



# Shepherd News

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## President's Report– John De Lucia

I would like to thank those that helped at the Adelaide Animal Expo held recently at Wayville. It was an excellent PR exercise and the dogs involved were not only very well received by the public but opened their eyes on the fantastic temperament of this breed by interacting with them and their children. A great deal of literature and old National Magazines were handed out to members of the public.

The club is again doing some improvements by the purchase of a new larger BBQ hotplate to help with the large number of events that the club holds. This will also assist with the catering that we do for other clubs and events which does bring in a great deal of revenue for the club.

Well done to all those who travelled to Melbourne for the 2015 National Show and Trial held recently. The weather was indeed cold but by all accounts, all had a great time.

There has been much discussion recently on possible new dog management legislation changes. Our club has submitted recommendations and I attended a couple of meetings to also voice our concerns. We must now wait for possible outcomes as Dogs SA are also involved and recently held a meeting at SACA Park which was attended by a number of concerned members and individuals.

Even though the National to be held in Adelaide is still a few years away, our club Secretary, Stephen Collins, and myself have started some of the early ground work to prepare for this huge event. We need to look into accommodation and to this end, have come up with some possible dates to fit in with Adelaide Shores.

Just a reminder to all that use the club grounds, please pick up after your dogs and place in the bins provided on the grounds. Also, please observe the speed limit when entering and leaving the club grounds.



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## President's Report Continued

The date for this year's Presentation Night has been set, Saturday 5 December 2015. More information to follow. A large raffle will be held for the Balmead Shield Trial with some great prizes. A reminder that club clothing is available from the Shepherd Shop and why not have a look at the new club logo jackets available – just in time for winter.

Remember, by purchasing from the Shepherd Shop and Canteen you are giving back to the club and members!

Finally, please remember to keep up to date with your dog's vaccinations.

John De Lucia  
President

## Trial Results

Congratulations go to Annette Nation on her following trial results.

Blue Lake Obedience Dog Club—Easter weekend

'Bobby'           1st place CCD 97 points Saturday am  
                       1st place CCD 98 points Saturday pm  
                       1st place CCD 98 points Sunday am (title!)  
                       1st place CCD 96 points Sunday pm  
 'Flicka'          2nd place CCD 96 points Saturday am  
                       2nd place CCD 97 points Sunday am

Dances with Dogs Club of SA Mock Trial 2/5/15

'Neisha'          1st place (pass) Freestyle starters

GSDCSA Trial 23/5/15

'Bobby'           1st place CD & Top scoring GSD in trial—perfect score of 200!!!!

Dances with Dogs Club of SA Trials 6/6/15

'Neisha'          3rd place (pass) Freestyle Starters—138.5 points am  
                       2nd place (pass) Freestyle Starters—145 points pm

Noarlunga City Obedience Dog Club 13/6/15

'Flicka'          1st place CCD 97 points  
 'Bobby'          1st place CD 195 points

If you have any trial results you would like published, please let us know at

[editor@gsdcsa.org.au](mailto:editor@gsdcsa.org.au)



## Puppy Socialisation Day

Sunday July 12th  
12.00 am Start



All pups under Nine (9) months are welcome

Vaccination certificates must be presented

No Certificate no Entry

Members and Non Members Welcome

Free BBQ

BYO Salad

This is a fun day for Pups

*Further information contact: Christine 85562340*





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where to go to  
get show  
results?  
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## From the Editor

Welcome to another edition of the Shepherd News! It's always exciting to be able to compile the information inside each edition, and to try and bring relevant information to the members. I hope you all find this edition as informative as the previous, and the next edition. Please don't hesitate to contact me with any ideas you have for articles—the Shepherd News is for the members of the club, and should therefore be kept as relevant as possible.

Andrew O'Loughlin

## SAVE THE DATE!!!

We have now set the date for our club's presentation night. It is always a fantastic event, and one not to miss! If you would like to attend, set aside the night of Saturday December 5. More details to come soon.



## Point Scores Update

**Wondering  
where to go to  
get full point  
score results?  
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<b>BITCHES - STOCK COAT</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
*LEBERHINE UMEEKO AZ	22
*ALIMANDA GREYS ANATOMY AZ	16
VONPETA XMISSUSTOO	11

<b>DOGS - STOCK COAT</b>	
*CH VONPETA UGOTTABEKIDDING AZ	28
SUNDANEKA YOUNG GUN	23
ARKALA YOU CAN NOT B SERIOUS AZ	22

<b>BITCHES - LSC</b>	
*CH VLADIMIR GLAM I AM AZ	18
VLADIMIR INSAITSABLE	18
EROICA COCO CHANEL	16

<b>DOGS - LSC</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
VONDOUSSA BACK TO THE FUTURE	24
EROICA CATCH ME IF YOU CAN	14
ALIMANDA JOKERS WILD	5

## Secretary Report– Stephen Collins

To ALL of those members who travelled to Melbourne for the National Show and Trial I trust that you had an enjoyable Show and Trial and that your animals performed admirably for you.

The Club has conducted an Obedience Trial and Championship show in the past couple of months; the Committee would like to thank ALL of the volunteers who contribute to the success of these events. The Club will be conducting an Endurance Test on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> of June with an excellent entry of 22 animals. The committee wishes to thank Dr Neil Theis for volunteering each year to assist with this event.



The following New Members are welcomed to the Club and we trust that you enjoy your time at the Club and your German Shepherd companion becomes a valued member of your family and the community:

G & J Grigg	URAILDA	*R & G Becker	HAWTHORDENE
*A & D Kedzior	MYRTLE BANK	C Oakes	SMITHFIELD PLAINS
D Jones	MYPOLONGA	C Jones	MYPOLONGA
*M Witbooi	HENLEY BEACH	J Chichinski	WINDSOR GARDENS
N Quinn	MORPHETT VALE	R Harvalik	EUDUNDA
C Zammitt	NEWPORT		

The President and myself have been in communication with Adelaide Shores with regard to the proposed redevelopment of the Club grounds. We have expressed our concerns over several issues including lighting and parking facilities, in particular suitable parking for cars and trailers.

The Club will be holding two (2) Agility Trials on July 4<sup>th</sup> and also the Balmead Shield Obedience Trial in August. Both of these events require a large number of persons to assist on the day to ensure that the trials run smoothly and are successful.

The Balmead Shield is the premiere Obedience event of the Year and hopefully the Club will field a successful team in this prestigious event.

The Pistol shoot night held on Friday June 12<sup>th</sup> was from all reports very entertaining and thoroughly enjoyed by all of those members who participated. However, members should be quite wary of Martin Neddermeyer if you should see him carrying a gun of any sort as he managed to hit the ceiling of the shooting range.

A new BBQ hot plate was installed on the Friday just prior to the Championship show and was utilized fully on the weekend of the show, many thanks to J DeLucia for fitting the unit.

Hon. Secretary  
Stephen J Collins



**ENTRIES CLOSE Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2015**

**GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB OF SA INC**  
**DOUBLE AGILITY & JUMPING TRIALS**

To be held under the constitution and rules of "Dogs SA"

**"PEDIGREE PARK" WEST BEACH**

**SATURDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2015**

**COMMENCING AT 9-00AM & NOT BEFORE 1-00PM**

**AM JUDGES**

**ALL JUMPING CLASSES  
ALL AGILITY CLASSES**

**PETER DYNAN  
NOELENE CHAPMAN**

**PM JUDGES**

**ALL JUMPING CLASSES  
ALL AGILITY CLASSES**

**NOELENE CHAPMAN  
PETER DYNAN**

The club reserves the right to appoint a reserve judge if necessary

**TRIAL MANAGER :** Mr Doug West Phone: 0416 219260 (not after 8pm please)

**DOGS SA REPRESENTATIVE :** Mrs Gillian Smith

**ORDER OF JUDGING :** As per catalogue.

**ENTRY FEES :** \$10-00. Please clearly mark entries AM or PM trial. Entries not marked will be placed in the PM trial.

**CATALOGUES :** \$3-00. To be ordered and paid for with entry or emailed 2 days prior. Catalogue covers both trials. If requesting email catalogue please provide email address on entry.

**VETTING :** AM Trial 8-00am to 8-30am & PM Trial 12-00 to 12-30pm. By club. Bitches without proof of desexing only. All animals to pass through checkpoint by 8-30am and 12-30pm.

**TROPHIES :** First place qualifying in each ring.

**SASHES :** Available for all qualifying scores on request. Qualifying cards will be issued.

**ENTRIES TO :** The Secretary,  
GSDC of SA Inc  
GPO Box 1421,  
Adelaide SA 5001

Please make cheques payable to the GSDCSA Inc & provide SSAE for return of receipt.

**Exhibitors are responsible for abiding by the Agility Safety Guidelines.**



**ENTRIES CLOSE Monday 27<sup>th</sup> July 2015**



**GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB OF SA INC**

## **"BALMEAD SHIELD" OBEDIENCE TRIAL**

To be held under the constitution and rules of "Dogs SA"  
**"PEDIGREE PARK" WEST BEACH**

**SUNDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2015 COMMENCING AT 10-00AM**

### **JUDGES**

**BALMEAD RING (NOVICE)**  
**UDX & BALANCE OF NOVICE**  
**UTILITY RING 1**  
**UTILITY RING 2**  
**OPEN RING 1**  
**OPEN RING 2**  
**CCD**

**MS LYNNE STAPYLTON**  
**MRS ROS KUMELA**  
**MRS JAN BRABHAM**  
**MR NEIL MACDONALD**  
**MRS ANNE TWADDLE**  
**MRS JAN MITCHELL**  
**MRS GILLIAN SMITH**

The club reserves the right to appoint a reserve judge if necessary

**TRIAL MANAGER :** Mr Doug West Phone: 0416 219260 (not after 8pm please)

**DOGS SA REPRESENTATIVE :** Mrs Gillian Smith

**ENTRY FEES :** Members \$10-00; Non members \$12-00. Include name of club on entry.

**CATALOGUES :** \$2-00. To be ordered and paid for with entry or emailed 2 days prior. If requesting email please provide email address with entry.

**VETTING :** 9-15am to 9-45am. By club. Bitches without proof of desexing only. All animals to pass through checkpoint by 9-45am.

**BALMEAD TEAM ENTRIES :** To be handed to the Trial Manager by close of vetting.

**ORDER OF JUDGING :** As per catalogue.

**SASHES :** Available for all qualifying scores. Qualifying cards will be issued.

**TROPHIES & PRIZES :** Trophy for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, & 3<sup>rd</sup> place qualifying in each ring. Replicas of the "Balmead Shield" to each member of the winning team.

Excellent Medallions (German Shepherd Dog Council of Australia) will be issued to all German Shepherd Dogs whose owners are members of the GSDCSA with a score of a 190 plus (pedigreed GSD's only).

**ENTRIES TO :** The Secretary,  
GSDC of SA Inc  
GPO Box 1421,  
Adelaide SA 5001

Make cheques payable to the GSDC of SA Inc & enclose SSAE for return of receipt of entry.

"Balmead Shield" team rules available from the Trial Manager.





### Pistol Shoot—Jenny DeLucia

An indoor pistol shoot was arranged for Friday night, 12 June at the Marksman Indoor Firing Range.

There were several keen shooters from the GSDC SA who attended and it proved to be a terrific night where everyone really enjoyed themselves.

We ended up deciding on the “Trev’s Special package” which comprised of:

30 shots on a 9mm Glock  
 10 shots on a .45 Glock  
 12 Shots on a .357 mag Ruger  
 6 shots on a .44 mag Super Redhawk.

We had a friendly competition amongst us to determine a winner in each of three categories.

Men, Women and Youth with a trophy being the prize.

The competitors were:

MEN	WOMEN	YOUTH
James W	Judy O	Natalie
Zoran P	Jane P	Isabella
Ben D	Tracy H	
Andrew O	Carolyn S	
Robert E	Lynette D	
Wayne O	Jenny D	
Mark P		
Martin N		
Ben H		
John D		

The Placings were:

	MEN	WOMEN	YOUTH
1st.	Zoran	Jenny	Isabella
2nd.	Wayne	Tracy	Natalie
3rd.	Robert	Jane	

Thanks to all who attended and judging from the feedback from this group, another shoot would prove very popular!





### **Canteen—Tony Schoemaker**

I would like to start out with a really huge thank you to those people that continuously help out in the canteen. Your tireless help does not go unnoticed or unappreciated. Also thank you to everyone else that helps out whenever they can—even the smallest of tasks make a big difference. The canteen is running really well, with a new cook plate now installed to help with keeping up with orders at big events. It was installed for the champ shows held at the start of June, and worked fantastically.

Tony Schoemaker

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### **Shepherd Shop & Catering—Anna Schoemaker**

Thank you to all those people that help with catering. In particular, I would like to thank Gail Wellman who helped by suppling dessert for the official lunches at the champ show, and to the ever helping James, Helen and Joe. It is no small task to cater for people at an event, but your help really makes things run smoothly and effortlessly!

Shepherd Shop is running well. Don't forget to check out what stock we have. And if we don't have what you're looking for, please don't be afraid to talk to me about it. If I don't have it in stock, I will do my best to source it for you.

Anna Schoemaker

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### **Surfin' GSD!**



Lovely photos of our beautiful breed enjoying life on holiday at Streaky Bay. Ten week old pup from Taurorn Roxanne, bred by Judy and Roger in a loving environment. Exactly how our dogs should be enjoying life—to the fullest!



## Breed Affairs Report—Christine Collins

**Congratulations to all the animals and their owners that passed the recent breed survey.**

2 class 1 animals

Eroica Catch Me If You Can (LSC)	C Leonard
Babenberg La Bella	T & A Schoemaker

4 class 2 animals

Sundaneka Young Gun	G Wellman
Wasco del Seprio	L Burston
Alimanda Flaming Glory	L Hodgkinson
Rhosyn Gold Magic	B & S Laurence

**Congratulations to all the South Australian's exhibits at the National that where placed. And all the opens that received their excellents.**

### Baby Puppy Bitch

3rd Dreamstar Geena Davis	S Pilgrim
4th Babenberg Majestik Princess	Babenberg Kennels
6th Sheprose Ive Got Morals	B Owen
7th Tonaker Fantasia	T Schoemaker

### Baby Puppy Bitch LSC

1st Eroica Duchess Of York	C Leonard/ Shayler
3rd Wildhertz First Edition	C Beckett

### Baby Puppy Dog

7th Arkahla Zest For Life	Arkahla Kennels
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### Baby Puppy Dog LSC

1st Wildhertz Grand Indulgence	C Beckett
2nd Wildhertz Son Of Caviar	C Beckett/Playford

### Minor Puppy Bitch

3rd Taurorn Take My Breath Away	S Pilgrim
4th Taurorn Take That	G Wellman
5th Kaperville Valkyrie	F Pittelli

### Minor Bitch LSC

3rd Alimanda Kissed A Boy	Alimanda Kennels
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### Minor Puppy Dog

2nd Rhosyn Magnum	S Dobson
6th Fremont Naxos	B Owen
10th Alltitans Jameson Teal	T Hansen

### Junior Bitch

5th Leppsdorf Tilly AZ	L Quinn
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### Junior Bitch LSC

1st Vladimir Insatsable AZ	D West
4th Arkahla You Looking At Me	C Beckett

### Junior Dog LSC

1st Alimanda Jokers Wild	Alimanda Kennels
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### Junior dog

2nd Alimanda Its All About Me	Alimanda Kennels
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### Puppy Bitch

10th Bruangie Xotic Diva	V Corlett
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**Don't forget to  
get your award  
applications in!  
[CLICK HERE](#)**

## Breed Affairs Report Continued

### Intermediate Bitch

4th \*Alimanda Greys Anatomy AZ

Alimanda Kennels

9th \*Leberhine Umeeko AZ

Evans / Garvican

### Intermediate Bitch LSC

2nd Eroica Coco Chanel AZ

C Leonard

### Intermediate Dog LSC

1st \*Eroica Catch Me If You Can AZ

K Leonard

### Open Bitch

9th \*Babenberg Jaci AZ

P & K Flynn

10th \*Alimanda Gossip AZ

Alimanda Kennels

14th \*Shepherdhill Venus AZ

Zibellina Kennels

32nd \*Asterhund Evangelina AZ

C & G van Groen

37th \*Taurorn Remember Me AZ

B & S Laurance

43rd \*Leberhine Babe AZ

Evans/Garvican

47th \*Vondoussa X Marks The Spot AZ

Vondoussa Kennels

48th \*Babenberg Jasmina AZ

Babenberg Kennels

50th \*Rhosyn Dangerous Affair AZ

S & C Collins

53rd \*Everlieb Crazy Eights AZ

B & H Deluca

56th \*Artwiz Cassandra Dream AZ

Artwiz Knls

61st \*Everlieb Bazinga AZ

B & H Deluca

### Open Bitch LSC

3rd \*Ch Vladimir Glam I Am AZ

C Leonard

### Open Dog

6th \*Ch Vonpeta Ugottabekidding AZ

Pike / Damarell

14th \*Odin Delle Terre Matildiche a ED

S Pittelli

22nd \*Bluemax Shrek AZ

Delucia / Brinkworth

25th \*Ch Babenberg Joachim AZ

Johnston / Collins

30th \*Ch Vonpeta Tolder Just Do It AZ

Lloyd / Damarell / Pike

Just to remind members we have a puppy day on July 12th at 12 noon . All puppies welcome.

Congratulations to all that did well at our recent Championship Shows.

Best SC Bitch \*Ch Jayshell Winona AZ; Best SC Dog \*Ch Vonpeta Ugottabekidding AZ; both animals winning both days. Best LSC Bitch Eroica Coco Chanel AZ Saturday, and \*Ch Narathor Jazz Diva AZ Sunday. Best LSC Dog \*Shernaa Pakros a ED (Imp UK) Saturday, and \*Ch Eroica Catch Me If You Can AZ Sunday.

South Australia is leading in the points for the Terry Shaw Memorial Trophy competition. All members are encouraged to travel to Victoria to the Working Dog club and the Victoria Champ shows at the end of the year.



Do you have something that you think should be published in our Shepherd News? Send us an email with the details!  
[editor@gsdcsa.org.au](mailto:editor@gsdcsa.org.au)



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**An Article from  
“The Alsatian League and Club of Great Britain”  
Handbook 1976**

**World War One**

**Care For Sick and Injured Dogs**

Veterinary knowledge and skill were limited until the First World War. People did not know how to treat the sicknesses and injuries suffered by animals. During the War, however, dogs and horses, so useful in the front line, were often wounded and needed first aid. Also, the submarine blockade of Britain made it necessary to protect the cattle herds used for food. So veterinaries were recruited for service on the home and battle fronts.

Conditions on the battlefields were appalling. There was an acute shortage of equipment and essential supplies. But many of the veterinaries were so dedicated to the cause of animal welfare that they amazed and impressed the soldiers. Lieutenant Paul George, a French Canadian, was such a man.

It was a cold, wet night in France. Patrols from the German and Allied sides had been very active, and they were both accompanied by dogs. When dawn broke, the German soldiers were still out and had suffered a few casualties. Eventually, when they managed to return to their own lines, they discovered that the handler's German shepherd dog had been wounded and lost. The handler was very fond of his animal and his comrades had great difficulty in preventing him from going back to search for it.

Shortly after returning to their own lines, troops in the Allied New Zealand sector heard moans coming from No Man's Land. The officer in charge, realizing that they were being made by an animal, sent a message to the rear calling for a veterinary surgeon.

It was an hour before Paul George arrived. By then, all the men knew that the moans were coming from a dog, and that it could only be a German one, as none of theirs was missing. The New Zealand officer apologized to Paul saying, "There's no need to rescue a German dog."

But he was due for a surprise. Lieutenant Paul George had been a veterinary surgeon in his civilian occupation. He was one of the few "horse doctors", as they were called, and was kept very busy visiting sectors held by soldiers from many parts of the world. He regarded all animals as his friends, and felt that it was his duty to help them, regardless of whether they belonged to German or Allied troops.

Paul did not listen to the New Zealand officer's remarks. It was enough that he had heard the cry of an animal in distress. He took off his heavy overcoat and helmet, which he knew would get in his way, rolled up his sleeves, and picked up the canvas bag which held his medical supplies. Without a thought of danger, he climbed out of the trench and ran forward, keeping as low down as he could. He was used to finding animals, and soon he was moving in the direction of the dog's whimpers, ducking every now and then to avoid a stray shot.

The German officers were curious about the lone figure which they could see through their field glasses. What was the man holding in that bag? Was it grenades? Was he going to repair some wire on a trench? But why did he expose himself to such danger?



## **An Article from “The Alsatian League and Club of Great Britain” Continued**

Just as they were about to open fire on him, the man disappeared down into a shell crater. They waited, ready for him to appear.

The delay puzzled them. Why was he taking so long, and what was he doing? Perhaps he was a man made crazy from shell shock!

Paul, of course, had found the dog. It tried to bark at him when he dropped into the crater, but the dog was too weak from a head wound. Fortunately, the bullet had only nicked open a large gash at the side of the head, and the dog was suffering mainly from loss of blood. Paul had somehow to clean the wound and then stitch the open skin together to reduce the bleeding. He would then try to stop the bleeding altogether by pressing on its neck.

The dog soon trusted him. Paul was a good doctor and was also strong. Even so, he was exhausted by the time he had finished his task, and had no sedative to give to the dog to calm it. If he could find its master then the dog, feeling safe would fall asleep.

There was no point in carrying the dog back to the Allied lines. Somehow, Paul had to make the Germans understand that their help was needed and that the Allied troops would cease fire for a while. So he tied a white bandage around his arm and waved another bandage above the crater. Both the New Zealand officer and the German officer were watching through their field glasses. Everything was quiet when Paul rose slowly above the crater. He could see the soldiers on both sides gazing in his direction.

He decided to stand upright and shout out the only German word he knew: “Kamerad!” Then he strolled determinedly toward the enemy lines. He had made a mental note of the dog’s name and number which were on its collar. When he arrived at the German position he pointed back to the crater and kept repeating, “1,826 – Karl!”

At once understanding flashed across a corporal’s face, and things began to move fast. The corporal called for the dog’s handler. Then three men made their way toward the crater. As they drew near to Paul, the New Zealand officer and his orderly also climbed out of their trench. Soldiers from both sides were watching expectantly.

When finally Karl was lifted out, there was a storm, of whistling, clapping and cheering from both sides. After many handshakes, Paul returned to the Allied lines. He now knew that the dog was in safe hands again.

There was a sequel to this strange incident. One week later, white flags of truce were waved by the Germans. After a minute or so, a soldier and a German shepherd dog scrambled out of their dugout and walked up and down the line in full view of everyone. The applause was spontaneous. All the soldiers were glad that Karl was fit and well again.

The dog was cured because his wound had not been exposed too long, and the bleeding was stopped. Fifty years earlier a neglected injury would probably have proved fatal. There was no electricity for warmth and light, and neither antibiotics nor drugs. An animal had little chance of surviving a serious injury. Nowadays, the most extraordinary recoveries are made and nobody thinks anything of it.



### Attention Members

We have now set the date for the Animal Emergency First Aid Training Course. The date will be Saturday, 11 July 2015.

This will be an interactive and hands on course with a duration of approximately 5 hours. If anyone is willing to bring a dog on the day to be used for a demonstration, please let me know.

You will need to register your name by Friday 3 July 2015 via email to Jenny De Lucia, [jjdelucia@bigpond.com](mailto:jjdelucia@bigpond.com)

For those of you who have already registered, I will send you a confirmation email.

*This is a terrific opportunity to learn about first aid for your dog!*

## EMERGENCY FIRST AID TRAINING COURSE



### WOULD YOU LIKE TO LEARN PET FIRST AID?

My name is Joanne Chaplin I currently work as practice manager with Noahs Crossing Veterinary Clinic. I have worked for 18 years as a qualified vet nurse with emergency nursing accreditation and prior to Noahs Crossing I worked crazy days and nights in emergency veterinary hospitals both in SA and Victoria where I dealt with a vast array of emergency cases. During the nine years spent working in emergency hospitals, I saw a real need to help pet owners with first aid training. The reality is, if you have pets then at some point you may be faced with an emergency and a few simple precautions along with simple first aid, may help you as a pet owner and most importantly your pets.

The Course Will Cover The Following:

- Identify danger and animal handling in first aid situations
- Moving the injured animal
- Your first aid kit /how to use/what to stock and being prepared
- Controlling the shock factor
- First Aid for fractures/bandaging methods
- Wound management and controlling excessive bleeding
- Stings and bites
- Poisoning
- Heat Stroke
- Bloat and other serious conditions.



First aid kits will be available to purchase on the day for \$25.00.

If you already have one please bring along to the training.

**Date: Saturday 11 July, 2015**

**Time: 10.00am until 3.00pm.**

**Venue: The German Shepherd Dog Club SA club rooms**

**Cost: \$5.00p/p which will include a light lunch**

**What to bring: Pens, note paper**

Please register your interest by sending an email to the PR Officer, Jenny De Lucia at, [jjdelucia@bigpond.com](mailto:jjdelucia@bigpond.com) BY FRIDAY 3 JULY, 2015

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## WHAT'S ON

For more details why not try the Calendar page on the Club's website  
[CLICK HERE](#)

### JULY

4 Saturday	Double Agility Trial	Club Grounds	9.00 am & 1.00 pm
12 Sunday	Puppy Socialisation Day	Club Grounds	12.00 Noon
19 Sunday	Breed Survey	Club Grounds	12.00 Noon
25 Saturday	GSDCA Surveyors & Judges Meeting	Adelaide	
26 Sunday	GSDCA NBC Meeting	Adelaide	

### AUGUST

9 Sunday	GSDCSA Balmead Shield Trial	Club Grounds	9.00 am (no training)
16 Sunday	Member's Competition	Club Grounds	10.00 am

### SEPTEMBER

6 Sunday	Father's Day		<b>NO TRAINING</b>
9 Wednesday	German Shepherd day at Royal Show	Wayville	9.00 am
13 Saturday	GSDCSA Shannon Double Agility Trial	Club Grounds	9.00 am & 1.00 pm
30 Wednesday	<a href="#">GSDCSA END OF FINANCIAL YEAR</a>		

## CLUB TRAINING TIMES

### SUNDAY

9.30 am Beginners Obedience

Obedience Classes 1, 2 & 3

10.30 am Obedience Class 4

Open Obedience & Utility Classes

Show Training

11.00 am Obedience Class 5

### WEDNESDAY

7.30 pm Beginners Obedience

Obedience Classes 1, 2 & 3

Show Training

8.15 pm Obedience Classes 4 & 5

Novice Obedience & Trials Classes



## **GROUND RULES**

These rules apply to all handlers during training sessions and have been formulated for the welfare of you and your dog.

Any Club member, or any person guilty of unseemly conduct or acts harmful to the club, may be asked to leave the Training area. They may also be dealt with by the Committee of The GSDC of S A Inc. under clause 6, and relative by-laws of the Clubs Constitution.

Any dog which is sick WILL NOT be permitted onto the Club grounds.

Dogs who have suffered a CONTAGIOUS DISEASE WILL NOT be allowed on to the grounds until 5 weeks after being cleared by a veterinarian (a vets certificate may be required). Puppies should not be brought out onto the Club grounds under the age of 8 weeks or at least 2 weeks after they have been inoculated for HEPATITIS, DISTEMPER AND PARVOVIRUS ( vaccination certificate may be required).

Bitches in season are not permitted on the grounds unless at a recognised Club event.

The use of switches, spiked collars or whips is STRICTLY FORBIDDEN ON THE CLUB GROUNDS.

Members shall not treat their dog in a manner which may reflect badly on the Club.

Dogs are NOT to be taken off-lead or left unattended, except on the directives, or under the supervision of a Class Instructor.

The handlers of dogs which foul the Club grounds, will be responsible for cleaning up same, with the equipment provided.

The Head Instructor has the authority to permit the use of a muzzle or training devices, as required in special cases. The use of the equipment is to be under supervision, and its use on the grounds, other than above, is STRICTLY FORBIDDEN.

Dogs under the age of 12 months ARE NOT permitted to use jump equipment higher than 400 mm, or longer than 800 mm.

Pursuant of the Health act "Dogs" ARE NOT permitted inside the Clubrooms.

In the interest of safety and health, and in consideration of others, parents are required to supervise the behaviour of their children. The Clubrooms and Toilets MUST NOT be used as playing areas.

In the interests of public health the Clubrooms and the verandah area are NON-SMOKING areas.

**TRAINING HEAT POLICY** If the forecast temperature is predicted to be 38 degrees or above on channel 9 weather at 6pm the night before training, (Wednesday nights or Sundays), all training will be cancelled.

Appropriate foot wear must be worn at ALL times when handling / double handling dogs on the Club grounds. Bare feet, thongs, slip on shoes, high heels, sandals or crocs are not suitable foot wear and members wearing any of the above will be asked to leave the training area.

**THANK YOU!**

**BE PROUD OF YOUR DOG, HE IS VERY PROUD OF YOU!**  
**THE COMMITTEE**

