



MAY 2008

Hallo Members,

There are a lot of people to thank in this newsletter.

Our 50th Championship Show was a huge success, it was a lot of hard work but the compliments that have come back to the Committee, defiantly made it all worth while.

Our Judges and Stewards worked hard, and loved their gifts and lunch.

The raffle was popular, with a first prize of a complimentary one night stay for two people at the Mondior Concorde Hotel, compliments of Emperors Palace.

This included breakfast and dinner, also two tickets to the Odeon Show Bar. The winner was very happy!!

There were a lot of members who came and worked like Trojans alongside the Committee, and others who brought food for the registering competitors. The latter were able to come and help themselves to tea/coffee and a bite to eat all day, such was the amount donated – they were delighted --- so - thank you all. A big thank also to Woolworths at Blairgowrie Plaza -- for donating a large amount of yummies.

The spectators were entertained by the sight of dogs and handlers, moving as one, around the rings – both small and big dogs flying over the agility course -- doing complicated moves in carting— and racing around doing CD -- to the screaming and barking of the enthusiastic teams doing flyball. Even the weather held until the Competition was over, and only then did the cold front arrive.

The Committee deserves a big pat on the back, this was the biggest and best Show we have ever done!!

Congratulations and Thanks to Everyone!!

Another thank you to all the people who have sent me their emails, the list is growing, but anyone who hasn't done so yet, please e-mail me and then I will have your correct address, and be able to send the Newsletter to your computer.

This way we can keep the printing costs down. Shirley ---- etebbutt@worldonline.co.za

We hope you all had a pleasant long weekend, though the weather wasn't really conducive for swimming – more like cuddling down with a book and something hot to drink For the people who did go away, nice to have you all back safely.

The results section is a bit different, as below are the Championship winners at the Show For every Class there is a Cup for the winner and another for the Jolly Dog Member with the highest percentage and a final Cup for the person with the highest overall percentage. – And our Jolly Dog winners were --

Beginners	-Peter Dinsmore
Novice	Dale Gundry
"A"	Ingrid Dinsmore

"B" ---- Jenny Miles "C" ---- Des Bekker Overall – Peter Dinsmore with 99 1/4 %

In Other Competitions--

Pat and Gusto got 2 first places and CC's in Jumping 1 and Agility contact 3. --TKC

The Dinsmores have been busy and successful --

Transvaal Midlands Breed 29 March 2008

Jaden with Ingrid -- RC Mitzi with Ingrid -- RC Kelly with Peter -- CC

Witwatersrand Breed 30 March 2008

Kelly with Peter -- RC Jaden with Ingrid -- RC

Vereeniging & Districts ---- Breed

Jaden with Ingrid -- CC and Best of Breed Kim with Ingrid -- RC and Reserve Best of Breed Kelly with Peter -- CC Mitzi with Ingrid -- RC

Northern Transvaal Dobermann Club- Obedience

Mitzi and Ingrid -- 1st in "A" Test Kelly and Peter ---- 2nd in Beginners

Highway Kennel Club – Durban 3rd May 2008 - Breed

Kim with Ingrid -- RC Kelly with Peter -- RC Mitzi with Ingrid -- Utility Veteran Group - 2nd

Natal Coast Kennel Club

Kelly with Peter --- CC and Reserve best of breed (Now qualified as a Champion) Mitzi with Ingrid -- RC Kim with Ingrid -- RC

(RC –Reserve Champion -- CC – Champion)

Many congratulations to you all.

Dogs and cats are better than kids because they--

- 1. Eat less.
- 2. Don't ask for money all the time.
- 3. Are easier to train.
- 4. Usually come when called.
- 5. Never drive your car.
- 6. Never lie or talk back to you.
- 7. Don't hang out with drug-using friends.
- 8. Don't smoke or drink.
- 9. Don't worry about having to buy the latest fashions.
- 10. Don't wear your clothes.
- 11. Don't need a gazillion dollars for college, and...
- 12. If they get pregnant, you can sell their children

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<u>Happy Training</u> <u>The "Jolly Team"</u>