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**Year Book  
2022/2023**





# The 137th Annual Conference of Delegates

of Dogs New Zealand  
will be held at the

Icon Room, Te Papa,  
55 Cable Street, Wellington

on

Saturday 24 June 2023

commencing at 10.00 am

## Business

1. Roll call
2. Obituaries
3. Minutes of 2022 Annual Conference of Delegates
4. Life Member's Award
5. Certificate of Appreciation Award
6. Breeders Hall of Fame Award
7. Reports
  - President's
  - Financials (year ending 31 March 2023) /Capex Committee Report
8. Remits (6)
9. Recommendations (3)
10. Presentation
  - Lower North Island Venue Decision Presentation
  - PD Insurance Partnership Presentation
11. Announcement of Votes Recorded (SI Executive Council)
12. Election of Vice Presidents (NI and SI) and Senior Vice President
13. Confirmation of President
14. Presentation of badges
15. Auditor and solicitor approval
16. Authority to borrow
17. General Business

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# President's Annual Report

The 2022/23 year has seen the return to some normality in the club.

Let us review the last twelve months.

- During 2022 National Events including the scheduled FCI shows, National Dog Show, NZDAC and NDOA recommenced.
- We relied heavily on local judges to maintain a healthy show schedule during 2021/22 and although the return of overseas judges has been welcomed, we must remember it was the local judges that got us through the lockdown period and we must continue to support their future development.
- The decline in membership has stabilised and we are now focused on automating membership renewals and introducing new member recruitment programmes.
- The balance sheet remains strong with nil debt and healthy cash reserves.



## Financial 22/23 Results

Dogs NZ posted an operating surplus of \$200k before depreciation and extraordinary items. This resulted in a net operating surplus of \$142k after depreciation but a final net audited deficit of \$(75,427) after accounting for mark to market unrealised losses from the investment fund. This was against a budget deficit of \$(58,046).

Before the impact of COVID we were facing a long-term scenario of static revenues and increasing costs. Our focus needs to be on driving registration and membership revenue as well as controlling event and governance costs.

The key is to use our strong balance sheet and healthy cash reserves to invest in growth.

## Capex / Strategy Committees

### *Strategy Committee*

Chaired by Martin Hewitt, the Strategy Sub committee's role has been to recommend a 5-10 year strategy to guide the annual business planning for Dogs NZ.

We have had a number of attempts in previous years to complete a long-term strategy for our organisation and it was important that the committee presented to EC and the membership a strategy for a future that is achievable and one which positions Dogs NZ as the premier national canine organisation in NZ. The document presented has now been adopted and will guide Executive Council for the next five years.

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### *Capex Committee*

Capital Expenditure Committee chaired by Steve Tate has worked hard along with the Lower North Island Property Committee lead by Lisa Slade to find a suitable site in the Lower North Island to conduct our dog shows. After extensive investigations, three excellent options were presented to EC and after some vigorous debate it was decided to go with the Manfield option. A presentation will be part of ACOD 2023.

### **Sponsorship**

Nestle Purina is our naming sponsorship and we are working closely with the Pro-Plan team to develop a number of programmes to support breeders, new puppy owners, canine training and the promotion of club shows. I want to express my gratitude to the Pro-Plan team lead by Miranda Stevens for their support.

This year we welcomed PD Insurance as a major sponsor and we look forward to a very successful relationship going forward.

### **Reputation & Relationships**

Dogs NZ has continued to extend its contacts with outside organisations to strengthen our own organisation. Key initiatives in the past year include:

#### *FCI*

- On Easter Monday the 4th FCI CACIB show was held In Christchurch and a number of dogs qualified for their C.I.B. title. Congratulations to all the successful exhibitors.
- The next FCI show will also be in Christchurch in August and plans are already well advanced.
- Already confirmed for 2024 will be FCI CACIB shows in Tauranga and Christchurch with the possibility of shows in the Lower North Island.

#### *Government*

- We maintain a strong relationship with MPI/NAWAC. They are seeking our input into upcoming legislation such as Animals in Sports and breeder legislation.

#### *NGO's*

- We continue to strengthen our ties with organisations that impact our dog community.
- The NZVA-CAV officer sits on our Canine Health and Welfare Committee.
- We continue to work closely with the SPCA Inspectorate team and cooperated with them on a high-profile court case involving a Dogs NZ registered kennel name that resulted in a successful prosecution.

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### *Canine Health & Welfare*

- The development of a RFG scheme in conjunction with the University of Cambridge for breathing tolerance testing for Brachycephalic dogs was delayed by COVID but the first Vet training workshops are to start in June.
- Currently LRLs are in place for Labradors, Rottweilers, Pugs, German Shepherd Dogs, Bouviers, Bernese Mountain Dogs, Dachshund (LH) and Dachshund Min. SH.
- Continued progress in assisting breeds to adopt LRLs- Staffordshire Bull Terriers, Samoyeds, other Dachshund varieties, Golden Retrievers, English Springer Spaniels, Bearded Collie, Border Collie, Miniature Poodles and American Hairless Terrier.
- A health scheme to be used by judges in New Zealand similar to that in Scandinavian countries has been rolled out and data collected will be used for the benefit of our members. A review of the process has resulted in the simplification of the paperwork judges are required to complete.

### **National Office Staff**

I want to thank all our staff who worked so hard over the past twelve months and I'm sure that the new offices make life much more bearable.

### **Executive Council**

During the year Executive Councillor Donna Hailes passed away. This was a huge shock to EC and Donna will be missed by all. Dogs NZ has commissioned a plaque to be placed on the memorial wall at McLeans Island to honour Donna's service to the club. This will be unveiled at the August FCI show and you are all invited to attend.

I want to take this opportunity to express our deepest condolences to Ronald and the family.

### **Finally**

And finally, I want to thank the Executive Council for their hard work under tiring conditions to keep our club a viable functioning entity.

More importantly I want to thank those many people outside of EC who have done so much for our club over the last year.

- The committee of Canine Health and Welfare who have done another superb job this year.
- John Green, Paul Robinson and Catherine McManus whose sound advice on the Audit and Risk Committee has been invaluable.
- The Capex Committee who had to make some tough calls this year and going forward.



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- Geoff Whitfield who as Chair of the Complaints Committee has done an amazing job dealing with issues that take a special person.
- Martin Hewitt and the Breed Standards Committee.
- The Chairs of the Dogs NZ properties and their committees.
- The NZ Dog Judges Assn. Sadly Ray Greer has been forced to stand down as President of NZDJA during the year due to health concerns. We wish Ray well with his treatment.
- The Trustees of the Dogs NZ Museum Trust.
- The Junior Dog Training and Conformation committees.

As you can see Executive Council relies heavily on the contributions and support of a huge number of individuals to keep your club functioning and progressing. To you all and the many more that I have missed my very grateful thanks. 🐾

**Brian Harris**  
**President**

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# Committee Reports

## Agility

Thankfully Labour weekend 2022 saw the return of the NZ Dog Agility Championships following a COVID Hiatus, with a very successful event being hosted by Zone 4 and held at Mandeville Sports Club just outside Christchurch. It was certainly great to see everyone congregated in one place again.

The latest iteration of the Agility Committee has taken over the helm following their inaugural meeting in December. In addition to the day to day running of the sport we have undertaken two major initiatives to be completed this year;

In August the Agility Committee will be hosting the first ever Agility Conference where delegates from agility clubs throughout NZ will gather at the DNZ Exhibition Centre at Ardmore to hear presentations and discuss a range of topics. The Conference is designed to ensure the growth of the sport of agility and club wellbeing into the future, and to provide an opportunity for clubs to network with each other, sharing ideas and information. Thank you to DNZ Executive Council for supporting this initiative.

The Committee has agreed to subsidise judges to attend either an online or in person training provided by international trainers. The training has been designed to ensure that our judges are aware of the latest information on safe course design for the continued safety of our sport.

January saw substantial regulation changes introduced affecting agility grades and Titles, including the removal of separate AD and ADX advanced courses, with these being replaced by classes at every Championship show held. The early part of the year was spent ensuring that these changes were working as intended.

Unfortunately, our summer schedule was interrupted by weather events with the cancellation of a number of shows. However, this provided an opportunity for the agility community to again gather and provide support. Firstly, a coordinated collection of bedding and food items being collected from events across the country and delivered to HUHANZ, who were providing emergency shelter and care for animals across the North Island. Secondly, a benefit show was held to raise money for Clubs in Cyclone effected areas and this saw Zone 3 clubs conduct the first ever "8 times jumpers event". As is always the case the generosity and support of all our members in these times of adversity is heartfelt.

Our thanks go out to all the volunteers that make this sport what it is. 🐾

**Paul Taylor**  
Agility Committee Chair



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## Breed Standards

The Breed Standards Committee considered a number matters by Email and Teleconference during the year.

Items considered and decisions made this year included:

- Rhodesian Ridgeback – Change of Standard to FCI No-146
- Miniature American Shepherd – Amended the description of the tail
- Border Collie – Amended the ear carriage description
- Sloughi – Breed standard updated to the current Kennel Club (UK) Standard

New Breeds recognised during the year:

- American Hairless Terrier – Terrier Group

I take this opportunity to thank the members of this committee for their work and contribution during the year: Annette Buxton, Wendy Schwalger, Kathleen Hardwick, Sue Chaytor, Gary Carleton and Stephen Meredith. 🐾

**Martin Hewitt**  
**Breed Standards Committee Chair**

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## Canine Health & Welfare

The Canine Health & Welfare Committee has had an active year with meetings resuming post-COVID enabling initiatives to progress.

Key priorities are the continued promotion of minimum health testing requirements for the sire and dam of litters, the rollout of the Respiratory Function Grading (RFG) Scheme for brachycephalic breeds (Pugs, French Bulldogs & Bulldogs), the Breeders Code of Conduct, and a review of the Accredited Breeders Scheme. Looking to the future work has begun, in alignment with other kennel clubs around the world, to understand the role of parentage by DNA as a future means of ensuring the accuracy of the Dogs NZ registry and pedigree documentation issued.

Minimum breed-specific health testing requirements for the sire and dam of litters are established in the Registry Regulations as Litter Registration Limitations (LRL). The 2022/23 year has seen LRLs established for German Shepherd Dogs, Dachshund (Long Haired), Dachshund (Miniature Smooth Haired), and Bernese Mountain Dogs established, with a growing number of breeds submitting proposals. An aspirational goal of 2030 has been set to have LRLs in place for all breeds registered with Dogs NZ. Several minor improvements to the LRL process have been made which will be reflected in the Regulations.

Although minimum breed-specific health testing requirements are the basis for LRLs, they do not address all breed health testing, nor do they recognise excellence in breed knowledge, breeding practises or dog husbandry and welfare. The CHWC strongly believes there is a need for a scheme that recognises Breeder excellence, and which can be leveraged to promote DNZ breeders. CHWC are working towards the development of a refreshed and up to date scheme for mid – late 2023.

The Breeders Code of Conduct has been updated to best reflect the process around dispensations. The CHWC actively reviews dispensation applications and aims to help breeders align their practises with those that will not be challenged externally. This is as best as possible a mechanism to safeguard Dogs NZ and our breeders from externally imposed Breeding Codes of Practice which are currently in discussion with government and non-government agencies.

The scientifically validated Respiratory Function Grading Scheme is the cornerstone of breed health testing for brachycephalic breeds which continue to be in the spotlight. The Canine Health and Welfare Officer has completed training in the UK to become the Chief Assessor for NZ, meaning that she trains the vets who independently assess the dogs. This scheme is due for rollout mid-2023 and we look forward to the collection of science-based data that will provide a clear indication of the respiratory health status of the 3 currently validated brachycephalic breeds for RFG in NZ. 🐾

**Lynley Drummond**  
**Canine Health & Welfare Chair**

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## Dog Training

I resumed as Dog Training Committee chairperson in February of this year after the resignation of the previous chairperson, so I have only been in the role for a few months. However, I had been the deputy chairperson from June 2022 and have previously held the position of chairperson from 2013 to 2019.

The main Dog Training disciplines (Obedience, Rally-O and Working Trials) have been fairly static for a few years as far as entry numbers go. However, we are starting to see encouraging signs of increasing numbers in the entry level obedience classes which we hope will flow into the higher classes in the coming years.

We have also established an obedience working group to come up with ideas on how to grow obedience. This may include the introduction of new classes that people can enter alongside the traditional obedience classes to encourage existing and new competitors. We will also work with the Rally-O and Working Trials subcommittees to determine what can be done to grow and support those disciplines.

We were happy to be able to run a full National Dog Obedience Assembly in Auckland in 2022 after COVID resulted in the cancellation of the 2020 NODA and the need to limit participation in the 2021 Christchurch NDOA to Central and Southern Region competitors only.

In December 2022 we held our third Domestic Dog Training Conference in Wellington. This was well attended and was a great success in terms of both positive feedback and the financial result. This success was largely due to the excellent organisation of Karen Sadler and her team. We hope to hold the next conference in 2024.

We are pleased to have the opportunity to bring back Obedience to the National Dog Show at Ardmore this year, albeit on a limited basis. The 2022 National Dog Show was the only National since 1959 not to include Obedience.

We are slowly making progress on a dog training certification scheme for our domestic dog trainers with the aim of getting Dogs New Zealand certified by Companion Animals New Zealand (CANZ). At that point Dogs NZ can certify trainers as meeting the CANZ Animal Training Instructor standard. We will be resuming our train the trainers programme this year and will develop a code of conduct and a Dogs NZ trainer certification system to align with the CANZ standards. 🐾

**Geoff Collins**  
**Dog Training Committee Chair**

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## Junior Dog Training

It has been the usual full-on year of fundraising and planning for the annual camp for the JDT Committee.

Our fundraising efforts stepped up a level with the inaugural JDT Benefit Show, held at Timara Park in Feilding in August. A 6x Championship Jumpers and 6x JDT classes made for a jam-packed weekend for the team to get through and, with high entries, a lot of hard mahi took place. It was great to see our teenage members really step up and take charge of getting the jobs done, and every JDT member there played their part. The show raised nearly \$3,000, which was a great result. We received a huge amount of sponsorship in the way of prizes, and Purina kindly also provided product for the winners.

Another fundraising success for JDT was two epic raffles with prizes ranging from agility lessons to Merrell shoes - thanks to Jude Taylor the raffles raised more than \$2,700.

Without these efforts, and generous donations from agility clubs and the agility committee, we would not have covered the costs for the 2023 camp, which took place at the Highland Homes Christian Camp in Ashurst once again.

More than 40 kids had the usual fantastic week of training, learning, having fun, completing challenges, making friends and generally having a blast. It is always so rewarding to see how much the kids grow in confidence and skill during this week. In subsequent agility shows onlookers often comment on the huge improvement in their handling. Knowing the future of our sport is looking so good makes all the hard yards worthwhile.

As always, camp director Cam List and his team of trainers are instrumental in making camp the amazing experience it is – huge thanks to them all.

NZDAC last year was a successful one for our members, with many of them in the placings and Paige Catlin-Maybury taking out the Starters dog trophy with her dog Tyme. It was also immensely rewarding to see former JDT member Jess Tansey, who played a key role in the organisation of the event, handing the baton over for the 2023 show to Caitlin Frater, another former JDT member. Again, the role JDT plays in securing the future of agility should not be underestimated.

Now we look forward to another busy year as we work towards our next camp -in Christchurch! 🐾

**Polly Catlin-Maybury**  
**Junior Dog Training Committee Chair**



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## Purina Pro Plan Canine Good Citizen™

The Canine Good Citizen (CGC) programme was established approximately twenty-five years ago as part of Dogs NZ (then the New Zealand Kennel Club) endeavour to be recognised as a national authority regarding many matters concerning dog ownership, including, in this case, responsible dog ownership.

Such an ambitious programme has also been greatly enriched and enhanced by the very positive and generous ongoing support provided by Purina.

The CGC programme, which is available for all dogs, whether pure or cross bred, has from the outset, sought to provide dog owners, and members of the public, an assurance that their dog is likely to provide a favourable impression of what can be achieved when their dogs are well trained to deal with a range of distractions and environments.

Typical CGC training would include enabling dogs to be approached by friendly strangers (and even being petted); being able to walk beside a dog handler without having to be dragged along (or having the owner constantly pulling on the lead); walking through environments that might distract a dog sufficiently to maintain control. Walking past another dog for example or maybe even a cat or somebody with a mouth-watering hamburger.

Responsible dog ownership includes the ability to have a dog respond immediately to a range of commands, whether this be for safety or appropriate control reasons.

As reported in my last report for the ACOD, I felt that the NZ CGC programme had failed to keep up or adapt with changing societal attitudes and requirements. Considerable changes were required not only with regards to how and in what dogs were being assessed, but also the calibre of the Assessors themselves.

Unsurprisingly, such provocations led to vociferation of opinion. Tenaciously, the CGC Committee received sentiments expressed from varying sources regarding the changes proposed, which finally resulted proposals being recommended to the Dogs NZ EC.

As a result, the CGC Manual has, for the first time in its 25-year history, been revised and re-written to better reflect current expectations of responsible dog ownership, and how this should be assessed.

It has been further agreed that a review of the changes be made in three years.



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Because it was not one of the original CGC Exercises, one newly proposed exercise to yet be added to the CGC Manual is the Café Exercise. At the time of introducing the revised CGC Manual, this exercise was still undergoing refinement. However, it is hoped that by the time this report is read, this proposed Café Exercise will have received endorsement for the Dog NZ EC.

Over the past twelve months, through the absolute resolute and sterling efforts of Brian Harris, Steven Thompson, Suzy Moreno and Sue Conner, considerable work has been done to improve the administration of CGC. This has included updating varying administration processing, Webpage design, and a very necessary increased recognition of Canine Good Citizen Basics. 🐾

**Arend van den Bos**  
**CGC Chair**

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## Scent Work

As reported last year, Dogs NZ Scent Work continues to grow at an extraordinary rate. This has been enabled considerably due to the autonomy and confidence given by the Dogs NZ EC to its appointed Scent Work Committee.

Most members currently serving on this committee have done so since its inception. With their continued primary commitment and focus to promote and advance Dogs NZ Scent Work, this constancy has been a significant contributing factor for the successes up to now achieved.

This is not to say that attempts of recent (and ongoing) have not been made by varying parties and means to alter what has otherwise proven to be a consistent showpiece code for Dogs NZ. For the short term at least, the invariability of its maintenance is vital to sustain its ongoing development.

Dogs NZ Scent Work is Dogs NZ 's fastest code group, which has also significantly contributed to increasing its own National membership.

Dogs NZ Scent Work has established appeal from participants across the spectrum. Ranging from those already involved in a sanctioned Dogs NZ activity to those who are not, and join Dogs NZ in order to do so. Likewise, there has been a wide range of Dogs NZ Societies hosting Qualifying Dogs NZ Scent Work Trials, ranging from Kennel Associations through to single purpose Societies.

Since its inception, particular attention has been given to encouraging Breed Kennel Associations to become involved as this offers them enormous opportunity to diversify and gain in both membership and financially. To date, the Nelson Districts Kennel Association and Canterbury Kennel Association have flourished from pursuing this pathway.

Qualifying Dogs NZ Scent Work Trials continue to be conducted nationwide, with very large numbers of entries being received in the Auckland; Rotorua and South Island areas. Continued efforts to replicate such results are ongoing in other parts of the country, especially in the Lower North Island areas.

Outside of committee, I have continued to liaise with my counterpart (Sonja Needs) with the Australian National Kennel Council, to continue kindling a relationship that may ultimately benefit both Dogs NZ Scent Work and the Australian National Council in the development of Scent Work and, with a possibility of establishing a pathway for trans-Tasman Scent Work Trials.

Over the past twelve months, four additional Scent Work Classes have been added to the repertoire of Scent Work Trials, meaning that we have reached the halfway point of adopting ten of the twenty internationally recognised Scent Work Classes. A further four is being sought to be endorsed by Dogs NZ EC this year.



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This style of measured adoption has enabled all parties involved (especially Scent Work Judges and participants), an opportunity to gain familiarity with all its associated requirements. It also establishes a pace so that they do not feel either rushed or having to wait too long to advance. 🐾

**Arend van den Bos**  
**Scent Work Chair**

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## Young Dog Showing

The Young Dog Showing committee appreciates the support given to our 2022 raffle. This successful fundraiser provided a social event and the prizes at Finals Night held at the NDS in Auckland. Purina Proplan, True Vets and Pet N Sur also generously supported finals night.

We have recently started adding pages to the Juniors link on the Dogs New Zealand website. The event calendar makes it easier to see where the next heats are being held. We are always grateful to the clubs that makes time and rings available for the YDS competition.

The 2023 final is again being held in conjunction with the National Dog Show in Auckland.

Work has commenced on a review of our judge's manual and regulations This will streamline the JDH judges' qualification process.

Our national committee: Kelly Te Reo, Debbie Hull, Lynley Bray, Elza Maulder, Amelia Price-Gosman, Helen Dupe and NZDJA rep Ashleigh Donaldson Rogers have continued to support the Junior members programme across the country.

### Junior Dog Handling

Lynley Bray and Helen Dupe successfully coordinated another round of heats culminating in the final held in conjunction with the National Dog Show. These were filmed by the ASC Media crew resulting in the screening of a television series about Young Dog Handlers. Links to this can be found on the Dog NZ website. If you haven't already watched it, take the time to click on the link and have a look – the film crew did an amazing job, and so did all the young handlers.

Charly Houtos, the winner of the 2022 competition, along with her support crew, made the long trip to Birmingham to represent New Zealand at the Crufts International Junior Handler competition. From all accounts everyone had a great time and Charly did a fabulous job in getting through to the final eight.

A new competition year is well underway, and whilst we have said farewell to those who have aged out, it is heartening to see many new youngsters entering their journey into this exciting opportunity. 🐾

Margaret Wilson YDS Chair, Jill Brooker EC Liaison and Lynley Bray JDH Programme.

**Margaret Wilson**  
**Young Dog Showing Chair**



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## Auckland Property Management

The Auckland Property at Ardmore has had a successful year and it has been great to see the grounds being used after our long dry spell during COVID. The first-ever National Dog Show was hosted at the Auckland Venue and a lot of hard work was put in by both the Property team and the National Committees to have the grounds in the best possible shape for all our visitors. This was a well-run event and a great week for exhibitors. We look forward to hosting this event again later this year.



Sadly we lost two great supporters for the grounds in the last couple of years (Maree and Colleen), both of these ladies wanted to continue to support the grounds and kindly left a bequest in their will for special projects. Due to their generosity, we now have two off leash dog parks, and two brand new mowers for outdoor areas and we are well into the new winter overnight parking area project. This generosity has meant that we are able to look forward at ways to save on spending long term (no longer a need for a lawn contractor) and offer our exhibitors better services.

As with any large property, maintenance is ongoing and expensive. We are actively working with the Capex committee (as is Forrester Park) so that our long-term maintenance and continuous improvement programs are well planned and we can anticipate the expenses on the horizon.

There is always more to do than funds available and tough choices have to be made, so we are looking forward to installing two new water tanks, further upgrading electrical and lighting needs, along with updating the security/fire doors in our indoor area and installing security gates at the front of the property. Sadly a new floor for the indoor area did not make the cut this year, but we are hopeful this will be on the list for the next financial year.

One big tick is that the sewage upgrade project is in its final stages, Paul Robinson took on what we thought would be a quick 3-6 month project three years ago and has persevered through shutdowns and roadblocks that meant testing and inspections could not happen, to finally having the inspection visit from the Auckland Council recently. We are now on the countdown for this to be finished. This means we can now move on to the next big project of getting our resource consent reviewed and updated so that we can be in a position to have other options to generate income for the grounds.



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As always our grounds are presented to our members in the best possible condition, and this is due to the hard work and input from our amazing committee (and their families). This is a very dedicated group of volunteers that work hard to make the AEC venue the premier venue in New Zealand, and I thank them for all of their efforts during this last year. 🐾

**Christine Wood**  
**Auckland Property Management Group Chair**

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## Forrester Park Management

It has been a good year for Forrester Park with a lot of consistent support from local clubs and committed users and exhibitors.

As we see some normality returning to our bookings with most week nights regularly booked now and a number of new users enquiring for weekend bookings, I feel the facility is being better utilised.



Our relationship with the Dunedin City Council continues to improve with the availability to use the well maintained soccer fields in the off-season. Some of our local breed and agility clubs have already taken up this opportunity with a considerable amount of positive feedback. We are also in discussion with the DCC for improving vehicle access onto the dog park area which would help with vehicle parking and dog welfare when utilising the venue. However with FPMC having to apply for permits for the use of each of these different areas because they are not covered by our lease, we still meet some restrictions.

There has been a number of roof repairs completed this year and a preventative maintenance plan put in place to address future issues arising from ground and building movement. Repairs have also been carried out to the roof-spouting.

We have improved the existing roof drainage to help the flow of water to storm drains and minimise the risk of flooding in the future as well as correcting the existing drainage to comply with council regulations.

The Committee has also finalised plans for a new island bench unit to aid in storage and preparation surfaces in the kitchen with further plans to improve the venues kitchen in the future and addressing air circulation and ventilation within the building.

Moving forward we will continue to improve the every day running of our ageing facility while undertaking the maintenance required and continue to support and promote Dogs NZ in the Otago region.

I would like to thank the exhibitors and Clubs for their continued support and usage of the building as well as my hard working committee of volunteers for their time and effort to make this year a success. 🐾

**Simon Monson**

**Forrester Park Management Committee Chair**



# Conference Delegates

## Representing Associated Clubs

Auckland Group & Multibreed	Lynley Bray
Auckland Specialist	Margaret Wilson
Waikato	Pam Douglas
Taranaki/Wanganui	Steve Tate
Hawkes Bay	Bronwyn Murdoch
Wellington Group/Multibreed	Sonya Sloan
Wellington Specialist	Sonya Sloan
Canterbury Group/Multibreed	Bernard Fears
Canterbury Specialist	Bernard Fears
Otago/Southland	Janine King

## Representing Obedience Clubs

Geoff Collins: Chairperson  
Sue Howe: Northern Region Rep  
Rosemary Cleator: Central Region rep  
Bernadette Thompson: Southern Region Rep

## Representing Agility Clubs

Sue Whitwell  
Karen Grant  
Reece Smith  
Robyn Fargher

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# Remits

## Remit 1 by North Harbour Kennel Association

### Motion:

Adjustment to rule 15 (a).

~~A Conference of Delegates shall be held annually, in Wellington.~~

### Rationale:

By removing the word Wellington, it enables ACOD to move around New Zealand, hopefully this may encourage those who don't usually attend to be able to. We would also hope this would encourage Dogs NZ to look at ACOD as an opportunity to become more that it currently is.

An ACOD covering a weekend with workshops, guest speakers, displays and more would be an exciting event for everyone to attend.



## Remit 2 by North Canterbury Kennel Association

### Motion:

#### Rule 31 THE NEW ZEALAND KENNEL CLUB REGISTER

*Insert new subsection (b) as follows:*

- (b) The New Zealand Kennel Club Litter Registration Limitations (LRL) are a breed health initiative.
  - (i) initiated by and confirmed with the support of the club(s) and breed affiliated membership.
  - (ii) once confirmed, no Breed LRL may be altered or withdrawn without agreement from the Club(s), and breed affiliated membership.
  - (iii) all Breed LRL requirements are listed in the Registration Regulations.

*Re-letter the current sections from (b) to (i); to become (c) to (j)*

### Rationale:

North Canterbury Kennel Association is proud to present the Remit to the Clubs and Delegates from around New Zealand.

It is intended to encapsulate the current Litter Registration Limitations (LRL) process for establishment and confirmation within the Rules of the organisation and provide a level of certainty and peace of mind to Clubs, Breeders, and Owners and further entourage breeds to embrace the LRL Scheme.

This Rule Change will recognise these people as the guardians of their chosen individual breeds and therefore, it follows that any changes to the registration of those breeds, should only be made with their experience, knowledge, and approval.

The current lack of certainty has been offered as one of the key reasons why many breeds wishing to join the LRL scheme hit a stumbling block and fail to get agreement from either the breeders, or the club membership.

This Remit, if approved, will give the assurance that changes are proposed from the breed experts and not on the whim of external stakeholders who lack sufficient breed knowledge.

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## Remit 3 by Horowhenua Kennel Association

### Motion:

**Amend Rule 4 and 20 to allow one member, one vote**

*Replace Rule 20 (b) with:*

### Rule 20 Constitution

(b) Financial members will elect by means of postal ballot or electronic ballot on a first past the post basis at such time and upon such terms and conditions as shall be laid down from time to time by regulation promulgated by Executive Council, a President, four members residing in the North Island and four members residing in the South Island to Executive Council.

*Amend Rule 4 C (iv) with:*

### Rule 4 Membership

(iv) Such membership fee shall entitle members to Vote for the members of the Executive Council, one copy of the New Zealand Kennel Gazette as published provided however that where a partnership of two or more members is registered with the New Zealand Kennel Club such partnership shall receive only one copy of each New Zealand Kennel Gazette and any partner other than the first shall pay as his/her membership fee the difference between the current subscription of the New Zealand Kennel Gazette and the membership fee as determined above.

### Rationale:

As NZKC has developed and progressed the IT, members can do most activities via the internet. There is no good reason to continue this discrepancy denying financial members a vote.

Weekly members receive a newsletter that directs members to the correct department for information and announcements. Voting can also be included via this medium.

Clubs operate with very limited active membership which is clearly unfair, giving members a vote is long overdue. Membership has been falling for the past 10 years. This rule change gives members an opportunity to contribute to the administration of the Kennel Club. Obedience and Agility members are already able to exercise a vote for their Executive Members.



## Remit 4 by Horowhenua Obedience Dog Training Club

### Section VI – Administration

#### Rule 22: Duties of the Executive Council

##### Motion:

##### *Addition to Rule 22 (f) as follows*

The Executive Council shall have power to establish standing committees for continuing activities within the scope of these rules provided always that such committees shall at all times be responsible to the Executive Council, with the exception of The Disciplinary Committee, the Risk, Audit and Finance Committee and the Capex Committee, committees shall be established by the process specified in Clauses (f) (i) – (vii).

##### *Addition of the following clauses: (f) (i)-(vii)*

(f) (i) The Executive Council shall publicise its intention to form the committee by notice in the Dog World, Dog-iE News, and website inviting expressions of interest from members wishing to be consulted about the establishment of the committee and appointments within it. Persons registering their interest may at that time also nominate themselves or other members for appointment to the committee of interest. The committee will consist of 5 people.

(f) (ii) Where the process defined in subparagraph (f)(i) fails to provide five or more nominations within 21 days of the first publication of The Executive Council's intention to establish the committee The Executive Council shall appoint persons of its own choosing to make up a total of five.

(f) (iii) Where the process defined in subparagraph (f)(i) provides more than five nominations five committee appointments shall be made by means of a ballot conducted among the members who have made expressions of interest as provided by that subparagraph.

(f) (iv) The Executive Council shall publicise the names of all appointees and indicate whether each person was nominated pursuant to (f) (i) or appointed by The Executive Council pursuant to (f) (ii)

(f) (v) The Executive Council shall provide the committee appointed under these rules with the names and contact details of all persons who registered their interest as provided in regulation (f)(i) and the committee shall be responsible for maintaining the list for the lifetime of the committee.

(f) (vi) In all cases the Chairperson of the established committee shall be elected by a ballot conducted among all persons who registered their interest pursuant to (f)(i) and shall serve a term of two years, at which time the Chairperson appointment must again be subject to a ballot conducted in the same manner.

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(f) (vii) In the event of a vacancy occurring on an established committee or the committee deciding that it needs more members the committee may co-opt as required to a maximum of ten members provided that vacancies are first offered to members who expressed their interest in the committee pursuant to subparagraph (f) (i)

**Rationale:**

There is currently no democratic process for the election of most Dogs New Zealand Standing Committees. A number of the committees operate as 'closed shops'. There are calls for nominations for the committees, but the selection of those committee members is at the whim of the Chairperson and any nominated person not of the same opinion as the Chairperson, no matter how experienced they may be in the relevant field, is rejected. The Chairpersons are elected for an undefined period of time making that one person able to control the direction of the committee.



## Remit 5 by Executive Council

### Motion: (Proposed by Geoff Whitfield, Chair of Disputes Committee)

*That the existing RULE 34 be deleted and be replaced with:*

#### Section VII

##### 34. Discipline and Settlement of Disputes

- (a) The New Zealand Kennel Club may exercise judicial functions only in accordance with the Discipline and Settlement of Disputes Regulations.
- (b) The Executive Council of the New Zealand Kennel Club may act in a judicial capacity having both originating and appellate jurisdiction.
- (c) Nothing in these Rules or subsequent Regulations shall prevent any member society acting in a judicial capacity as provided for under its own Rules.
- (d) Any breach of these Rules and/or subsequent Regulations shall be resolved in accordance with the Discipline and Settlement of Disputes Regulations

#### Rationale:

In June 2015 the existing Rule 35 was transferred en bloc out of the Rules and created a new set of regulations, Discipline and Settlement of Disputes Regulations. A new Rule 34 provided a link between the NZKC Rules and the Regulations.

Since then complaints and disputes have been processed as if the Regulations were still 'the Rules'. This could be challenged as to correctness. Currently **RULE 34** states " Any breach of these Rules shall be resolved in accordance with the Discipline & Settlement of Disputes Regulations."

"**These Rules**" specifically refers to the current Rules of the New Zealand Kennel Club. It follows, therefore, that before invoking the process as per the Regulations there has to be a breach of the **NZKC Rules**. Almost all complaints arise from an alleged breach of **regulations NOT Rules**. Other than Rule 34 the current Rules do not reference complaints or disciplinary matters.

Further, the transfer of the old Rule 35 removed from the Rules the definition of and authority for New Zealand Kennel Club to exercise any judicial functions together with the empowerment of the Executive Council to act in a judicial capacity.

The proposed Rule change addresses these anomalies and incorporates breaches of Regulations as well as Rules.

Upon adoption Discipline and Disputes Regulation 1 will need amendment. A recommendation to Executive Council has been made accordingly.

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## Remit 6 by Executive Council

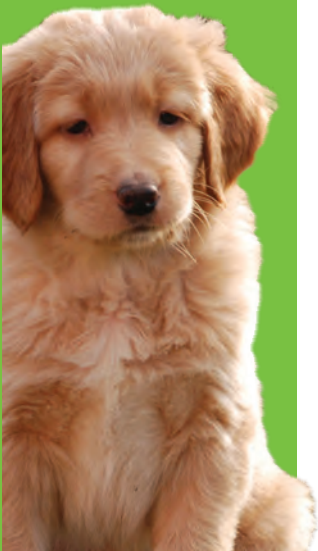
### Motion:

#### Amend Rule 31 to remove Part III of Registry:

Amend Rule 31 with changes in *red*

#### 31 THE NEW ZEALAND KENNEL CLUB REGISTER

- (a) The New Zealand Kennel Club shall keep a Register of Dogs in ~~three~~ *two* Parts ~~and a companion Dog Directory~~.
- (b) No dog may be shown at any show until the appropriate registration has been made.
- (c) Part 1 of the Register is the Full Register. It is open only to:
  - (i) Pure bred dogs bred from a sire and dam each registered on Part 1, and
  - (ii) Imported pure bred dogs with a Certified Export Pedigree issued by a canine control recognised by the New Zealand Kennel Club. Details of the owner/s, name of dog, colour/s, sex, breeder, date of birth, sire, dam, and a registration number shall be recorded.
- (d) Part 2 of the Register is the ~~Dog Training Sporting Dog~~ Register and is open to any dog.
- ~~(e) Part 3 of the Register is the Restricted Register, and is open only to pure bred dogs as specified in (c). Details of the owner/s, name of dog, colour/s, sex, breeder, date of birth, sire, dam, and a registration number shall be recorded. Any transfer of a dog from Part 3 to Part 1 can only be done with the consent of all the breeder/s of the dog.~~
- ~~(f) The Companion Dog Directory is open to any dog owned by a member or an associate member.~~
- ~~(ef)~~ Only dogs registered on Part 1 may be entered at a Championship Show or Open Show.
- ~~(fg)~~ Only dogs registered on Part 1 may be issued with an export pedigree.
- ~~(gh)~~ A Dog registered on Part 1 or Part 2 ~~or Part 3~~ may compete at any agility, obedience or working trials events, and is eligible for all titles in these disciplines.
- ~~(hi)~~ Registration in Part 1 or Part 2 ~~or Part 3 or enrolment in the Companion Dog Directory~~ is only effective for the purposes stated in (a) to ~~(gh)~~ above."



## Rationale:

### Why Restructure into only two Parts Registry?

The Restricted Registry option was brought in for commercial reasons, to encourage breeders to register all litters and puppies being sold to pet homes as noted in the below section taken from a report prepared by former Director Secretary Peter Dunne.

*November 2016 E.C. Report*

*Approximately, 8 years ago the Restricted Register (RR) was introduced and, for all intents and purposes, to cater for pets sold to the public. At that time there was no compulsion to notify all litters and register all progeny and the introduction of the RR, with reduced registration fees, was seen as a means of having NZKC breeders register pups they would not normally.*

This original purpose is no longer relevant.

- Regulations have changed to require that all puppies in a notified litter must be registered.
- The Part III registration fee has been increased and is now the same as a full registration.

Removing Part III and having a Pedigree Dog section of the registry and a Non-Pedigree dog section of our Registry will simplify any future coding changes to our regulations. Now is the ideal time for any change to the structure of our Registry as we complete our automation work and dis-establish the old registry interface.

Under this proposal all pedigree dogs on Part III will be transferred to Part I with all current endorsements intact. Breeders will still be able to place all the endorsements that currently apply to dogs on Part III and the Registry Regulations will be strengthened requiring **written consent** of the breeder before any endorsements can be removed.

Any change to the Registry Structure will require a comprehensive education and communication plan with members and breeders. If this remit is approved by ACOD the required Registry Regulation changes, including other references throughout the regulations, will be presented to the July Executive Council meeting for ratification.

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# Recommendations

## Recommendation 1 by Hamilton Kennel Association and Great Northern Siberian Husky Club

### Motion:

#### Show Regulation: 7 Definitions of Stakes Classes permitted at All Breed, Group, Multi-Breed and Specialist Club-Championship and Open Shows

##### *Amend Show Regulation 7.5*

**7.5** Neutered Dogs and Spayed Bitches at Championship Shows. A Neutered Dog or Spayed bitch can be exhibited;

- In any stake class for which they are eligible at any Championship Show.
- Breed classes at any Specialist Breed, Multibreed or Group club championship show ~~where the acceptance of entry from spayed and neutered dogs has been published in the schedule for the show.~~

This clause shall not permit the exhibition of Neutered Dogs or Spayed Bitches in any Breed Class at any other Championship Show.

### Rationale:

Remove the requirement to have this included in the published schedule. The OSP allows desexed dogs to be entered whether published in the schedule or not and only exhibitors who know the show regulations do not enter their dogs while others who don't know the regulations will enter as the system allows them to. The Show Secretary will not be aware that desexed dogs have been entered in the show and may only notice once the catalogue has been generated after closing (if they page through it) and by then it's too late to manually have to search and delete any desexed dogs that have been entered and then renumber the show, reprint catalogues and stewards sheets and arrange refunds. Alternatively they may only find out on the day when made aware of the error/breach of show regulations by an exhibitor, again this is too late to then disqualify an exhibitor (well unfair if they have travelled to a show unaware they are not allowed to exhibit their dog).

There is no extra cost to Specialist Breed, Multibreed or Group club to allow these dogs to be entered and many are already at the grounds being shown in the All Breeds Shows in class 18/18A on the same weekend. Some Clubs forget to add this note in the schedule as it's not a default field to select Yes/No and needs to be added into the open comment field



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when creating the schedule. After publication it is too late to allow these dogs to be entered if this clause was omitted in error. It has been proven that desexed dog entries are growing and overall All Breed Clubs that offer class 18/18A are receiving an average of 20% more entries overall at their shows (not only desexed dogs but extra dogs in the regular show classes), so really this should be a no-brainer for group, multi-breed and specialty Clubs.

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## Recommendation 2 by Waikato German Shepherd Dog Club

### Show Regulation 22.13

*Amendment to 22.13.2 as follows*

22.13: **Specialist Grand Champion** - A dog having won 50 New Zealand Kennel Club Challenge Certificates plus three 'Best in Show' awards given under three different judges at eligible 'Specialist Breed Championship Shows may upon application to the Director/Secretary of the New Zealand Kennel Club be entitled, subject to the approval of the Executive Council, to the prefix of Specialist Grand Champion (Spl.Gr. Ch.), provided however that at least 'one' Challenge Certificate was gained after 1 January 2014 and provided also that the original Challenge Certificates supporting the application are forwarded to the Director/Secretary of the New Zealand Kennel Club.

22.13.1 The minimum number of exhibits judged to be eligible for the Best In Show win to count towards the Specialty Grand Champion tile is 20 dogs.

22.13.2 **Only Specialty Shows with one set of Challenges are eligible. Only Speciality Shows for breeds which are described by one standard, including those which have variations for coat, size, and weight, are eligible.**

### Rationale:

The title of Specialist Grand Champion is a highly sought after and regarded award. In 2019, Executive Council altered the regulation and excluded breeds which have one description for all varieties and only vary according to the size or the coat. This recommendation seeks return the eligibility to the previous status.

Breeds such as Dachshunds, German Shepherds Chihuahuas, Poodles, and others have been unfairly denied the opportunity to achieve this award when they clearly meet the protocols.

They meet the requirements of eligibility because they appoint a breed **specialist judge**. The dogs conform to one breed standard with just minor variations in size or coat. Breeders, exhibitors, and judges frequently own different varieties within the breed.

This change does not allow for the inclusion of any multiple breed clubs where the breed standards are markedly different for the breeds concerned. The Specialist Grand champion award promotes breed quality and recognises excellence of breed type. This opportunity should not be withheld from breeds which meet the requirements.



## Recommendation 3 by Selwyn Dog Training Club

### Establishment of Rally'O Committee

#### Recommendation:

That it is recommended that the Executive Council commence the work of developing a self-governing Committee for the administration and development of the sport of Rally'O and the establishment of the Rally'O Regulations.

#### Rationale:

Currently Rally'O is governed by the Dog Training Committee. Information about Rally'O is located on the obedience page of the website which means that the information is not easily located by people wanting more information but are not familiar with the structure of Dogs NZ. Having a self-governing Rally-O Committee would enable this growing dog sport to have much greater visibility within the Dogs NZ structure. This has the ability to support the growth of Rally'O.

An independent Rally-O governing committee would be in a better position to support Rally'O in areas where obedience is a less active dogs sport discipline.

The Rally'O Sub-Committee is accountable to the Dog Training Committee which reports to the Executive Council. For Rally'O this means there is a 'two step' process for decision making which can potentially inhibit the development of Rally'O.

Rally-O judges are supported through the Obedience Judges Association. Having a dedicated structure to support rally-O judges would better meet the needs of Rally-O judges.

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# President

**Name: Brian Harris**

**Term: 2023 - 2025**

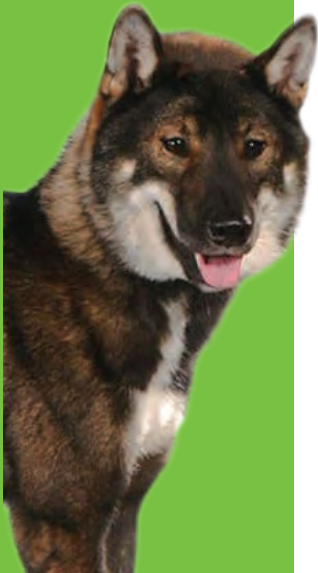


I first came to the world of dog showing in the early sixties with my parents' Pembroke Welsh Corgis. It was in the early seventies when I acquired my first Old English Sheepdog and I began to compete on a serious note. So commenced the roller coaster ride that has seen me experience all the joys and disappointments of the dog world, the highlight being of course meeting and marrying Louise. In 1978 I was admitted to the New Zealand Kennel Club Judges Panel and now I am licensed to judge All Breeds. In the past three years I have taken an active interest in Canine Good Citizen and Rally-O. I've been having a ball training Stanley for both and proving that even someone like me can succeed.

I have served on a number of club and NZKC committees over the years including:

- President and Treasurer Canterbury Working Dog Association.
- Treasurer and Show Manager Supreme Show Dog Contest
- Treasurer NZ Kennel Club Southern Classic Shows and the 2005 National Dog Show.
- Chaired the organising committee for the very successful 2016 National Dog Show in Christchurch.
- President Canterbury Kennel Association.
- Chaired the Breed Standards Committee.
- I have served on the Dangerous Dogs Legislation and Strategy sub committees.
- I was instrumental in the review of the constitution that led to the Discipline rules becoming regulations rather than rules.
- I worked with the NZ Sheepdog Trials Assn to recognise the NZ Huntaway and I was very involved with the regulations leading to the adoption of the Breeders Hall of Fame.
- I am very proud to be part of the team that brought the first FCI CACIB show to NZ.

I studied Commerce at Canterbury University and in 1985 was among the first to be admitted as a member of the Marketing Institute of New Zealand. I have a sound commercial background and this, coupled with my long-standing involvement in canine matters at all levels, gives me a sound base from which I can take an active and constructive part in assisting the NZKC to rebuild for the future. It has been an honour to serve



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as President for the past four years. I want to thank the Executive Council for their hard work and for the sacrifices they have made in making a very positive contribution to your club.

I look forward to meeting with as many of you as possible and sharing the love of our companions, our dogs over the next twelve months. The future of our club rests in your hands. Do we go into the future stronger together or do we continue to decline until we are no longer relevant?

I look forward to a robust and positive debate at ACOD 2023. 🐾

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# Executive Council

## North Island

Name: **Jill Brooker**

Term: **2022 - 2024**



I have been involved in the Dog World since the early 1990's and have enjoyed being part of our great community. Like many of us "come on to the committee" they said, so I did, and have served on a number of club committees in various roles. The most current of these sees me as Treasurer and a Life Member of Auckland Kennel Council, Secretary/Treasurer of the Hound Club of Auckland, and Secretary and Life Member of Basset Hound Club.

In the years I have been on Executive Council I have served on a number of sub-committees and have never been afraid to speak my mind and stand up for the rights of our members. Executive Council is an elected body and whatever the decisions made around the table, we support as a collective, even if on a personal level we may not always agree. Around the table there is a diverse group of people. I am one of the "devil in the detail" people and make no apologies for it.

As a sport we are still very much under the spotlight, and I can't see this changing any time soon, so each and every one of us must be ever vigilant if we wish our dog sports in their current form to continue. 🐾



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Name: **Fiona Hodgson**

Term: **2023 - 2025**

And suddenly its 2023 and it was time to decide whether to put my name forward for re-election. Life is busy, but in the end I felt I still have some stuff I can do which will benefit DogsNZ as a whole and decided to stand again.

Going forward, one of the things I'm keen on is getting a show manager's handbook and training course underway as I think that while we have some fabulous show managers, others struggle with a lack of clear definition of the role and its accountabilities. Hopefully I can collate and put something sensible together with input from the many wonderful show managers we have and existing material out there.

I also would like to see the rollout of the 'Take the Lead' activities through the conformation code. I think some positivity in the code wouldn't go amiss at times and this is a fabulous initiative.

We could certainly do with things settling into a dull roar for the rest of the year as I think we've all had enough stress and worry to last a few lifetimes in recent years. 🐾



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Name: **Stephen Meredith**

Term: **2023 - 2025**

Thank you all for your support and voting for me to represent you as a councillor of Dogs NZ for another two years.

Being a dog lover and owner is one of the biggest pleasures of my life. Dogs were part of my family from the day I was born and have been in my life every day since.

Pedigree dogs have become my passion. We bought a Labrador in 1980, joined the NZKC and together with my lovely wife, we have both been active in the dog world ever since. We've owned/been involved with several breeds, but concentrating on two.

I qualified as an All Breeds Judge in 2010 and it gives me a great satisfaction when I see dogs that I have recognised do so well under my peers.

An important part of being a member of Dog NZ is Club committee representation. I have been a committee member of The Labrador Club, Waitamata Gundog Club, The Terrier Club, Auckland Kennel Council, The Judges Assoc (Auckland branch) and The Northern Staffordshire Bull Terrier Club. I am currently the EC member and Liaison Officer for AEC (Auckland Exhibition Centre). I've held most positions on the committees that I've been involved with including President. I was the President of the Auckland branch of the Judges association for 8 years and AKC for 15 years. I was awarded the honour of Life Membership of AKC in 1999 and still serve today as a committee member.

It is important to me that Dogs NZ not only survives into the future but prospers. I will continue to work hard to secure a bright and successful future for us all. 🐾



Name: **Steve Tate**

Term: **2022 - 2024**



Having weathered the COVID storm we have emerged into new world with a new normal. Social change and financial constraints are having an increasing impacting on the operation of DNZ and it is now even more important to ensure that the decisions made at the EC table are financial responsible for the long term benefit of all our members. Change is inevitable, and will never be universally accepted, but these are the hard decisions that must be made.

As the Senior Vice President and the Chair of the CAPEX committee we have, along with great support from the Lower North Island Working Group, the RAF committee and the Office, spent considerable time over the last 12 months reviewing proposals for a new venue in the Lower North Island. This is without a doubt the biggest decision ever made by DNZ and as such has commanded a huge amount of time and resources. At the time of writing no final decision has been made on this but I am sure there will be further announcements by the time the ACOD rolls around.

On a personal note, I have been involved in the dog world for more than 40 years, with my very tolerant wife Barbera, breeding, showing and being loved by our beautiful Bernese Mountain Dogs. During this time I have participated in all the main disciplines but have focussed on conformation showing. While I am no longer active in the show ring, anyone frequenting the Taranaki shows will have seen me pushing vehicles out of the mud or doing any of the other 101 roles required to organise a show weekend.

Outside of the dog world I work for one of New Zealand's largest meat exporters with a corporate role within the Compliance/Technical group liaising with domestic and international customers and supporting the teams at our 8 processing sites.

Over the next 12 months DNZ will be making decisions that will impact the club for years to come and I will not back away from the challenges that this will bring. Within the EC we have a diverse range of skills and experience that ensures that no stone is left unturned when the hard decisions have to be made. Working for DNZ within this team is stimulating and rewarding and I look forward to another year of vigorous debate to ensure that the best outcomes for the membership of DNZ are achieved. 🐾

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## South Island

Name: **Lynley Drummond**

Term: **2022 - 2024**

Having had dogs in my life for over 40 years, together with my inherent interest in science, health sciences and nutrition I am passionate that the use of evidence-based information and science to ensure that informed decisions are made based on the best and most reliable information available to improve canine health. It is this skill set that I use in my roles within Dogs NZ Executive Council and as Chair of the Canine Health and Welfare Committee.

In my daily professional life, I operate as Drummond Food Science Advisory, providing confidential services to national and multi-national companies. My business provides the bridge between science, commercialisation and working within an increasingly rigid regulatory environment. This includes strategic research and development planning, review of product development programmes, health research and clinical trial management. Work specifically focusses on the development of strategies to enable food health claim development, science writing, patent development and expert defense. A major aspect of work is the successful track record of the preparation of evidence-based documentation for regulatory approval applications in different global jurisdictions.

My passion for Setter breeds started early in life and today I am a breeder of the wonderful Gordon Setter, together with Golden Retrievers, both under the prefix of Drumtreve. My breeding programmes are, first and foremost, based around the drive for quality dogs that conform to the breed standards. 🐾



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**Name: Martin Hewitt**

**Term: 2023 - 2025**

I have been involved in the world of pure-bred dogs since I married my wife and inherited a Basset Hound at the same time! I currently breed and exhibit Basset Hounds and Miniature Smooth Haired Dachshunds. I have previously also been involved with Foxhounds and Petit Basset Griffon Vendeen.



Reappointed to the Executive Council in 2022 I also currently Chair the Breed Standards Committee and Dogs NZ Strategy Committee. I am very involved with various Clubs including President of the Waimakariri KA and Canterbury Dachshund Club, Vice President of the Basset Hound Club, Committee member of the South Island Hound Club and Supreme Show Dog Contest. I have previously been an Executive Councillor and Senior Vice President of the NZKC and former President of the NZ Dog Judges Association.

In my business life I have been an owner and CEO of a technology company and I am a Registered Surveyor.

With my experience I consider that I have a lot to offer the organisation in what is a challenging time. There are some very important decisions coming up, both commercial and organisational, and I am looking forward to being part of a team that deals with these challenges effectively and for the benefit of all members and disciplines. 🐾

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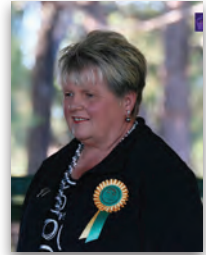
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**Name: Karen McIntyre**

**Term: 2023 - 2025**

Attending my first ribbon parade in April 1977 and winning a first prize card was the beginning of my involvement with the New Zealand Kennel Club. I followed the normal line of progression and have moved from being one of the first to join the Aspiring Judges List in the early 90's - progressing through the system to not only be an all breeds judge – but also being honoured to be appointed as the Chief Examiner for NZDJA.



Between now and then, I have served on breed, group and all breeds club committees, gaining a degree of notoriety as Chair of the New Zealand Council of Docked Breeds! A unique position, the organisation worked hard and succeeded in gaining the respect of external stakeholders by fair representation and not shying away from difficult questions. This is a position Dogs NZ must establish through mutual respect and tough conversations, respect is not the result of being prepared to roll over and “play dead” on hard decisions.

Already identified as a key issue, being able to provide information that all dogs competing at all Dogs NZ event are happy and healthy is a key driver of mine. Differentiating “our dogs”, it is my goal to ensure that our breeders and owners are recognised as the experts in their field and making a point of difference between “us and them”!

Having almost completed a diploma in Management Studies (Health and Safety) these studies have further developed the skill required to ensure relevant policy and procedures must be followed to ensure the health and wellbeing of all. This includes ensuring we have the correct outcome for the Lower North Island venue. I am passionate in ensuring policies are developed where there are none, followed where there are some and that both are fair and transparent in application. 🐾



**Name: Catherine McManus**

**Term: 2022 - 2024**

I have been involved in the Conformation show world for the past 21 years. My partner, Mark Lawrence and I are involved with (predominately) Irish Setters and Papillons but have also owned and shown Griffons, Gordon Setters, and Australian Terriers. Other breeds have been known to join us on the odd occasion!



Outside dog showing I am an Associate Chartered Accountant and work for ACL Ltd in Ashburton. I have participated on many boards and committees for schools and sports clubs. We own a lifestyle block in rural Ashburton which keeps us both busy outside of dog shows and when there is any down time, we find our way to Christchurch to visit one (or more) of our children and grandchildren.

I was elected to the Executive Council in 2020 and over the past 3 years have sat on the Risk, Audit and Finance Committee. I enjoy this important role in the organisation and believe I continue to add value in the fiscal and operational areas of our organisation and aim to make a positive difference to the direction of Dogs NZ.

As the great Bob Dylan said, "These times they are a changing" and I believe with our collective interest in the future of the dogworld we need to review and reset our aims and goals to ensure we are on the right path. I applaud the many volunteers who have guided the organisation to this point and look forward to assisting with the guidance of Dogs NZ, in the best interest of all the members, in all disciplines of the dogworld. 🐾

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# Executive Council

## Dog Training

**Name: Geoff Collins**

**Place: Wellington**

**Term: 2023 - 2025**



I was originally appointed to the Dog Obedience Committee in 2009 and became the chairperson in 2013, a position I held until 2019 when I decided to take break. The break was not as long as I had planned, and I was back on the Dog Training Committee (as it is now known) by 2021. Two years later I have again found myself in the role of chairperson of the committee.

I continue to regularly compete in Obedience and Agility with our flat-coated retrievers and I also participate in breed showing, including with my latest flat-coated retriever for whom I am trying to get the remaining challenges to make her up to a champion.

I have served on the committee of the Titahi Bay Canine Obedience Club since 2001 and I have held the positions of president, vice-president, secretary and show secretary in addition to training domestic, Canine Good Citizen, Rally-O and Obedience competition classes for the club. I have been an obedience steward for 18 years and I am an assessor for Dogs New Zealand's Canine Good Citizen programme.

I live in Wellington and work as an electrical engineer in the telecommunications and TV broadcast industry. 🐾



## Agility

**Name:** Chris Richardson

**Place:** Pukekohe

**Term:** 2022 - 2024

I'm relatively new to the dog world, as my journey began just a few years ago when I ventured into the realm of agility with my beloved black Labrador, who is now a proud 15 years old and still loving life. Since then, so much has changed. For a start I'm up to agility dog number 6! The agility bug spreads like kennel cough, and I caught it.

This passion led me down a path of becoming an agility judge and actively participating in my local club committees for several years. It's been an incredible journey. Around eight years ago, I was elected to the Agility Committee, where I've served in various roles like committee member, Secretary, and Chair. Now, in this current term, I've taken on the position of Executive Councillor representing agility.

Although this is just the beginning of a new chapter, I can honestly say that being a part of the inner workings of such a fantastic organization has been truly rewarding. As the newly appointed Agility Representative this role provides an opportunity to make a meaningful difference. I am a firm believer that Dogs NZ should be about encompassing all dogs and dog sports, and I'm excited about the challenge ahead and eager to share some of agility's forward-thinking approach with other disciplines, fostering collaboration and harmony among us all. 🐾



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# 2023/2024 Fees and Show Levies

Consumer Price Index change for the year to 31 March 2023 was 7.5% rounded to nearest 50 cents.

## Membership Fees

Affiliated Societies.....	\$256.00 (incl GST)
Associated Clubs.....	\$171.00 (incl GST)
Recognised Clubs.....	\$59.00 (incl GST)
Individual Membership.....	\$38.00 (incl GST)
(includes 2nd member in household)	
Joining.....	\$26.50 (incl GST)
NZYKC.....	\$31.00 (incl GST)

## Renewal

Membership–NZYKC.....	\$24.00 (incl GST)
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## Rule 8A.3

Gazette.....	\$59.00 (incl GST)
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## Show Levies (Plus GST)

Championship Rate .....	\$2.25 fee per entry/dog
(Over 250 entries for Breed)	
Championship Rate II.....	\$1.18 fee per entry/dog
(Frist 250 entries for Breed)	
Open Shows, Dog Training, Open Trials & Rally-O .....	\$0.65 per entry
Agility (per run) .....	\$0.85
Scent work (per trial) .....	\$1.00



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Director/Secretary

STEVEN THOMPSON

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**Brian Harris** - President, Kainga, Christchurch.

**Steve Tate** - Senior Vice President. Stratford.

**Jill Brooker** - Thames, North Island.

**Lynley Drummond** - Leeston. South Island.

**Donna Hailes** - West Melton. South Island.

**Martin Hewitt** - Kaiapoi. South Island.

**Fiona Hodgson** - Hastings, North Island.

**Karen Macintyre** - Ohoka, South Island.

**Catherine Mcmanus** - Ashburton. South Island.

**Stephen Meredith** - Drury, North Island.

**Nigel Trainor** - Timaru, South Island.

**Phil Johnson** - Rangiora. (Agility)

**Chris Richardson** - Pukekohe (Agility)

**Karen Sadler** - Upper Hutt. (Obedience)

**Geoff Collins** - Wellington. (Obedience)

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## Agility Committee

Email for the committee: [nzkcac@gmail.com](mailto:nzkcac@gmail.com)

**Paul A Taylor** - (Chairperson) Upper Hutt

**Chris Richardson** - (Vice Chairperson) Pukekohe.

**Karen Grant** - (Secretary)

**Reece Smith** - (Treasurer)

**Diana Gausden** - Pokeno 2473

**Rosemarie Baker** - Auckland

**Robyn Fargher** - Otane 4202

**Sue Whitwell** - Kawerau 3127

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## Dog Training Committee

**Geoff Collins** - Chair. Wellington.

**Sue Howe** - Northern Rep. Waiuku.

**Ruth Thorburn** - Northern Deputy Rep. Kerikeri.

**Rosemary CleatoR** - Central Rep. Levin.

**Vicki Moffat** - Central Region Deputy Rep. Marton.

**Philippa Hosken** - Southern Deputy Rep. Dunedin.

**Bernadette Thompson** - Southern Rep. Ashburton.

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## Dogs New Zealand

### NZ Dog Judges Association

**Mr Ray Greer** (Chairperson)

**Mr Keith Brown**

### Dogs NZ Exhibition Centre

### Management Committee Chairpersons

**Mr Simon Monson** - Dunedin

**Mrs Christine Wood** - Auckland



## PRESIDENTS AND SECRETARIES

The following is a list of those who have acted as President and Secretary since the New Zealand Kennel Club was founded in 1886.

### Presidents

F J Kimbell .....	1886
Dr Cahill .....	1890
M McLean .....	1899
W R Morris .....	1901
R E Bannister .....	1902
Dr Faulke .....	1904
Paul Hunter .....	1905
Arthur Morten .....	1927
Dr A C McKillip .....	1928
Norman Wade .....	1931
Douglas T Sinclair .....	1944
M K McDermott .....	1951
H Stewart Lusk .....	1962
Maurice Russell .....	1969
T Ross Rusbridge .....	1975
H Stewart Lusk QC .....	1975
Barry G Catton .....	1981
Dr Colin A Tourelle .....	1983
Malcolm P Banks .....	1990
Shona Prebble .....	1998
Ray Greer.....	2000
Lesley Chalmers.....	2005
John Perfect.....	2006
Owen Dance .....	2011
(MPP Dip Pol St Diplog (UK))	
Clyde Rogers BA LLB FNZIM..	2014
Nigel Trainor.....	2016
Brian Harris.....	2019

### Secretaries

T H Richley .....	1886
A Cook .....	1890
Clifford Braham .....	1899
J Osborne-Lilly .....	1900
R P Hood .....	1902
H E Dovey .....	1903
P H Smith .....	1911
T F Hollis .....	1922
A J Harrison .....	1926
S H Rastall .....	1928
Geo Hunt .....	1942
Gordon Tait .....	1944
E A M Ainslie .....	1952
Wing Cmdr E B Waters .....	1962
D A Hatt .....	1963

### Director/Secretaries

Col J Harvey MBE .....	1968
Mr M P Banks, BCom, ABA, ACES ..	1979
Mr G R Mills, LLB, Dip Mgt .....	1986
Mr G R Kerr .....	2005
Mrs C A Begg (acting) .....	2006
Mr B Priest .....	2007
Mrs P J Dance (acting).....	2009
Mr R Brown,.....	2010
Mr P A Dunne.....	2012
Mr S Thompson .....	2019

## REGISTER

The following is a list of Societies Affiliated to the New Zealand Kennel Club (Inc):

Ashburton Kennel Association .....	Ashburton
Auckland Kennel Council .....	Auckland
Buller Kennel Association .....	Westport
Cambridge Kennel Association .....	Cambridge
Canterbury Kennel Association .....	Christchurch
Canterbury Ladies Kennel Association .....	Christchurch
Central Hawkes Bay Kennel Society .....	Otane
East Coast Ladies Kennel Association .....	Hawkes Bay

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Eastern Bay of Plenty Kennel Association .....	Whakatane
Franklin Kennel Association .....	Pukekohe
Geraldine County Kennel Association .....	Temuka
Gore & District Kennel Association .....	Gore
Hamilton Kennel Association .....	Hamilton
Hauraki Canine Association .....	Paeroa
Hawkes Bay Kennel Association .....	Hastings
Hibiscus Coast Kennel Association .....	Hibiscus Coast
Horowhenua Kennel Association .....	Levin
Huntly & District Kennel Association .....	Huntly
Hutt Valley Kennel Centre .....	Lower Hutt
Kapi-Mana Kennel Society .....	Paraparaumu
Kumeu Kennel Association .....	Kumeu
Ladies Kennel Association .....	Auckland
Manawatu Kennel Association .....	Palmerston North
Marlborough Kennel Association .....	Blenheim
Napier Kennel Centre .....	Napier
Nelson District Kennel Association .....	Nelson
Nelson Ladies Kennel Association .....	Nelson
New Plymouth Kennel Centre .....	New Plymouth
North Canterbury Kennel Association .....	Kaiapoi
North Harbour Kennel Association .....	Auckland
North Otago Kennel Association .....	Oamaru
Otago Kennel Association .....	Dunedin
Pencarrow Kennel Association.....	Wainuiomata
Rotorua Kennel Association .....	Rotorua
Ruahine Kennel Association .....	Dannevirke
South Canterbury Kennel Society.....	Timaru
South Taranaki Kennel Centre .....	Stratford
Southern Ladies Kennel Association .....	Dunedin
Southland Kennel Association .....	Invercargill
Taupo Kennel Association .....	Taupo
Tauranga Kennel Association .....	Tauranga
The Plains Kennel Association .....	Canterbury
Tokoroa Canine Association .....	Tokoroa
Upper Hutt Kennel Association .....	Upper Hutt
Waikouaiti Kennel Association .....	Dunedin
Waimakariri Kennel Association .....	Christchurch
Waimate Kennel Society .....	Waimate
Wairarapa Kennel Association .....	Masterton
Wairoa Kennel Association .....	Wairoa
Wanganui Kennel Society .....	Wanganui
Wellington Kennel Centre .....	Wellington
Wellington Ladies Kennel Association .....	Wellington
West Coast Kennel Association .....	Totara Flat



# Table of Statistics of Breeds Registered in the Year

1 JANUARY 2022 - 31 DECEMBER 2022

2021	2022	Breed	Litters Registered	
2	1	Staffordshire Bull Terrier	125	657
1	2	Labrador Retriever	84	565
3	3	Border Collie	87	558
5	4	Cavalier King Charles Spaniel	112	496
7	5	Schnauzer (Miniature)	82	404
8	6	Bulldog	81	393
4	7	German Shepherd Dog (Stock Coat)	69	380
6	8	Golden Retriever	51	322
9	9	French Bulldog	60	242
12	10	Rottweiler	24	184
10	11	English Springer Spaniel	23	166
13	12	Boxer	31	149
18	13	German Shorthaired Pointer	24	148
14	14	Cocker Spaniel	31	137
34	15	Italian Corso Dog	14	136
23	16	Border Terrier	27	130
16	17	Japanese Spitz	30	113
30=	18	Bernese Mountain Dog	19	112
20=	19	Swedish Vallhund	18	111
17=	20	Jack Russell Terrier	26	99
25=	21	Welsh Corgi (Pembroke)	18	96
20=	22=	Beagle	19	93
22	22=	Poodle (Miniature)	19	93
21	23=	Dobermann	12	92
28=	23=	Rhodesian Ridgeback	10	92
25=	24	Bichon Frise	23	91
11	25=	Hungarian Vizsla	11	90
19	25=	Chihuahua (Long Coat)	33	90
27	26	Poodle (Standard)	14	84
47	27	Great Dane	10	80
45=	28	Miniature American Shepherd	15	79
25=	29	Leonberger	12	76
28=	30=	Samoyed	13	75
48=	30=	Bullmastiff	11	75
48=	31	West Highland White Terrier	20	74
29	32	Griffon Bruxellois	25	73
15	33	Whippet	13	72

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24	34	Dachshund (Min. Smooth Haired)	17	71
17=	35	Pug	21	67
35=	36	Collie (Rough)	15	66
39	37	Tibetan Spaniel	12	59
38=	38	Pointer	9	58
38=	39	German Shepherd Dog (Long Stock)	10	57
32	40=	Lowchen	16	54
36=	40=	Dachshund (Min. Long Haired)	9	54
53=	41	Fox Terrier (Wire)	17	52
67=	42	Gordon Setter	2	51
42	43	Lagotto Romagnolo	9	50
52=	44	Bull Terrier	11	47
44	45=	American Staffordshire Terrier	6	43
55=	45=	Dachshund (Smooth Haired)	8	43
35=	46	Boston Terrier	13	41
26	47=	White Swiss Shepherd Dog	9	40
31	47=	Cairn Terrier	14	40
57	47=	Siberian Husky	4	40
54	48	Scottish Terrier	7	36
51=	49	Australian Kelpie	5	35
30=	50	Welsh Springer Spaniel	9	34
41	51	Shih Tzu	11	33
38=	52=	St Bernard	4	32
45=	52=	Bull Terrier (Miniature)	5	32
55=	52=	Brittany	4	32
50	53=	Neapolitan Mastiff	5	31
64=	53=	Pekingese	6	31
46=	54	Chinese Crested Dog	7	30
33	55=	Dalmatian	5	29
45=	55=	Airedale Terrier	5	29
55=	55=	Shetland Sheepdog	14	29
62=	55=	Shiba Inu	10	29
65	55=	Havanese	4	29
67=	55=	Basenji	4	29
53=	56=	Pomeranian	14	27
58	56=	Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier	4	27
61=	56=	Norwich Terrier	10	27
79=	56=	Basset Fauve De Bretagne	3	27
36=	57=	Poodle (Toy)	8	26
56=	57=	Newfoundland	4	26
69	57=	Fox Terrier (Smooth)	5	26
75	57=	Curly Coated Retriever	5	26
61=	58=	Lakeland Terrier	7	25
70=	58=	Yorkshire Terrier	6	25



2021	2022	Breed	Litters Registered	
49	59=	Welsh Corgi (Cardigan)	6	23
62=	59=	Belgian Shepherd (Tervueren)	2	23
40	60=	Weimaraner	3	22
53=	60=	Dachshund (Long Haired)	3	22
64=	61=	Anatolian Shepherd Dog	5	21
66=	61=	Irish Setter	4	21
52=	62=	Italian Greyhound	6	20
68	62=	Briard	2	20
53=	63=	Chow Chow	5	19
59=	63=	Chihuahua (Smooth Coat)	7	19
37	64=	Australian Terrier	6	18
60=	64=	Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever	4	18
83=	64=	Dachshund (Wire Haired)	4	18
43	65=	Basset Hound	7	17
74	65=	Chesapeake Bay Retriever	3	17
61=	66=	Flat-Coated Retriever	3	16
71=	66=	Australian Shepherd	3	16
81=	66=	Biewer Terrier	3	16
85=	66=	Deerhound	2	16
60=	67=	Schipperke	4	15
70=	67=	Dogue De Bordeaux	3	15
82=	67=	Irish Terrier	2	15
56=	68=	Papillon	5	14
61=	68=	Maremma Sheepdog	2	14
66=	68=	German Spitz (Mittel)	4	14
76=	68=	Miniature Pinscher	2	14
80	69=	Japanese Akita	2	13
81=	69=	Japanese Chin	3	13
73=	70	Akita	3	12
46=	71=	Tibetan Terrier	1	11
72=	71=	Keeshond	3	11
85=	71=	Old English Sheepdog	3	11
51=	72=	German Wirehaired Pointer	1	10
59=	72=	Borzoi	2	10
84=	72=	Alaskan Malamute	3	10
84=	72=	Clumber Spaniel	1	10
63	73=	Irish Wolfhound	1	9
70=	73=	Affenpinscher	5	9
72=	73=	Lhasa Apso	2	9
85=	74	Schnauzer (Giant)	1	8
45=	75=	Belgian Shepherd (Malinois)	1	7
72=	75=	Belgian Shepherd (Groenendael)	1	7
79=	75=	Parson Russell Terrier	0	7
83=	75=	Dachshund (Min. Wire Haired)	2	7

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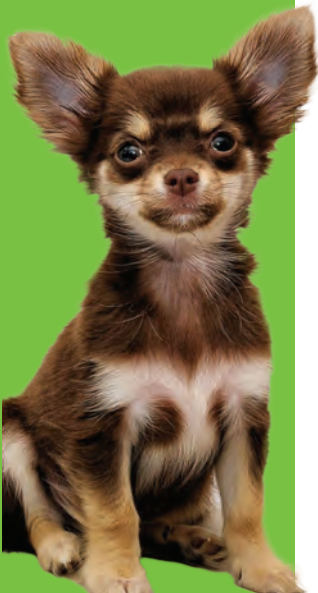


2021	2022	Breed	Litters Registered	
78=	76=	Black Russian Terrier	1	6
81=	76=	Manchester Terrier	1	6
85=	76=	Foxhound	1	6
64=	77=	Weimaraner (Long Haired)	0	5
78=	77=	Mastiff	1	5
81=	77=	English Setter	1	5
82=	77=	Large Munsterlander	1	5
85=	77=	Hungarian Puli	1	5
85=	77=	Irish Water Spaniel	1	5
76=	78=	Afghan Hound	0	4
77=	78=	Australian Cattle Dog	1	4
82=	78=	Shar Pei	1	4
85=	78=	Bouvier Des Flandres	2	4
85=	78=	Saluki	1	4
76=	79=	Bearded Collie	1	3
78=	79=	King Charles Spaniel	1	3
79=	79=	Kerry Blue Terrier	1	3
79=	79=	Shikoku	1	3
84=	79=	Finnish Lapphund	0	3
85=	80	Australian Silky Terrier	0	2
72=	81=	American Cocker Spaniel	0	1
73=	81=	Bedlington Terrier	1	1
77=	81=	Italian Spinone	0	1
78=	81=	Maltese	2	1
79=	81=	Petit Basset Griffon Vendeen	0	1
84=	81=	Bloodhound	0	1
85=	81=	Azawakh	0	1
85=	81=	Black And Tan Coonhound	0	1
85=	81=	Pharaoh Hound	0	1
85=	81=	Pyrenean Mountain Dog	0	1
85=	81=	Sealyham Terrier	0	1
85=	81=	Sloughi	0	1

Number of Breeds listed: 241

1824

9356



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# **New Zealand Kennel Club**

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## **Performance Report**

For the year ended 31 March 2023



# New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated

## Performance Report

For the year ended  
31 March 2023

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## New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated

### Entity Information

"Who are we?", "Why do we exist?"

For the year ended  
31 March 2023

Legal Name of Entity:	New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated ("NZKC")
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Other Name of Entity (if any):	Dogs New Zealand
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Type of Entity and Legal Basis (if any):	Incorporated Society
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Registration Number:	Incorporation Number 215656, NZBN 9429043187911
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#### Entity's Purpose:

The New Zealand Kennel Club was established in 1886. It exists primarily as an organisation of dog owners which gives it collective bargaining power and a single voice to Government, the general public and other interest groups on behalf of dog breeders, dog owners, Kennel Clubs and other associated societies in the canine world.

It maintains a database which traces the genealogy and pedigree of New Zealand Dogs as well as progression of sports and activities with Canines (Breed Clubs, Dog Training, Agility, Working Trails, Canine Good Citizen™, New Zealand Young Kennel Club and others).

#### Mission

Dogs New Zealand is the Champion for pedigree dogs and offers all dog lovers the opportunity to be great dog owners.

We are committed to improving outcomes for pedigree dogs through advancement of excellence in breeding practices, and to ongoing improvement in health and well-being of all dogs.

We seek to inform, educate and raise awareness of responsible dog ownership and provide opportunities for shared companionship and experiences with other dog owners and their dogs.

#### We do this by:

Operating the national Dog & Kennel name registry.

Providing education on dog training, breeding and canine health and welfare.



Running world class dog competitions.

Providing national advocacy on behalf of dog owners .

<p><b>Entity Structure:</b> The New Zealand Kennel Club is an organisation that operates at two levels.</p> <p><i>Affiliated Societies</i> From its inception in 1886, the New Zealand Kennel Club was an association of societies and still is today. There are 297 societies affiliated to, associated with and recognised by NZKC. All New Zealand Kennel Club member societies are required to have written constitutions. As a member of the New Zealand Kennel Club a society is restricted to act only as permitted by the New Zealand Kennel Club Rules and Regulations and the club's status pursuant to those rules and regulations. It is restricted to do those things only permitted by its constitution and the laws of the country.</p> <p><i>Individual Membership</i> Individual membership allows a member, among other things, to register a dog with NZKC, enter a dog in a show or competition, be a delegate to the Annual Conference, and hold executive office in any Affiliated or Associated Society.</p> <p><i>Governance</i> NZKC holds an annual conference of delegates. This gathering, attended by delegates from throughout the country elects a governing council to run the affairs of the body. It gives policy direction for the following year, approves accounts and sets membership fees.</p> <p><i>The Executive Council</i> The Executive Council meets six times a year to consider business. The day to day running of the NZKC is delegated to the administrative staff, headed by the the Director Secretary. Administration deals mainly with finance, register, membership matters, the NZ Dog World and the website.</p>
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<p><b>Main Sources of the Entity's Cash and Resources:</b> Funding is provided primarily from individual membership subscriptions, fees for registration of dogs, sponsorship and levies from club shows.</p>
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**New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated**  
**Statement of Service Performance**

**What did we achieve for the Year Ended 31 March 2023**

Strategic Objectives	Key Projects	Project Status Stage FY 2022 - 2023	Project Status Stage FY 2021 - 2022
Delivering Increased Value to Members	Online Automation of Members Database	Move to web-based platform 90% completed	
	Automation of Members Renewal Process	COMPLETED	Movement of Membership Database to new web based platform
	New Members Pack/Automated EDM	In design / integration with membership registry stage	Launch of New Puppy Owners EDM to promote participation in dogs clubs, dog sports and dog training activities - 4000 emails sent
	Scent Work	Revision of Scent Work regulations	Expansion of clubs holding Scent Work events & development of Scent Work Show regulations
Support & Empower Clubs	New Breeders & Kennel Name Pack/Automated EDM	In design / integration with membership registry stage	
	Promotion of Dog Sports	Development of pedigree dog & sports display stand for Pet Expos etc	Launch of "Take the Lead" programme in Agility Dog Sports
	Show calendar & National Dog Shows	Relaunch of 5 year show calendar post COVID & successful hosting of National Shows in October	Development of COVID Traffic light Dog Show & training protocols
	Development of Federation Cynologique Internationale (FCI) Show Programme	COMPLETED	Launch of FCI Show enrolments Completion of FCI Show programme development
	Club Tool Kit Project	COMPLETED	
Development of Dog Registry	Transfer of Registry Databases to new web based Platform	Move to web based platform 95% completed	Completion of online Litter & Dog Registration development
	Launch of DPS/Dog Training Enrolment Programme	On Hold until Train the Trainers programme launched	
	Establishment of New Dog Training Levy Revenue Stream	On Hold	
Expansion of Dog Training Programs	Train the Trainers' Programme & National Training Conference	Detailed Planning & start of accreditation process with CANZ underway	
	Dog Training Graduations Packs	On Hold until Train the Trainers programme launched	
	Review of Canine Good Citizen (CGC) Programme	Revised CGC Training Assessment Manual Distributed to CGC Assessors	Review of CGC Training Assessment Manual
	Promotion of Dog Training Programmes	Participation in Christchurch & Wellington Pet Expos with CGC/ Canine Good Basics (CGB) stands	Development of CGC/CGB display stand for expo's & national shows

Strategic Objectives	Key Projects	Project Status Stage FY 2022 - 2023	Project Status Stage FY 2021 - 2022
Promoting Canine Health & Welfare	Expansion of our Pedigree Dog Health Testing Database		LRL /ABS test upgrades and automatic tracking of compliance
	Increased number of Breeds Adopting Litter Registration Limitation (LRL) Health Testing Standards	Ongoing Implementation: 8 breeds currently in various stages of LRL adoption	
	Recruitment of Full Time Canine Health & Welfare Officer	COMPLETED	
	Roll-out of RFG Health Testing Programme	Canine Health & Welfare Officer received Training for RFG Health Testing Programme Roll – out underway with confirmed Vet training courses	
Strategic Enablers			
Effective Communications	Establish Editorial Review Committee for NZ Dog world / Dog-iE news / Facebook channels	COMPLETED	
Strategic Stakeholder Relationships Management	Launch of 10yr Strategy Doc to strategic Partners & Public	COMPLETED.	Launched new 10 year Strategy at ACOD in June 2021
Appropriate Governance	Review of Bank Accounts / Financial Reporting Structure	Planning scope of work with RAF committee	
	Resolution of Porirua Exhibition Centre issues		Successful Sale of Prosser Street Facility
	Establishment of Long Term Investment Fund	COMPLETED	Establishment of Investment Fund with Forsyth Barr
	Provision of an indoor venue option for sports in Lower North Island	Completion of three project proposals for E.C. decision at April 2023 meeting	Establishment of Lower North Island Venue Working Group
	National Office Project	Completed proposal for purchase of national office building titles. Presented to E.C. at February meeting. Final decision was not to proceed.	Relocation of National Office to new facilities and secure long term storage of registry archives, museum collection.
	Financial Management	Delivery of FY result after depreciation that is \$200k ahead of budget	Delivery of FY result after depreciation that is \$215k ahead of budget
	Insurance Partnership	Pet Insurance sponsorship put to tender. Selected new partnership with PD Insurance	
	Pet Food Partnership	Renewed Purina Sponsorship for 2 more years	



## New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated

### Statement of Financial Performance

"How was it funded?" and "What did it cost?"

For the year ended

31 March 2023

	Note	Actual This Year \$	Actual Last Year \$
<b>Revenue</b>			
Donations, fundraising and other similar revenue	1	60,127	16,236
Fees, subscriptions and other revenue from members	1	540,827	520,099
Revenue from providing goods or services	1	1,379,617	997,836
Interest, dividends and other investment revenue	1	(79,740)	17,652
Property	1	129,742	111,263
Profit on Sale of 11 Prosser Street	1	-	5,990,634
<b>Total Revenue</b>		<b>2,030,573</b>	<b>7,653,720</b>
<b>Expenses including Depreciation</b>			
Employee related costs	2	802,572	693,029
Costs of Governance including Audit fee	2	149,023	103,378
Leasing costs	2	88,556	58,886
Expenses for providing Goods & Services	2	1,007,309	672,385
Depreciation	4	58,540	81,320
<b>Total Expenses</b>		<b>2,106,000</b>	<b>1,608,998</b>
<b>(Deficit)/Surplus for the Year</b>		<b>(75,427)</b>	<b>6,044,722</b>

## New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated

### Statement of Financial Position

"What the entity owns?" and "What the entity owes?"

As at

31 March 2023

	Note	Actual This Year \$	Actual Last Year \$
<b>Assets</b>			
<b>Current Assets</b>			
Bank accounts and cash	3	656,064	656,202
Debtors and prepayments	3	166,688	115,803
Managed fund investment	3	6,895,818	6,998,289
Trust Deposits	3	486,178	474,621
<b>Total Current Assets</b>		<b>8,204,748</b>	<b>8,244,915</b>
<b>Non-Current Assets</b>			
Property, plant and equipment	4	759,336	804,706
<b>Total Non-Current Assets</b>		<b>759,336</b>	<b>804,706</b>
<b>Total Assets</b>		<b>8,964,084</b>	<b>9,049,621</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>			
<b>Current Liabilities</b>			
Creditors and accrued expenses	3	184,449	170,874
Employee costs payable		61,684	42,123
Other current liabilities	3	311,819	355,065
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>		<b>557,952</b>	<b>568,062</b>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>		<b>557,952</b>	<b>568,062</b>
<b>Total Assets less Total Liabilities (Net Assets)</b>		<b>8,406,132</b>	<b>8,481,559</b>
<b>Accumulated Funds</b>			
Accumulated surpluses	5	8,406,132	8,481,559
<b>Total Accumulated Funds</b>		<b>8,406,132</b>	<b>8,481,559</b>

This performance report has been approved by the  
Executive Council, for and on behalf of Executive Council:

Date: 15 May 2023 Date: 15 May 2023

Signature:  Signature: 

Name: Brian Harris Name: Steven Thompson

Position: President Position: Director Secretary

## New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated

### Statement of Cash Flows

"How the entity has received and used cash"

For the year ended  
31 March 2023

	Actual This Year \$	Actual Last Year \$
<b>Cash Flows from Operating Activities</b>		
<b>Cash was received from:</b>		
Donations, fundraising and other similar receipts	60,127	16,236
Fees, subscriptions and other receipts from members	547,111	520,509
Receipts from providing goods or services	1,279,202	1,083,836
Interest, dividends and other investment receipts	22,731	22,519
Property income receipts	129,742	111,263
<b>Cash was applied to:</b>		
Payments to suppliers and employees	2,014,324	1,560,307
<b>Net Cash Flows from Operating Activities</b>	<b>24,589</b>	<b>194,056</b>
<b>Cash flows from Investing and Financing Activities</b>		
<b>Cash was received from:</b>		
Receipts from the sale of 11 Prosser Street	-	6,347,654
Receipts from the sale of investments	-	553,680
<b>Cash was applied to:</b>		
Payments to acquire property, plant and equipment	13,170	69,719
Payments to purchase investments	11,557	7,003,156
<b>Net Cash Flows from Investing and Financing Activities</b>	<b>(24,727)</b>	<b>(171,541)</b>
<b>Net(Decrease)/ Increase in Cash</b>	<b>(138)</b>	<b>22,515</b>
<b>Opening Cash</b>	656,202	633,687
<b>Closing Cash</b>	656,064	656,202
<b>This is represented by:</b>		
Bank Accounts and Cash	656,064	656,202

## New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated

### Statement of Accounting Policies

#### "How did we do our accounting?"

For the year ended  
31 March 2023

#### Basis of Preparation

New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated has elected to apply PBE SFR-A (NFP) Public Benefit Entity Simple Format Reporting - Accrual (Not-For-Profit) on the basis that it does not have public accountability and has total annual expenses of equal to or less than \$2,000,000. All transactions in the Performance Report are reported using the accrual basis of accounting. The Performance Report is prepared under the assumption that the entity will continue to operate. The Club has exceeded \$2 million of expenditure in the current year and in accordance with XRB A1 if the Club's expenditure exceeds \$2 million for the financial year ending 31 March 2024, the Club will transition to a higher Public Benefit Entity reporting tier for the year ending 31 March 2025.

#### Principles of Consolidation

(i) These financial statements are for the group which comprise the Club and the Museum Trust accounted for in accordance with PBE IPSAS 35 Consolidated Financial Statements. The Museum Trust has a term deposit as shown on Note 3, the interest of which is immaterial to the results of the group. The balance date of the Club and Museum Trust is at 31 March.

(ii) The Statement of Financial Performance on page 7 eliminates all intra group transactions.

#### Goods and Services Tax (GST)

All amounts are recorded exclusive of GST, except for Debtors and Creditors which are stated inclusive of GST.

#### Income Tax

New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated is wholly exempt from New Zealand income tax having fully complied with all statutory conditions for these exemptions.

#### Bank Accounts and Cash

Bank accounts and cash in the Statement of Cash Flows comprise cash balances and bank balances (including short term deposits) with original maturities of 90 days or less.

#### Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment is recorded at historical cost, less depreciation and impairment.

#### Depreciation

Depreciation has been calculated on a straight line basis at the following rates:

Buildings	2.50%
Freehold Improvements	2.50% to 10.00%
New Freehold Improvements	5.00% to 10.00%
Computer Equipment and Software	25.00%
Tractor and Equipment	15.00%
Office Furniture, Equipment and Tools	10.00% to 20.00%

**Receivables**

Debtors are stated at amounts owed less an estimate of impairment.

***Income Recognition***

Subscriptions and memberships are accounted for over the period of the membership with future income recorded as deferred revenue. Other income including Affiliation Fees are accounted for on an accruals basis. Those Affiliation Fees received that are related to the next financial year are recorded as receipts in advance. Revenue from gate sales and fund raising activities is recognised as earned, as their receipt cannot be anticipated. There is no income outstanding at year end that was received on a use or return basis.

***Donations***

Donations and other gratuities are recognised as revenue at the point when receipt is formally and officially acknowledged by the Club.

***Operating Leases***

Leases that do not transfer substantially all the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of an asset to the entity are classified as operating leases. Lease payments under an operating lease are recognised as an expense on a straight line basis over the term of the lease in the Statement of Financial Performance.

***Sponsorship***

The New Zealand Kennel Club 5 year sponsorship agreement with Nestle Purina NZ provides a cash contribution to our operations, pet food prizes for Club competitions and marketing services to various joint projects.

**Tier 2 PBE Accounting Standards Applied*****Managed fund investment***

The Club has applied PBE IPSAS 41 " Financial Instruments" to account for their Managed Investment Fund.

The Club designated its Managed Investment Fund as recorded at fair value through surplus or deficit because the Club manages such investments and makes purchase and sale decisions based on their fair value in accordance with its management or investment strategy. The Managed Investment Fund is not held for speculative and/or short-term trading purposes.

Financial instruments classified as fair value through surplus or deficit are subsequently measured at fair value with gains or losses being recognised in surplus or deficit. Refer to Note 1.

**Changes in Accounting Policies**

There have been no changes in accounting policies during the financial year (last year - nil).

**Comparatives**

There have been a number of prior period comparatives which have been reclassified to make disclosure consistent with the current year.

**New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated**  
**Notes to the Performance Report**  
For the year ended  
**31 March 2023**

**Note 1 : Analysis of Revenue**

Revenue Item	Analysis	This Year \$	Last Year \$
Donations and other similar revenue	Donations received by Auckland Property	50,767	9,590
	Donations received by Junior Dog Training	4,400	4,937
	Donations received by Junior Dog Show	4,960	-
	Donations received by Wellington	-	1,246
	Donations received by Dunedin	-	223
	Donations received for National Dog Training Assembly	-	240
	<b>Total</b>		<b>60,127</b>
Fees, subscriptions and other revenue from members	Member & Kennel Fees	348,885	337,233
	NZ Dog World - Subscriptions	191,942	182,866
	<b>Total</b>	<b>540,827</b>	<b>520,099</b>
Revenue from providing goods or services	Registry Activities	539,820	499,493
	Levies, Conferences & Other Dogs NZ Income	221,089	151,393
	NZ Dogs World - Advertising & Schedules	140,468	108,680
	All National Dog Shows (excl Purina Sponsorship)	199,421	17,186
	Sponsorship	112,750	116,000
	Agility & Dog Training Levies	72,222	59,756
	Annual Camp Income	20,973	11,180
	Other/Sundry Income	72,874	34,148
	<b>Total</b>		<b>1,379,617</b>
Interest, dividends and other investment revenue	Interest from bank and term deposits	22,731	22,519
	Gain/ (Loss) on Managed fund investment	(102,471)	(4,867)
	<b>Total</b>	<b>(79,740)</b>	<b>17,652</b>
Property	Auckland Property Income	114,942	61,695
	Dunedin Property Income	14,800	19,041
	Wellington Property Income	-	30,527
	<b>Total</b>	<b>129,742</b>	<b>111,263</b>
Profit on Sale of 11 Prosser Street		-	5,990,634
<b>Total</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>5,990,634</b>

At the Annual Conference Of Delegates held on 19 June 2021 a recommendation was passed giving approval to sell the land and buildings at 11 Prosser St and relocate the National Office into suitable lease accommodation. In 2021, the land and buildings were offered for sale on a tender basis. A successful bid of \$6.5 million was accepted during August 2021. A 10% deposit was paid on acceptance with final settlement in December 2021.

## New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated

### Notes to the Performance Report

For the year ended  
31 March 2023

#### Note 2 : Analysis of Expenses

Expense Item	Analysis	This Year	Last Year
		\$	\$
Employee related costs	Salaries & Wages, Accrued Leave, Kiwisaver & ACC	802,572	693,029
	<b>Total</b>	<b>802,572</b>	<b>693,029</b>

Expense Item	Analysis	This Year	Last Year
		\$	\$
Costs of Governance incl Audit Fees	Audit Fee	23,344	22,250
	Executive Councils Meetings & Presidents expenses	60,218	34,511
	Sub Committee Expenses & Honorarium	38,756	24,640
	Annual Conference of Delegates Expenses	26,705	21,977
	<b>Total</b>	<b>149,023</b>	<b>103,378</b>

Expense Item	Analysis	This Year	Last Year
		\$	\$
Leasing Costs	Sharp Photocopier Lease	10,153	10,153
	Cogent Telephone Equipment lease	-	1,580
	Forrester Park Land Lease	3,403	3,403
	Level 1 Unit 6, 7 Kilkerran Place Lease	75,000	43,750
	<b>Total</b>	<b>88,556</b>	<b>58,886</b>

Expense Item	Analysis	This Year	Last Year
		\$	\$
Expenses for providing Goods & Services	Auckland Property expenses	178,296	105,221
	Wellington Property Expenses	-	79,866
	Dunedin Property Expenses	31,161	25,774
	Head Office Expenses	283,341	228,835
	Magazine Expenses	199,322	135,941
	Agility Expenses	28,883	54,624
	Dog Training Expense	18,567	10,174
	Junior Dog Training Expenses	25,121	15,303
	Junior Dog Show Expenses	10,963	139
	All National Show Expense	231,655	16,508
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1,007,309</b>	<b>672,385</b>

## New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated

### Notes to the Performance Report

For the year ended  
31 March 2023

#### Note 3 : Analysis of Assets and Liabilities

Asset Item	Analysis	This Year	Last Year
		\$	\$
Bank accounts and cash	Dogs New Zealand - Main Account	185,503	181,932
	Dogs New Zealand - Deposit Account	33,036	32,050
	Property Account - Auckland	41,341	69,202
	Property Account - Dunedin	56,444	56,882
	Dog Training Young Kennel Club	24,110	25,274
	Breed Young Kennel Club	35	259
	Dogs New Zealand - Agility	173,404	165,931
	Dogs New Zealand - Dog Training	141,682	123,513
	Cash on Hand	509	1,159
	<b>Total</b>	<b>656,064</b>	<b>656,202</b>

Westpac bank overdraft facilities for NZKC are secured by first mortgage over the Auckland property. The interest rate is at 15.3% (2022: 10.75%) on the overdraft facility with an overdraft limit of \$35,000. The interest rate is 19.95% (2022:13.75%) if the overdraft were to exceed the limit. At at 31 March 2023 the bank bank is positive. The overdraft facility was not used during the year ending 31 March 2023.

Asset Item	Analysis	This Year	Last Year
		\$	\$
Debtors and prepayments	Trade Debtors	90,794	93,528
	Accrued Interest	5,765	1,119
	Prepayments	70,129	21,156
	<b>Total</b>	<b>166,688</b>	<b>115,803</b>

Asset Item	Analysis	This Year	Last Year
		\$	\$
Managed fund investment	Cash and fixed interest	5,982,560	6,433,806
	Property Australian Equities	64,246	-
	NZ Equities	234,200	227,800
	Australian Equities	245,339	158,746
	International Equities	369,473	177,937
	<b>Total</b>	<b>6,895,818</b>	<b>6,998,289</b>

Asset Item	Analysis	This Year	Last Year
		\$	\$
Term Deposits	Term Deposit - New Zealand Kennel Club	443,155	442,000
	Term Deposit - Museum	26,215	20,867
	Term Deposit - Obedience	11,754	11,754
	Term Deposit - Young Dog Showing	5,053	-
		<b>Total</b>	<b>486,177</b>

Term Deposits are invested with Westpac Bank for terms up to 12 months. Interest rates range between 1.20% to 5.10%. (2022 - 1.20% to 2.00%).



		<b>This Year</b>	<b>Last Year</b>
<b>Liability Item</b>	<b>Analysis</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>
Creditors and accrued expenses	Trade Payables	77,300	46,047
	Sundry Payables	33,754	31,283
	GST Payable	14,413	25,051
	Sundry Accruals	58,983	68,493
	<b>Total</b>	<b>184,450</b>	<b>170,874</b>
		<b>This Year</b>	<b>Last Year</b>
<b>Liability Item</b>	<b>Analysis</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>
Other current liabilities	Membership and NZ Dog World Deferred Revenue	197,431	191,147
	Others	114,388	163,918
	<b>Total</b>	<b>311,819</b>	<b>355,065</b>

## New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated

## Notes to the Performance Report

For the year ended  
31 March 2023

## Note 4 : Property, Plant and Equipment

This Year							Current Valuation	Source and Date of Valuation
Asset Class	Opening Cost	Purchases	Sales/Disposals	Current year Depreciation	Beginning accumulated depreciation and Impairment	Closing Carrying Amount		
Land - Auckland	314,022			-	-	314,022	2,782,609	Market Value
Buildings - Auckland	876,529			21,913	558,714	295,902	2,173,913	31 March 2021
Freehold Improvements - Auckland	581,255			8,858	542,965	29,432		
Buildings - Dunedin	90,570			2,264	78,186	10,120	700,000	Replacement Value, (insurance indemnity)
Leasehold Improvements - Dunedin	49,502			2,160	21,065	26,277		
Vehicles & Equipment - Auckland	38,407	10,870		632	38,319	10,326		
National Show Equipment	75,295			4,993	31,685	38,617		
Fixtures & Fittings - Wellington	63,071			1,599	48,656	12,816		
Fixtures & Fittings - Auckland	51,968			3,286	39,002	9,680		
Fixtures & Fittings - Dunedin	33,025			1,274	27,649	4,102		
Computer Equipment	50,390	2,300		4,474	40,173	8,043		
Agility Equipment	3,171			-	3,171	-		
Intangible Assets - Website, Registry & other Software	367,456			7,086	360,370	-		
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,594,661</b>	<b>13,170</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>58,540</b>	<b>1,789,955</b>	<b>759,337</b>		

Last Year						
Asset Class	Opening Cost	Purchases	Sales/Disposals (NBV)	Current year Depreciation	Beginning accumulated depreciation and Impairment	Closing Carrying Amount
Land - Auckland	314,022				-	314,022
Buildings - Auckland	876,529			21,913	536,801	317,815
Freehold Improvements - Auckland	569,170	12,086		9,636	533,328	38,292
Land - Wellington	303,939		303,939	-	-	-
Buildings - Wellington	538,908		1,802	5,405	531,702	-
Freehold Improvements - Wellington	323,790		51,280	11,532	260,878	-
Buildings - Dunedin	90,570			2,264	75,922	12,384
Leasehold Improvements - Dunedin	49,502			2,160	18,905	28,437
Vehicles & Equipment - Auckland	38,407			117	38,202	88
National Show Equipment	31,575	43,720		2,790	28,894	43,611
Fixtures & Fittings - Wellington	50,831	12,240		1,293	47,363	14,415
Fixtures & Fittings - Auckland	51,968			3,793	35,210	12,965
Fixtures & Fittings - Dunedin	33,025			1,345	26,304	5,376
Computer Equipment	48,718	1,673		5,135	35,039	10,217
Agility Equipment	3,171			-	3,171	-
Intangible Assets - Website, Registry & other Software	367,456			13,936	346,435	7,085
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,691,582</b>	<b>69,719</b>	<b>357,021</b>	<b>81,320</b>	<b>2,518,254</b>	<b>804,706</b>

## New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated

### Notes to the Performance Report

For the year ended  
31 March 2023

#### Note 5: Accumulated Funds

This Year		
Description	Accumulated Surpluses or Deficits	Total
<b>Opening Balance</b>	8,481,559	<b>8,481,559</b>
Surplus/(Deficit)	(75,427)	<b>(75,427)</b>
<b>Closing Balance</b>	<b>8,406,132</b>	<b>8,406,132</b>

Last Year		
Description	Accumulated Surpluses or Deficits	Total
<b>Opening Balance</b>	2,436,837	<b>2,436,837</b>
Surplus/(Deficit)	6,044,722	<b>6,044,722</b>
<b>Closing Balance</b>	<b>8,481,559</b>	<b>8,481,559</b>

**New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated**  
**Notes to the Performance Report**  
For the year ended  
**31 March 2023**

**Note 6 : Commitments and Contingent Liability**

Commitment	Explanation and Timing	At balance date	At balance date
		This Year	Last Year
		\$	\$
Commitments to lease or rent assets	Less than One Year	88,556	88,556
	Two to Five Years	71,078	121,516
<b>Total Lease Commitments</b>		159,634	210,072

There are no commitments related to the next financial year (2022:nil)

**Contingent Liability**

A claim has been lodged in the District Court against NZKC regarding a dog registration in 2018. The next hearing for the application to strike out the claim is scheduled on 17 May 2023.

**New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated**  
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For the year ended  
31 March 2023

**Note 7 and 8**

**Related Party Disclosures:**

There were no transactions involving related parties during the financial year. (Last Year - Nil)

**Events After the Balance Date:**

There were no events that have occurred after the balance date that would have a material impact on the Performance Report. (Last Year Nil).



## Independent Auditor's Report

### To the Executive Council of New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated

<b>Opinion</b>	<p>We have audited the financial information in the accompanying financial statements of New Zealand Kennel Club Incorporated (the 'Club'), which comprises the statement of financial position as at 31 March 2023, and the statement of financial performance, statement of movements in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and the statement of accounting policies and other explanatory information in notes 1 to 8.</p> <p>In our opinion, the financial information in the financial statements presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Club as at 31 March 2023 and its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Public Benefit Entity Simple Format Reporting – Accrual (Not-for-Profit) issued by the New Zealand Accounting Standards Board ('PBE SFR – A (NFP)').</p>
<b>Basis for opinion</b>	<p>We conducted our audit of the statement of financial performance, statement of financial position, statement of cash flows, statement of accounting policies and notes to the financial information in the financial statements in accordance with International Standards on Auditing ('ISAs') and International Standards on Auditing (New Zealand) ('ISAs (NZ)'). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the <i>Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements</i> section of our report.</p> <p>We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.</p> <p>We are independent of the Club in accordance with Professional and Ethical Standard 1 <i>International Code of Ethics for Assurance Practitioners (including International Independence Standards) (New Zealand)</i> issued by the New Zealand Auditing and Assurance Standards Board and the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' <i>International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards)</i>, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.</p> <p>Other than in our capacity as auditor, we have no relationship with or interests in the Club, except that partners and employees of our firm deal with the Club on normal terms within the ordinary course of trading activities of the business of the Club.</p>
<b>Other information</b>	<p>The Executive Council is responsible on behalf of the Club for the other information. The other information comprises the Club information on pages 3 and 4, the statement of service performance on pages 5 and 6 that accompanies the financial information included in the financial statements and the audit report.</p> <p>Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.</p> <p>Our responsibility is to read the other information and consider whether it is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If so, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.</p>
<b>Executive Council's responsibilities for the Financial Statements</b>	<p>The Executive Council is responsible on behalf of the Club for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements on behalf of the Club in accordance with PBE SFR – A (NFP), and</li> <li>• for such internal control as the Executive Council determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.</li> </ul> <p>In preparing the financial statements, the Executive Council is responsible on behalf of the Club for assessing the Club's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Executive Council either intends to liquidate the Club or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.</p>



#### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial information in the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and ISAs (NZ) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial Statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs and ISAs (NZ), we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial information in the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Club's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Executive Council.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the use of the going concern basis of accounting by the Executive Council and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Club's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Club to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial information in the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial information in the financial statements represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the Executive Council regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

#### Restriction on use

This report is made solely to the Executive Council, as a body. Our audit has been undertaken so that we might state to the Executive Council those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the Executive Council as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Wellington, New Zealand  
15 May 2023

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## Supplementary Schedules

Year Ended 31 March 2023

### Including: Comparatives and Budget



2022/2023

**New Zealand Club Incorporated**  
**Comparative Profit & Loss - NZKC**  
**Year Ended 31 March 2023**

	<u>2024</u> <u>Budget</u>	<u>2023</u> <u>Actual</u>	<u>2023</u> <u>Budget</u>	<u>2022</u> <u>Act v Bud</u>	<u>2022</u> <u>Actual</u>	<u>2023 v 2022</u> <u>Act v Act</u>
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Revenue</b>						
NZKC	1,296,839	1,075,993	1,208,648	(132,855)	1,081,313	(5,319)
Gazette	339,225	332,410	274,357	58,052	291,546	40,863
National Dog Show	118,911	132,160	123,757	8,403	-	132,160
FCI Dog Show	17,500	26,989	26,884	105	-	26,989
NDOA	52,200	25,890	21,000	4,890	20,300	5,590
Auckland	150,813	205,535	136,511	69,024	91,777	113,758
Wellington	-	-	-	0	65,525	(65,525)
Dunedin	31,630	29,978	25,451	4,527	24,709	5,269
Agility/DAC	141,782	126,191	102,103	24,088	70,305	55,885
CGC	8,580	8,447	8,280	167	7,600	847
JTD	20,028	27,657	19,308	8,349	17,433	10,224
JDS	9,514	17,633	10,070	7,563	1,302	16,331
Dog Training - Northern	3,880	4,848	2,541	2,308	2,092	2,756
Dog Training - Central	4,440	7,287	13,618	(6,332)	6,493	794
Dog Training - Southern	7,355	9,555	3,876	5,679	1,442	8,113
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>2,202,697</b>	<b>2,030,573</b>	<b>1,976,404</b>	<b>54,169</b>	<b>1,681,837</b>	<b>348,736</b>
<b>Expenditure</b>						
NZKC	1,389,565	1,215,440	1,225,016	(9,576)	986,683	228,757
Gazette	265,382	264,578	223,651	40,927	207,196	57,382
National Dog Show	123,764	116,055	124,345	(8,290)	394	115,661
FCI Dog Show	23,675	27,040	32,190	(5,150)	3,350	23,690
NDOA	57,410	25,803	24,500	1,303	12,765	13,037
Auckland	194,739	181,296	146,680	34,617	108,221	73,075
Wellington	-	-	-	0	105,530	(105,530)
Dunedin	53,270	31,161	33,909	(2,748)	25,774	5,388
Agility/DAC	166,980	125,338	118,044	7,295	70,598	54,740
CGC	5,080	5,643	1,440	4,203	304	5,339
JTD	25,734	25,121	17,400	7,721	15,303	9,819
JDS	9,730	10,963	10,200	763	139	10,824
Dog Training - Northern	3,555	3,420	1,145	2,275	3,387	33
Dog Training - Central	1,991	7,256	12,023	(4,766)	5,972	1,284
Dog Training - Southern	7,948	8,344	2,660	5,684	815	7,529
<b>Total Expenditure</b>	<b>2,328,822</b>	<b>2,047,460</b>	<b>1,973,203</b>	<b>74,257</b>	<b>1,546,429</b>	<b>501,030</b>
<b>Net Cash Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b>(126,125)</b>	<b>(16,887)</b>	<b>3,201</b>	<b>(20,088)</b>	<b>135,407</b>	<b>(152,294)</b>
<b>Net Cash Surplus/(Deficit)</b>						
NZKC	(92,726)	(139,447)	(16,368)	(123,079)	94,629	(234,076)
Gazette	73,844	67,832	50,706	17,126	84,350	(16,519)
National Dog Show	(4,853)	16,105	(588)	16,693	(394)	16,498
FCI Dog Show	(8,175)	(51)	(5,306)	5,255	(3,350)	3,299
NDOA	(5,210)	87	(3,500)	3,587	7,535	(7,447)
Auckland	(43,926)	24,239	(10,169)	34,408	(16,444)	40,683
Wellington	0	0	0	0	(40,005)	40,005
Dunedin	(21,641)	(1,183)	(8,458)	7,275	(1,064)	(119)
Agility/DAC	(25,198)	852	(15,941)	16,793	(293)	1,145
CGC	3,500	2,804	6,840	(4,036)	7,296	(4,493)
JDT	(5,706)	2,536	1,908	628	2,131	405
JDS	(216)	6,670	(130)	6,800	1,163	5,507
Dog Training - Northern	325	1,428	1,396	33	(1,295)	2,723
Dog Training - Central	2,449	30	1,596	(1,565)	520	(490)
Dog Training - Southern	(593)	1,211	-1,216	(5)	626	584
<b>Net Cash Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b>(126,125)</b>	<b>(16,887)</b>	<b>3,201</b>	<b>(20,088)</b>	<b>135,407</b>	<b>(152,294)</b>

**New Zealand Club Incorporated**  
**Comparative Profit & Loss - NZKC**  
**Year Ended 31 March 2023**

	<u>2024</u> <u>Budget</u>	<u>2023</u> <u>Actual</u>	<u>2023</u> <u>Budget</u>	<u>2023</u> <u>Act v Bud</u>	<u>2022</u> <u>Actual</u>	<u>2022 v 2021</u> <u>Act v Act</u>
<b>NZKC Revenue</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>
<b>Head Office &amp; Gazette</b>						
Membership (Club & Indiv)	334,520	346,358	335,064	11,294	335,370	10,988
Registry	527,915	539,820	515,669	24,151	499,493	40,327
Gazette	339,226	332,410	274,357	58,052	291,546	40,863
Show Levies	116,464	126,352	52,518	73,834	62,309	64,043
Sponsorship & Fundraising	108,000	54,854	56,000	(1,146)	81,989	(27,135)
Sundry	70,860	93,649	67,171	26,478	85,356	8,293
Interest	139,080	(85,040)	182,226	(267,266)	16,795	(101,835)
<b>Total NZKC Revenue</b>	<b>1,636,065</b>	<b>1,408,403</b>	<b>1,483,005</b>	<b>(74,602)</b>	<b>1,372,859</b>	<b>35,544</b>
<b>Committee Revenue</b>						
National Dog Show	118,911	132,160	123,757	8,403	-	132,160
FCI Dog Show	17,500	26,989	26,884	105	-	26,989
NDTA	52,200	25,890	21,000	4,890	20,300	5,590
Auckland	150,813	205,535	138,511	69,024	91,777	113,758
Wellington	-	-	-	0	65,525	(65,525)
Dunedin	31,630	29,978	25,451	4,527	24,709	5,269
Agility/DAC	141,782	126,191	102,103	24,088	70,305	55,885
CGC	8,580	8,447	8,280	167	7,600	847
JDT	20,028	27,657	19,308	8,349	17,433	10,224
JDS	9,514	17,633	10,070	7,563	1,302	16,331
Dog Training - Northern	3,880	4,848	2,541	2,308	2,092	2,756
Dog Training - Central	4,440	7,287	13,618	(6,332)	6,493	794
Dog Training - Southern	7,355	9,555	3,876	5,679	1,442	8,113
<b>Total Committee Revenue</b>	<b>566,632</b>	<b>622,170</b>	<b>493,399</b>	<b>128,771</b>	<b>308,978</b>	<b>313,192</b>
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>2,202,697</b>	<b>2,030,573</b>	<b>1,976,404</b>	<b>54,169</b>	<b>1,681,837</b>	<b>348,736</b>
<b>Expenditure</b>						
Personnel	918,917	815,151	828,662	(13,511)	705,405	109,746
Administration	503,150	459,871	424,421	35,449	408,954	50,917
Shows	331,593	300,425	280,178	20,248	82,126	218,300
Property	289,618	270,841	238,043	32,797	215,538	55,303
Governance	183,000	138,792	116,100	22,692	95,284	43,508
Sundry	102,545	62,380	85,698	(23,319)	39,123	23,257
	<b>2,328,822</b>	<b>2,047,460</b>	<b>1,973,103</b>	<b>74,357</b>	<b>1,546,429</b>	<b>501,030</b>
<b>Net Cash Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b>(126,125)</b>	<b>(16,887)</b>	<b>3,301</b>	<b>(20,188)</b>	<b>135,407</b>	<b>(152,294)</b>
Less Depreciation	55,798	58,540	61,347	(2,807)	81,320	(22,780)
<b>Net Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b>(181,924)</b>	<b>(75,427)</b>	<b>(58,046)</b>	<b>(17,381)</b>	<b>54,088</b>	<b>(129,514)</b>

## Membership and Registry activities over the last eight years

Membership	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23
Members	5,915	5,631	5,343	5,162	5,079	5,157	5,061	5,073	5,068

No Transactions	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23
Registrations	7,534	7,658	8,375	8,427	7,925	8,421	9,654	9,126	8,733
Litters	1,756	1,790	1,784	1,729	1,845	1,674	1,980	1,826	1,687
Imports	349	322	342	314	321	326	308	304	293
Certified Exports	589	556	433	470	442	257	200	253	349
Transfers	4,687	4,805	5,305	5,170	5,216	5,623	7070	7,195	6,610

% Change	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	Trends
Registrations	+3.39%	+1.65%	+9.36%	+0.62%	-5.96%	+6.26%	+14.65%	-5.47%	-4.42%	↓
Litters	+0.46%	+1.94%	-0.36%	+3.08%	+6.71%	-9.27%	+18.28%	-7.78%	-7.61%	↓
Imports	+9.06%	-7.74%	+6.21%	-8.19%	+2.23%	+1.56%	-5.52%	-1.30%	-3.62%	↓
Certified Exports	-18.53%	-5.60%	-22.12%	+8.55%	-5.96%	-41.86%	-22.18%	26.50%	37.94%	↑
Transfers		+2.52%	+10.41%	-2.54%	+0.89%	+7.8%	+25.73%	+1.77%	-8.13	↓





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