

September 25



LDC NEWSLETTER

WHAT A BUSY SUMMER

30th Anniversary Party

We celebrated 30 years of dog training.

Over 50 past and present members joined the Committee at Lapford Mill, for an Afternoon tea & Prosecco, with The Hot Club of Stonehouse providing lovely background music.

Sara Thurgood welcomed the founder of the club Peter Crotty who explained how the club started and told us about the early days at the Yeo Vale. Sara brought us up to date with details of the regular



training in the Victory Hall and outside at Serstone, as well as the diversification into Agility which is increasingly popular.

- We will be having a Christmas meal at The London Inn at Morchard Bishop on 5th December.
- Obedience Christmas party 10th December.
- Agility Christmas party 15th December.
- Restart Agility 4th Jan.
- Restart Obedience 7th Jan

LDC AGILITY WEEKEND

Lapford Winter League

We will be holding our popular Agility winter league again at The Grange Equestrian center nr Okehampton.

14th December 25

17th January 26

14th February 26

Entries via Agility Plaza

The last weekend of July our club ran another two day Agility competition at Southcott XC Nr Winkleigh. We had three competition rings each day, our Judges produced some challenging courses to test our skills in both Jumping & Agility. Those of us that camped enjoyed

being entertained by Paul Adams singing on Saturday evening.



Good Citizens Silver Award

On the 9th July, Seven obedience members were put through their paces at Lower Town Place and attained the Kennel Club Silver Good Citizens Awards,

Well Done

Kiersten Sylvester & Florence, Carol Watkins & Tarka, Julie Deeker & Maisie, Peter Madeley & Pippa, Sara Thurgood & Lyra, Trisha Mumford & Incus.



Good Citizens Bronze Award

Many Thanks to Christine John who kindly came along on 24th September to assess our members for their Bronze Good Citizens Award and All were successful Well done everyone we are very proud of you all.



Nicky Brock & Loci, Nicky Ruggels & Bliss, Jill Clarke & Verity, Karl Lacey & Duke, Sally Ann Daniels & Mabel, Ann Hampshire & Finn, Sally Walker & Hattie, Eleanor Pugh & Gili, Jenny Thurtle & Sprout, Helen Ashcroft & Teddy.



New Floor Covering

Put your best foot forward at the start of the new obedience course, we now have some lovely new mats for the hall.

Please make sure your dogs have relieved themselves and wipe your feet before entering the hall it would be a shame to damage the new mats