



# Susquehanna Trail Dog Training Club

July 2019



## Old Friends

by Connie Cuff

With summer upon us and our dogs exploring the outdoors, we should be aware of dangerous items that may cause health issues to your dog. Some of the following are:

If you own a pool or visit someone who owns one, be aware of pool chemicals since they should be stored in a secure area.

Sunscreen used on humans with ingredient of PABA, zinc oxide, and salicylic acid.

Do not give dogs corn cobs as some of the cob can be lodged in the intestines and can cause blockage.

If a bee stings our dog, remove the stinger with a tweezer, then you can apply a baking soda paste, milk of magnesia, a meat tenderizer or aloe vera gel to alleviate discomfort.

Snail bait and strychnine are common causes for convulsions in a dog.

Hot sidewalks can burn paw pads. There is a protective cream you can use that penetrates the sub layers when walking your dog. It is best to take your dog on early morning or evening walks.

Hot spots can be a problem in the summer. Try to keep your dog brushed often, this can help in locating ticks, especially if you have a long haired dog. A product that can help with wound and skin care is Vetericyn.

In the case of your dog ingesting a potential toxin DO NOT induce vomiting if your dog ingests the following:

Corrosive substances such as batteries, drain cleaners or bleach. It may cause injury to the esophagus when vomitted back up.

Liquid or gelcap medications including Tylenol & Advil, which are rapidly absorbed into the bloodstream, Motor oil, gasoline or kerosene, these are easily inhaled into the lungs.

If your dog wears tags, be careful of slotted surfaces where they can become lodged and the dog could choke if they become stuck and the dog tries to pull away.

Summertime can be fun for you and your dog, but by taking some precautionary measures it can keep your dog healthy and fit.

Till next time,

*Connie*



## Notes and Notices



Since we want to make our pets safe for the 4th of July these are a few helpful things to remember for this time of year.

**Dogs can hear 4x farther than humans. The 4th of July is the busiest day of the year at animal shelters due to lost pets, so try to keep your dog confined or leashed on that day. Be sure to keep your dog's license and microchip up-to-date. If having a party have them hang out in a quiet room and store tempting foods out of reach. Ask your vet ahead of time about meds to keep them calm. Signs of stress and anxiety - panting, drooling, pacing, hiding, decreased appetite, abnormal urination, dilated pupils, excessive yawning.**

**We welcome Sue Visnosky and her German Shepherd, Willowbie.**

**Those passing the CGC: Michelle Fartel and Lucy, Tracy Heimbach and Phoebe, Josette Zielinski and Zaphod.**

**These are future visits that you may want to add to your calendar:**

**Demo Tues. August 27, 10:00am, YMCA Day Camp, Sunbury YMCA.**

**Club Picnic, Sunday Sept. 15 at 1:00pm. Pavilion #2 - We supply hot dogs and drinks. Everyone brings a covered dish, a dog related item for the Chinese Auction, and the dog. We enjoy fellowship, good food, and the dogs have fun playing games.**

**David Lawrence with Golden Retriever, Buddy, has moved to Accomac, Virginia. Buddy has been welcomed as a Therapy Dog at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital. Keep up the good work.**

## UPCOMING THERAPY VISITS AND CLUB ACTIVITIES

<b>July 3 (Wed)</b>	<b>Riverwoods</b>	<b>10:00am</b>
<b>July 4 (Thurs)</b>	<b>4TH OF JULY</b>	
<b>July 8 (Mon)</b>	<b>5 Star Memory Care, Nottingham Village</b>	<b>12:30pm - 1:30pm 6:30pm</b>
<b>July 10 (Wed)</b>	<b>Buffalo Valley Riverwoods</b>	<b>10:00am 10:00am</b>
<b>July 11 (Thurs)</b>	<b>Mt. View Manor</b>	<b>1:00pm</b>
<b>July 17 (Wed)</b>	<b>Riverwoods</b>	<b>10:00am</b>
<b>July 18 (Thurs)</b>	<b>Sunbury Hospital Mansion Manor Care</b>	<b>1:00pm 1:45pm 2:15pm</b>
<b>July 22 (Mon)</b>	<b>Penn Manor, Selinsgrove</b>	<b>6:30pm</b>
<b>July 23 (Tues)</b>	<b>Maximum Prison, Lewisburg</b>	<b>12:00pm</b>
<b>July 24 (Wed)</b>	<b>Buffalo Valley Riverwoods</b>	<b>10:00am 10:00am</b>
<b>July 25 (Thurs)</b>	<b>Emmanuel, Danville Geisinger Rehab, Health South</b>	<b>1:00pm 2:00pm</b>
<b>July 31 (Wed)</b>	<b>Riverwoods</b>	<b>10:00am</b>
<b>Aug. 1 (Thurs)</b>	<b>Maria Joseph Manor Geisinger Rehab, Health South</b>	<b>1:00pm 2:00pm</b>

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 Susquehanna Trail Dog Training Club  
 US Holidays

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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