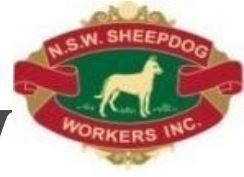


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PRESIDENTS REPORT (January 2020)

President Report – January 2020 - NICK RYAN I hope all our members had a great Christmas and new year . We are heading into the new dog trialling year with things looking a little better with some local areas getting some rain and the long term forecasts looking a little more positive.

Congratulations to Mick Hudson winning Handler of the year for 2019 and also dog of the year with Ritchies Finn and congratulations also go to Jackie Cantrall winning the rookie of the year . The full results are up on the New South Wales Sheepdog Workers website. I would also like to thank Josh Marshal for all his hard work keeping the results up on our facebook page for us all to follow.

I am looking forward to seeing everyone at the 2020 NSW State Championships at Molong from the 17th to the 21st of March.

It was great to see John and Joyce Camilleri from Hypro Premium and Dogpro making the trip to New Zealand to support the Australian team , we are very lucky to have such great sponsors that have tried to support us on every level from weekend trials to the Supreme and the Australian test team and we look forward to their continuing support into the future. We should all be returning the favour and try to get behind them and support and help to promote their products whenever we can.

Nick Ryan

COMMENTS RECEIVED BY THE AUSTRALIAN BODY FOR OUR MEMBERS TO READ AND COMMENT ON

Thoughts from NZ on Selection of Teams

I thought I would share a few thoughts after returning from NZ, with yet, another loss!!

It has become obvious to me, that the Australian test team is continually being selected on the wrong type of sheep, particularly when selecting to compete in NZ. This does not mean that sheep need to be worked down to a point of not requiring a dog, but when selecting to compete in NZ, the sheep used in the Ted Gaby Shield, should ideally be crossbred/composite in breed and have had some dog exposure, as this is what dogs will be up against in NZ.

It is incumbent on the State who is hosting the Interstate Challenge to have a single line of sheep, as even as possible who have been worked with dogs. There is enough experience in each of our states to accommodate this... it is very basic and achievable. The right sheep selection for the Interstate Challenge would be a major contributing factor to the success of our Australian Test Team. It is the difference between setting the team up for success or failure down the track.

Out of the last seven Interstate Challenges, 3 States have used crossbred/composite type sheep for selection. Two of these teams were being selected to compete in NZ and one in Australia on merinos?! The 2015 and 2017 teams competing in Taupo were possibly the strongest I have been part of, unfortunately our team suffered a cross on the cast. Unfortunate, but this happens.

Once team selection has taken place, it is incumbent on the individual to train for the worst case scenario. Our weaknesses in NZ are the cast and the strength of our dogs. NZ know this and will set courses and sheep to get an advantage.

The essence of all this, minimising the risks/mistakes are achievable, changing the system will NOT work if we are not prepared to get the basics right, and once team members are selected, they have an obligation to fine tune and train their dogs.

Changes to the selection process can be made via the ASDWA meetings if the states can consult each other and come to an agreed result to put forward, but I feel that the sheep selection is the first major consideration at this point and would have an impact on the outcomes of the Test Team. If we cannot get the sheep selection correct, unfortunately I feel our losses will continue.



Grant Cooke

This has been put forward by Paul Darmondy as the Patron of the ASDWA

As discussed at the AGM held at Dalby, Queensland 2019, NSW put a motion to the ASDWA that was defeated.

Regardless of the defeated motion, the president of the ASDWA and all the delegates from each State agreed, there needs to be a change in the process of selecting our test teams.

The decision to change the process needs to be made sooner rather than later to ensure stronger test teams for the future.

My thoughts are:

- There be no test team selected at the 2020 Tasmanian Supreme
- The Ted Gaby Shield be held in Tasmania, possibly offering more financial reward for winning this prestigious event
- The 2021 Supreme in South Australia would host the Ted Gaby Shield and the Test team be selected from this event
- This allows sufficient time to organise a Test team to go to New Zealand, as there would be approximately 8-10 weeks' time frame
- The following year when the Test is due to be held in Australia, the Ted Gaby Shield would run prior to the commencement of the Supreme. Allowing a selection of the next Australian team.

- The sheep used in the Test series would be the same sheep that the team was selected from, allowing us to have a more competitive team.

A decision needs to be made regarding this as soon as possible, as it may change how the States wish to select their representatives

This is not a constitutional change and can be changed over a teleconference.

Ideally this change would be trialled for 2 years and rediscussed.

Wishing everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Kind Regards,
Paul Darmody

Please give it some thought and any suggestion be forwarded to your State Secretary for discussion prior to the phone hook up on 26/02/2020



MERCHANDISE AVAILABLE

Thomas Cook – Drill Shirt – Long Sleeve - Full Button – S,M,L,XL,XXL & XXXL - (Cobalt,Bone,Red)

Bisley – Full Button Long Sleeve – Chambray – All Sizes

Cloth Badges (iron on)

The Order Form is available on our website.

Compulsory Liability Clause – Insurance 2019/20

All Trial Entry Forms will from have the following liability clause noted due to our new Insurance regulations.

Iacknowledge that working with sheep may put me at risk of illness or injury and that in attending this trial I accept that I may be injured from both foreseen and unforeseen events associated with working sheep and dogs. I will not hold NSWSDWI, the committee or any member of the as sociation responsible for any illness or injury that may occur as a direct or indirect result of attending this trial. Handler/owner certify that the entered dog is not a hazard to persons, dogs, stock or property.

Signature: Date:.....



REMINDER TO ALL COMPETITORS

Please ensure that when you are entering a dog that is not owned by you, you must include "owned by" and "worked by" on the entry form. There are still a few competitors who are not abiding by this rule.

REMINDER TO ALL CLUB SECRETARIES

Please ensure that when receiving entries all dogs have registered numbers. If in doubt, please phone the Registrar, Ann Moy.

WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

NSWSDWi would like to welcome all our new members. We hope that you enjoy trialling.



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TRIAL DATES - 2020

Trial Dates might alter slightly please ring trial organisers to confirm

Please let us know if these dates are incorrect, trials missed or if details need to be updated. Thanks.

Nationals	Hall	11/3/20 to 15/3/20	Sarah Sydrych	0403257243
NSW State Championships	Molong	17/3/20 to 21/3/20	Janelle Fessey	0418637641
Murrurundi	Murrurundi	25/4/20 to 27/4/20	Harry Kelly	0267465578
Willow Tree	Willow Tree	30/4/20 to 3/5/20	Bill Davidson	0427466431
Sydney Trial	Hawkesbury	28/5/20 to 31/5/20	Vickie Priestley	0410551527
Finley Show Society Trial	Finley	4/6/20 to 8/6/20	Carol Kennedy	0499872437
Tullamore	Tullamore	6/8/20 to 9/8/20	Paul Schiller	0268927340
Eugumgerie	Eumungerie	13/8/20 to 16/8/20	Mick Hudson	0427040188
Morongla	Morongla	20/8/20 to 23/8/20	David Langfield	0429459953
Central West Championships	Geurie	10/9/20 to 13/9/20	Jon Cantrall	0427129779
Henty Sheep Dog Trial	Henty	22/9/20 to 24/9/20	Paul Darmody	0412347753
Australian National Field Days	Borenore	22/10/20 to 24/10/20	Janelle Fessey	0418637641
Monaro Sheep Dog Trial	Bredbo	20/11/20 to 22/11/20	John Perry	0264544108
Neville Sheep Dog Trial	Neville	3/12/20 to 6/12/20	Peter Oxley	0439028779

** Please be aware that not all these trials may be able to proceed, no sheep = no trial.

I have a few trials that are missing and I am still chasing up dates for them. Cobar is still chasing sheep and will let us know as soon as they know what is happening.

Please note that the majority of our trials are sponsored by DogPro, please support them as they support our sport. A sport that is enjoyed by many and brings people together.



RESULTS

MOULAMEIN SHEEP DOG RESULTS

OPEN

1	Barry McKenzie	Cromarty	135
2	Bill Paton	Moynalla Annie	124
3	Ed Thompson	T.K. Finito	123
4	Tony Elliott	Gundagai Happy	122
5	Tony Elliott	OK Indiana Buckles	114
6	Tony Elliott	Brands Hatch Tully	97
7	Russell Percival	Tarcoola Burra	84
8	Ed Thompson	Coshies Ned	67

IMPROVER

1	Tony Elliott	Brands Hatch Tully	135
2	Wally Dalton	Coshies Goldie	91
3	Peter Welch	Gundagai Dice	60
4	Josh Marshall	Shannondoah Lady	58

NOVICE

1	Tony Elliott	Gundagai Sugar	133
2	Russell Percival	Tarcoola Sam	97
3	Graeme Lace	Roseneath Kip	78
4	Peter Welch	Gundagai Dice	46

HENTY SHEEP DOG RESULTS

OPEN

1	Mick Hudson	Fin	84+96+96	276
2	John Perry	Gem	79+94+88	261
3	Brett Smith	Tip	86+83+82	251
4	John Perry	Raffa	76+95+77	248
5	John Perry	Jazz	84+82+67	233
6	Paul Darmody	Maverick	78+88+55	221
7	Laurie Slater	Jewel	86+80+50	216
8	Julie Birkett	Midori	80+89+44	213
9	Mick Hudson	Rabbit	80+90+LS	170

GOLDEN COLLAR RESULTS

OPEN

1	Mick Hudson	Ritchies Finn	98+98	196
2	George Lane	Lindsays Elle	91+87	178
3	Peter Oxley	Rivlin Caesar	91+69	160
4	Daniel Pumpa	Whites Benji	89+57	146

IMPROVER

1	Tegan Perry	Delrio Fly	75+88	163
2	Nick Ryan	Zeefree Rod	68+77	145
3	Scott Smith	Echo Park Toby	68+60	128
4	Daniel Pumpa	Whites Benji	89+R	89
UP	Les Eveleigh	Caviar Hazel	77+R	77

NOVICE

1	Daniel Pumpa	Whites Benji	89+D	89
2	Harry Hudson	MGH Speck	88+X	88
3	Jean Hydleman	Marionvale Zahlee	81+S	81
4	Les Eveleigh	Hiltons Major	80+R	80

ENCOURAGE

1	Daniel Pumpa	Whites Benji	89+90	179
2	Tegan Perry	Delrio Fly	75+65	140
3	Tracey Lindsay	Camara Chiller	79+R	79
4	Kyleigh Victory	Wynella Bandsaw	76+2	78

FUTURITY

1	Bill Davidson	Wirchilleba Stormy	99	99
2	Leigh Foster	Me Mate Shirley	93	93
3	Mick Hudson	MGH Cat	90	90
4	Adam James	Myanta Moss	84	84

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL FIELD DAYS RESULTS

OPEN

1	Mick Hudson	Ritchies Finn	86+96+92	274
2	John Perry	Delrio Gem	81+93+82	256
3	John Perry	Bredbo Ash	86+95+69	250
4	Julie Birkett	O'Kanes Sambucca	86+96+X	182
5	Julie Birkett	Windeyer Gin	86+87+R	173

NOVICE

1	Andrew Heath	Te Rata Fleck	81+80	161
2	Andrew Heath	Te Rata Storm	88+65	153
3	Andrew Heath	Braziers Lana	77+44	121
4	Neil Croxon	Rowen Jock	79+37	116



MONARO SHEEP DOG RESULTS

OPEN

1	Bill Davidson	Wirchilleba Stormy	94+93	187
2	Charlie Cover	Oakdean Block	96+86	182
3	John Perry	Boco Raffa	94+86	180
4	John Perry	Zoz Nell	97+71	168
5	Laurie Slater	Wondara Jewel	89+78	167
6	Paul Darmody	Anaway Dotti	89+62	151
UP	Charlie Cover	Windeyer Libby	89+R	89

IMPROVER

1	Laurie Slater	Vairmari Sally	62+90	152
2	Bill Davidson	Grassvalley Flake	69+61	130
3	Paul Prentice	Bad Boy Bruce	64+56	120
4	Vickie Priestley	Illoura Fly	63+50	113
UP	Paul Prentice	Bad Boy Snip	62+45	107
UP	Josie Kimpton	Hudsons Sage	69+X	69

NOVICE

1	Charlie Cover	Windeyer Cluney	86+61	147
2	Josie Kimpton	Hudsons Sage	69+46	115
3	Vickie Priestley	Illoura Fly	63+51	114
UP	Bill Davidson	Grassvalley Flake	69+R	69
UP	Paul Prentice	Bad Boy Bruce	64+X	64

ENCOURAGE

1	Kyleigh Victory	Wynella Bandsaw	88+30	118
2	Tracey Lindsay	Camara Chiller	55+50	105
3	Ted Mulry	Millson Park Wave	58+46	104
UP	Marion Whalan	Royalla Louie	47	47

NEVILLE SHEEP DOG RESULTS

OPEN

1	Pip Hudson	Hudson's Tonka	84+96	180
2	Julie Birkett	O'Kanes Sambucca	88+88	176
3	Michael Dungay	Shaundar Cooper	88+84	172
4	Pip Hudson	Longerview Cuba	83+39	122
UP	John Perry	Zoz Nell	89+R	89

IMPROVER

1	John Perry	Bredbo Ash	78+75	153
2	Julie Birkett	O'Kanes Sambucca	88+52	140
3	Pip Hudson	Longerview Cuba	83+11	94
4	Peter Welch	Gundagai Dice	67+X	67
UP	Les Eveleigh	Hilton's Frank	62+R	62

NOVICE

1	John Perry	Bredbo Ash	78+48	126
2	Les Eveleigh	Elliotts Goody	80+43	123
2	Peter Welch	Gundagai Dice	67+56	123
4	Les Eveleigh	Hilton's Major	90+R	90
UP	Les Eveleigh	Motley Joy	76+R	76
UP	Paul Elliott	Elliott's Peggylee	76+R	76

ENCOURAGE

1	Neil Croxon	Wongaburra Roy	61+79	140
2	Jackie Cantrall	Cooks Nell	59+50	109
3	Jackie Cantrall	Princes Dawn	40+37	77
UP	Eileen Moriarty	Bashfords Jock	40+34	74
UP	Michelle Griffith	Lindsay's Tiger	40+34	74

ALL THE VERY BEST FOR 2020.

** PLEASE NOTE THAT OUR AGM WILL BE HELD DURING THE STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS AND CAN YOU PLEASE SEND IN YOUR NOTICE OF MOTIONS (MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW SHORTLY). NOTICE OF MOTIONS WILL BE PUT ON THE AGENDA ON A FIRST IN BASIS, TO DATE I HAVE THREE NOTICE OF MOTIONS FOR OUR MEETING. DETAILS ON DATE AND TIME WILL BE DECIDED AND WE WILL NOTIFY OUR MEMBERS.