



# South African American Pitbull Terrier Union

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**It is with great pleasure that the South African American Pitbull Terrier Union invites you to a show we are hosting on Saturday the 4<sup>th</sup> of June 2011.**

## Venue:

The show will be held in Heidelberg at the "Laerskool A.G. Visser", situated on the corners of Loveday and A.G. Visser Streets. The entrance to be used will be on the corners of Nel and Loveday streets.

## Entry Fees:

**R15.00** Entry fee at the gate

**R25.00** for Conformation only

**R35.00** Iron Dog, for the first two dogs (then R25.00 per dog).

## General Show Arrangements and Program:

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| 07h00 - 09h00  | Registration & Weigh-in.                         |
| 07h00 - 13h00  | High Jump & Long hang.                           |
| 10h00 -        | Conformation Commences.                          |
| 13h30 - 14h00  | Lunch  |
| 14h00 -        | <b>Weightpull will start no later than 14h00</b> |
| Prize giving - | Will be done at the next show.                   |

1. Dogs must be secured at all times. Short leads are required at any show
2. Dogs must be collared and choke chained at all times while on the show grounds
3. No form of drugs or steroids may be used on the dogs
4. No aggressive behavior towards dogs e.g. hitting or kicking will be allowed
5. Dogs that are secured in vehicles must have adequate ventilation and be in a shady area
6. Dogs should have access to drinking water while waiting to participate in events
7. A show ID of the dog must be produced on request. If not you must buy one. If a person is not a PAID-UP member of a Union Sanctioned Club a penalty of R50.00 will be payable.
8. Once conformation begins, registration are automatically closed
9. A maximum fine of R500.00 (decided on for that year) and disqualification will be imposed on any owner should their dog get loose and bite another dog or human. If a dog gets loose without biting anybody the owner will still pay a fine voted on by the Union executive committee (R50.00).

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10. If a fine has not been paid at the next show, the dog as well as its owner will not be allowed to show until such time as it is paid
11. Bitches in heat or pregnant will not be allowed to enter. If a bitch is entered deceitfully the judge will disqualify that dog and no entry fee will be refunded
12. Dogs that have fresh wounds may not enter any of the competitions.

## ON 11 & 12 ABOVE THE SITUATION IS NOT NEGOTIABLE

13. The show committee has the right to disqualify any dog and its owner from the event at a show, if any owner/handler is found neglecting or willfully disobeying the Union Show Rules of the various events. The officials reserve the right to instruct the offenders to leave the show grounds with immediate effect. Money paid for show registration will not be refunded
14. Any dog that participates in the S.A. Pit Bull Union Competitions must be registered by an affiliated registering body as approved by the Union. Original registration certificates to be presented on request
15. All dogs must be registered on the Show Register
16. All children must be under adult supervision at all times. No children under the age of 13 will be allowed to approach the competition area or physical handle dogs at any time of the day
17. Should the show committee deem any person unable to handle their dog due to intoxication, they will be asked to leave the premises immediately. Now show registration fee will be refunded
18. Dogs may not be marketed or sold at the show without prior consent from the Club Chairman of the day
19. No dog with a highly contagious skin disease such as RINGWORM OR MANGE will be allowed to enter on the day. If an owner persists in showing the dog where Ringworm or Mange is evident, a certificate from a Vet must be supplied, stating that the disease is DEAD.

Please note that as per Article 23 of the Union's Constitution NO ALCOHOL will be allowed at the show. Any Union member that breaks this rule will be disqualified, fined, and asked to leave the premises.  
The NO ALCOHOL rule also applies to spectators which will also be asked to leave the premises.  
The Union reserves the right of admission!!!!!!

### Conformation Judges and Technical Overseer:

Conformation Judges: *Marnus Pretorius & Herman Labuschagne*

Technical Chairman/Overseer: *Kwagga Kruger*

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## General Info:

1.) Refreshments will be sold at the Show, the following be available:

### Breakfast and Lunch:

- ✓ Boerewors Rolls
- ✓ Curry & Rice

### Dinner:

- ✓ Soup

### Drinks:

- ✓ Soft drinks & Coffee

2.) A jumping Castle will be available for the kids.

3.) **NO** driving or parking will be allowed on the rugby field. Vehicles may be parked on the athletics track surrounding the Field.

4.) No open fires anywhere near the sports field. A designated area on the cement behind the pavilion will be made available, some braais will be available, own charcoal to be supplied.

5.) Due to the Weightpull finishing very late at the last couple of shows, the Executive Committee has made the decision that from now on; **TWO** weights at a time will be loaded in order to reduce the time it takes to complete the Weightpull Competition. This is in the interest of the safety of our members as well as the wellbeing of our dogs.

**!!!!PLEASE COME AND ENJOY THE SHOW WITH US!!!!**

Regards,

*Executive Committee*

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