

OCTC Committee Meeting 18 March 2021

Minutes

Present:

Committee Members: Jess Beevis, Ailsa Hawkins, Elaine Limburg, Jean McKinnon, Dianne Sprott, Lynn van Beers

Coordinators: Leigh Birchall *Non-Committee:* Diana O’Kane

Apologies: Grace Fleury (work) MaryRose Scoular (sick), Melissa Paterson (sick dog), Belinda Culling (other commitments)

Meeting opened: 7:03pm

- **Minutes of Last Meeting (18th February) (Jean/Dianne)**

Corrections – the April Rally-O show is four trials, not three. Graham Jeffries is located North Island not South Island.

Matters Arising:

- **Agility Equipment Standardisation (Donna Burns)**

- All new equipment manufactured and purchased after July 2020 MUST meet new regulations.
- By 1st Jan 2021, A-frames to be altered to the new height of 1650mm. Other changes to the A-frame by Jan 2024.
- By 1st July 2021, all weaves must meet the new regulations.

Estimated costs to purchase NEW gear (1 set):

Dog walk Est cost \$2500 (or \$1600 through Graham Jeffries)

A Frame Est cost \$2000

Seesaw Est cost \$1800

Est total cost \$ 6300

Estimated costs to MODIFY current contact gear (2 sets) – potentially \$3000

Simon Monson is modifying one set of contact gear, to be done in time for April show.

Also NEED TO PURCHASE: long jump, blind jump (ex “brush” jump), spread jump, ideally four more wing jumps.

There are items in the garage that can be sold off, and we can put in an application to DNZ AC for a grant (\$1000) before getting the second set of contact gear modified.

Please see attached the gear we need to replace and suggested replacements, and the gear that can be sold off.

Donna is purchasing paint and rubber chip to patch up modified gear.

It was agreed that both sets of contact gear would be modified rather than purchased new.

There are other items to be sold off as well as agility equipment – Diana will collate a list.

Did we get dispensation for the A frame? Has a grant from the AC been applied for? Do the spread jump, blind jump, and long jump have to be replaced to meet new standards, and if so when, or just on a wish list? Diana will ask Donna.

- **Gates for Porch**

FPMC via Anne have expressed concern over how the gates are to be used, and reminded us that we can not place anything over the fire door. A reply was sent to Anne assuring her that we would not be putting the gates across the door or attaching them to the hall, and acknowledging that this would affect their insurance and the number of people who could be in the hall at any one time. It was explained that the gates were to be placed around the garage porch but unsecured so that they could be opened quickly in an emergency. I also mentioned that we had not settled on a solution as to how this would be done.

The gates were partially set up during the March obedience show, closing off half of the porch. Although one end of one gate was left unsecured, it probably would not have been easy to open in an emergency. The set up needs to meet the requirements of a safe exit and the insurance company. Having people trying to escape through a narrow exit with a barrier in the way, even an unsecured one, is very dangerous and can quickly become impossible to open with panicking people crushed up against it.

We should probably ask for advice from the Fire Service as to what the best arrangement would be, but it is likely that the gates are going to need some modifications to make them work in a safe, acceptable way. Hinges on the posts that the gates could be hooked onto and jockey wheels on the unsecured ends would make the long gates easy to open outwards onto the dog park and the short gate to open out towards the stream, providing a wide space for an exit in different directions. Wheels on the gates would also make it easier for one person to move them on their own.

It was generally agreed that wheels would make the gates easier to open, and that the wheels would need to be reasonably big and have some sort of pneumatic tyre to move easily over boggy ground. Elaine has looked at prices for suitable wheels and these are between \$15 and \$80. Some engineering would be needed to attach them to the gates. Depending on price, each gate could have a wheel at each end, making them easier to move around. A gate spike could be attached to each post for the gates to be hooked on to, but in the mean time a loosely attached bungee would work okay. Dianne will see if her father has wheels on hand, and Ailsa will check in second hand shops. Otherwise we will look at buying something suitable.

Forrester Park has said we can't lean the gates up against the hall, so they will have to be leaned up against the garage.

- **Relocating OCTC Survey**

A Survey Monkey survey is currently running for members. There are only six questions. The survey is a bit crude as the "free" options are very limited, but the results are interesting and the general feeling is emerging. 30 people out of approx 60 have responded. Results so far (as of 16th March) are attached at the end.

So far, members appear to feel Forrester Park is no longer a suitable venue and its problems are insurmountable. The disruption by members of the public and the safety of dogs is a paramount consideration, with the potential toxicity of seepage and the condition of the indoor and outdoor surfaces also of concern. There is a general agreement that a move is recommended, but would depend on the new venue and its location.

Diana will send out another email to try and get some more responses.

- **Achievements Board**

There is a list of Obedience Champions and Grand Champions on the DNZ Obedience website. It is not necessarily complete or accurate but provides a lot of information. Need to identify OCTC members.

Diana will print the lists of Obedience and Agility Champions so that OCTC members can be identified.

- **Rule Change (non-members at training)**

Jess is still working on this.

- **Items for Sale**

Some photos have been taken for promotion, and need to work through getting the rest done. There is a form for recording sales to be kept in the set of drawers that contains the stock.

Jess's friend owns Saddlery Warehouse and will ask if we can get 10 long lines at a discounted price.

Dianne will ask Jill to order more treat bags as they are taking a long time to arrive.

Ailsa asked for permission to buy more clickers, as they are selling steadily and it is taking a long time to receive them.

Jean moved that Ailsa buy 50 clickers. Seconded Jess. Unanimous.

- **Children at Training (MaryRose)**

Deferred to next meeting

- **Photography Policy (Jean)**

Jean has done a waiver form. It was decided that anyone under 18 would need a waiver form signed by a guardian, to be consistent with the age of Junior members. Jean will continue to work on this.

- **Level 2 Training and Shows Policy (Diana)**

Diana will continue to work on this.

- **Course Notes**

Diana will set up a page on the website where members can access resources such as handouts and manuals. It was agreed that this needed to be a hidden page to protect our intellectual property and ensure only members can access club resources. Diana will email the link to coordinators who can then pass it on to whoever they like.

Ongoing

Electronic Storage of Club Records

Ribbon Grant – Diana will ask Quality Presentations for a quote, but there is an issue with ribbons for the April Rally-O that needs to be sorted out first. Elaine will organise two AdvB 1st ribbons for April.

DTANZ Seminar - no further details received

Policy Document Updates

Coordinator Reports:

- **Agility (Leigh Birchall) (Leigh/Jess)**

There isn't much to report with agility this month. We have just finished our first lot of classes and the trainers are having a well deserved break this week.

I would like to request that I be excused from the next three months of monthly committee meetings. Throughout this period there may be no agenda reports for agility in May/June. I will be available in April to send an agenda but unable to drive to the meeting. There is a chance I may need to be excused from more monthly meetings however I shall be able to form agenda reports from July onwards. As I will not be able to attend meetings I have asked Belinda to pass on any changes/concerns with agility to the committee if they are to arise in my absence.

I have been talking to Adele Smith, who is one of our frequent agility members, about sending out emails on my behalf for agility classes expected to start in May and June. Is the committee ok with this occurring? From July I will retake full responsibility of being the agility coordinator. If the committee would prefer I step down from my position does anyone have any other people they know of who would be interested/capable of being the agility coordinator?

The committee are happy to excuse Leigh for the next few meetings, but asked that she arrange sometime to provide a monthly report for meetings. There is no problem with delegating tasks such as emails to another member.

- **Canine Companion (Lynn van Beers) (Lynn/Jean)**

We will be doing the CC week 6 final night this Wednesday 17th March, then have two weeks break. Names will be gathered at the end of the night to find out who plans to do what.

The next CC block starts 7th April-12th May. This course has been booked out since mid Feb and the June block has already got 17 names down, out of 20 spaces.

I am currently juggling approx 60 dogs/handlers between the overlap of enrolments and still active classes. There was a hope that the 2nd June-7th July course demand would slow down for winter...it seems not..

There is still some tweaking of the formats happening, as we discover some exercises included either not being understood and/or not being considered relevant to what they are expecting to learn.. This is mostly showing up in CC2, as we have not been able to test run as many of these courses due to circumstances of covid and lack of trainers.

The demos done for the Week 6 were very successful, but set up was too time-consuming. Ideally in future all the demo gear will already be in the hall ready to be set up before classes start.

- **Obedience (Jess Beevis) (Jess/Ailsa)**

March saw us hold our triple obedience championship. Unfortunately due to COVID restrictions, two of our judges were unable to travel from Auckland, so thankfully we had Jo Miller, Dawn and Susan Shepherd stand in to cover the classes. The show ran successfully, and all club obedience members were on hand to help which was great to see.

Senior handling has been progressing slowly, with varying numbers each week, but at the moment *[there are five]* active obedience members. The club desperately needs new handlers coming through the sport. Unfortunately due to lack of hall space, we have been unable to start a foundation to dog sports class, and a foundation obedience class as previously hoped. From what I have seen, handlers are ill prepared for any dog sports following CC2 with very limited skills, necessitating an introductory class which will teach the skills required for sports other than Rally. Until hall space is acquired, I am going to have to sacrifice my own training time with Eros, to teach handlers interested in obedience. This has its limitations, and is not something that can be sustained long term.

On another note, I *[may be]* leaving Dunedin sooner than I had initially anticipated. I will look to find someone to take over the role of obedience coordinator if that eventuates.

Agility only use the hall on Tuesday nights if it is raining, so it is generally free for Obedience use unless it is raining, when half the hall will be available. Once Agility move to the EC for winter training, Obedience will have sole use of the hall on Tuesdays until September (or when Agility returns). This seems to be a good solution to the lack of space and time available for Obedience on Wednesday nights.

There was also discussion around how the skills learned in CC1 & 2 transition to an Obedience Foundation course. As the current CC2 is very new, Diana will send a copy of the CC2 manual to Jess so she can see what is being taught at that level and can plan a foundation course accordingly.

- **Rally-O (Elaine Limburg) (Elaine/Jean)**

I have managed to sort these out for the rest of the year;

3rd May to 28th June 6 weeks

26th July to 13th September 8 weeks (3 weeks off 5th July to 19th July - mid winter break)

27th September to 22nd November 8 weeks

29th November - break week - day after OCTC November show

6th December - one training night before TCTC show for competitors only

This means that we have a 6 week course ie \$48 and two 8 week courses \$64 so hopefully doable to for people to pay.

It also takes into account the poultry show, makes sure we train up to our shows but have the Mondays straight after our shows off and takes into account Monday statutory holidays.

I will need to adjust the Rally 1 course if everyone has done a CC2 course as a lot of that overlaps. If they haven't done a CC2 course then I will need to look at the numbers and what to do with these. Will wing it.

- **Treibball (Carina Hyink-Gough) (Ailsa/Elaine)**

We have held on to a few newbies over this break with them progressing well. I have two tentative dates for our tournaments, with the last one of the year to be decided on – first one to be on the 11th June. Helena has been a great help to the seniors with tips on progressing with a few problems.

Ailsa commented that the new people were progressing really well and were very dedicated.

- **Flygility (Elaine Limburg) (Elaine/Ailsa)**

Nothing has changed. Still just the four regulars, although two from CC2 may be interested. Daylight saving ends 4th April so only two more Thursdays until then. Will have to work out what to do after that.

Elaine asked if Flygility could combine with Agility at the EC over winter. This was accepted as a good solution.

- **Forrester Park (Diana O’Kane) (Dianne/Jean)**

From an email sent by Anne McLachlan:

- **Benefit Show Catering** – this will take place on one day only, on the 9th October, as the August dates are not available and DNZ have restricted the number of shows that can be held. OCTC have been asked to do the catering with the usual 40/60 split. SLKA will be asked to do judges' lunches. WKA will be having their show the following day and will be making their own arrangements.

It was agreed that OCTC would provide catering for the Benefit Show with the usual profit split of 40/60.

Dianne moved that the Secretary email Simon Monson of WKA and offer to do their catering on the Sunday, with the intention of giving a proportion of the profit to Forrester Park. Seconded by Lynn. Passed unanimously.

- **Poultry Show - 24th – 31st May**, possibly will need the weekend before as well.
- **Floor Maintenance** – insurance work is to be done on the flood affected area (in front of cupboards?) and hopefully cracks will be filled and sealed as well. Quotes are being sought so no dates at this stage.
- **Ventilation** – looking at affordable options to improve airflow through the building.
- **Keep Clear Area** - a reminder to not put anything within the yellow line around the ramp and fire door, even temporarily. This is a safety issue, which not only puts people at risk but may also affect any insurance claim.
- **Treibball Racks** – only balls can be stored on the treibball racks. Everything else to be stored in cupboards or garage.
- **Expanding Barriers** - barriers must be put back into the area between the large roller door and the treibball racks.

Secretary Report (Diana O’Kane) (Dianne/Jess)

• Membership

- Membership is currently 60. This is down from 90-100 last year.
- Those who had not renewed by 1st March have been advised that they are no longer club members.
- New members for approval: Monique Piket

Leigh moved that Monique be accepted as a member. Seconded by Ailsa. Approved.

• Secretary Hours (Jean/Lynn)

1st – 28th February 2021 40 hrs Approved Treasurer/President and paid. Ratified by committee.

Secretary		Show Secretary	
Email/FB/Phone/Text/Msg	6.25	Catalogue	6.25
Meetings		Show Setup	0.50
Agenda	5.50	Show Entries	1.75
Attendance	2.00	Schedule	0.25
Minutes	3.00	Website	2.50
Website/Facebook updates	0.25	Promotion	0.50
CC Preparation	8.00		
Membership	2.00		
Misc: Survey	1.00		
Hours Record	0.25		
28.25		11.75	

• Correspondence

Inwards (accepted)

- Karen Grant (DNZAC) – Flyer for National Corgi Agility Championship
- Sue Barr (DNZ) – invoice SI933439 for Rally-O certificates \$40.00
- Jane Dear (Quality Presentations) – invoice 13395 March Obedience ribbons \$207.29
- Sue Barr (DNZ) – invoice SI933956 for June Jumpers schedule \$90.00
- Colleen Begg (DNZ) - – request for dispensation for challenges from Test C judge
- Richard van den Bos & DNZ Obedncc Committee – re dispensation for challenges from Test C judge (several emails)
- Arend van den Bos (DNZ OC) – refusal of dispensation for challenges from Test C judge
- Miranda Stevens (Nestle Purina) – Proplan sponsorship contract for 2021 Rally-O shows
- Janet Bainbridge (SR) – Southern Region financial report Jan/Feb 2021
- Janet Bainbridge (SR) – request for payment of Southern Region club levies
- Janet Bainbridge (SR) – forms for Southern Region show levies and annual levies
- Anne McLachlan (FPMC) – copy of letter sent to Forbury Park Trotting Club re sharing of greenspace
- Anne McLachlan (FPMC) – various notices from FPMC
- New training enquiries x 17

Outwards (endorsed)

- Richard van den Bos (SR rep) – request for dispensation for challenges from Test C judge
- Colleen Begg (DNZ) - – request for dispensation for challenges from Test C judge
- Gareth Keenan (Masterpet) – request for show sponsorship (MaryRose)
- Miranda Stevens (Nestle Purina) – request for show sponsorship (MaryRose)
- Response to all training enquiries

Treasurer's Report (Dianne Sprott) (Dianne/Ailsa)

FEBRUARY BANKING: Balances on 28 February 2021 \$8,297.42 Total Term Deposits x 3 \$33,915.64

Payee	Reason	Amount	Club	Agility	Obedience	Rally	Can Comp	Treibball	Spshp/Fnd
Forrester Park	Training January	240.00		60.00	60.00	60.00		60.00	
Forrester Park	Training Feb	450.00		120.00	60.00	120.00	60.00	90.00	
Diana O'Kane	Secretary Jan	714.00	714.00						
Diana O'Kane	Non slip mats	84.90					84.90		
Diana O'Kane	Bereave Flowers	101.90	101.90						
Ailsa Hawkins	Laminating/Files	131.97				131.97			
Ailsa Hawkins	Armband material	28.83							28.83
Elaine Limburg	Farm Gates	475.01	475.01						
Tevra Dog Training	50 Treat bags	460.15							460.15
Charlie Reid	REFUND, CC1 10Feb	85.00					85.00		
Samantha Cloynes	REFUND, March Ob	20.00			20.00				
Helena Akesson	April Rally, Prizes	97.00				97.00			
Dogs NZ	April Rally, Schedule	115.00				115.00			
Karen Tustin	April Rally, Airfares	313.60				313.60			
TOTAL OUT		3317.36	1290.91	180.00	140.00	837.57	229.90	150.00	488.98
Various People	Membership	393.75	393.75						
Various People	March Obed entries	840.00			840.00				
Various People	Apr Ag entries	684.00		684.00					
Various People	Apr Rally entries	76.00				76.00			
Mandy Tocher	Rally training	45.00				45.00			
Various People	CC 1 training	417.00					417.00		
Various People	Treat bag sales	48.00							48.00
Westpac	Interest	0.32	0.32						
TOTAL \$ IN		2504.07	394.07	684.00	840.00	121.00	417.00	0.00	48.00
February only	In	Out	CashMvmt						
Club	394.07	1,290.91	-896.84						
Agility	684.00	180.00	504.00						
Obedience	840.00	140.00	700.00						
Rally	121.00	837.57	-716.57						
Canine Comp	417.00	229.90	187.10						
Treibball	0.00	150.00	-150.00						
Spshp/Fndrsng	48.00	488.98	-440.98						
1 Sep20 - 28 Feb21	In	Out	CashMvmt						
Club	2,158.65	9,370.59	-7,211.94						
Agility	2,370.50	2,802.51	-432.01						
Obedience	1,550.00	2,547.01	-997.01						
Rally	3,586.50	3,983.35	-396.85						
Canine Comp	4,593.00	1,402.88	3,190.12						
Treibball	386.00	540.00	-154.00						
Spshp/Fndrsng	2,231.21	1,537.97	693.24						
TOTAL	\$16,875.86	\$22,184.31	-5,308.45						

March Obedience show 2021	Expenses	Income
Entries		\$ 880.00
Schedule	\$ 90.00	
Venue Hire	\$ 224.00	
Levies	\$ 171.58	
Judges exp Susan Sheppard	\$ 132.00	
Judges exp Jo Miller	\$ 90.00	
Judges exp Dawn McCracken	\$ -	
Judges lunches & refreshments	\$ 92.42	
Judges Gift/Card	\$ 150.00	
Entry refunds	\$ 20.00	
Quality Presentations	\$ 207.29	
Prizes	\$ 845.00	
	\$ 2,022.29	\$ 880.00
	Total	-\$ 1,142.29
Show secretary fees	\$ 456.00	
	Total	-\$ 1,598.29

Show Secretary Report (Diana O’Kane)

- The two judges who could not attend March Obedience show will use their paid airfares for future shows – Steve Hull September Obedience 2021 and Ray Murray March Obedience 2022.

Agility	Obedience	Rally-O	Treibball	Schedule Due
10/11 April 21 2xAg, 3xJ, AD				30 November (Feb DW)
		24/25 April 21 4 x DNZ Champ Rally		31 Jan (Mar DW)
19/20 June 21 (at EC) 5 x Jumpers				28 Feb (Apr DW)
		3 /4 July 21 NZARO Rally-O		n/a
11/12 July 21 Zone 5 Games				n/a
21/22 August 21 Zone 5 team trials				n/a
11/12 September 21 2xAg,2xJ,AD,ADXA	11/12 September 21 3 x Obedience Champ			31 May (July DW)
		18/19 September 21 4 x DNZ RallyO Champ		30 Jun (Aug DW)
3 October 21 Ag/J ribbon trial				n/a
	7 November 21 Obedience ribbon trial			n/a
		27/28 November 21 NZARO Rally-O		n/a

JUDGES				
10/11 April 2021	Ch Ag/Jmps/AD	Martin Bush	Joanne Rennell	Wayne Grant
24/25 April 2021	DNZ Ch RallyO x 4	Jo Miller	Ann Davis	Dawn McCracken
19/20 June 2021	Ch Jumpers x 5	Carole Logan	Isobel Syme?	
3 /4 July 2021	NZARO RallyO	Beverley Thompson (tbc)	Diana O’Kane?	Elaine Limburg?
11/12 Septmbr 2021	Ch Ag/Jmps/AD/ADX			
11/12 Septmbr 2021	Ch Obedience x 3	Steve Hull (contract tbr)		
18/19 Septmbr 2021	DNZ Ch RallyO x 4	Arend van den Bos (tbc)	Barbara McDonald?	
3 October 2021	Agility R/T			
7 November 2021	Obedience R/T			
27/28 Novmbr 2021	NZARO RallyO	Sheelah Stevens (tbc)		

10 th & 11 th April 2021 Championship Agility x 2, Championship Jumpers x 3, AD Trial				
Schedule due 30 th November for February Dog World			Entries close: 12 th March	
Show Manager		Donna Burns		
Start Time		First course walk 8am, judging at 8.15am (alternate rings)		
Judges		Martin Bush	Joanne Rennell	Wayne Grant
Expenses		\$90	\$100	\$0
Accommodation		Belinda	Donna	n/a
Travel		Flights		
Saturday		JA1, JB1, Sen1	AD, JC1, JA2	St1, Nov1, Int1
Sunday		JB2, Nov2, Int2	JC2, JA3, Sen2	St2, JB3, JC3
Prizes/Ribbons/Spnsor	Judges' Gifts	Judges' Meals	Catering	Job Roster
Ribbons 3 rd – 10%, prizes 1-3, \$25, \$20, \$15 Blackhawk			Mikey's Kai food truck (Melissa to chase up) Archie Coffee van	

24 th & 25 th April 2021 Championship Rally-O x 4				
Schedule due 31 st January for March Dog World			Entries close: 11 th April	
Show Manager		Helena Akesson + helper		
Start Time		8.30am		
Judges		Jo Miller	Ann Davis	Dawn McCracken
Expenses		\$90	\$30	\$100
Accommodation		Diana	Elaine	Sorting own (Clearwaters)
Travel		Own car	Flights sorted, Elaine will pick up and transport to FP	Own car
Saturday		Encore1, Exc1	Nov2, Exc2, Adv2	Adv1, Nov1
Sunday		Nov4, Exc4, Adv4	Exc3, Adv3	Nov3, Encore2
Prizes/Ribbons/Spnsor	Judges' Gifts	Judges' Meals	Catering	Job Roster
Proplan, prizes/ribbons to 3 rd , ribbons 2b ordrd	\$50 cash		Shared lunch	Helena?

19 th & 20 th June Championship Jumpers x 5				
Schedule due 28 th February for April Dog World			Entries close: 21 st May Equestrian Centre	
Show Manager				
Start Time		Course walk 8am		
Judges		Carole Logan	Isobel Syme?	
Expenses				
Accommodation				
Travel				
Saturday		JA1,JC2,JC3,JB3	JC1,JB1.JB2,JA2,JA3	
Sunday		JB4,JA4,JA5	JA3,JC4,JC5,JB5	
Prizes/Ribbons/Spnsor	Judges' Gifts	Judges' Meals	Catering	Job Roster
Prizes 1-3, \$25, \$20, \$15 Proplan?			Mikey's Kai food truck and Archie Coffee van?	

3 rd & 4 th July 2021 NZARO Rally-O Trials x 2				
<i>Pre-entry and entry on the day</i>				
Show Manager				
Start Time				
Judges	Beverley Thomson to be contracted	Diana O’Kane?	Elaine Limburg?	
Expenses		none		
Accommodation		n/a	n/a	
Travel	Karen Tustin to arrange flights	own	own	
Saturday				
Sunday				
Prizes/Ribbons/Spnsor	Judges’ Gifts	Judges’ Meals	Catering	Job Roster
Proplan, order ribbons from NZARO (1 st /2 nd), prizes to 3rd			Shared lunch	

11 th & 12 th September 2021 Ch Agility x 2, Ch Jumpers x 2, AD Trial, ADXA Trial				
Schedule due 31 st May for July Dog World			Entries close: 15 th August	
Show Manager				
Start Time				
Judges				
Expenses				
Accommodation				
Travel				
Saturday				
Sunday				
Prizes/Ribbons/Spnsor	Judges' Gifts	Judges' Meals	Catering	Job Roster
Ribbons 3 rd – 10%, prizes 1-3, \$25, \$20, \$15Proplan?			Mikey's Kai food truck and Archie Coffee van?	

11 th & 12 th September 2021 Championship Obedience Tests x 3					
Schedule due 31 st May for July Dog World			Entries close: 29 th August		
Show Manager					
Start Time					
Judges		Steve Hull (contract 2b retrnd)			
Expenses					
Accommodation					
Travel		Airfares paid, flights tb bkd			
Saturday					
Sunday					
Prizes/Ribbons/Spnsor	Judges' Gifts	Judges' Meals	Catering		Job Roster
Ribbons 1- 5 Beg/Nov, 1-3 A,B,C Prizes 1-3, \$25, \$20, \$15 Proplan?			Mikey's Kai food truck and Archie Coffee van?		

18th & 19th September 2021 Championship Rally-O x 4

Schedule due 30th June for August Dog World

Entries close: 5th September

Show Manager				
Start Time				
Judges	Arend van den Bos to be contracted	Barbara McDonald?		
Expenses				
Accommodation				
Travel				
Saturday				
Sunday				
Prizes/Ribbons/Spnsor	Judges' Gifts	Judges' Meals	Catering	Job Roster
Proplan, prizes/ribbons to 3 rd , ribbons to be ordered?				

3rd October 2021 Agility Ribbon Trial

Not scheduled

Show Manager				
Start Time				
Judges				
Expenses				
Accommodation				
Travel				
Saturday				
Sunday				
Prizes/Ribbons/Spnsor	Judges' Gifts	Judges' Meals	Catering	Job Roster

7th November 2021 Obedience Ribbon Trial

Show Manager				
Start Time				
Judges				
Expenses				
Accommodation				
Travel				
Saturday				
Sunday				
Prizes/Ribbons/Spnsor	Judges' Gifts	Judges' Meals	Catering	Job Roster

27th & 28th November 2021 NZARO Rally-O Trials x 2

Pre-entry and entry on the day

Show Manager				
Start Time				
Judges	Sheelah Stevens to be contracted			
Expenses				
Accommodation				
Travel	Flights to be sorted			
Saturday				
Sunday				
Prizes/Ribbons/Spnsor	Judges' Gifts	Judges' Meals	Catering	Job Roster
Proplan, order ribbons from NZARO (1 st /2 nd), prizes to 3rd			Shared lunch	

General Business

- **Access to Email Addresses**

The issue of being able to access the various club email addresses was raised. Diana has the login details of all addresses but can't get into some of them because Google requires a security code that is currently going to Donna, and can't always be accessed straight away. Diana has briefly discussed this with Donna but Donna felt it was better to leave it as it was. The committee felt that this should be changed so that the Secretary has full access to all inboxes, so the security number/address needs to be one the Secretary can access immediately. Diana will ask Donna to change this.

- **Training Fees**

Dianne asked for clarification on when training fees increased to \$8. The increase was to start from the next new block for each code, not a specific date. Those training without an instructor (usually Seniors) pay 50% (\$4).

A member had asked if they could be paid in cash rather than club dollars for instructing, as they have no use for club dollars. Previous decisions by the committee have been that we can't afford to pay instructors, and making an exception for one person would mean having to pay others. The request had therefore been turned down.

Meeting closed: 9.40pm

Next meeting: 15th April 7pm

Agility Equipment we would like to replace in near future.



Old spread jump we can not adjust heights, new style set in wings



Agility Stuff \$350 plus GST



Blind jump on basic frame, new style is set with wings



Agility Stuff \$355 plus GST



Old long jump



Agility Stuff \$300 plus GST Plus \$100 plus GST for poles

We have 10 wings, another four plus the blind and spread jump would take us to sixteen the ideal amount to run a show.



Unusable - Gear to sell

Three sets of weaves, Note – Only one set of poles



Weave poles support bars are on both sides, pipe to hold poles are too thin



Poles must go over metal supports



Weaves are up in the rafters out the back



Old red tunnel,



Old wooden blind boards,



One set of old poles (maybe more in drum out the back



Six wooden and two metal (to confirm) old style jumps, they are the correct height but no judges want to use for shows



Only two at the club, others are at EQ centre



Assorted poles
Jump poles, weaves poles

These can be sold off

Results of Relocation Survey (as at 16th March)

30 respondents so far

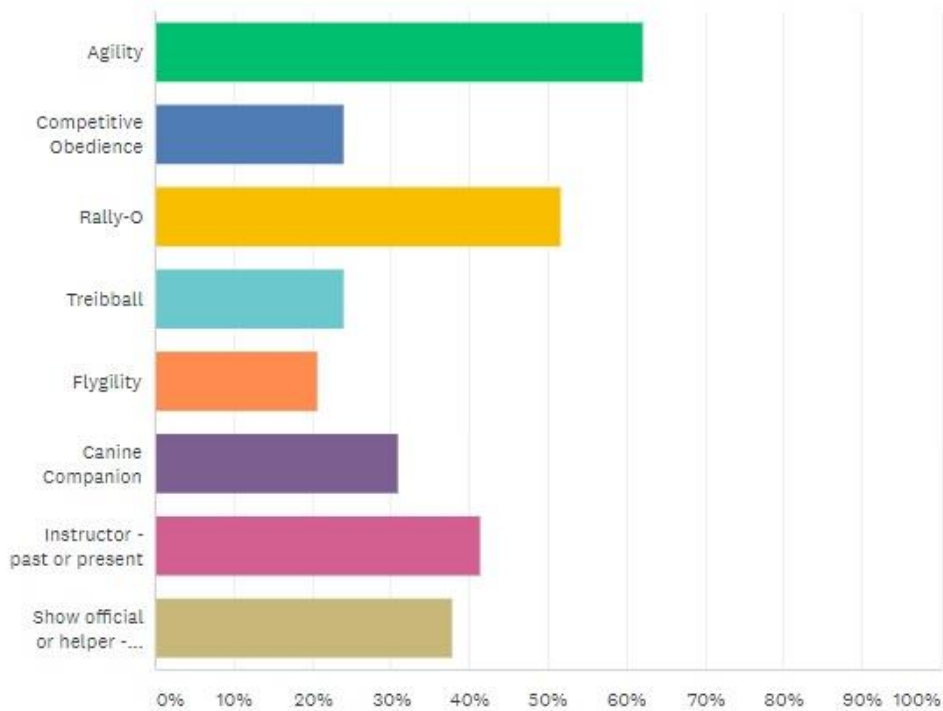
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Which activities are you interested in or involved in at OCTC? Please tick all that apply.

Answered: 29 Skipped: 1

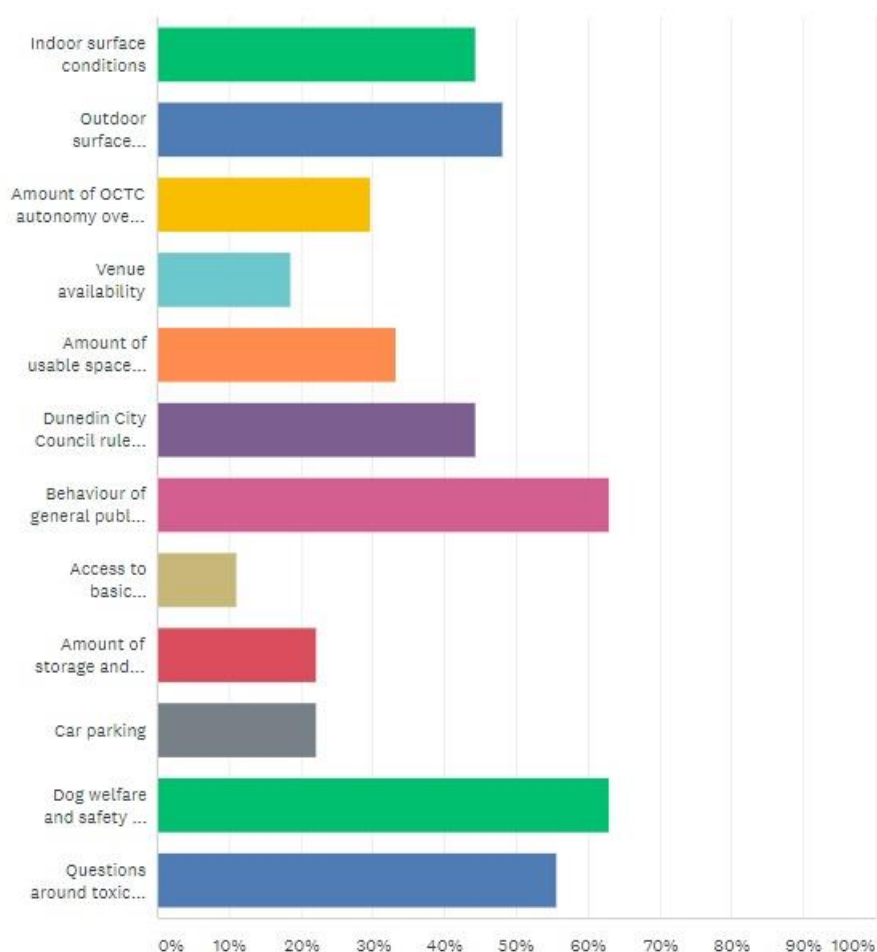


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agility	62.07%	18
Competitive Obedience	24.14%	7
Rally-O	51.72%	15
Treibball	24.14%	7
Flygility	20.69%	6
Canine Companion	31.03%	9
Instructor - past or present	41.38%	12
Show official or helper - past or present	37.93%	11
Total Respondents: 29		



Below is a list of issues with the Forrester Park venue that have been raised by members. Please tick all those that you personally have experienced or consider to be a significant problem.

Answered: 27 Skipped: 3

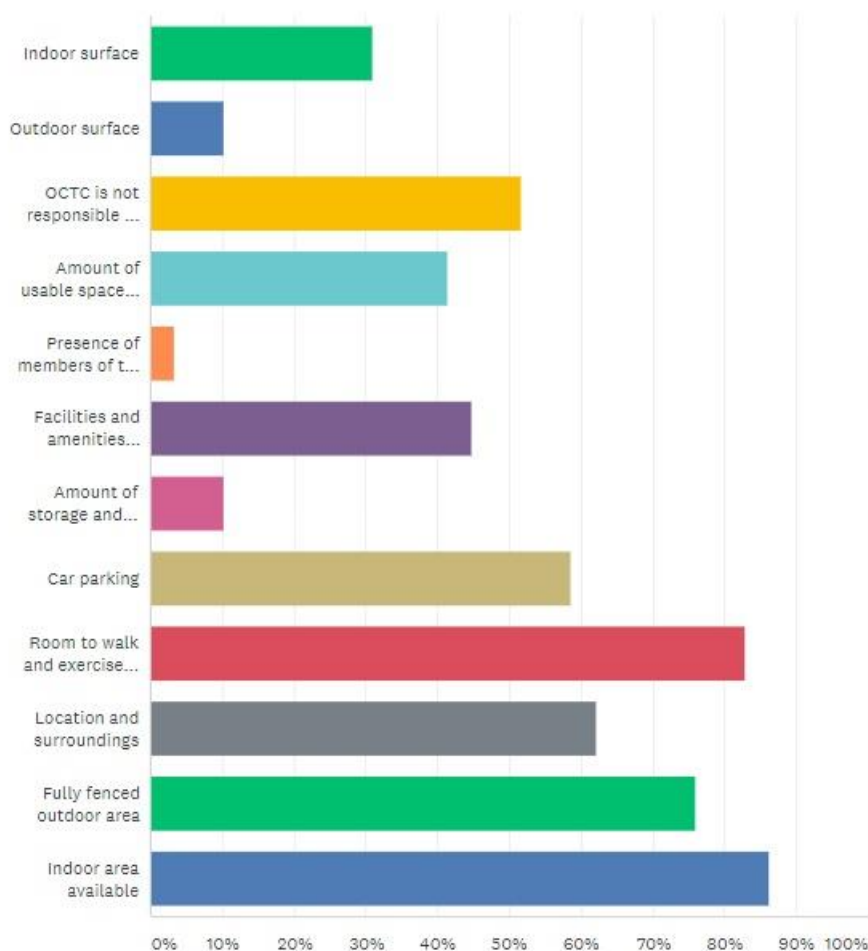


ANSWER CHOICES ▼	RESPONSES ▼	
▼ Indoor surface conditions	44.44%	12
▼ Outdoor surface conditions	48.15%	13
▼ Amount of OCTC autonomy over any aspect of venue or its use	29.63%	8
▼ Venue availability	18.52%	5
▼ Amount of usable space (inside or outside)	33.33%	9
▼ Dunedin City Council rules and restrictions	44.44%	12
▼ Behaviour of general public and loose dogs	62.96%	17
▼ Access to basic facilities (eg running water), hygiene, and general amenity of venue	11.11%	3
▼ Amount of storage and display space	22.22%	6
▼ Car parking	22.22%	6
▼ Dog welfare and safety - shade and ventilation, security in vehicles, uncontrolled public dogs etc	62.96%	17
▼ Questions around toxic seepage and ground water.	55.56%	15
Total Respondents: 27		



Which of the following aspects of Forrester Park do you think are PARTICULARLY good things? It's fine if your answers are contradictory with Question 2 - most issues aren't black and white.

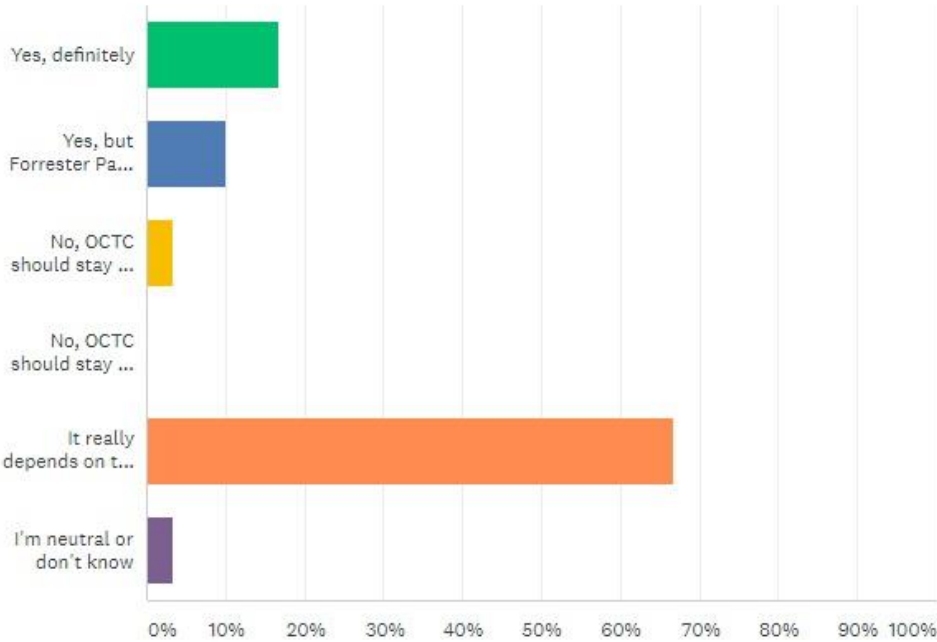
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ANSWER CHOICES ▼	RESPONSES ▼
▼ Indoor surface	31.03% 9
▼ Outdoor surface	10.34% 3
▼ OCTC is not responsible for costs, repairs or maintenance	51.72% 15
▼ Amount of usable space (inside or outside)	41.38% 12
▼ Presence of members of the public and other dogs	3.45% 1
▼ Facilities and amenities available	44.83% 13
▼ Amount of storage and display space	10.34% 3
▼ Car parking	58.62% 17
▼ Room to walk and exercise dogs	82.76% 24
▼ Location and surroundings	62.07% 18
▼ Fully fenced outdoor area	75.86% 22
▼ Indoor area available	86.21% 25
Total Respondents: 29	

If a suitable venue could be found, do you think OCTC should relocate?

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

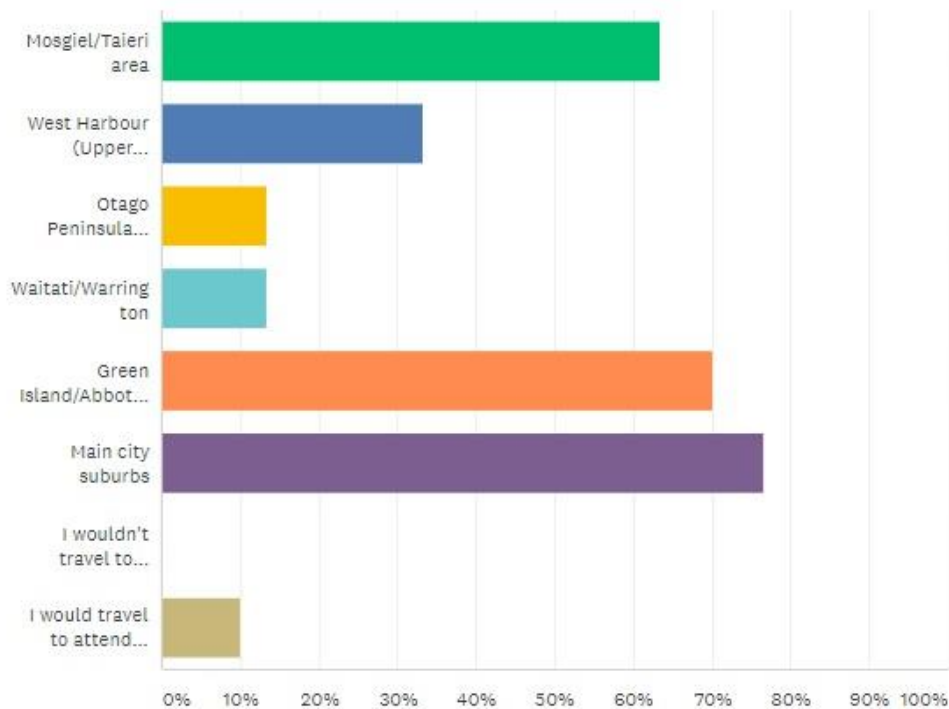


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes, definitely	16.67%	5
Yes, but Forrester Park should still be used for some activities that are suited to it	10.00%	3
No, OCTC should stay at Forrester Park and negotiate with DogsNZ and Dunedin City Council to resolve its problems	3.33%	1
No, OCTC should stay at Forrester Park and carry on as normal.	0.00%	0
It really depends on the new venue and whatever arrangements come with it.	66.67%	20
I'm neutral or don't know	3.33%	1
TOTAL		30



If the club relocated elsewhere, what areas would you be prepared to travel to to attend classes? Please tick all answers that apply

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

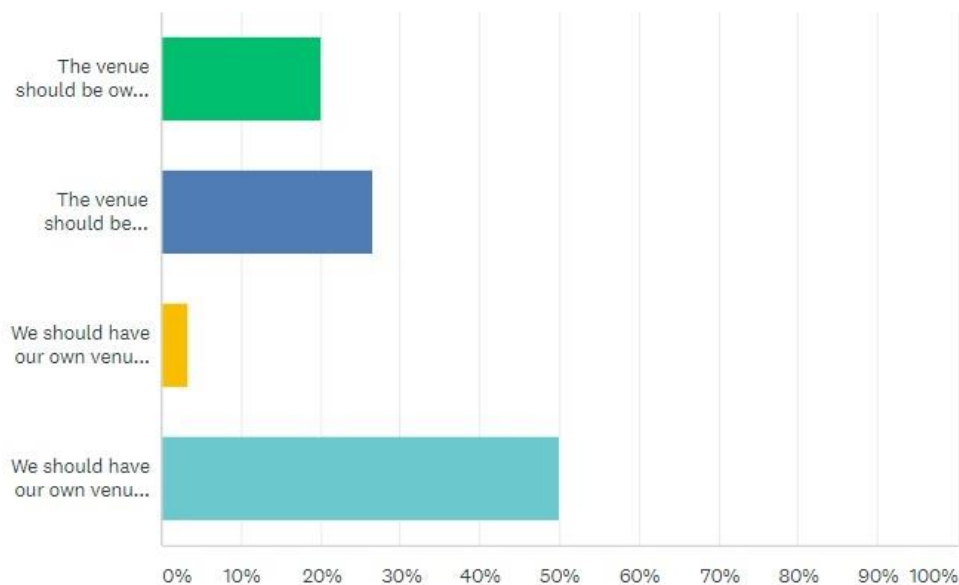


ANSWER CHOICES ▼	RESPONSES ▼	
▼ Mosgiel/Taieri area	63.33%	19
▼ West Harbour (Upper Junction/Ravensbourne - Port Chalmers)	33.33%	10
▼ Otago Peninsula (Macandrew Bay - Portobello)	13.33%	4
▼ Waitati/Warrington	13.33%	4
▼ Green Island/Abbotsford/Fairfield	70.00%	21
▼ Main city suburbs	76.67%	23
▼ I wouldn't travel to classes anywhere else	0.00%	0
▼ I would travel to attend classes but not as frequently as I do now	10.00%	3
Total Respondents: 30		



If OCTC moved to a new location, do you think:

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
▼ The venue should be owned and operated by DogsNZ, as Forrester Park is now	20.00%	6
▼ The venue should be shared with the other local clubs	26.67%	8
▼ We should have our own venue for our exclusive use	3.33%	1
▼ We should have our own venue, but hire it out to other users	50.00%	15
TOTAL		30