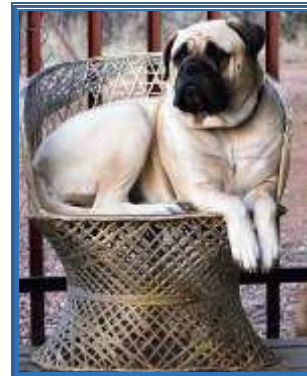


CAPE BULLMASTIFF CLUB



NEWS LETTER JANUARY 2015



From the Chair: The Committee of the CBC extends the hand and paw of friendship and sends 2015 greetings to all our members and friends and hope they will stay with us throughout the year. We intend to make 2015 another year to be remembered!

The 4th AGM of the CBC was held on the 24th January at the Dutch Reformed Church in Briza and was well attended and was also supported by our Patron Chris Pretorius. For those members not able to be present the minutes, the report from the Chairlady and Financials are included in this News Letter e-mail. Thank you to all who sent in their apologies and of course, to those who attended the meeting - and to all who have paid their membership for 2015☺.

The progress of the Character and Breed Assessment documentation through KUSA has been an almost four year culmination of hard work and has now been approved by the Federal Council of KUSA. We will keep you updated.

The following Trophies were handed out to the winning participants



CBC National Bullmastiff of the Year Trophy 2014 –Robinson

Chizelhurst Trophy for Top Regional Bullmastiff 2014 – Bower

LaGratitude Trophy for Reserve National Bullmastiff 2014 – Robinson

LaGratitude Trophy for Reserve Regional Bullmastiff 2014 – Joubert / Rogers

Juhon Stud Dog of the Year Trophy 2014 – Robinson

Juhon National Puppy Trophy 2014 – Robinson

The Durango Duke Regional Puppy of the Year Trophy 2014 – Bower

CBC Breeder of the Year - Tony van der Lith

Sue Spooner Memorial Trophy (KUSA Breed and Disciplines) 2014 – Joubert / Rogers

Cape Bullmastiff Club AGM photo album



Patron & Chairlady



Jost & Ulla



Okker & “Connie”



An amazing group of people with their Bullmastiffs ☺



Samson and "Spooner"



Sammy & "Jazz"



Chris & Petrus



Jeanne & John



Bernhard, Retha & Anam – just WHAT were they looking at?

CBC 4th TROPHY SHOW: SCHEDULE

01 February 2015



Kevin Young – the Judge

In 2008 Kevin lived and worked at the Monastery at the Great Saint Bernard Pass in the Swiss Alps, the original birthplace of Saint Bernard's. Kevin lived in the attic of the Monastery working as the dog keeper for the summer, caring for the dogs and exercising them daily in the mountains and interacting with the hundreds of tourists visiting the kennels each day.

Kevin will be the CBC Judge for our Trophy Show – please support him with a good entry☺



Babs Gillatt – our Ring Steward shows us how it is done!



**OFFICIAL SCHEDULE FOR THE FOURTH ANNUAL OPEN TROPHY
SHOW OF THE CAPE BULLMASTIFF CLUB**
Affiliated to the Kennel Union of S A

**THIS SPECIALITY SHOW WILL BE HELD AT JAGTERSHOF SPORTS
FIELD KUILSRIVER IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE LIESBEEK KENNEL
CLUB SHOW**

**DATE: 01 FEBRUARY 2015
TIME: 08H00**

JUDGE: KEVIN YOUNG

**BREED CLASSES: BABY PUPPY 4-6 MONTHS, MINOR PUPPY 6-9 MONTHS, PUPPY 9-
12 MONTHS, JUNIOR, GRADUATE, VETERANS, SA BRED, OPEN AND CHAMPIONS**
**ALL CLASS WINNERS WILL BE ELIGIBLE FOR BOB
BEST NEUTERED DOG TO BE JUDGED AFTER THE BIS
ROSETTES FOR EVERY CLASS AND PRIZES GALORE**
TROPHIES: BIS (BOB), RBOB, BEST PUPPY, BEST HANDLER, BEST HEAD and more

**ENTRY FEE FOR MEMBERS: R40 FOR FIRST DOG R35 THEREAFTER
NON MEMBERS: R45 FOR FIRST DOG R40 THEREAFTER
ENTRIES WILL BE DONE ON THE DAY FROM 06H00 TO 08H00**

**SHOW MANAGER: INA JENKINS
VET ON CALL FOR BULLMASTIFFS: DR ILZE GERSBACH /
STELLENBOSCH ANIMAL HOSPITAL**

**THERE WILL BE A SHOW ASSISTANT – WHO WILL BE IDENTIFIED WITH A CBC
ROSETTE - WHO WILL BE AVAILABLE TO HELP EXHIBITORS WITH THEIR LOGISTICS**

RIGHT OF ADMISSION RESERVED

**ALL EXHIBITORS / HANDLERS ARE PERSONALLY RESPONSIBLE
FOR THE CONTROL OF THEIR DOGS AT ALL TIMES AND SHALL BE
PERSONALLY LIABLE FOR ANY CLAIMS WHICH MAY BE MADE IN
RESPECT OF INJURIES WHICH MAY ARISE OR BE CAUSED BY
THEIR DOGS**

**Enquiries: secretary@capebullmastiffclub.co.za or Chairlady
Nicky info@capebullmastiffclub.co.za OR 0829239702**

Exhibitors - please submit your points as soon as possible

Completing the Kennel Management series *The registration of the puppies and further* *responsibilities of the Breeder*

Immunization

No kennel can be managed correctly if the dogs are not healthy. Apart from having all the necessary articles for comfort and safety of the dogs, there should also be an ongoing immunization and de-worming programme under the direction and supervision of a veterinarian.

The first immunization is usually done at six weeks of age along with the implantation of the mandatory microchip. There are various combinations available depending of the maker of the vaccine, but distemper, infectious hepatitis, para- influenza and a parvovirus combination are the most used. Some contain an optional leptospirosis and / or coronavirus combination. A booster should follow this a month later. Thereafter an annual booster is necessary to maintain immunity. No breeder should ever re-home a puppy that has not been immunised and received a health clearance check from a veterinarian.

All breeders should also have their puppies inoculated against rabies from four months of age and onwards as this is now considered to be endemic throughout the land.

Registration with KUSA

The Kennel Union of Southern Africa is the governing body for breeders who wish to register their puppies for national and international recognition. They may do this with or without an approved Affix. Either way each individual pup is then supplied with a registration certificate which also carries the microchip number. This should be signed over to the new owner.

The KUSA also allows breeders the option of placing breeding restrictions on their puppies when they register them. These can be lifted by the breeder at a later stage should it be desired.

Contracts

Some breeders sell their pups on contract, which in principle is a sound practise. However if these contracts are not monitored and followed up regularly, they can be a waste of time.

Whatever the policies, reputable breeders should accept lifelong responsibility for the puppies bred by them

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Contact Johan at Pet Creations 021 8510362 or 0793146351
Pet Creations has donated a second crate with their logo on - to be used at
the shows. Look for the sponsorship logo ☺



CBC Stud Register Mandate accepted by the Committee June 2012

The Cape Bullmastiff Club manages a Stud Register. There are certain definite requirements which are placed on the data base such as HD and ED ratings, CBA or any other KUSA Discipline tests such as DMA, APT, Obedience, Carting Agility and CGC. A SAVA Eye Clearance certificate is a strong recommendation.

A three generation KUSA Pedigree is also essential as is a side and frontal photo. If requested these particulars are given to any prospective breeder seeking a suitable sire.

The CBC does not take any responsibility for personal decisions made and only acts as a distributor of the information with permission from the owner.

Contact info@capebullmastiffclub.co.za for more information

PAT with our Patron Chris Pretorius

Chris recently tested twelve seven week old puppies to assess their compatibility with their new home environments. Areas visited included social attraction, following, restraint, social dominance, elevation dominance, retrieving, touch, sound & sight sensitivity and of course structure. Here are a few photos for viewing



DMA (Dog Mentality Assessment) & APT (Aptitude Testing)
Plan now for the weekend of the 9th & 10th May
More news as it comes out



The winner of the ID competition was Edmond Bullmastiffs – Zanalee Edwards -A year's free membership is all yours. Congratulations 😊

The answer was Anel van Staden from Lamejor Bullmastiffs. Thanks to all who participated in this bit of fun

FUN SHOTS FROM THE FAMILY ALBUMS



*IF YOU WISH TO REMAIN A MEMBER OF THE
CAPE BULLMASTIFF CLUB:-*

**IT'S TIME TO
RENEW YOUR
MEMBERSHIP!**



***FIRST NATIONAL BANK: STRAND BRANCH: CODE200612:
ACCOUNT NUMBER 62330734048 – R120-THANK YOU
PLEASE USE YOUR NAME AS REFERENCE***

***(A payment made into the CBC account on the 14th January 2015 with reference
“Absa bank annual fee” with no name cannot be processed. Please will the member
contact me at info@capebullmastiffclub.co.za asap.***

WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS:

JACQUES & SAMANTHA DU PLESSIS WHO ARE OWNED BY KIRA & LEO



***ANDRIES & LOUISE OELOFSE WHO HAVE A LITTER OF PUPS – SOME STILL
NEEDING HOMES***



AND LOUIS LE ROUX FROM GEORGE



FUN IN ABUNDANCE☺

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