



**PLAYFUL  
PUPS**  
DOGGY DAYCARE

# Bark-Worthy Newsletter

## What's News...

Welcome back to the Playful Pups Newsletter. We've had a busy few months looking after your furry family members.

This month we celebrated Biggie and Blitzens Best Friend Birthday Party! Everyone had a wonderful time, with lots of treats and friends. We hope your pups enjoyed their lolly-bags too.

We welcomed lots of new friends into the pack. Everyone has settled in wonderfully and made lots of new friends.

You may have also noticed the new addition during drop off and pick ups, our new sign. Hopefully we can offer a smile, a laugh or some wisdom for the drive home. We'd love to hear your favourite dog related sayings or jokes.

## Newsletter Highlights

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WHAT'S NEWS

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WHO'S NEW IN THE  
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BREED HIGHLIGHT

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UNDERDOG TRAINING  
TIPS AND CLASSES

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DOG TALES

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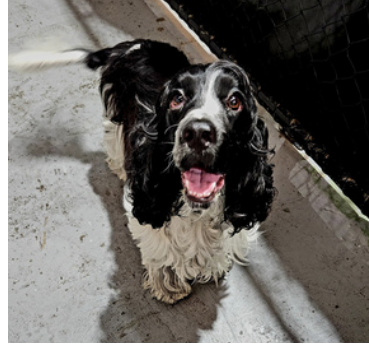
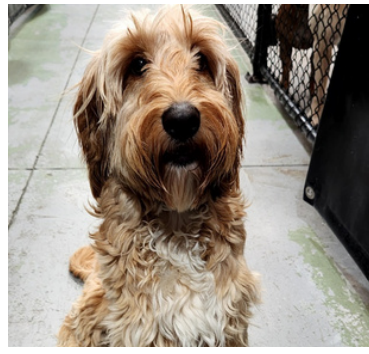
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HAPPY BARK-DAY







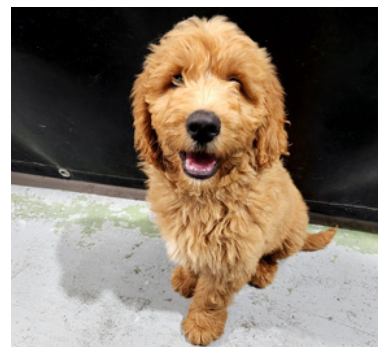
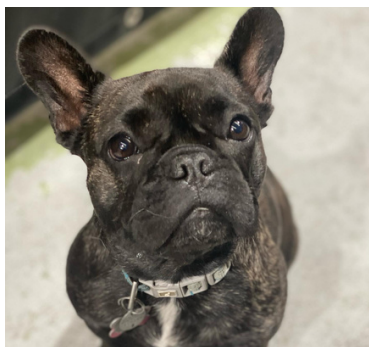
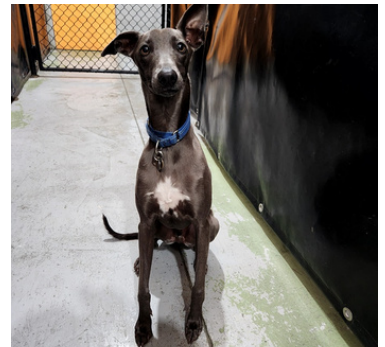
# Who's New in the Pack!

We have welcomed many new friends to the pack, including

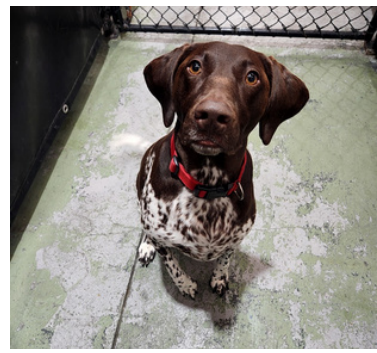
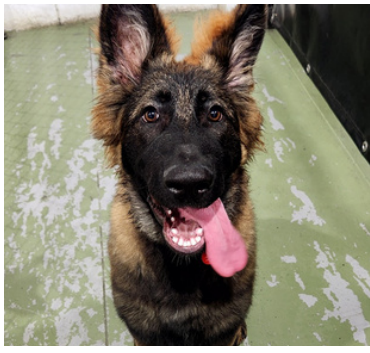
- Zach the Jack Russel
- Coco the Dachshund
- Albie the Labradoodle
- Ella the Labrador
- Yeera the Cocker Spaniel
- Mimi the Spoodle
- Marta the Spoodle
- Finn the Golden Retriever
- Scooby the Labradoodle
- Bonnie the Rottweiler



- Figgie the Dachshund
- Harvey the Spoodle
- Ferguson the Shetland Sheepdog
- Ghost the Japanese Spitz
- Chloe the French Bulldog
- Maddie the Mini Dachshund
- Rufus the Whippet
- Winston the Cavoodle
- Maui the Groodle
- Percy the Labrador



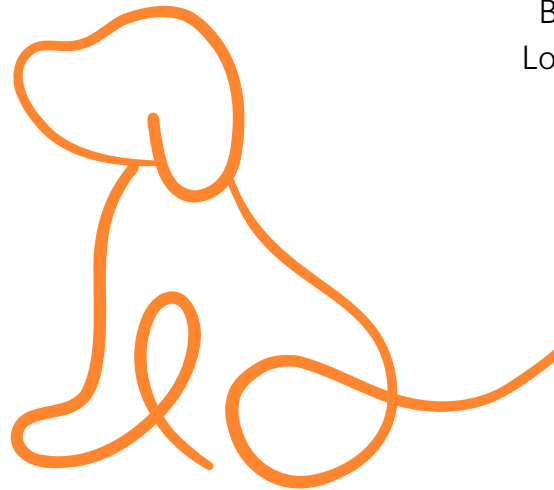




## Who's New in the Pack!

We have welcomed many new friends to the pack, including

Hudson the Foxhound X  
Marley the Rhodesian Ridgeback  
Ruby the German Shepard  
Sage the Labrador



Buddy the Mixed breed  
Loki the Golden Retriever  
Lenny the Labrador  
Melody the Whippet  
Bella the GSP

## Dog Tales!

Togo



You probably know the story of Balto, but have you heard of Togo? In the winter of 1925 a remote part of Alaska, Nome, was under the grips of a deadly diphtheria outbreak. Due to the remoteness of the area only teams of sled dogs were able to deliver the antitoxin needed to save lives.

While Balto led the last 53 miles of the relay, gaining fame and recognition for his part. Togo was regarded as the real hero of the day by those in the know.

While most teams run an average of 30 miles during the relay Togo led his team 264 miles across rugged landscapes at -30 degrees! All in 3 days.

All this and Togo was already 12 years old at the time. Togo would live to be 16 years old before he passed away after a well deserved retirement.





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# Happy Bark-Day!

Biggie and Blitzens special joint party!  
Storm the German Shepard who turned 2  
Raine the Frenchie who turned 5  
Jax the Border Collie who turned 2  
Roxy the Labradoodle who turned 2  
Poppie the French Bulldog who turned 6  
Bellatrix the Beagle who turned 2

## Breed Highlight

The Jack Russell Terrier  
Starring Monty.

Hailing from England at the turn of the 1800s, the Jack Russell Terrier gets their name from Reverend John Russell.

The Reverend was an avid fox hunter and developed the Jack Russell as a hunting companion. The sturdy little dog was used to track fox's across long distances and go to ground to flush out foxes who had retreated to their dens. This required a courageous and tenacious little dog!

One special Jack Russell was Bothy, Bothy was the first dog to set paw on both the North and South Poles.



## Underdog Training and Behaviour Consulting, Tips and Classes



### Training Tip:

Does your dog struggle with recall. Here's a few ways to improve.

Set your dog up for success, don't let them practice running away or ignoring you.

Make it a game, make it fun.

Practice, Practice, Practice!

### Upcoming classes at Playful Pups:

UNDERDOG PRIMARY CLASS (AGES 4-12 MONTHS)- MONDAY  
22ND MAY AT 6.45PM

UNDERDOG NOVICE GROUP OBEDIENCE (ALL AGES)-  
MONDAY 22ND MAY AT 8PM

(PLEASE NOTE, THERE IS A GAP IN CLASSES FOR KINGS BIRTHDAY)

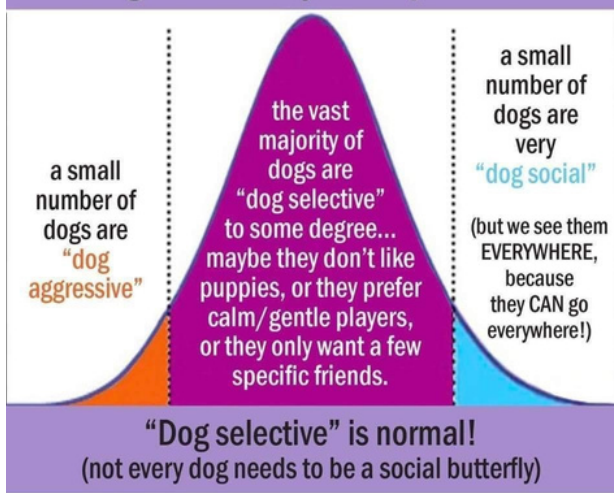


EMAIL YOUR DOGS NAME, AGE AND BREED  
AND YOUR CLASS PREFERENCE TO  
INFO@UNDERDOGTRAINING.COM.AU

\$199/DOG FOR A 4-WEEK COURSE



## Dog Sociability is a Spectrum



Huge thanks to Every Dog Behavior for communicating it so clearly! [everydogastin.org](http://everydogastin.org)

# Dogs, Translated!

Does your only have a few friends? Maybe they are less social now they're older? It's normal!

Most dogs become less willing to make new friends as they mature, they are happy with a few good mates to play with and are less tolerant of new dogs. Most dogs fit this description. Very few are 'social butterfly's' who love everyone they meet.

## Reviews.

Thanks to Lauren, Spencer and Storm!

We LOVE Joe and the team at Playful Pups! We have been using their service for over 18 months and highly recommend them. Our boy loves going and I know he is well looked after while in their care. The team regards the dogs in their care like their own and monitor all dogs well throughout the day. All communication from Playful Pups is prompt, thorough and well explained, with the care of the dogs as their top priority. Thanks for looking after our boy so well!



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