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*Flyball Season is Vice-President's
here! Report*

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Hello all and welcome to edition number 37 for the Flying Times!! What a busy flyball season it has been so far!! So many comps and demos I'm sure most of us are very busy most weekends with flyball events. We've had the Bass Coast Agricultural Show (Wonthaggi), Australia Day in Canberra, Noojee Flyball Festival, Korumburra Flyball Caper, the National Australian Flyball Championships, Mudgee Flyball Road Trip, Flyball by the River and the Ringwood Games competitions this year as well as copious demonstrations at various events. Thus making the flyball world extremely busy.

A very big thanks to all those who have supported these comps and in particular, everyone who travelled to these comps. It is your continued support and attendance that keeps flyball going and it certainly assists our fantastic competition organisers when so many people are keen to compete and play our great sport!! Even if the DJ's on a local ACT Radio station reckon we are mad!!

Remember we're still looking for your articles, memos, cartoons, pictures or contributions for the flying times. Otherwise we'll keep boring you silly with stories about our dogs!! ☺ – please send submissions to us for inclusion in the next edition.

Carolyn and Amanda

Well hi all, in the absence of our President, I not only get the role of Acting President, I get to write a report for you all!!

Firstly Eric would like to thank everyone for their well wishes for Isobel, she is home and recovering well. We should see her at Flyball again next spring. I believe Eric has learnt how to manage his time and do domestics now too!!

The Australian National Titles have come and gone and what a great success, with Croydon Rocket Scientists winning the national titles for 2004. Congratulations to Bellarine for winning the Malcolm Steward Award. See my report further on for more details. Congratulations to Parramatta also for unofficially breaking the Australian Record, the first team to give Croydon a run for their money for a long time!!

With the Nationals we also had some new policies introduced, I would like to remind everyone that these are policies for us to try, and follow. To make them a new rule we have to wait for the next AGM, and then it goes to a vote.

However, I am very disappointed in a lot of flyballers, regarding the negativity that has been heard over the policy changes, it is unbelievable! I, and the rest of the committee only ask that you take these changes with a positive approach and give them ago. If you have any problems or changes you feel are necessary, please put it in writing and send it to your AFA committee for further discussion.

You voted for your committee members, so you should have enough faith in them to make these changes. With the policy introduction we have now introduced the carding system for judges, yellow, red and black cards. If you want to know more, see the AFA web site. I have attended 3 competitions with the carding system now and I believe it is working well, we just need to iron out a few of our judges with their understanding, so we get continuity throughout Australia.

Look forward to seeing you all at Sydney Royal!!

by Kylie White
Vice President



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ACT Regional Report

Another three months has passed and it's been very busy with demos and competitions. Demos are another opportunity to go out and show every one what a great sport flyball is. It was great to see 32 teams from all over of Australia make the trip to the National Australian Flyball Championships held at the Royal Canberra show. It kept most of us busy and gave all an opportunity to catch up with people we have not seen for a while.

Mudgee was great! It was also great to see several teams attend: we are all hoping that flyball will take off there. Wishing them luck, and we are hoping to see a team at the one of the competitions next year.

Demos:
Saturday 27th March Belconnen Dog Obedience Club hosted a demo at O'Connor Community Co-operative School.

Sunday 28th March K9 Krusaders had a mock competition at Bywong Boot sale. This was held at the Community Hall. A big thanks to the Central Coast Surf Stormers, as they travelled to this demo to get some experience and practice with other teams.

Saturday 17th April – a demonstration will be held at Bookham.

Sunday 25th April - As part of the festival of "The Falling Leaf" at Tumut racecourse, we have been asked to do a flyball demo.

Saturday 8th May - Tuggeranong Dog Club are hosting a flyball and agility demo at the Trinity Christian School's Fete.

Saturday 15th May - The Central Coast Surf Stormers are hosting a demo at Taree for the RSPCA.

Sunday 16th May – is the RSPCA Million Paws Walk

Well done to Verdelle Williams and Turbo for reaching the magic 10,000 points mark for the NSW and ACT. Keep on Flyballing!!

by Joycelyn Greenwood
ACT Regional Representative

VIC Regional Report

Well we have just finished another fantastic flyball season. With the weather starting to get colder and far less predictable we can all enjoy a small break from the hectic flyball schedule of the last few months. Although things may be quieter it is really important to keep up with your dog's fitness. It is very easy on those colder winter days to prefer to stay indoors with a warm cuppa rather than get out there with your dog. Even though you may think that it is too cold to go out – your dog would probably disagree. If you do find that you are going out a lot less and your dogs activity level has decreased, make sure you adjust your dogs diet accordingly. Excess weight can put stress on the joints and spine, especially if your dog is then expected to run and jump over the flyball course.

Astro's tips for advanced flyballers: Teaching your dog to go to the toilet on command is very useful for flyball and will prevent those unfortunate accidents in the ring that can cost your team the win. At home or while going for a walk just wait for you dog to go to the toilet naturally and then give the command you wish to use (make sure it is something you will be comfortable saying in public), then give your dog heaps of praise and a treat. Try to get the command in just as your dog starts to go. Repeat this as often as possible and soon your dog will associate the word you are giving with the action (and the reward) and will then relieve itself when prompted. Make sure you always give your dog a good warm up before racing and time to go to the toilet before entering the ring..

Willow's tips for beginners: When practising flyball it is a good idea to try and bring in as many distractions as you can. Most competitions now are held at large shows and festivals. These events are noisy and have many sounds and smells that your dog may not be used to. At training, try and have children and other people playing, making noise and cheering while the dogs are running. Get other people to play with their dogs near by (but not close). Always introduce these new things gradually and build them up bit by bit. You should always try and set up two racing lanes so that your dogs get used to the racing atmosphere. If you don't have enough dogs to run two full teams, you can have

newer dogs just doing recalls in the other lane. Another option is to invite a different club to come and practise with you from time to time.

Happy Flyballing
Wendy, Astro and Willow

by Wendy Gauntlett
VIC Regional Representative



SA Regional Report

Hi to all you fellow Flyballers out there!

What's been happening in South Oz? You ask.

Well.....

On a sad note the Golden Grove Canine Obedience and Flyball School is no longer training Flyball. It will just go back to being an Obedience School again. The "Golden Flyers" raced their last competition at the Ringwood Highland and Flyball Games on March 28th. It was a great competition again with lovely weather and close racing. The Golden Flyers had 2 new dogs racing for the first time and even though we placed 5th in Division 2 both dogs ran well and both gained their FD titles. Well done to Croydon for a great competition. A lovely time was had by all of us.

On a good note Para Districts Obedience Dog Club will begin training Flyball as of Monday 5th April 2004. The club is situated at Jenkins Reserve, end of Saints Rd, Salisbury, SA, 5108.

Training sessions on Monday nights are as follows:

First Timers & Beginners	6:45pm -7:30pm
Intermediate & Trialers	7:30pm -8:15pm

The club also offers Obedience on Sunday mornings and Agility on Friday nights.

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Upcoming Demonstrations & Competitions

Demonstration

May 16th 2004 - Million Paws Walk
Bonython Park, Adelaide

Competition

September 11th 2004 - Royal Adelaide Show

Start planning for this one. We want to break our record of 12 teams.

Have fun Flyballin'?

by Catherine Saberton
SA Regional Representative

NSW Regional Report

Breaking News – The new unofficial Australian Record was recently broken by one of our very own NSW teams, Parramatta Shockwave. The team consisting of Buddy, the Chocolate Border Collie, Angel, Border Collie, Sasha, Lab x Border and Chance, Border Collie, broke the old time of 18.60sec. The new unofficial record of 18.40sec was achieved in the first race for Shockwave at this year's Nationals, held by Canberra X Factor in February 2004. Congratulations to all involved with the teams' preparation.

Is it just me or has the rest of the world gone Flyball mad?! Thank you just does not seem enough for the effort Steve Pitt and the lovely Vicky Kennelly put in for the Mudgee extravaganza. What can I say, just a brilliant competition, lovely people and we managed to make it rain, not to mention the huge amount of product and money raised to fund a genuine organization in need. Please stay tuned for requests for follow-up reports and requests for assistance for our country cousins.

If you thought NSW was going to be quiet during the next few months, well think again. Promoting our fantastic sport is high on the agenda and demonstrations are coming out of our ears, so we need your help. Please put some time aside to assist in putting back into the sport we love.

For those attending the Sydney Royal this year, I know Terry has a treat or two for you. Thanks to Purina for coming back onboard as our sponsors for NSW's major competition for the year.

Finally to Ron Richardson and family, wishing you a speedy recovery Ron, from all your 2 and 4 legged mates at Flyball.

Our thoughts are also with Rose and Terry Hey, whose close family member is very ill.

Good luck to everyone who is coming to the Sydney Royal and thank you to those who have offered to assist in the Sydney Royal demo this year.

See you at Flyball
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by Alyssa Ablitt
NSW Regional Representative



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Reminder to all Members of the Code of Ethics

Section 2.1 Code of Ethics

(a) One of the objectives of the AFA is to promote cooperation and good sportsmanship in the training and exhibition of dogs.

Cooperation and good sportsmanship should not be recognised in passive observance, but as a way of life in training and competition.

Participants shall at all times be courteous and friendly. At no time should they show displeasure with a dog, a Judge, exhibitor, AFA representative, sponsor, host or spectator, in or out of the ring.

Never conduct yourself in a manner that would bring discredit to the sport of Flyball.

As a participant, whether it be exhibitor, trainer, Judge, host club or AFA representative, you typify the sport of Flyball.

(b) Training and exhibiting shall be carried out by such methods that keep in the best interest of the dog and the sport of Flyball.

(c) Abuse or severe disciplining of a dog (e.g. shaking, smacking, kicking etc.) is not in the best interest of the sport of Flyball. **Abuse may include the running of dogs that are not one (1) year of age.**

(d) Participants shall always follow the rules and policies, showing knowledge and an understanding of the same.

(e) Any individual or club in good standing with the Australian Flyball Association Inc. may file a protest

or prefer charges against another individual or club for alleged misconduct, in or out of the ring, prejudicial to the best interest of the sport of Flyball as provided for under Section 2.2.

Protest filed during competition should be done in such as manner as not to bring discredit to the sport of Flyball.

Section 2.2 Misconduct

Misconduct shall include, but not be limited to, abusive or foul language, demonstration of dissatisfaction with a Judge's decision, inhumane treatment of a dog, demonstration of poor sportsmanship, wilful violation of the rules with the intent to gain an unfair advantage or any other behaviour or altercation that would leave a spectator or exhibitor with an unfavourable opinion of the sport of Flyball.

From the Secretary

From 31st March 2004, the official and *only* postal address for the Australian Flyball Association Inc. is **PO BOX 8027, RIVETT ACT 2611**. The box at Croydon has been closed and Australia Post will not be redirecting any mail. Please check all your forms to see that they have the correct postal address please.

From the Sidelines

Points: Once time sheets from AFA Sanctioned competitions are received, it is the role of the AFA Secretary and Assistant Secretary to tally the points for all dogs who are financial members and have competed. (**Note:** time sheets must be returned by the Host Club with **14 days** of the competition date).

Any disputes may cause delays in points being tallied and forwarded for posting on the web. Disputes that have occurred include:

- Dogs not recorded on time sheets for a heat/heats;
- Too many dogs recorded on time sheets for a heat/heats;
- Times sheets that are messy and cannot be deciphered and left for interpretation;
- Teams that fill in the spaces that are clearly marked for **AFA USE ONLY**;
- Misrepresentations from teams who estimate the points earned but were not marked with a time due to interference.

Only time sheets correctly and legibly completed will ensure points are awarded. It is the team captain's responsibility to ensure time sheets have dogs correctly marked.

Members who do have a dispute with points should address them via email to kennep@webone.com.au, via mail to PO Box 8027, RIVETT, ACT 2611, or alternatively, via phone on 02 6288 6611. This will aid

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in disputes being resolved to the satisfaction of all involved. It has also been noted that many clubs do keep their own records, but I would remind you that the AFA records are the only true reflection of recognized points within Flyball.

The AFA currently maintains the points database. This is available for all members upon receipt of written request only. A history of “members only” results has been made available in special circumstances.

The AFA is currently undergoing a major change to the membership files. They will soon be migrated into an Access database. When this has been installed, we hope to be able to integrate it onto the AFA website, to allow members to have access to their own membership details etc. Watch this space and we’ll keep you posted.

Interference: Just a general reminder to you all, the AFA keeps records of all cases of interference. They are kept on file for a period of time on a case by case basis.

Policies: When the current AFA Committee was elected, they were given the authority to manage the affairs of the AFA Inc. To do this, we as a body need to move with the times and get into the 21st century! We need to put into practice policies that may seem to you a change of current procedures. If I may, I will try to explain in easy English the difference between a policy and a rule.

A policy is not a rule! It is a recommendation that has been made by the current AFA committee and will be acted upon as a policy until such time it is either repealed or modified by the Committee. The general membership have every right to seek alteration to any policy but this can only be done by writing to the AFA Committee who will then discuss the merits of your suggestions and if required modify the policy.

There has been much scuttlebutt getting around about the recently introduced policy concerning “Carding of Dogs and Handlers at Competitions or Demonstrations”, let me assure you nothing has changed! Except only for the issue of the “red card”, this means a dog or handler has to stand down for the next 3 heats. Previously dogs were only given 2 warnings and then had to hold back until the other team had completed their run. If it then did interfere again, it would be excused for the day, this again is the rule. We are now taking positive action in warning the dog/team/club that there is an issue and it should be addressed at training, not at Flyball competitions where a non-interfering dog or handler could sustain injury.

Policies only become a rule when they have been tried and proven for a period of time and all parties are completely satisfied with the policy. It must then be proposed at an annual general meeting and passed by a majority of members to be a rule. It then becomes “active” as such.

A rule can be repealed or modified by members at a “special general meeting” which deals with this issue only and nothing else.

Responsible Dog Ownership: I ask all members to be aware of their dogs at all times especially at competitions and this will help in the avoidance of aggressive incidents. Remember the rules are not just confined to “inside” the competition ring!

Associate Members: Those whose names appear first on memberships, are entitled to a vote at any AFA constituted meeting, provided they are over the age of 18. Those whose name appears on the membership card as a second or an additional name are entitled to all of the AFA Entitlements except a vote at constituted meetings.

by Ken Petersen

AFA Secretary



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Australian National Championship Titles Royal Canberra Show, 2004

Well the Nationals have been and gone, what a great weekend of Flyball.

Thank you to all who helped in every way, I know that there are a lot of you to thank so please take this as my thanks.

A special thank you to Garry and Joycelyn Greenwood, this is one thanks I forgot on the day. They spent many hours before the show re painting the 2 sets of jumps making them look terrific.

Well, we started the titles breaking the Australian Record with the number of team entries, 34 teams!! what a fantastic effort to all clubs. We then had 2 late withdrawals due to injuries. So off to Todd Morningstar from NAFA I sent the seed times for division breakdowns. When they came back with the Division 1 with 4 teams under 20 secs I thought to myself, how Flyball is growing in Australia they had better watch out over in the States, we are coming to get you!!

With 32 teams split into 7 divisions and racing in 2 rings, the racing was close and exciting. The National Championships are open to all teams in Australia, and we had teams from Victoria, ACT, New South Wales and Queensland.

The Croydon Rocket Scientists won division one, thus making them National Champions for the third year in a row! Winners of the other divisions were the Croydon Rocket Secret Weapons in division 2, the Sydney Psychos in division 3, the T'Keilor Shots in division 4, the Bellarine Buccaneers in division 5, the Parramatta Pitta Patters in division 6 and St George Mismatched Mutts in division 7. The Parramatta Shockwave team ran a best time of 18.40 secs in their first race of the competition, setting a new unofficial Australian record.

Competition organiser Kylie White, and others from ACT Companion Dog Club otherwise known as Canberra X Factor now with the release of their new uniforms, did a marvellous job organising such a huge event, and are to be congratulated. We managed to get through a large number of races, with a record number of teams, and impress the crowds that lined the rings all weekend. The racing surface was great, helping a number of teams to set new personal best times.

If you want to see some great flyball photos by Sue Town of Pinnacle Photography from the Nationals for sale at <http://www.pinnacle.freeservers.com>

One last thanks would be for our major sponsor for the weekend, **Pedigree**.

Here are the final results and best times for the teams.

Division 1:

1st Place - Croydon Rocket Scientists - BT 19.14 secs
2nd Place - Parramatta Shockwave - BT 18.4 secs
3rd Place - Canberra X-factor - BT 19.58 secs
4th Place - Parramatta Pistols - BT 19.76 secs

Division 2:

1st Place - Croydon Rocket Secret Weapons - BT 20.20 secs
2nd Place - Awesome Pawsome One - BT 20.65 secs
3rd Place - Doggie Devils - BT 19.50 secs
4th Place - Flying Fidors - BT 21.63 secs

Division 3:

1st Place - Sydney Psychos - BT 21.35 secs
2nd Place - Canberra XTreme - BT 22.13 secs
3rd Place - Werriwa Flyers - BT 22.19 secs
4th Place - Canberra XPlosive - BT 22.58 secs

Division 4:

1st Place - T'Keilor Shots - BT 21.75 secs
2nd Place - Ballarat Eureka - BT 21.31 secs
3rd Place - K9 Krusaders - BT 21.66 secs
4th Place - Queanbeyan Hoon Squad - BT 22.89 secs

5th Place - Hastings Howlers Hit & Run - BT 21.93 secs

Division 5:

1st Place - Bellarine Buccaneers - BT 23.13 secs
2nd Place - Parramatta Power Paws - BT 25.45 secs
3rd Place - Flying Fanatics - BT 24.80 secs
4th Place - T'Keilor Sunrises - BT 25.35 secs
5th Place - Parramatta Pawpedoes - BT 25.95 secs

Division 6:

1st Place - Parramatta Pitter Pattas - BT 26.45 secs
2nd Place - Queanbeyan Flying Dog Squad - BT 26.62 secs
3rd Place - Ballarat Gold Diggers - BT 25.37 secs
4th Place - Frankston Thunderbolts Lightning - BT 28.18 secs

Division 7:

1st Place - Mismatched Mutts - BT 27.44 secs
2nd Place - Croydon Rocket Blasters - BT 26.91 secs
3rd Place - Belconnen Bullets - BT 28.26 secs
4th Place - Werriwa Tiger Moths - BT 28.32 secs
5th Place - Awesome Pawsome Two - BT 30.51 secs
6th Place - Canberra XHilerate - BT 25.62 secs

Thanks to all of you for all your support with the Canberra Royal Show, if you are thinking of coming in **2005, the dates are February 26th and 27th** Start to book your accommodation now.

Thanks again.

by Kylie White
Vice President



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Competition Results

Noojee Flyball Festival, 7 February 2004

Division 1:

1st Place - Croydon Rockets Scientists - BT 19.13 secs
2nd Place - Berwick Bladerunners - BT 21.73 secs
3rd Place - Hastings Howlers Hit & Run - BT 22.31 secs

Division 2:

1st Place - Croydon Rocket Secret Weapons - BT 22.01 secs
 Breakout - Ballarat Eureka - BT 21.26 secs
 Breakout - Bellarine - BT 21.41 secs

Division 3:

1st Place - Berwick Blitz - BT 25.81 secs
 2nd Place - Ballarat Eureka Sovereigns - BT 27.00 secs
 3rd Place - Hastings Howlers Hit & Miss - BT 28.10 secs
 4th Place - Croydon Rocket Blasters - BT 27.06 secs
 5th Place - Frankston Thunderbolts Lightning - BT 26.84 secs
 6th Place - Ballarat Eureka Gold Diggers - BT 24.08 secs

Korumburra Flyball Kaper, 14 February 2004**Division 1:**

1st Place - Croydon Rockets Scientists - BT 19.43 secs
 2nd Place - Bellarine Bandits - BT 20.94 secs
 3rd Place - Berwick Bladerunners - BT 21.63 secs

Division 2:

1st Place - Croydon Rocket Secret Weapons - BT 21.72 secs
 2nd Place - Hastings Howlers Hit & Run - BT 21.60 secs
 3rd Place - T'Keilor - BT 21.86 secs

Division 3:

1st Place - Berwick Blitz - BT 25.07 secs
 2nd Place - Hastings Howlers Hit & Miss - BT 27.81 secs
 3rd Place - Croydon Rocket Space Cadets - BT 28.40 secs
 4th Place - Frankston Thunderbolts Lightning - BT 25.76 secs

Pedigree Advance Flyball Roadtrip, Mudgee, 6 March 2004**Division 1:**

1st Place - Awesome Pawsome - BT 20.171 secs
 2nd Place - Canberra X Factor - BT 20.976 secs
 3rd Place - Chardonnay Chasers - BT 21.056 secs
 4th Place - Sydney Psychos - BT 21.643 secs

Division 2:

1st Place - Riesling Racers - BT 25.066 secs
 2nd Place - Werriwa Hawks - BT 26.052 secs
 3rd Place - Road Runners - BT 26.867 secs

Ringwood Flyball & Highland Games 28 March 2004**Division 1:**

1st Place - Croydon Rockets Scientists - BT 19.78 secs
 2nd Place - Bellarine Bandits - BT 21.10 secs
 3rd Place - Canberra X-factor - BT 20.39 secs
 4th Place - Croydon Rocket Secret Weapons - BT 20.89 secs
 5th Place - Berwick Bladerunners - BT 22.77 secs

Division 2:

1st Place - Croydon Rocket Blasters - BT 23.38 secs
 2nd Place - Bellarine Buccaneers - BT 23.09 secs
 3rd Place - T'Keilor Shots - BT 23.23 secs
 4th Place - Hastings Howlers Hit & Run - BT 23.62 secs
 5th Place - Golden Flyers - BT 24.38 secs

Division 3:

1st Place - Ballarat Eureka - BT 24.98 secs
 2nd Place - Ballarat Eureka Gold Diggers - BT 25.98 secs
 3rd Place - Berwick Blitz - BT 26.70 secs

Division 4:

1st Place - Frankston Thunderbolts Lightning - BT 27.10 secs
 2nd Place - Croydon Rocket Space Cadets - BT 28.12 secs

Sydney Royal Easter Show, 11 April 2004**Division 1:**

1st Place - Parramatta Shockwave - BT 19.05 secs
 2nd Place - Croydon Rocket Scientists - BT 19.53 secs
 3rd Place - Parramatta Pistols - BT 20.07 secs
 4th Place - Canberra Xfactor - BT 20.93 secs

Division 2:

1st Place - Werriwa Flyers - BT 21.58 secs
 2nd Place - Queanbeyan Hoon Squad - BT 22.84 secs
 3rd Place - K9 Crusaders - BT 23.35 secs
 4th Place - Parramatta Predators - BT 22.29 secs
 5th Place - Sydney Psychos - BT 20.14 secs (Breakout)

Division 3:

1st Place - Parramatta Pawpedoes - BT 25.03 secs
 2nd Place - Canberra Xtreme - BT 24.18 secs
 3rd Place - Parramatta Power Paws - BT 25.04 secs
 4th Place - Leaps & Bounds Roadrunners - BT 26.15 secs
 5th Place - K9 Crusaders Too - BT 28.95 secs

Division 4:

1st Place - St. George Mismatched Mutts - BT 24.01 secs
 2nd Place - Werriwa Tiger Moths - BT 26.98 secs
 3rd Place - Parramatta Pitta Pattas - BT 25.69 secs
 4th Place - Leaps & Bounds Street Runners - BT 28.67 secs
 5th Place - Croydon Rocket Blasters - BT 24.21 secs



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Calendar of Events

AFA Sanctioned Competitions

Sun 13th Jun 2004 – “Winter Classic” – Canberra (to be sanctioned)

Sat 4th Sep 2004 – “Surf & Turf” – Kioloa, hosted by Canberra X Factor

Sat 11th Sep – **Adelaide Royal Show** – (to be confirmed)

Demonstrations

8 May 2004 - Lawnton State School fete – QLD

16 May 2004 - RSPCA Million Paws Walk, Taree – NSW

16 May 2004 - RSPCA Million Paws Walk, Sweeney Reserve, Petrie - QLD

16 May 2004 - RSPCA Million Paws Walk, Bonython Park, Adelaide - SA

16 May 2004 - RSPCA Million Paws Walk, Albert Park – VIC

30 May 2004 - Pine Rivers Shire Heritage Festival Open Day at Pine Rivers Dog Club grounds - QLD

For more information on these events please see the AFA Web Page - www.flyball.org.au

Closing Date for Next Edition

Closing date for the next Flying Times is **31 May 2004**. Please send all submissions to apescud@netspeed.com.au. Remember that previous issues of the Flying Times can be found on our website www.flyball.org.au

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