

[View this email in your browser](#)

MEMBER CONNECT

www.dogswest.com



Notices

Notice of Annual General Meeting 2025

The Canine Association of Western Australia Inc 2025 AGM

Date: **WEDNESDAY 27 August 2025**

Time: 7.30 pm

Location: Members Lounge, First Floor,
602 Warton Rd, Southern River

Extraordinary Community Member Award 🏆

This award recognises members who go above and beyond to help others in times of distress, danger, or hardship—whether it's providing medical aid, assisting in emergencies, or simply stepping up when it matters most.

nominations will be 6 June 2025 and additional information will be provided in the coming months.

IMPORTANT NOTICE Special General Meeting

Date: **Thursday 10 April 2025**

Time: **7.00 pm**

Location: Members Lounge, First Floor, 602 Warton Rd, Southern River

Full Notice of Special General Meeting and additional information for members is available on our website now at the link [here](#).

Members can submit questions before the SGM at: k9@dogswest.com; Subject line: SGM Query.

Commencement times of Sanctioned Events

Governing Council has approved a significant amendment to Regulation **B23.4**

This decision followed a thorough review of various animal welfare and dog sport policies, along with an analysis of Western Australia's weather patterns.

Effective from 1st January 2025, this

5pm on April 7, 2025. Know someone who deserves recognition? Nominate them today! 🐾

Nominations to k9@dogswest.com with the subject: Extraordinary Community Member Award

Find more information on our website [here](#).

2026 Building & Amenities Shows

Governing Council has acknowledged feedback from clubs regarding the challenges in securing resources to conduct B&A shows. In response, a decision was made in December to reserve the March and November B&A dates in 2026 for a newly formed working party under the Events Committee.

This working party will be responsible for organising a minimum of three fundraising all-breeds shows each weekend, replacing the existing B&A shows.

Further details will be shared as they become available.

Cancellation or Postponement of a Sanction Event

In September last year, Dogs West implemented Regulation B24, which

of our dogs.

More information will be shared by email next week and a copy of this notice is available on our website [here](#). Full Regulations can be found [here](#).

Canteen Update

In 2024, the canteen service was made available through an open application process. However, after careful review, the Governing Council determined that continuing the canteen service as a third-party operation is not a viable option.

This decision was influenced by several factors, including:

- A decline in exhibitor numbers,
- The increasing presence of food businesses near Dogs West, and
- The growth of online food delivery services.

More information will be shared by email next week and a copy of this notice is available on our website [here](#).

From PD Insurance

Try out PD's Puppy Name Generator for Puppy Day

Puppy Day, celebrated on March 23 each

as its cancellation before or after commencement.

Full details were shared in the [Jan/Feb Canine News](#) and the full regulation can be found on our website [here](#).

Calling All Dog Lovers & Photographers! 🐕 📷

The **David Roche Gallery** is excited to announce that entries are now open for the **Best In Show 2025 Prize for Photography!** This competition is open to both amateur and professional Australian photographers—simply submit your best dog-themed photo for a chance to win **\$5,000**.

Don't miss out! Entries close at **5PM (ACDT) on 19 May 2025**.

Enter online [here](#).

who ensure they get a good start in life. This year, for Puppy Day, PD Insurance has created a 'puppy name generator'.

If you have a new puppy and are stumped for a name, simply answer a few questions – like what your puppy’s habits are and what colour fur they have - to generate a name. At the very least, you might be inspired! Click [here](#) to view PD’s puppy name generator.

EXCLUSIVE TO DOGS WEST BREEDERS

- Give puppies up to 7 weeks **FREE insurance**
- Earn **\$100** for every puppy that joins PD after 3 weeks
- Scan to join the **Breeder Partner Program**

pd.com.au DOGS WEST
pd.com.au is a product of Pacific International Insurance Pty Ltd (ABN 83 169 211 193) (AFS Licence Number: 523921).

SHOW 2025
 Australian Photographic Dog Prize

DAVID ROCHE GALLERY **NEW PRIZE ENTRIES NOW OPEN**

Calling amateur and professional Australian photographers – enter your favourite dog photo for a chance to win a **first prize of \$5000**

- Young photographer (aged 12-18) prize \$500
- People’s Choice Award \$500

Enter online 17 February until 5PM (ACDT) 19 May 2025 at: rochegallery.com.au/BisPrize/

Selected Finalists exhibited in Adelaide at David Roche Gallery Best in Show 2025: Australian Photographic Dog Prize 30 August – 25 October 2025

Friday Funny

I can't take my dog down to the local pond anymore, because the ducks keep chasing him. It's my fault for choosing a pure bread dog 🐶 🐶



Subscribe

Past Issues

Translate ▼



**DOGS
AUSTRALIA**

ROYAL CANIN®



Copyright © 2025 Dogs West - Canine Association of WA, All rights reserved.

Want to change how you receive these emails?
You can [update your preferences](#) or [unsubscribe from this list](#).