

Barking Beauties



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Newsletter

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Barking Beauties on Facebook

Are you on Facebook? Well Barking Beauties is! We have established a Barking Beauties page. To become a fan simply type Barking Beauties into the search bar on the top right side of your Facebook page and select page on the results and then just 'become a fan'.

Factsheets In-store Now

We have put together a few different factsheets that might be helpful to our customers. The topics range from information on the matting of a dogs coat to the care of a new puppy. These factsheets are available in-store and on our website.

Walking Group

Another successful walking group was held on Sunday 18th January 2010 with a lot of new faces joining us for the first time. We hope to see more new faces at our future walking groups. It was also great to see some of our regular faces there with us.

The next walking group will be as follows:

Date: Sunday 14th March 2010

Time: 9.00am

Duration: The walk will take approximately 30 mins followed by light refreshments.

Location: Lambeth Reserve, Picnic Point

RSVP: Friday 12th March 2010 - so that we can provide enough food and drink for everyone

We will again be collecting a gold coin donation at the walk towards our walking group charity.

We hope to see many of you there.

There IS no psychiatrist in the world like A PUPPY licking your face.

Wishing Tree Update

We would like to thank everyone who contributed to our Animal Welfare League Wishing Tree. The tree was a huge success and made a big difference to the animals we helped.

Our plight was even recognised in the 'Banks-town Torch' in the week of 14th January 2010, in particular recognising the contribution of one of our younger customers who donated his pocket money to our cause.

Barking Beauties Bookings

As our business continues to grow and expand, and our client base continues to build, we are continuing to become busier. It is for this reason that we recommend booking your next appointment ahead of time in order to receive your preferred date and time.

Walking Group Charity

After a very close vote we are pleased to announce that the walking group charity will be Monika's Doggie Rescue.

At the end of 2010 we will donate all funds donated at our walking groups from the year to the charity.

Now Open 6 Days

In order to better service you, our customers, better, Barking Beauties will be opening 6 days a week. From 1st February 2010 Barking Beauties will be open 6 days a week. Our opening hours are as follows:

Monday: 8.00am - 4.30pm

Tuesday: 8.00am - 5.00pm

Wednesday: 8.00am - 5.00pm

Thursday: 8.00am - 5.00pm

Friday: 8.00am - 5.00pm

Saturday: 8.30am - 3.00pm

New Staff

We would like to welcome our newest staff member, Brooke. Brooke has recently left school and is keen to work with dogs. We are certain that Brooke will become a valuable member of the Barking Beauties team during her time with us. We ask that you please make Brooke feel welcome in her new position.



Cancellation Policy & Appointment Times

We ask that all of our customers please observe our 24 hour cancellation policy in order to allow us to better serve our customers.

It is also requested that you adhere to your booking time as our day is planned to these appointments. If you are running late we request that you please call to let us know so that we can plan around this.

Strap Your Dog In!

Did you know that it is now illegal to drive with an unrestrained dog in your vehicle. If you're caught driving with an animal in your lap you could be fined \$338 or \$442 if caught in a school zone. Under the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act offenders can receive up to six months' jail and fines of up to \$5,500 if an animal is injured as a result of being unrestrained. In the case of an accident an unrestrained pet can become a missile.

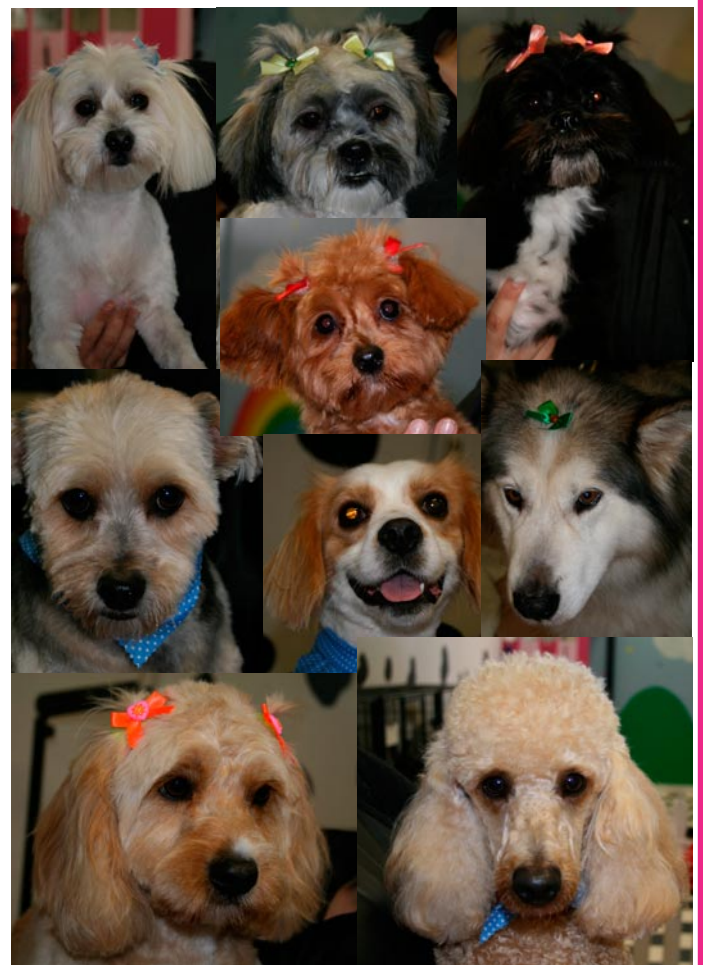
We will be stocking harnesses from late-February 2010.

RSPCA Million Paws Walk

Again in 2010 Barking Beauties will be putting together a team for the RSPCA Million Paws Walk. This year the walk will take place on Sunday 16 May 2010 at 10am at the Sydney Olympic Park Parklands (starting at The Overflow).

You are now able to register online (www.millionpawswalk.com.au) or by filling in one of the forms at the Barking Beauties store. Full details on how to register as part of the Barking Beauties team can be found in our store or on our website on the recent news page.

We hope to see you there on 16 May 2010.



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