

**South Australian
14th Dances with Dogs (DWD) anniversary
State DWD competition
May 2026**



Virginia Community Centre, 920 Old Port Wakefield Road, Virginia



*Brought to you by the Dogs SA Dances
With Dogs Advisory Committee*

WELCOME

Dogs SA Dances with Dogs Advisory Committee State Championships Celebrating 14 Years of Dances with Dogs in South Australia!

Welcome to the State Championships, proudly presented by the Dogs SA Dances with Dogs Advisory Committee—an event that showcases the very best of our sport and the strength of our South Australian DWD community.

From its beginnings as a creative demonstration sport to the vibrant, competitive discipline it is today, Dances with Dogs (DWD) in South Australia has grown through passion, persistence, and a strong sense of community. Before official recognition, small but enthusiastic groups of handlers were already exploring the art of canine freestyle across the state. These early pioneers laid the groundwork, sharing ideas, training together, and inspiring others with demonstrations at public events.



A pivotal moment came when Carol Hussien brought these groups together and initiated discussions with Dogs SA to formally introduce the sport. Although Carol's time in South Australia was cut short when she moved to Cyprus, her vision and drive were instrumental in setting the sport in motion. Her legacy continues to shape the community today.

South Australia held its first sanctioned Dances with Dogs competition in 2012, following national recognition of the sport in Australia just a few years earlier. Since then, the discipline has flourished, supported by a growing network of clubs including the Dances with Dogs Club of SA, the Gawler Dog Training Club, and more recently the Riverland Dog Obedience Club. Together, these clubs have helped build a strong training culture and an active calendar of competitions and training opportunities across the state.

Dances with Dogs is also proudly showcased to a wide public audience through competitions held at the Adelaide Royal Show, highlighting the creativity skill, and partnership at the heart of the sport. The State Championships, first held in 2016, remain a highlight of the calendar, bringing together competitors in a celebration of excellence, teamwork, and artistry.

I gratefully acknowledge the contributions of our committee members—Lynne Stapylton, Michelle Smith, Jeannine Lampe, Elaine Kennedy, Beth O'Donnell, and Jane DiFava. Sincere thanks are extended to this year's judges, officials, volunteers, and competitors. Your enthusiasm, expertise, and support are what make this Championship possible.

Enjoy the performances and celebrate the remarkable partnerships that define this unique sport. Every success is wished to all competitors at the 2026 State Championships.

Jenny McLoughlin
Chair, Dogs SA Dances with Dogs Advisory Committee

Meet your judges

Daniel McLouglin, South Australia



After some time in the pet dog world, Daniel's involvement with DWD began in 2010 with the introduction of the sport into SA. He was a member of the DWD Working Party and later the Dogs SA DWD Advisory Committee. Daniel was also licensed as foundation DWD judge in 2012 and is also judges in Earthdog and Trick Dog. Daniel has a background in accountancy and performed the role of Auditor for the DWD Club from its inception and has now moved onto the Committee as Club Treasurer. Daniel has worked with his Terriers,



previously Skipper a Jack Russell cross and now Billy a Tenterfield Terrier, with some success in Earthdog, DWD Freestyle and Heelwork to Music, Trick Dog, Scent Work, Tracking and Rally-O. Skipper started DWD as a 9yo in 2010, travelling to Victoria before the sport was running in SA. Skipper gained FS Novice and HTM Intermediate titles, with his last qualification being a FS.I in 2019 at the grand age of 18yo! So, Billy as a 4yo is just starting out in his sports career.

Daniel enjoys the company of his terrier companion and celebrating whatever the outcome is on competition day.

Lynne Stapylton, South Australia



Lynne's first golden retrievers came into our lives in 1987 and our love affair with this wonderful breed has continued ever since, although we did also have Lynne's daughter's Sheltie as part of the family for many years. Lynne has competed and judged Trick Dog Tests since the discipline was first recognised by the ANKC and wish all competitors and their dogs competing at this year's State Championships the very best..

Tegan Whalan, South Australia



Tegan Whalan purchased her first dog, a Border Terrier, in 2002 and has been an active member of Dogs SA ever since. Over the years, she has competed successfully in a diverse range of canine sports, including earthdog, tracking, track and search, lure coursing, dances with dogs, tricks, scent work, rally, and conformation. Under her Leema prefix, 12 Border Terriers have earned titles across nine different disciplines. Her current three Border Terriers hold over 30 titles between them.

Tegan has also dedicated her time to coaching dog owners in various disciplines, including conformation, earthdog, tracking, track and search, dances with dogs, and tricks. She holds a Certificate III in Dog Training and Behaviour, which informs the training she provides both within the Dogs Australia community and through her private dog training business. As well as training and competing, Tegan has contributed to the dog world as Dogs Australia judge for 16 years, starting as a foundation judge in earthdog. More recently, she became a dances with dogs judge, bringing her enthusiasm and expertise to the discipline she has competed in since 2013.

In addition to her involvement in sports and training, Tegan runs a dog rescue from her home in Hamley Bridge. She shares her life with her dogs, cats, sheep, goats, and her husband.



Elaine Kennedy, South Australia



Elaine is passionate about learning about dog behaviour. During her journey, Elaine has completed the Certificate 4 in Companion Animal Services with Delta Society, TagTeach level 2, and is a certified training partner with Karen Pryor Academy. Elaine is a DWD and trick judge, and enjoys teaching in weekly training classes and running workshops. Elaine has traveled to Canberra, Alice Springs, the Riverland and Mount Gambier to judge and run workshops.

Lis Brady, South Australia

Having passed her judge's exam late 2024, Lis is honoured to have been asked to judge tricks alongside 2 such highly experienced interstate judges! Lis' experience in tricks has covered quite a few years, having titled 3 dogs in tricks, including one having gained her Advanced title (and the other 2 still working toward that goal). Lis also enjoys helping other competitors as a trainer at the DWD Club of SA. Lis is excited to have the opportunity to watch and judge teams in tricks at the State Championships and sincerely thanks the Advisory Committee for the appointment.



Karin Marder, South Australia



After retiring from full time work as an architectural /interior designer & artist, Karin has devoted her time to the love & training of dogs. Her first dog after coming to Adelaide was Oskar, a German Shepherd police reject (whose bark was worse than his bite). After being introduced to Gil Little's training & Carolyn Scott's Musical Dog Sport, she became hooked on DWD. Karin instructed at Canine Behavioural School and later joined forces with Sharon Wood and subsequently taught at the Adelaide Hills Canine Capers until 2013. Oskar was Karin's first demo dance partner. She also completed the Delta Classroom Canines Program. She then had Rado the Belgian Malinois with whom she also did many demos but subsequently went to join the Military Working Dogs Flight School.

In 2012 Karin joined the DWD Club and with her Standard Poodle Brax they achieved his Advanced HTM title as well as titles in Obedience & Rally. Karin is a foundation DWD Judge. In 2015 Karin became President and Training Coordinator for the DWD Club, which positions she held for 8 years. As a former dancer, she has run workshops on dance & choreography and remains on the Committee as an instructor & Demo Coordinator. She loves being part of the doggie community which she says gives her life meaning. Karin's present demo & dance partner is Paris, a 3 year old Miniature



Poodle who has already achieved titles in Freestyle, HTM, Tricks & SPRD. Karin says she doesn't have a man to dance with her, so she loves to dance with her dog!

Margaret Bourn, South Australia

With a life-long love for both dance and dogs, it was only natural for Margaret to take up DWD. She has a background in a range of dance genres and stage performance; and has enjoyed many years of success with her dogs in a wide range of dog disciplines, including DWD. Margaret was a member of SA's DWD Working Party to gain official endorsement by Dogs SA and is a foundation DWD Judge. She is also a Conformation Groups 3 and 4 judge. Margaret served as the Chair of DogsSA DWD Advisory Committee for 10 years.



Denise Adams, South Australia



Denise Adams trained dogs since she was a child with her mother who ran Billand kennels. Over the years have trained and titled dogs in various dog sports, conformation, Agility, Obedience, tracking, DWD, Tricks and recently scentwork. Denise has been an instructor at Gawler dog training club for many years.

Denise now breeds the occasional litter under the Prefix of Billand Kennels

Jean Milnes, South Australia

After arriving in Australia in 2009, with Kidogo, her Labrador X Lurcher, Jean became involved in DWD in 2010, as a member of the Dogs SA DWD Working Party. She became a Foundation judge in 2012, and has since been a member of the Dogs SA DWD Advisory and DWD Club of SA committees with a particular responsibility for promoting this fun sport to the general public through demonstrations. Having initially titled Kidogo, she has titled her Pembroke corgi Tirion.



Maryka Spurling-Janes, South Australia



Maryka has been a pet parent her whole life always having two dogs. It was in 2018 that Maryka was introduced to the world of dog sports and Dances with Dogs and was inspired by Margaret Bourn and Karin Marder. Maryka attended the 2018 State Championship for DWD and was hooked.

So began the journey with her young rehomed mini poodle, Mishka. Together they learnt the nuances of training that involved Behaviour, Click, treat, Distraction, distance,

diversity etc etc. The more Maryka learnt, the more she wanted to know about this inspiring sport. Mishka, now retired, achieved Freestyle Advanced and HTM Novice. They have also qualified in Tricks, Tracking and Track and Search.

Maryka's current training partner is Maple, a quirky mixed breed. (pictured right)

I look forward to judging the State Championship from the best seat in the house. What a privilege.



Thank you to our sponsors and supporters

Betty and Lynne Stapylton for DWD and Trick class and division trophies

Thank you to our competition officials and volunteers:

DWDAC members: Jenny McLoughlin, Lynne Stapylton, Michelle Smith, Jeannine Lampe, Elaine Kennedy, Beth O'Donnell, and Jane DiFava, Judges: Jean Milnes, Maryka Spurling-Janes, Daniel McLoughlin, Tegan Whalan, Elaine Kennedy, Lis Brady, Karin Marder, Margaret Bourn, Denise Adams. Thanks also to Allison Wells, Alan Kennedy, Charmaine Kenner, Carolyn Gregoric, Christine Hayes, Phil Kennedy, Jenny Pearson, Penny Pardoe-Matthews, Alan Kennedy and Andi Sutherland, Thanks also to everyone else who has helped or contributed in some way to the weekend.

Also, thanks to the DWD Club of SA for the loan of equipment and ongoing support for the development of DWD and Tricks in SA.

Jenny Barnes was the official photographer for the SA State Trick Dog Championships at Dogs SA for 2025 and has returned in 2026. Jenny will also be available for DWD photographs for Freestyle on Sunday 17 May 2026. Jenny is known to many of you for the wonderful photos she takes of dogs in agility, scent work and rally to name just a few sports. If you want to ensure Jenny takes photos of your dogs performing their routines, please speak to Jenny on the morning of Sunday 17 May 2026 at the event. Photos will be available for purchase from Jenny's website after the championships: <https://www.barnesphotography.net.au/>.

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Remembering Betty Staplyton

This weekend the perpetual trophies for the class winners for the DWD and Trick Dog Test State Championships have been donated by or in memory of Betty Staplyton.

Growing up we had a dog called Spotty who loved my mum and who she loved in return. Fast forward a few decades and when we added our first two golden retrievers, Senna and Sebby, to our family. Our dogs became 'mum's boys'. For over thirty years mum showered our dogs with her love and affection. Mum was devastated when we lost first Scallywag and then Squiggles 2021. Mum was diagnosed with terminal cancer in January 2022. It was mum's wish to do something to remember 'her' boys. I had donated the Scallywag trophy in 2020 to the Trick Dog Test State Champion and so mum decided she would donate the trophies for each class winner and these would be named after 'her boys'.

Over the years mum attended many dog shows and competitions with 'her' boys. The last dog event mum was able to attend was the DWD judges assessment in late 2021. Mum finally got to watch her beloved Solo dance. It was a very special time for her and so the DWD Class and Division trophies are in memory of my mum.

Lynne Staplyton



2025 Dances with Dogs trophies



DWD AC Perpetual Trophy



Perpetual State Dances with Dogs Champion Award

Note: Our perpetual DWD trophy is to remain in South Australia and must be returned at the expiration of 12 months to the care of the DWD Advisory Committee.

Trophies on offer



14th anniversary competition

First place in each class

Specialty awards

Special Judges Award ribbons for DWD

State championship

Perpetual "Squiggles" SA State DWD FREESTYLE DIVISION Champion (Donated by Lynne Stapylton)

Perpetual "Scallywag" SA State DWD HTM DIVISION Champion (Donated by Lynne Stapylton)

Perpetual "Senna" Starter Class/Freestyle SA State DWD Champion

Perpetual "Sebby" Novice Class/Freestyle SA State DWD Champion

Perpetual "Shogun" Intermediate Class/Freestyle SA State DWD Champion

Perpetual "Simba" Advanced Class/Freestyle SA State DWD Champion

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Perpetual "Simba" Advanced Class/HTM SA State DWD Champion

(Trophies donated by Lynne Stapylton in memory of the late Betty Stapylton)

Specialty awards

Special Judges Award ribbons

Recognition sashes to all qualifiers

Previous DWD State Championship Highest Score Winners

2025 Lis Brady and her Australian Kelpie, FS.CH.
HTM.GR.CH. TS. CH. Jasmine ET. HT RAE. RM.
SWN TK.A. (pictured below)

2023 Alex Mateer and Bella CDX. RM. RAE.
SWN. TK.I HTM.N FS.N.

2021 Janette Wilson and her Cavalier King
Charles Spaniel, Jessicav, Create the Illusion RN
TK.S

2018 Lis Brady and her Australian Kelpie,
Jasmine RA HTM.N FS.N HT ET

2016 Elisabeth Brady and her Australian Kelpie,
Jasmine RA HTM.N FS.N HT ET



ALL 2025 DANCES WITH DOGS STATE CHAMPIONS

Trophy	Winner
Perpetual "Scallywag" SA State DWD HTM DIVISION Champion	2025 Ms E Brady and HTM.GR.CH. FS.CH. Jasmine
Perpetual "Squiggles" SA State DWD FREESTYLE DIVISION Champion	2025 Ms S Ashewood and Bournbeau Gracie Of Yeo
Perpetual "Senna" Starter Class/Freestyle Division SA State DWD Champion	2025 Ms M Hardcastle and Oohlalah Ellenore Grace
Perpetual "Sebby" Novice Class /Freestyle Division SA State DWD Champion	2025 Ms E Brady and Otto
Perpetual "Shogun" Intermediate Class /Freestyle Division SA State DWD Champion	2025 Mrs M Hughes and Dipsy
Perpetual "Simba" Advanced Class /Freestyle Division SA State DWD Champion	2025 Ms S Ashewood and Bournbeau Gracie Of Yeo
Perpetual "Senna" Starter Class/HTM Division SA State DWD Champion	2025 - not awarded
Perpetual "Sebby" Novice Class /HTM Division SA State DWD Champion	2025 - not awarded
Perpetual "Shogun" Intermediate Class /HTM Division SA State DWD Champion	2025 - not awarded
Perpetual "Simba" Advanced Class /HTM Division SA State DWD Champion	2025 Ms E Brady and HTM.GR.CH. FS.CH. Jasmine

2026 State Championship Dances with Dogs schedule

ENTRIES CLOSE: Midnight, Saturday 2nd May 2026



Dances with Dogs Advisory

State Championship Dances with Dogs

SATURDAY 16th & Sunday 17th May 2026 Not Before 9.00am & Not Before 12.00pm

To be held under the Constitution and Rules of the SACA Inc.

Virginia Community Centre, Sports Complex, Old Port Wakefield Road

SATURDAY 16th MAY - HEELWORK TO MUSIC

	Starter	Novice	Intermediate	Advanced
Competition 1 - Start time 9.00am	E Kennedy T Whalan M Bourn	D McLoughlin L Stapylton M Bourn	L Stapylton M Bourn E Brady	D Adams T Whalan M Bourn
Competition 2 - NBF 12.00pm	D McLoughlin D Adams T Whalan	D McLoughlin D Adams E Brady	E Kennedy T Whalan E Brady	K Marder T Whalan E Brady

SUNDAY 17th MAY - FREESTYLE

	Starter	Novice	Intermediate	Advanced
Competition 1 - Start time 9.00am	J Milnes M Spurling-Janes D Adams	J Milnes M Spurling-Janes Lynne Stapylton	J Milnes M Spurling-Janes Lynne Stapylton	J Milnes M Spurling-Janes D Adams
Competition 2 - NBF 12.00pm	J Milnes K Marder M Spurling-Janes	D McLoughlin M Spurling-Janes D Adams	J Milnes D McLoughlin E Kennedy	E Kennedy K Marder D Adams

Ring: 15M X 12M ON RUBBER TILES
Order of Judging: As Above
 Reserve Judges: The committee reserves the right to appoint reserve judges and to change the composition of the judging panels if required.
Trial Manager/Secretary: J McLoughlin (0412378820).
SACA Representatives: A Wells (Saturday 16th May), J Pearson (Sunday 17th May)
Check In, Music checks, Vetting: 8.30am to 8.45am. Vetting by Committee. Bitches without proof of de-sexing to be vetted. Proof of de-sexing must be provided at check in. All exhibits to pass checkpoint before close of vetting.
Entry Fee: \$20 per entry.
Online Entry Provider: Top Dog Events (<https://www.topdogevents.com.au/>).
Paper entries are not preferred. Post to Competition Secretary J McLoughlin - 14 Hannay Street, Largs Bay, SA 5016. Paper entries must be accompanied by payment with cheque or money order payable to Dogs SA. Email entries not accepted.
Music: Music to be supplied on USB with ring and tag attached (labelled with Name of Competitor, Dog and Music). One track in MP3 format per USB
Catalogue: Catalogue will be posted online prior on the SA DWD Advisory Committee 2026 Events Facebook page.
Awards/Prizes:

- Perpetual Highest Overall Score
- Perpetual "Squiggles" SA State DWD FREESTYLE DIVISION Champion (Donated by Lynne Stapylton)
- Perpetual "Sallywag" SA State DWD HTM DIVISION Champion (Donated by Lynne Stapylton)

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All Class Trophies donated by the late Betty Stapylton. Perpetual Trophies not to leave SA. Memento will be provided.
Sashes: to 1st Placegetters in each class in each Competition
Ribbons: to qualifiers.
Presentations: The HTM awards will be presented at the conclusion of all the HTM Classes on Saturday 16th, and the FS awards and Highest Score Trophy will be presented on Sunday 17th.
Catering: Buffet lunch \$15 per head available on the Sunday 17th which can be purchased on Top Dog Events all welcome. Catering will not be available on the Saturday
HOT WEATHER POLICY: Does not apply, as the venue is indoors and fully airconditioned.



2027 National Championship Dances with Dogs and Trick Dog Test information

Details to be announced soon!

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The Canine Community of South Australia

DANCES WITH DOGS AND TRICK DOG NATIONALS

23-25 April 2027

Tanunda, South Australia **SAVE THE DATE**

National Trick Dog Test and Dances With Dogs competition

Hosted by the South Australian Dances with dogs advisory committee

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2026 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN STATE DANCES WITH DOGS CHAMPIONSHIP

- **Saturday 16 May 2026**
- Heelwork to Music
- **Sunday 17 May 2026**
- Freestyle



Dogs SA Dances with
Dogs Advisory
Committee



The Canine Community of South Australia



SA DWD Advisory
Committee - 2026 Events

Saturday 16 May 2026 - Heelwork to music AM

SA State Championships Dances With Dogs competition - Heelwork to music AM - Heelwork to Music Starters (HTMS)				Judge: E Kennedy, T Whalan, M Bourn			
Cat#	Owner	Dog Name	Dog Reg#	Breed	Sex	Date of Birth	Song name Artist - duration
1	Mr I Murrell	TS. GRAND.CH. Lamadabell Big Bad Wolf FS.S. RN. TK.N.	3100450082	Australian Shepherd	Neutered	28/04/2022	Wellerman Nathan Evans - 1:05
2	Miss L M Stapylton	Giltedge U R My Sunshine (AI) SPRD SWN TK.S.	2100621438	Golden Retriever	Neutered	31/08/2024	You are my Sunshine Jerry Lee Lewis – 1:05
3	Miss A Hayes	TS. GRAND.CH. Gamefinder Youra Gem To Me FS.N. RN. TK.S.	2100576879	Labrador Retriever	Neutered-F	17/10/2021	Sway Danielle Bradbury – 1:10
4	Ms E Brady	Otto FS.N. TK.N.	501289AR	Associate Register	Neutered	16/04/2021	Act Naturally The Beatles - 1:20
5	Mrs V Jones	Adderslot Gemmas Haedi (AI) SPRD SWN TK.S. WPD.	3100377735LR	Labrador Retriever	Female	8/05/2018	American Pie Don McLean – 1:03

Dances with Dogs Advisory Committee of South Australia - 16/05/2026 Dogs SA DWD 14th Anniversary Competition HTM (AM)

SA State Championships Dances With Dogs competition - Heelwork to music AM - Heelwork to Music Novice (HTMN)			Judge: D McLoughlin, L Stapylton, M Bourn				
Cat#	Owner	Dog Name	Dog Reg#	Breed	Sex	Date of Birth	Song name Artist - duration
6	Ms K Marder	Quiniva Midnight In Paris FS.N. HTM.S. N.SPRD TK.S.	5100132 873	Poodle (Miniature)	Fem ale	3/05/20 22	Sounds of Then - This is Australia GangGa Jang – 1: 33
7	Mrs M & Miss E Hughes	Dipsy FS.I. HTM.S. JD. RA. TK.A.	501267A R	Associate Register	Neut ered	5/07/20 20	A Whole New World Mena Massoud, Naomi Scott - 1:51
8	Mr M Rogers	Ilnasosa Aroma Aria FS.I. HTM.S. RN. TK.S.	3100326 072LR	Lagotto Romagnolo	Fem ale	21/06/2 015	Can't Take my eyes off you John Lloyd Young - 1:47

SA State Championships Dances With Dogs competition - Heelwork to music AM - Heelwork to Music Intermediate (HTMI)			Judge: L Stapylton, M Bourn, E Brady				
Cat#	Owner	Dog Name	Dog Reg#	Breed	Sex	Date of Birth	Song name Artist - duration
9	J S C Brown	Collieston Quintessential CCD. FS.S. HTM.N. RN. TK.S.	510012 8862	Collie (Rough)	Male	1/10/202 1	Morning Train Sheena Easton – 2:32
10	J S C Brown	Collieston Suncatcher CCD. FS.N. HTM.N. RN. TK.N.	510012 8863	Collie (Rough)	Fem ale	1/10/202 1	Beautiful Noise Neil Diamond – 2:33

Dances with Dogs Advisory Committee of South Australia - 16/05/2026 Dogs SA DWD 14th Anniversary Competition HTM (AM)

SA State Championships Dances With Dogs competition - Heelwork to music AM - Heelwork to Music Advanced (HTMA)			Judge: D Adams, T Whalan, M Bourn				
Cat #	Owner	Dog Name	Dog Reg#	Breed	Sex	Date of Birth	Song name Artist - duration
11	Ms L Thomson	CH. Wylah Jenever By The Sea At Lenishta (AI) FS.I. HTM.A. RA. SWN TK.A.	21005 68447	Landseer ECT	Female	19/07/2 021	Good to Go Lonis – 3:08
12	Mrs M Rogers	Kelprin Tuzvihart FS.N. HTM.I. TK.S.	41003 13179	Pumi	Male	25/09/2 018	Step in Time Mary Poppins Broadway Cast - 3:06
13	Mr D & Mrs J McLoughlin	HTM.CH. T GR CH. TS. GRAND.CH. Gumhaven Shine A Light FS.A. RN. SWN TK.N.	51000 92364	Tenterfield Terrier	Female	11/02/2 016	Elvis Medley Elvis Presley – 3:20
14	Miss J Murrell	DUAL. CH. (TS) TS. GRAND.CH. Ferndale A Star Is Born CCD. FS.A. HTM.I. RN. SWA TD. TK.A.	61001 29975	Bernese Mountain Dog	Neutered-F	28/05/2 021	Bad Guy Billie Eilish – 3:04
15	Miss L M Stapylton	FS.CH. HTM.CH. MULTI CH. R.CH. Giltedge Hans Solo CDX. RAE. SWN TK.A.	21004 90762	Golden Retriever	Male	4/12/20 17	Still the Same Rod Stewart – 3: 20

Saturday 16 May 2026 - Heelwork to music PM

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17	Mr I Murrell	TS. GRAND.CH. Lamadabell Big Bad Wolf FS.S. RN. TK.N.	3100450 082	Australian Shepherd	Neute red	28/04/2022	Wellerman Nathan Evans – 1:05
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20	Mrs M & Miss E Hughes	Panda TK.N.	501369 AR	Associate Register	Neute red-F	20/02/2024	Supercalifragilisticexpi alidocious Julie Andrews and Dick Van Dyke - 1:13
21	Miss A Hayes	TS. GRAND.CH. Gamefinder Youra Gem To Me FS.N. RN. TK.S.	2100576 879	Labrador Retriever	Neute red-F	17/10/2021	Sway Danielle Bradbury – 1:10

SA State Championships Dances With Dogs competition - Heelwork to music PM - Heelwork to Music Novice (HTMN)			Judge: D McLoughlin, D Adams, E Brady				
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Dances with Dogs Advisory Committee of South Australia - 16/05/2026 Dogs SA DWD 14th Anniversary Competition HTM (PM)

SA State Championships Dances With Dogs competition - Heelwork to music PM - Heelwork to Music Intermediate (HTMI)				Judge: E Kennedy, T Whalan, E Brady			
Cat#	Owner	Dog Name	Dog Reg#	Breed	Sex	Date of Birth	Song name Artist - duration
24	Miss B Cole	Archie FS.S. HTM.N. RA. TK.I.	40114 8AR	Associate Register	Neutered	22/08/2020	Better when I'm dancin Megan Trainor - 2:56

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30	Miss B Cole	FS.CH. HTM.CH. Molly RA. TK.A.	40096 9AR	Associate Register	Neutered-F	20/10/2017	From now on The greatest showman - 4:00



2026 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN STATE DANCES WITH DOGS CHAMPIONSHIP

- **Saturday 16 May 2026**
- Heelwork to Music
- **Sunday 17 May 2026**
- Freestyle



Dogs SA Dances with Dogs Advisory Committee



SA DWD Advisory Committee - 2026 Events

Sunday 17 May 2026 - Freestyle AM

SA State Championships Dances With Dogs competition - Freestyle AM - Freestyle Starters (FS.S)			Judge: J Milnes, M Spurling-Janes, D Adams				
Cat#	Owner	Dog Name	Dog Reg#	Breed	Sex	Date of Birth	Song name Artist - duration
1	Miss L M Stapylton	Giltedge U R My Sunshine (AI) SPRD SWN TK.S.	210062143 8	Golden Retriever	Neuter ed	31/08/2024	Rock a bye The Wiggles – 1:15
2	J S C Brown	Collieston Golden Ticket	510014743 8	Collie (Rough)	Femal e	5/02/2025	Oh How Happy Art Garfunkel – 1:09
3	Ms E Brady	Shartooz Anu Bit Of Magic TK.S.	510014296 5	Australian Shepherd	Femal e	29/02/2024	9 to 5 Dolly Parton - 1:20
5	Mrs A Hartman	Wilderblu Abby SWN TK.S.	510012291 3LR	Border Collie	Femal e	19/12/2020	I've got you under my skin Frank Sinatra – 1:00
6	Mrs V Jones	Adderslot Gemmas Haedi (AI) SPRD SWN TK.S. WPD.	310037773 5LR	Labrador Retriever	Femal e	8/05/2018	English Country Garden Jimmie Rodgers - 1:20

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4	Mrs M B Bourn	Bournbeau Tullulah In Tartan (AI) FS.S. HTM.S.	5100131 815	Golden Retriever	Femal e	25/03/2022	Show Business E. Merman – 1:55s
7	J S C Brown	Collieston Quintessential CCD. FS.S. HTM.N. RN. TK.S.	5100128 862	Collie (Rough)	Male	1/10/2021	You Make Me feel Like Dancing Leo Sayer – 1:41

SA State Championships Dances With Dogs competition - Freestyle AM - Freestyle Intermediate (FS.I)			Judge: J Milnes, M Spurling-Janes, Lynne Stapylton				
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Dances with Dogs Advisory Committee of South Australia - 17/05/2026 Dogs SA DWD 14th Anniversary Competition (Freestyle AM)

Cat#	Owner	Dog Name	Dog Reg#	Breed	Sex	Date of Birth	Song name Artist - duration
8	Ms C Kenner	Gonnylde Fraser Island FS.N. TK.N.	510008423 0	Hungarian Vizsla	Femal e	10/11/201 4	Reet Petite Jackie Wilson – 2:40
9	Ms J Pearson	Willbegood Sensation Suzie FS.N. HTM.I. RN. TD. TK.S.	510012864 4LR	Border Collie	Femal e	12/11/202 1	Oklahoma Gordon Macrae – 2:38
10	Ms E Brady	Otto FS.N. TK.N.	501289AR	Associate Register	Neuter ed	16/04/202 1	Get Ready for This 2 Unlimited - 2:40

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11	Mrs M & Miss E Hughes	Dipsy FS.I. HTM.S. JD. RA. TK.A.	501267A R	Associate Register	Neut ered	5/07/20 20	Arabian Nights and Friend Like Me Medley Alan Menken and Will Smith - 3:08
12	Ms L Thomson	CH. Skyewood Whispering A New Day For Lenishta (IMP NZN) FS.A. HTM.I. RA. SWN TK.A.	07045- 2020	Leonberger	Fem ale	24/07/2 020	Trollubundin Eivor – 3:13
13	Mr M Rogers	Ilnasosa Aroma Aria FS.I. HTM.S. RN. TK.S.	3100326 072LR	Lagotto Romagnolo	Fem ale	21/06/2 015	Get Me To The Church on Time Stanley Holloway - 3:11
14	Mr D & Mrs J McLoughlin	HTM.CH. T GR CH. TS. GRAND.CH. Gumhaven Shine A Light FS.A. RN. SWN TK.N.	5100092 364	Tenterfield Terrier	Fem ale	11/02/2 016	Grease Medley John Travolta & Olivia Newton John – 3:31
15	Ms S Ashewood	FS.CH. Bournbeau Gracie Of Yeo (AI) CCD. HTM.I. SWA TK.A.	5100097 744LR	Golden Retriever	Fem ale	10/12/2 016	Wizard of Oz medley Judy Garland – 3:45

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