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Dear Dandie friends

We hope that you were able to share a fulfilling time with family and friends over the Christmas New Year period. It seems to take such a lot of planning to get everything just right then before we know it we are into January and the year is planned ahead for us.

In Dandie terms this is exactly how it is! The dates for the year are filling in already.

The annual Pet and Animal Expo (held in Sydney last year) is back in Melbourne this year but at a different venue. It will be held at the **Melbourne Show Grounds** on Saturday and Sunday February 1st and 2nd. We have booked a Dandie Stand so please come along and visit us if you are able to. Unfortunately you are not able to bring your Dandie with you.

Knox Eastern Regional Pet Expo is planned for Sunday April 7th at the Knox Park, Knoxfield. In previous years several of our Pet owners have come along and really enjoyed being able to talk about their own special Dandie, so if you are free come and join us.

The Sydney Royal Show has Dandies scheduled for breed judging on Saturday March 30th so we will be there and at least one Dandie will be in attendance again on Monday April 1st for the General Specials judging.

The other regular NSW event is held the Saturday after the Queen's Birthday weekend, at the Erskine Park venue. This includes a Championship show which Dandies enter, as well as the promotional activities. You are most welcome to bring your Dandie along to this event to help to promote the breed. Those people who visited our stand last year said they enjoyed it immensely.

We have prepared a CD/DVD double of the Fun Day last October so if you would like to receive one please get in touch with Jan. They can be played on computer or TV and will bring back lots of happy memories.

We have a few Calendars left if you missed out on one before Christmas. We also have a new range of Dandie Jewellery available (made in Melbourne specifically for Dandies in Oz) and we hope to have pictures of this on the web site soon.

Remember our Mad Hatters Tea Party is the Fun Day theme for this year. We expect to see some fantastic creations so get those inspirations going.

With kind regards

Rhonda, Heather and Jan

PS We are hopeful of having some puppies in a few months time so if you are on the waiting list please do not lose heart.