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Good day to All,

During this past weekend 10x people was arrested and 8x Pitbulls confiscated in the Western Cape when the SAPS raided a dog-fighting event in progress.

Please note that the *South African American Pitbull Terrier Union* is strongly opposed to the act of Dog-Fighting.

See below Article 3 of the Constitution:

Article 3 Objectives

- 3.1 Promote a better image of the breed.
- 3.2 Encourage intelligent breeding of the South African American Pitbull Terrier accenting on their finest qualities of courage, intelligence, loyalty, agility and spirited affectionate disposition.
- 3.3 Condemn the use of the breed for any illegal activity.
- 3.4 Promote fair conduct at breed shows in terms of the Union guidelines.
- 3.5 Conduct breed shows and other activities deemed by the club to be in the best interest of the breed.
- 3.6 Devote funds to the benefit of the Union and to the betterment of the breed.
- 3.7 The Union will assist members that are victimized or discriminated against.
- 3.8 Do research on dogs and to provide guidance to members on matters like diseases, breeding, importation procedures as well as legal assistance in court proceedings.

Should any members of the Union be convicted of dog-fighting or be Part of any other illegal activities concerning Pitbulls they will be severely dealt with.

Any Union Member found guilty of dog-fighting will face a lifelong suspension from the Union.

Please convey this message to all your Club members.

Regards

Marnus Pretorius

Union Chairman.

The South African American Pitbull Terrier Union is strongly opposed to the abuse of any dogs, as well as the use of Pitbull Terriers for any illegal activities.