



CLUB COMMITTEE PROFILES

Judy Tsakalos – Trial Secretary

As long as I can remember I have been around dogs. First of all my parents' cocker spaniels then the Border Collie that was my 10th birthday present: I don't seem to ever have been without a dog. Obedience, agility and tracking followed when my husband and I acquired our first German Shorthaired Pointers – very necessary, as anyone who knows the breed would agree!

I guess it was a natural progression to become a judge as well.

I joined TrackWest when it was formed and have tracked with three dogs – Mollie, who was one of WA's first Tracking Champions; Mickey, who thoroughly enjoyed himself without achieving much and my baby, Luka, who is now fully recovered from her accident and will, I hope, gain her Tracking Champion title this year.

I am also one of TrackWest's many instructors, something I very much enjoy doing.

As Trial Secretary, I am responsible for running TrackWest's Tracking Trials. This means that not only do I organize judges and take entries but I am also the person who has to find tracklayers and stewards.

This year we will be judging some tracks on Wednesdays, so if you are available to help during the week, please let me know.