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NSW SOUTHERN DISTRICT COUNTRY BORDER COLLIE CLUB

The Country Border

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NBCC Delegates		

Meetings

General Meeting

The next meeting will be held on 6th August, at Wamboin.
Meeting to start at 2pm
All members encouraged to attend. The organization of
next Border Collie National will be discussed.

For further information please contact: Leeanne Birch (02) 6236 9112

Annual General Meeting

The NSWSDCBCC AGM will be held on the second
Sunday in September.
We are calling for Nominations for all committee positions.
Please find attached form and submit to:
The Secretary, Sue Harlow

We require all nominations by 6th August

Titles



Do you have a title to announce? Please
send copies of your title certificate, with
your details and contact details to the
Secretary, Sue Harlow

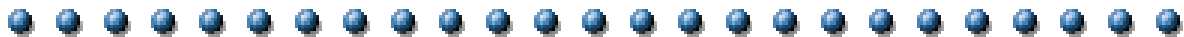
National Border Collie Council AGM

NOTICE OF AGM - SATURDAY 21st OCTOBER, 2006

Notice is hereby given of the AGM of the National Border Collie Council to be held on Saturday 21st October, 2006 in Brisbane.

Agenda items and motions with rationales are now called for and are to be advised to the Secretary by Monday 24th July, 2006 as per Rule 5.4.1. The Secretary will collate items received and advise member clubs by Monday 31st July, 2006. Voting replies from each club are to be received by the Secretary by Tuesday 26th September, 2006 whereby final results will be sent to all Secretaries by 1st October, 2006.

Reports from the head of each sub-committee are also requested by Tuesday 26th September, 2006. Secretaries please advise delegates concerned.



WEBSITE

<http://www.nswsdbc.org.au>

Please send contributions, information or constructive direction for inclusion on the NSW Southern District Country Border Country club homepage

<http://www.nswsdbc.org.au>

To: John & Leanne BIRCH
462 Weeroona Drive, Via Wamboin, NSW, 2620

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NSWSDCBCC Show Schedule

Saturday 7 & Sunday 8 October 2006
Two days of conformation, obedience and agility trials

Blue Circle Recreation Grounds
Taylors Rd, New Berrima, NSW

Saturday 7 October 2006

Breed:

Mr Keith COOK (NSW)
Classes 1,2,3,4,5,10,11 (Dogs and Bitches)

Obedience: Morning Trials

Mr Tim BRACK (NSW) - CCD & Novice
Mr Kyle CHARMOCK (NSW) - Open
Ms Linda DIBBIN (NSW) - Utility

Obedience: Afternoon Trials

Mr Charlie GILES (ACT) - CCD & Novice
Ms Linda DIBBIN (NSW) - Open
Mr Kyle CHARMOCK (NSW) - Utility.

Property Classes:

Aspirant judge to be nominated by date.
Classes to be entered on the day

Sunday 8 October 2006

Breed:

Miss Beth WARMAN (NZ)
Classes 1,2,3,4,5,10,11 (Dogs and Bitches)

Frank Turner Memorial Sweepstakes (dogs and Bitches 9yrs and over)
(Please send photo and short history of dog with entry.)

Agility: Morning Trials

Ms Helen MOSSLAR (ACT) - Novice, Open, Excellent & Masters Agility
Ms Jenny MARSHALL (ACT) - Open, Masters, Excellent and Novice Jumpers

Agility: Afternoon Trails

Ms Helen MOSSLAR (ACT) - Novice, Open Excellent & Masters Jumping
Ms Jenny MARSHALL (ACT) - Snookers and Gamblers, Novice and Excellent

Judging commences:

Saturday: Breed and morning Obedience trial 10.00am
Afternoon trial not before 1.00pm
Sunday: Breed 9.30am, Morning trial 9.00am
Afternoon trial at conclusion of morning trial.

RNSWCC Representatives: Mr Tim BRACK (Breed) and Mrs Alice BAXTER (Obed)
Vetting time: Saturday 9.15 - 9.45am. Sunday 8.15 - 8.45am
Vetting Officer: Mrs Joan BRAY

Entry fees: Members \$8.00 Breed and Obedience
Non members \$10.00 Breed and Obedience
Club membership: \$20.00 Double, \$15.00 Single, Joining fee if new \$ 5.00

Entries close with: Mr John BIRCH
462 Weeroona Drive, Wamboin, NSW 2620
phone: 02. 62369112
email: cryledge@ozemail.com.au
Catalogues included in entries.

All remittance to be made in favour of: NSW Southern Dist Country Border Collie Club Inc or NSWSDCBCC

CORRESPONDENCE OUT

Schedule for Show/trial – NZ Judges contract not included as not received yet.

GENERAL BUSINESS

Motion from Leeanne re Honory Membership for Nanette Bragg

Seconded: Joan Bray

Carried

DISCUSSION RE NBCC AGENDA ITEMS

In favour – running expenses

In favour

Against – ISDS Registration – We strongly suggest that a working party be established to investigate alternative ways of accommodating ISDA dogs in order that they can participate in ANKC

Against – Due process was not followed – Should this matter be raised again we would like to see each individual section be voted on separately

No nominations were received at this meeting

In favour

Against

Against

Against

Against

Against

Against

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Against

Against

In favour

In favour

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Discussion re next Border Collie National and whether we would be able to hold it.

First we need to find out whether we can hold it in the ACT, Leeanne to find out and if yes, we will go from there.

MEETING CLOSED: 10.15 p.m.

Next Meeting: 2nd July, 2006 - Canberra

RESULTS OF THE NBCC AGENDA ITEMS 25/05/2006

1) **Topic:** NBCC running expenses

Motion: The delegates are able to approve NBCC expenditure of \$300 or less. The delegates will be given 7 days to reply. A lack of reply will be taken as a positive response.

QLD - IN FAVOUR
NSW - IN FAVOUR
NSWSDC - IN FAVOUR
TAS - IN FAVOUR
VIC - AGAINST

RESULT - MOTION IN FAVOUR

2) **Topic:** Conference of National Breed Councils

Motion: The NBCC submit to the ANKC the names of one or two representatives by the 26th July to attend the Conference of National Breed Councils to be held on 26th August 2006 in Sydney.

QLD - IN FAVOUR
NSW - IN FAVOUR
NSWSDC - IN FAVOUR
TAS - IN FAVOUR
VIC - DID NOT REPLY

RESULT - MOTION IN FAVOUR (It was decided at the delegates meeting 23/4/06 that Joan Bray and Leeanne Birch would attend.)

3) **Topic:** Recognition of ISDS registered Border Collies in Australia

Motion: The NBCC write to the ANKC requesting that ISDS registered dogs be recognised in Australia and granted ANKC registration.

QLD - IN FAVOUR
NSW - IN FAVOUR
NSWSDC - AGAINST (Club suggests that a working party be established to
Investigate alternative ways of accommodating dogs in
Order that they can participate within the ANKC framework)
TAS - IN FAVOUR
VIC - AGAINST

RESULT - MOTION IN FAVOUR

4) **Topic:** Changes to the Border Collie Breed Standard

Motion: The NBCC to submit the Breed Standard amendments to the ANKC for consideration at their next meeting.

QLD - IN FAVOUR
NSW - IN FAVOUR
NSWSDC - AGAINST (Club questions whether due processes were followed correctly
Through the collection and voting on these amendments.
When this matter is raised again we would like to see that
Each section of the standard that contains a suggested
Alteration be voted on separately.)
TAS - AGAINST
VIC - AGAINST

RESULT - MOTION AGAINST

5) **Topic:** NBCC position of Secretary

Motion: Breed clubs are asked to nominate persons for the position of Secretary by the due date.

QLD - IN FAVOUR - BEV SCOTT
NSW - IN FAVOUR - BEV SCOTT
NSWSDC - IN FAVOUR - BEV SCOTT
TAS - DID NOT REPLY
VIC - IN FAVOUR - BEV SCOTT

RESULT - BEV SCOTT NOMINATED AS SECRETARY

6) **Topic:** NBCC Annual General Meeting

Motion: The NBCC will hold it's AGM within or as close to the Brisbane Royal as possible.

QLD - IN FAVOUR
NSW - IN FAVOUR
NSWSDC - NOT VOTED ON (Dealt with at delegates meeting 23/4/06)
TAS - AGAINST
VIC - AGAINST

RESULT - MOTION AGAINST (refer comment above)

7) **Topic:** Compulsory testing of Ceroid Lipofuscinosis (CL)

Motion: The NBCC to request the ANKC conduct a breed survey regarding the compulsory testing for CL of the sire and dam prior registering their offspring.

QLD - IN FAVOUR
NSW - IN FAVOUR
NSWSDC - AGAINST (This does not accommodate for the progeny of clear to clear Matings. And survey from the ANKC would not include Guidelines similar to the ones that this motion has included.)
TAS - IN FAVOUR
VIC - AGAINST

RESULT - MOTION IN FAVOUR

Victoria has commented on the rationale notes and an amendment to the motion.

- a) irrelevant re objectives of NBCC in relation to asking for a breed survey.
- b) The public have no knowledge or information of the breed survey and is therefore irrelevant in asking ANKC to conduct one.
- c) Is relevant as breeders are able to make educated choices as to breeding partners now that we have ready access to such a test.
- d) The test is readily available to minimum cost throughout Australia with only a visit to a vet required.
- e) Cannot restrict combinations as per ANKC
- f) There is no law Australia wide re compulsory microchip/tattoo and this does not have to be done to have your dog DNA tested.
- g) This is not part of a rationale, this is what we are asking them to do.
- h) This is the only way it can be done and is also not part of a rationale.
- i) ANKC will only put a restriction should this be passed that parents need to be tested not what breeding combinations are allowed – also not part of a rationale.
- j) ANKC will not accept restrictions
- k) This is what the motion is for also not part of a rationale.

The motion needs to be re-written to allow for individuals who are parentage verified normal as opposed to its current wording which would mean all animals would have to be individually tested. This also opens the can of worms of DNA parentage verification and as such needs to be considered as the ANKC proposed DNA profiling scheme has been placed on hold.

No limitations on breeding combinations will be placed on breeders by ANKC.

Suggested re-wording to read:- "The ANKC is requested to conduct a breed survey to ask Border Collie breeders is CL a recognized problem within the border collie breed. The ANKC to ask breeders should compulsory DNA testing for CL or clear by parentage verification for CL be compulsory prior to progeny being registered.

8) Topic: Compulsory testing for Collie Eye Anomaly (CEA)

Motion: The NBCC to request the ANKC conduct a breed survey regarding the compulsory testing for CEA of the sire and dam prior to registering their offspring.

QLD - IN FAVOUR
NSW - IN FAVOUR
NSWSDC - AGAINST (For similar reasons for motion 7)
TAS - IN FAVOUR
VIC - AGAINST

RESULT - MOTION IN FAVOUR

Victoria has commented on the rationale notes and an amendment to the motion.

Same points as for CL testing except there is only one Lab able to perform test currently world Wide (Optigen) and cost is higher. It is still readily available to all breeders via their vet, with New changes to testing soon in Australia. The test will be available here and via Buccal Swab As opposed to blood which is the only method of testing available currently.

Suggestions for re-wording:- "The ANKC is requested to conduct a breed survey to ask Border Collie breeders is CEA a recognized problem within the Border Collie breed. The ANKC to ask breeders should compulsory DNA testing for CEA or clear by parentage Verification for VEA be compulsory prior to progeny being registered:"

9) Topic: Compulsory screening/scoring for Hip Dysplasia (HD)

Motion: The NBCC to request the ANKC conduct a breed survey regarding the compulsory screening/scoring for HD of the sire and dam prior to registering their offspring.

QLD - IN FAVOUR
NSW - AGAINST
NSWSDC - AGAINST (Where has the figure 20 come from? Is this based on any Scientific/research information)
TAS - IN FAVOUR
VIC - AGAINST

RESULT - MOTION AGAINST

Victoria has commented on the rationale notes and an amendment to the motion.

Some points in common with above motions.

- l) irrelevant re objectives of NBCC in relation to asking for a breed survey.
- m) The public have no knowledge or information of the breed survey and is therefore irrelevant in asking ANKC to conduct one.
- n) Is relevant – as breeders are able to make educated choices as to breeding partners now that we have ready access to such a test.
- o) The test is readily available throughout Australia with only a visit to a vet required to x-rays and then reading.
- p) Cannot restrict combinations/scores as per ANKC
- q) There is no law Australia wide re compulsory microchip/tattoo and this does not have to be done to have your dog x-rayed, however with other breeds when these schemes have been put in place a microchip number and registration number have to appear on x-ray

films.

- r) This is not part of a rationale, this is what we are asking them to do
- s) This is the only way it can be done and is also not part of a rationale.
- t) ANKC will only put a restriction should this be passed that parents need to be tested not what breeding combinations or maximum score are allowed – also not part of a rationale.
- u) ANKC will not accept restrictions
- v) This is what the motion is for also not part of a rationale.

Suggestions for re-wording of motion:- “The ANKC is requested to conduct a breed survey to ask Border Collie breeders if Hip Dysplasia is a recognized problem within the Border Collie breed. The ANKC to ask breeders should compulsory hip scoring for Hip Dysplasia be compulsory prior to progeny being registered.”

10) As per No. 1

11) As per No. 5

12) Topic: Merle to Merle matings.

Motion: This motion was passed through NBCC member clubs and then passed over to ANKC in 2005. The process of this motion NSW believe was not carried out correctly. NSW asks for a review of the process of the motion.

QLD	-	AGAINST
NSW	-	IN FAVOUR
NSWSDC	-	AGAINST
TAS	-	IN FAVOUR
VIC	-	AGAINST

RESULT - MOTION AGAINST

13) Topic/Motion: NSW would like to ask that a process for future changes to breeding practices etc be reviewed and that breed surveys are carried out before any changes are made.

QLD	-	IN FAVOUR
NSW	-	IN FAVOUR
NSWSDC	-	AGAINST
TAS	-	IN FAVOUR
VIC	-	IN FAVOUR

RESULT - MOTION IN FAVOUR

14) Topic/Motion: Hereditary Disease Testing As per 7,8 & 9. Further investigation into this concept would be appreciated.

QLD	-	IN FAVOUR
NSW	-	IN FAVOUR (2) AGAINST (1)
NSWSDC	-	AGAINST
TAS	-	IN FAVOUR
VIC	-	AGAINST (even though members voted against the 3 motions above they Would encourage more investigation)

15) Topic/Motion: ISDS Registration – As per 3.

QLD	-	IN FAVOUR
NSW	-	IN FAVOUR
NSWSDC	-	AGAINST
TAS	-	IN FAVOUR
VIC	-	AGAINST

RESULT - MOTION IN FAVOUR

16) Topic/Motion: The NBCC AGM should be held on the same weekend each year. The only variable then would be the venue etc.

QLD - IN FAVOUR
NSW - IN FAVOUR
NSWSDC - IN FAVOUR
TAS - IN FAVOUR
VIC - AGAINST

(as it goes against the NBCC constitution i.e.

MEETINGS can be : In person, Conferlink or by post.

5.7 Where possible, an AGM shall be held at the time and place of a Border Collie National Event, or or alternately at a time and place to be decided by the delegates.

It also goes against the ANKC Rules and Regs. Part 13 2.8.5 National Breed Councils are to include the option for Conferlink meeting in the constitution.

RESULT - MOTION IN FAVOUR

17) Topic/Motion: The procedure for the change over of the NBCC bank account details and official papers on changing of the Secretary etc.

QLD - IN FAVOUR
NSW - IN FAVOUR
NSWSDC - IN FAVOUR
TAS - IN FAVOUR
VIC - DID NOT REPLY

(members of the BCCV Inc. consider this topic To be commonsense, part of which is also Covered in the NBCC Constitution i.e.

7.9.3 The Secretary shall be responsible for All monies received on behalf of the NBCC And shall pay all such sums into the bank Account of the NBCC within fourteen (14) Days of receipt.)

RESULT - MOTION IN FAVOUR

18) Topic/Motion: How can we help develop the sub-committees into a more active component of the NBCC?

QLD - The co-ordinator of each of the sub-committees reports quarterly to the NBCC Secretary. Dates for the reports to be submitted are set 12 months in advance so That delegates can update activities and the NBCC Secretary receive them and Arrange distribution as one document. If the current sub-committee co-ordinator Should cease to be a delegate then the replacement delegate from that State take Over the role so that they can receive a full briefing.

NSW - Did not reply

NSWSDC - Needs to be placed on a NBCC AGM agenda item.

TAS - Did not reply

VIC - Don't overlook members that are already on sub-committees i.e. breed standard Working party – the Vic BCC members were completely overlooked and left out Of the final decision making. This type of behaviour does not lead to good working Relations

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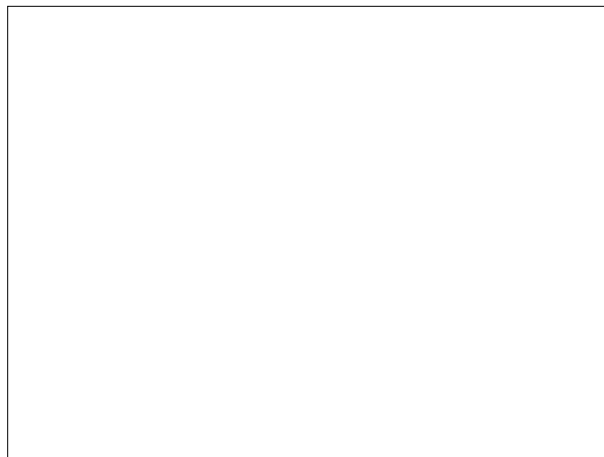
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Sue Harlow

NSW SOUTHERN DISTRICT COUNTRY BORDER COLLIE CLUB INC.
NOMINATION FOR CLUB POSITIONS VACANT

I/We

wish to nominate the following persons for committee positions:

President	
Vice President	
Secretary	
Treasurer	
Publicity Officer	
Show Secretary	
Trial Secretary	
Trophy Steward	
Committee Members	

Signed:

Date:

All nominations to be forwarded to Sue Harlow
25 Merret Drive, MOSS VALE NSW 2577
By 5th August 2006

Date received (club use only):