

## Resume: Mai Walton – DogsNT 2024 Council Election Nominee

Hello DogsNT Members,

By way of introduction, my name is Mai Walton and I am currently the President of the Alice Springs Kennel & Dog Sports Club. I have been on the committee of this club since stepping in three years ago, when the club was on the brink of collapse. I am also a trainer for the Alice Springs Obedience Dog Club.



I have spent my life around dogs, notably I have been a member and volunteer at the Alice Springs animal shelter for more than 20 years. My position at the shelter has seen me foster and support many special cases, and has formed the basis of why I am so passionate about the preservation of the ethical pedigree dog world.

I have owned my own pet care business for almost 20 years and have been a groomer for five years. I am passionate about animal welfare, and devote my life to my own animals and participating in dog sports, as well as conformation showing events.

Last year I sourced over \$5000 in sponsorship for the Alice Springs Kennel & Dog Sports Club. If nominated I would bring my initiative, determination, and passion to the council, and with the support of the Dogs NT members I would work hard to continue to see our dog world thrive in the NT.

As President of the Alice Springs club, I find myself always on call to support members, and as a lifelong dog lover and volunteer I find myself on call to support the welfare of animals. This 24/7 availability would enable me to be dynamic and accessible when needed for a council position with DogsNT. Feel free to email me at [Mai@pawznclawz.com.au](mailto:Mai@pawznclawz.com.au) if you have any questions.