we cleared a profit of just over \$750 😊

Items on the agenda for session 3

The Entertainment Books are on sale now. Only \$60 and full of great discounts from shops, restaurants, cafés and entertainment centres across Canberra. Digital or book form – details on facebook, web page or at the club.

People's Choice Community Lottery 10 weeks to go ... great prizes including a Toyota Rav 4 ... purchase tickets before the end of April and go into another draw for a car!!! Facebook or our web page for details and to purchase tickets.

Freddo and Friends

Please help us with our winter chocy drive. Boxes available at the club house – very easy to sell at only a \$1 (50 per box) with each box a mixture of freddo and bars.

Club News – Session 3 2018

OPEN NIGHT 2018 NOV

We are starting our planning for the open night. If you know of any business or stall holder who may be interested in attending please pass on the club details or speak to one of the instructors

The Art of the Heart project is up and running with Cathy already doing some beautiful work for our members.

Details on the board and on the website.

Wonderful pencil drawings of your choice of subject. We will also be displaying work Cathy has been doing while down at the club – some framed – which are all for sale. Great gift for a friend.



MAINTENANCE

We thank Star for allowing his master (Paul) to cut a donated gate to size, re-weld, attach hinges and hang the gate on our long line recall. Apart for providing a secure off lead recall area, we can now actually catch those way wood pups who go for a run! On the agenda we are going to improve our ground lighting with LED bulbs while we have the crew in to replace and repair the system.

Bob



AGILITY

Agility is a fast paced dog sport, with the main aim to work through a sequence of obstacles together, at speed. The sport enhances your relationship with your dog, and also helps both yours and your dog's fitness and health. Agility is currently held on Wednesday and Thursday nights. We have just started a new beginner's class on Wednesday night. If you are interested in doing agility, and your dog is 14 months or older, talk with your instructor, put your name down on the wait list, or email the club for further information.

And always remember "the best handler is the one with the dog having the most fun"



Leslie

FLYBALL

To join flyball dogs must be around 12 months of age and have completed at least beginners' level obedience (or equivalent). Dogs also need to be fit and healthy.

Beginners flyball training at TDTTC is on Monday nights at 6:30 pm, weather permitting. If you are interested in joining flyball please email tdtcflyball@tpg.com.au for more information.

Amanda



OBEDIENCE & RALLY O

Looking for something different to do – a little bit of a challenge that makes your dog work but is still lots of fun and is open to all ages? Try the Rally O team! Handlers and dogs follow a set course using obedience skills and more. Pop down on Wednesday evening to see what it is all about or speak to one of the instructors.



Mick

ASSESSMENT RESULTS

Session Two 2018

Congratulations!

Beginner Sunday

Josh & Tyson, Kristy & Bear, Daniel & Winnie, Matthew & Magnus, Mark & Maggie, Nathan & Bono, Jack & Rocky, Matt & St George, Matthew & Jarvis, Joe & Evie, Rosemary & Max, Dan & Artemis, Robyn & Winslow, Erin & Teddy, Cass & Apollo, Christine & Ruby, Kim & Sako, Catie & Sugar, Marianne & Milo, Jenny & Zaplin, Leni & Pammy, Stephanie & Zane, Chris & Fizz, Imelda & Turner, Natasha & Lucy, Audrey & Harley, David & Tillie, Torran & Truffles, Natalie & Ruby, Elizabeth & Molly, Kate & Jessie, Rebecca & Baxter, Chris & Jess, Dawn & Bailey, Megan & Alex, Deborah & Nova

Beginner Tuesday

Michaela & Kobe, Gill & Roxy, Ryan & Kobi, Julia & Phoebe, Sarah & Missy, Rehand/Haydn & Reggie, Jo & Comet, Jake & Ellie,

Jake/Bridgette & Chase, Ryan & Lydia, Jono & Wilma, Mark & Bella, Phil & Allie, David & Leo, Peter & Jindabyne, Jake & Abbey, Isaac & Finn, Grant & Boston, Bryce & Yogi, Terry & Prada, col & Abby, Nick/Hanna & Albert, Margot & Tinto, Karen & Buddy, Jared & Barnaby, Nathan & Molly, Tracy & Shelby, Krystal & Hank, Kay & Tasha, Mark & Montgomery, Toby & Paddington

Intermediate Sunday

Andrew & Loki, David & Max, Phil & Tilly, James & Bandit, Christine & Molly, Craig & Emmie, Rebecca & Max, Natasha & Milly, Felipe & Ziggy, Pamela/Chris & Jasper, Cathy & Rhysand, Sharon & Benson, Sally & Teddy

Intermediate Tuesday

Ben & Brumby, Erin & Rosie, Alicia & Duchess, Eilis & Shaanti, Emily & Ollie, Alyssa & Lottie, Andrew & Bubbles, Erin & Khan, Bridgette & Aley

Advanced Sunday

1st Rachael & Kiba, Glenn & Nalah

2nd Jacqui & Soda

3rd Bethany & Tobi

Advanced Tuesday

1st Paul & Star

2nd Sarah & Laika, Karyn & Chino

3rd Sean & Felix, Michael & Cody

Pass: Mieke & Norbert, Paul & Ruby, Patrick & Dora

Graduate Sunday

1st Gemma & Annie

Graduate Tuesday

1st Rebecca & Aspen



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The Tuggeranong Dog Training Club is a non for profit group that is solely run by volunteers. The support of local business is key to our ability to provide the fantastic facilities and services provided by the club. Help us to support the businesses that have supported us.

Check out our business friends on our webpage or find them on facebook 😊

People Shopping

Charlie and Chums

Sculptures, figurines & giftware of your best friends!

The Athlete's Foot Tuggeranong

Enhanced

Take something ordinary, enhance it and create something extraordinary

Scentsy

Beautiful fragrances in candles and more – sarahsmoyhana.scentsy

Lexi Rose Designs

Unique jewellery designs

Tess's Tempting Treats

Handmade Belgian Chocolates, lollies and more ...

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Deb Hawker

Miche Bags

One bag that will go with everything!
Jackie Harding

Supercheap Auto Tuggeranong

Natasha – Jade Art

Natasha is an artist who does beautiful artwork and is available for commissioned work ... even your best friends' portrait!

Entertainment

Limelight Cinemas Tuggeranong

Southern Cross Club Tuggeranong

For the Dogs – Services

Tuggeranong Vet Hospital Fadden

Brudinevet Charnwood

Woofin' Good Boutique – Mobile Doggy Bath and Grooming Service

Blue Wheelers – Tuggeranong Mobile Dog Wash

For the Dogs – Shopping

Frankie's Fine Fare

Lip smacking treats for dogs

Collar Fun

Hand Made collar accessories for the fashion conscious dog!

Flyball Etc

All you need for your favourite dog sport and more ...

Pet Stock Tuggeranong

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Stop and Think ...

ARF ACT Dog Rescue

Oscars' Law

Top of the Range

Jindabyne

A Pet Friendly Holiday Destination

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Lola's loft is a cosy cedar loft house with beautiful views of the snow capped mountains of Mt Kosciusko and Thredbo.

A perfect romantic weekend away or large enough for a small family or group of friends.

35 minutes to Thredbo/Perisher, 13 minutes to Lake Jindabyne and 20 minutes to the ski train. An escape for all seasons.



Best Friends

A big thank you to the members of the Best Friends team who support the TDTC.

They have a huge range of pet products, food and accessories, as well as services like the 7 day Pet Grooming Salon, Puppy Pre-School, Adoption Centre and full service veterinary clinic – Our Vet.

Thank you to Best Friends who provide our Welcome to the Club Bags

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The Benefits of Lifelong Training of Dogs

Most of us are aware of the benefits of keeping our brains active as we age. A fascinating 2017 article in 'Frontiers in aging neuroscience' highlighted the importance of lifelong training in retaining general cognitive functions in pet dogs. In a study of 185 pet dogs ranging from 6 to 10 years of age or over, owners completed a survey that included the dog's participation in 13 different types of training including puppy class, obedience, agility, hunting dog/nose work, trick training/dog dancing and sheep dog training. The dogs then took part in two experiments, designed to be naturalistic such that the dogs didn't need any prior training. The research showed that dogs with a high level of lifelong training kept their attention on a stimulus for longer than those with a low level of training. Friederike Range, senior author of the paper, said,

“This result is indeed a convincing proof for dog-owners to engage their dogs in different forms of physical and mental training, if they want their furry friends to retain their attentional abilities during aging”.

At TDTC we offer a range of opportunities to support

lifelong training with your dog. We have graduate/novice obedience classes, flyball, rally-o, agility and, hopefully later this year, noseworks so there's sure to be something that your dog loves to do at all life stages. Talk to us about helping you find something to help keep your dog happy and healthy.

Reference

Chapagain, D., Viranyi, Z., Wallis, L.J., Huber, L., Serra, J., & Range, F. (2017) Aging of attentiveness in border collies and other pet dog breeds: the protective benefits of lifelong training. *Frontiers in aging neuroscience*, 9, 100.

Submitted by Kylie Noonan



Top 10 Smartest Dog Breeds Rover.com ... Do you agree?

1. Border collie
2. Poodle
3. German shepherd
4. Golden retriever
5. Doberman pinscher
6. Shetland sheepdog
7. Labrador retriever
8. Papillon
9. Rottweiler
10. Australian cattle dog

Cooking For Dogs ...

I was looking for a recipe for myself to get rid of sweet potato when I came across this no bake recipe for dog treats.
17Apart.com

Ingredients

(makes 24 individual treats):

- 1 1/2 cups oats
- 1/2 cup natural peanut butter
- 1 cup sweet potatoes, softened
- Silicon ice mould was suggested – I improvised with a greased cookie tray and covered with glad wrap – interesting shapes but the dogs didn't mind ;)

Mix – mould – freeze for 30 min or until firm – keep in fridge (suggests up to a week but mine did not last that long anyway!) or freeze (which would make a great summer treat I think)

NOTE: Like any dough recipe ... most of it was eaten at the time of making so the quantity is purely on the say so of the original recipe.

Keep an eye on this site for more recipes ... Kylie has been trying out some fabulous treats perfected by DAS.

