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WINTER NEWS



My golly gosh, here we are past the middle of winter and into the second half of the year. A few more months and we will all be getting ready for the Silly Season.....help! Last year was very exciting with the FBCSA turning 50 years old and this year is as exciting but with some extra work. Our main objective this year is to get 100% up and running with SA Stud.

SA STUD BOOK

Early in the year I sent out new Prefix forms for completion by the Breeders who we regard as Active. SA Stud Book made a concession to these already registered Breeders in that they could register with SA Stud Book at no cost. Though it did take a few months for Breeders to return forms I am happy to say that many were sent in to Stud Book and have been approved. These Breeders would have received a letter from Stud Book. I am now finalising the Prefixes on the data base and very soon we will begin the next step of registering all the Boxers that Breeders own. So be on the look out for this information and respond accordingly. While on the subject of SA Stud Book, their financial year begins on 1 July of every year at which time they increase fees. Traditionally the FBCSA increased their fees from 1 January so this has now caused a bit of a dilemma. The Executive Body came to an agreement at their last meeting that the FBCSA will fall in line with SA Stud Book's new financial year with regards to increases, so all fees have been increased as from 1 July 2011. Your club secretaries will be forwarding the information to you.

While we are on the subject of Breeders I would really like to take this opportunity to thank all those Breeders for complying with all the new rules and regulations of the FBCSA. My work load is much easier when I do not have to send incomplete forms back to Breeders or beg for correct information. The new Electronic Stud and Litter Certificates are proving to be a great success.

Probably the most common problem that arises is incomplete or incorrect information for the new owners on the Application for Registration form. Please remember it is very important to give me the title and correct initials of the new owner and very importantly the POSTAL address. If incorrect information is given to me and I have already printed the certificate, the Breeder will have to pay for a new certificate to be printed and posted.



The FBCSA in terms of the Animal Improvement Act No 62 of 1998 - Registration Certificate No 62/98/B-12, is now the only recognised breed society in the country to legally register ALL Boxer dogs. The Act further stipulates that there can only be one Breeders' Society of a particular breed and registration of these animals may only be done through a registered Registering Authority, such as SA Stud Book. The Boxer has been declared by the Registrar as a "Breed" and was accordingly announced as such in the Government Gazette.

The Federation of Boxer Clubs of SA is therefore the only legal Breeders' Society for Boxers in South Africa and therefore only breeders who are members of the Federation can legally claim to be breeding Boxers

WEBSITE and Email ADDRESSES

The FBCSA has recently changed to a new service provider, namely MWEB and we therefore have a [new website address](#) and [new email addresses](#) for the clubs and the FBCSA. Please take note of the following:

Website Address: www.fbcса.net

FBCSA Secretary: secretary@fbcса.net

FBCSA PRO: pro@fbcса.net

BCSA: bcса@fbcса.net

EBC: ebc@fbcса.net

NBC: nbc@fbcса.net

And I am really pleased to announce that the **FBCSA Show Secretary** now has her own mailbox as follows: shows@fbcса.net, so you can mail all your show entries directly to the show secretary without her having to use her private mail box.



GOVERNING BODY AGM

On the 5th March 11 the Governing body met for the AGM. It was once again a pleasant and successful meeting and I can assure you all that the FBCSA is in good hands. What is really encouraging to the "Oldies" is the keen interest from the younger generation with many now holding important posts. They naturally come with new ideas and new talents so we can be assured of keeping things from going stale. However, we must always remember that the FBCSA was able to celebrate 50 years and will continue to offer good service because of the sound Constitution to keep us all in line. This has developed over many years with input from many experienced people and has been put to the test and passed. The FBCSA has often received compliments on just how sound a Constitution we have. The following people are now serving on the Executive and Panels:

FBCSA EXECUTIVE MEMBERS AND PANEL MEMBERS 2011

PRESIDENT: Mrs Chris Levings

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

CHAIRMAN: Mrs Ute Füglistner
VICE CHAIRMAN: Dr Marinda Oosthuizen (Bulletin Editor)
SECRETARY: Mrs Pam Zeiler 012 664 2156
TREASURER: Mrs Uschi Wöstmann
PRO: Mr Armand Burger
MEMBERS: Mrs Helen Rennie (FBCSA Show Secretary), Mrs Driekie du Plessis, Mrs Diane du Plessis (FBCSA Webmaster), Mrs Els Sporen, Ms Liz Schultz, Mr Mathew Ross, Mr André du Plessis, Ms Madga Koekemoer, Ms Monica Roos (Bulletin Layout)

JUDGES PANEL

CHAIRMAN: Mrs Ute Füglistner
SECRETARY: Dr Marinda Oosthuizen
REPRESENTATIVE: **Mr Machiel Bosch**
MEMBERS: Mrs Chris Levings, Mrs Uschi Wöstmann, Mrs Mariette Oosthuizen, Mr Mathew Ross, Mr Machiel Bosch, Mrs Tahla Ross

BREEDERS PANEL

CHAIRMAN: Dr Marinda Oosthuizen
SECRETARY: Mrs Els Sporen 012 751 0733
REPRESENTATIVE: **Ms Adri Erasmus**
MEMBERS: Mrs Helen Rennie, Mrs Pam Zeiler, Ms Magda Koekemoer, Mrs Angela Roeland

TRAINERS PANEL

CHAIRMAN: Mr Mathew Ross
SECRETARY: Mrs Corinne Young
REPRESENTATIVE: **Mrs Corinne Young**
MEMBERS: Ms Liz Schultz, Mrs Ute Füglistner, Mrs Uschi Wöstmann, Mrs Helen Rennie, Mrs Diane du Plessis, Mrs Tahla Ross



WINNER OF WINNERS



This years WOW proved to be a great success and was thoroughly enjoyed by all. The venue was the Swiss Club in Midrand and the food was outstanding. The results for WOW were:

Best Male Puppy: Tambay's Utrillo
Best Female Puppy: Browncoat's Arabella of Jetaime
Best Adult Male: Ch Amanja's Shadow
Best Adult Female: Togra Beyond an Angel

The overall WOW went to **Togra Beyond an Angel**. Congratulations to both breeders and owners.

The new sub-committee has been working very hard at raising funds for next year's WOW and you can be assured that the tickets will be a lot less expensive next year, enabling a lot more people to attend.

UPCOMING SHOWS IN 2011

20 August 11 - EBC
 17 September - NBC
 8 October - BCSA
 22 October 11 - NBC
 5 November - Interclub, hosted by EBC.

We look forward to seeing you at all the shows.

The Editor and assistant for the annual Bulletin are working very hard and we can expect another great read.

Until next time, stay warm for the rest of winter; love your Boxers as much as they love you.

Boxer Regards
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