

FVDTC

WAGGIN' TALES

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A Note From the President

Hello All,

I have lots of people to thank in this month's Presidents note, I apologize in advance for the length and the tone of the start to this note. But I'm very disappointed in the fact that no one volunteered to take the lead for the club's annual awards this year. I will start out by saying that every club member owes a huge debt of gratitude to Donna Bihner & Nancy Pederson as they saved this year's club awards from being canceled or drastically changed! They have both been doing the annual club awards for the last few years and this January they announced that this was going to be their last year and the club needed to find someone else to take on this important task. This was announced at the membership meetings, and newsletters. We asked many people to step up and take over for them, I spoke to people personally, by email and even sent out a plea thru Constant Contact, to no avail. No one volunteered to take the lead role for this important club task. I know everyone wants to get these fantastic awards each year, but no one wanted to be the one to organize and do the work. During all of this, Donna would contact me to see what progress has been made and if anyone had volunteered to take over. I had to sadly tell her no one stepped forward. It was just last month that I advised Donna that I was about to send a message to all club members that no one had volunteered and we would be forced to cancel the club awards for 2018, or at the very least drastically change what we would be offering. As soon as I advised Donna of this she called me to say she and Nancy didn't want to disappoint the members and both she and Nancy Pederson would do it this one last time. With the explicit caveat that someone needs to take over this role by January 2019. I thanked them both profusely and agreed that if someone doesn't take the lead by January the awards as we now know them, will no longer exist.

So I am, once again, begging and pleading with all of you. Please consider taking the lead on this role by January! I know there are many members that do so much for the club already, I don't want to have to keep relying on these same people. It's time for others to

step up and help out. This is the perfect time to volunteer for next year as Donna and Nancy are busy working on this year's awards and are willing to train you for next year's awards. They have everything well organized and ready for someone to take over. I know everyone greatly enjoys our club awards, but if no one wants to do the actual work of this role, then we will be forced to drastically alter our annual awards. Thank you, thank you Donna and Nancy for saving the awards this year!! Please take the time to thank them personally yourselves!

Ok, onto more pleasant things. As I said, I have a lot of people to thank this month due to everyone that helped out at this year's Obedience and Rally Trials. First and most importantly, I want to say thank you to Pat Senne, our Trial Chair. Once again Pat did an outstanding job organizing all the many facets of these shows. I heard so many exhibitors and judges say how great our trials were this year and how much they enjoyed coming to FVDTC. So thank you Pat for all your hard work and efforts, we greatly appreciate all you do!

I also heard our judges saying how fantastic our stewards were this year. I won't list all of you, but know that your hard work was seen and appreciated by all. Thank you, Cathy Fleury and Loretta Lazzara for organizing the stewards and Taffy Wille for setting up the jobs sign up list on our website. Thank you to each and everyone that helped steward, we couldn't have done these shows without our hardworking stewards! I also appreciate everyone who came to help set up and especially everyone who helped take down and clean up after the show on Sunday. I know everyone is ready to leave after a long and busy weekend. So I really appreciate everyone that either stayed or came to take down.

A big thank you to our Raffle Ladies, Kathy Bianchetti and Sharon Madrigan for helping to organize and run this year's raffle again. And thank you to all that donated raffle baskets and items towards the raffle. We appreciate and thank everyone that did so! Our raffle helps offset the costs of running our trials.

I would also like to thank Nancy Lee for organizing and running the Heart Clinic again this year. This year we had about 54 dogs examined during the 2 day Heart Clinic. We had to extend the heart clinic another day because so many people wanted to take part in this year's Heart Clinic. A big thank you to Dr Heidi Kellihan, who came from Wisconsin to examine all the dogs again this year. She has already offered to return next year if we have enough people that want to take part in another heart clinic. This year's clinic was especially important due to the Taurine Deficiency issue that arose. Many people thanked our club, Dr Kellihan and Nancy Lee for offering this clinic. It was a big task for Nancy to organize all these dogs and be there all day Saturday to help run the clinic. Thank you Nancy for all you did! And thank you Amy Kirby, one of our newest members, for helping run the heart clinic on Sunday in Nancy's absence.

Another big thank you goes to Donna Bihner and Nancy Pederson, our Awards Chairpersons. They did a great job with this year's ribbons, rosettes and gift bags for our newest exhibitors. I think FVTDC offers such great ribbons, rosettes and new title rosettes. We came very close to awarding one of our OTCH Rosettes this year. Hopefully someone will achieve either an OTCH or a RACH at our trials next year so we can award them with one of our large Rosettes.

Last, but not least, I want to thank Sue MacPherson for keeping us all well fed with her yummy sandwiches, soup, chili and other goodies. I know her grilled cheese sandwiches are especially popular! Thank you Sue and everyone that helped out in the kitchen. We all really appreciated having a good hot lunch available each day at the shows. And thank you to all that donated baked goods and other items too!

One last thing, thank you to everyone that entered and showed at our trials and congratulations to all that got legs or titles this weekend! For those that didn't quite get any legs, me included, try to remember that the journey you and your dog take together to reach your goals are just as important as any legs and titles you achieve together. And again, thank you to all that helped at the trials and throughout the year. It's fantastic members like you that make FVDTC such a great club!

Thanks and see you at training,

Wendy Waddick

On a personal note, we had a lot of fun doing the team rally again this year. I hope we get more teams participating next year. There were 2 teams and both did very well. Team Sheltie and a Pom won again this year and I can't help but think that Marian was watching over us and cheering us on!

Membership Report

Michelle Wealthter

Maltese

Completed beginner class

Pat Senne, Obedience Trial Chair

Pat Senne volunteers as Obedience Trial Chair, Match Chair Coordinator and is part of the Annual Dinner Committee for Fox Valley Dog Training Club. When she got her first Boxer, Bella, about 10 years ago a friend recommended training at FVDTC and she has been a member ever since. She was approached about Obedience Trial Chair by Carolyn about 5 years ago. While attending meetings she heard that the Match Chair Coordinator position needed someone. And if that isn't enough, she volunteers her time for the Annual Dinner.

Pat's position as Obedience Trial Chair plays a large role in our annual Obedience and Rally Trials. It is her job to line up the AKC judges, and to oversee that everything comes together for that trial weekend. She also sets up the selfie photo station and lines up any vendors that maybe interested in coming to our event. As Match Chair Coordinator, Pat oversees the Fun Matches. She does the gate entries, works with the judges to make sure they have everything they need, and even steps in as a steward if a spot needs to be filled. And if that isn't enough, she also volunteers her time on the Annual Dinner Committee. She is in charge of the slide show presentation, and creating a theme for the dinner along with the decorations.

Pat was awarded with the Sally Compton Volunteer award for all her hard work in 2016. She stated, "It is a very prestigious award and many members before me were awarded with it, I was thrilled to be listed among those others that have done so much for this club. It is always a good feeling to be recognized for your efforts. I am proud to be a member among so many dog enthusiasts who believe in responsible dog ownership on so many levels."

And did I forget to mention that she is an instructor for the Advanced Puppy class? Pat stepped in for one class, and has been an instructor now for 3 years. She is also a member at the Glenbard All Breed Club and just recently joined the Midwest Boxer Club.

She focuses most of her training on agility with her dog, Smokey. He has his BN, RA, CD, NA, NAJ titles and just is starting with his agility journey. Pat's older girl, Bella has her BN, GN, CD, CDX, RE, NA, NAJ



and is currently working towards her RAE title. Bella is also starting in nose work and is loving it. Pat also does Veteran events with Bella, which they both enjoy.

So why the Boxer breed? Pat's daughter acquired a Boxer when she was newly married and Pat fell in love with him. She likes to be physically active and has never had a dog before, so she adopted a Boxer from a rescue. Shortly after she adopted her daughter's after her granddaughter became allergic and soon had two. After that, a Boxer lover was born. Boxers are known for their athletic and goofy nature. Smokey, her 3 year old Boxer, can be sneaky and steal things he shouldn't have. One day, Pat noticed him running around the back yard with something in his mouth. She went to investigate what he had, and found that he was running around with her bra in his mouth! Hopefully the neighbors didn't notice.

Pat is a florist and horticulturist, and has worked at the Ball Seed Company for the past 12 years. Before that she had her own Florist and Garden Center in West Chicago. She creates the beautiful floral center pieces at the Annual Awards dinner for FV. Pat's daughter recently traveled to South Africa to visit a tea-growing farm and invited Pat to go along. Since Pat's career is horticulture she enjoyed the trip immensely. She said, "It was a trip of a lifetime, fascinating and beautiful."

She doesn't have a lot of spare time with everything she does. But she loves to spend time with her kids, 10 grandkids, 2 dogs and hubby, John. He likes to restore classic cars and show them at local car shows. So you may see her at some of the classic car shows, an upcoming dog show, or at FV. Pat said, "I like the energy of the club and enjoy being with the other

members. I train my dogs there every week, so since I am there already I might as well make myself useful!"

There is a lot of work that is involved in the areas that Pat volunteers her time for Fox Valley. Without her generosity we wouldn't be able to have the annual Obedience Trials, Fun Matches and Annual Awards Dinner. Thank you so much for all you do for us Pat.

Calendar

December 2018

06 Thu Regular Training
12 Wed Board Meeting
13 Thu Regular Training
20 Thu Regular Training
Puppy Ends (6:00, 7:00, 8:00pm)
27 Thu Regular Training

January 2019

Stay tuned for updates as soon as they're available



Fox Valley Dog Training Club

MEMBER RENEWAL



THE NEW MEMBERSHIP YEAR BEGINS JANUARY 1, 2019
 DUES FOR THE 2019 MEMBERSHIP YEAR ARE DUE BY **JANUARY 31, 2019**

Your name will be omitted from the 2019 roster, and your last issue of Waggin' Tales will be the February issue, IF your check, this completed form, and your "Personal Record of FVDTC Work Credits" are not received by 1-31-2019.

Please take a moment to complete and return this entire form, even if you do not owe any dues. This allows us to make our roster as accurate as possible.

Please print the information below as you would like it to appear in the roster, e.g.: John & Mary Jones.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP Code: _____

Phone: _____ () _____

E-mail Address: _____
You must include your e-mail address if you select the "electronically" method to receive the newsletter.

Breed(s) of dog(s): _____

Training areas of interest: _____

Check your preference for receiving the Waggin' Tales newsletter.

Mailed to my house Electronically Don't want to get it at all

Would you like to volunteer for the Grievance Committee, if one is convened?

Yes No Name: _____
 Yes No Name: _____

As an organization supported strictly by volunteers, we count on you to volunteer at club sponsored events. If you know what activities you would like to volunteer, please list them here. Not sure? Check out the General Policy information on the Members page on our Web site for activities, committees and events.

As a FVDTC club member, I hereby give permission to FVDTC to use my name and photographic likeness in all forms and media for advertising, trade, and any other lawful purposes.

 Signature

 Signature

FVDTC continues to believe that all club members have a commitment to sportsmanship, community and canine welfare. All individuals living in your household, who are to be considered voting club members, should read the following. Please sign on the line below stating that you have read this statement.

I shall endeavor to conduct myself at all times in a manner that reflects credit upon Fox Valley Dog Training Club, regardless of the location or the circumstances. I will protect and advance the interests of the Club by encouraging sportsmanlike behavior at training nights, correction clinics, obedience trials, tracking tests, and agility trials. I will uphold the Club's commitment to good sportsmanship, community support, and the welfare of the dogs with which we work.

Signature _____

Signature _____

PLEASE SELECT YOUR MEMBERSHIP TYPE

*If you are planning to apply for an award at next year's annual dinner, you must select a TRAINING membership type.

Did You Earn 3 Work Credits Last Year?**

	Yes, pay...	No, pay...
_____ REGULAR TRAINING*:	\$90.00^	\$180.00
_____ REGULAR NON-TRAINING:	\$45.00^^	\$90.00
_____ LIFETIME OR BOARD TRAINING*:	\$45.00^^	\$90.00
_____ LIFETIME OR BOARD NON-TRAINING:	\$00.00	\$00.00

Check your method for providing your work credits:

Attached form Recorded online in Members Only

PRIMARY INSTRUCTORS: Reduce Membership Dues by 25% for each Quarter or Session Taught (Max of 4)
Your Teaching Status will be confirmed by the Director of Training.

Sessions Taught	Amount Owed When Dues are...	
	\$90.00^	\$45.00^^
1	\$67.50	\$33.75
2	\$45.00	\$22.50
3	\$22.50	\$11.25
4	\$00.00	\$00.00

AMOUNT ENCLOSED _____ *******

****In accordance with our By-laws, a \$10.00 re-instatement fee will be charged for dues not received by 01-31-2019*

Please mail this application and your work credits form with your dues, and to the address below. Make checks payable to **FOX VALLEY DOG TRAINING CLUB**.

(630) 584-1002	MEMBERSHIP CHAIRPERSON Sue MacPherson 4N791 Chaffield Drive St. Charles, IL 60175	membership@fvdtc.org
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IT'S AWARDS TIME 2018!

Congratulations! If you are filling out award forms then you must have earned one or more new titles in 2018! It is the policy of FVDTC to give awards for AKC, CKC and UKC titles earned at trials, tests or shows each year. To receive a club award, you must have a total of 10 work credits for the year and be listed as a Regular Training Member in the Roster. If for some reason you have not met **ALL** your requirements and can justify the reason, your eligibility will be reviewed by the Board of Directors.

Contained in this packet is a form for individual awards, as well an application for the club's Special Awards. Please review each item in the following list before you begin.

- Each form must be completely filled out and **please print clearly** so we can read your information.
- Please submit **one** Family/Individual Work Credit Form plus **one** Award Application Form for **each** dog. If Spot and Fido each earned a title, then two Award Applications should be submitted with one Work Credit Form.
- Work credits can be earned by anyone in the family.
- A dog is limited to receiving one AKC award per level of titles received. For example, if your dog earns a CD and an RA, you may pick only one award at Level 2. The exception to this, is anyone who receives a title at the highest level in the same year (OTCH and a MACH).
- Awards are given for titles earned in 2018 (i.e., a dog may have earned two "legs" toward a title prior to 2016, but if the third "leg" was earned in 2017, the title is earned in 2018). However, all scores for any of the "Special Club Awards" must have been earned in 2018.
- **Please print clearly on the 2018 FVDTC Annual Awards form. The Awards Committee wants your awards to be correct, so a clearly filled out form will help the committee achieve that goal.**

PLEASE NOTE:

All photos submitted for an award MUST be **clear** and **close-up and should be emailed, actual prints are usually not necessary.** Airbrushed awards by Bill McGuffey require an article of clothing, which must be no less than 50% cotton and must be washed at least once. The clothing cannot have pleats, seams or sewn-in folds where the picture is to be painted. All of our artists need time to provide their best work, therefore the submission deadline will NOT be extended. PLEASE be considerate and meet or beat the deadline.

**ALL COMPLETED FORMS, PHOTOS AND CLOTHING (FOR AIRBRUSHING)
SHOULD BE SUBMITTED TO:**

Donna Bihner

2N987 Beith Rd

Elburn IL 60119

E-mail – awards@fvdtc.org

All information, photos, and clothing must be received no later than

February 1, 2019

NO EXCEPTIONS

FORMS, PHOTOS AND CLOTHING MAY ALSO BE GIVEN TO

DONNA BIHNER/NANCY PEDERSON AT TRAINING

**IF you have a Traveling (Special Perpetual) Trophy, PLEASE return it as soon as possible to
Donna Bihner, Nancy Pederson or Cheryl Hettinger.**

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS & CHECKLIST

PLEASE use the following checklist to help you complete and submit the application for your award.

- | <u>DONE?</u> | <u>STEPS</u> |
|--------------|---|
| Yes / No | Complete the Awards Application for each dog. Pictures of each of the awards can be found on the club web site. |
| Yes / No | Complete the Work Credit Form (one per family). Remember, everyone in the family can help to earn the 10 work credits. |
| Yes / No | Is the award you selected, a professional photograph?
If "Yes", you will be notified of the dates and times of the photo session. Photos are taken at the photographers home in West Chicago. |
| Yes / No | Is the award you selected, to be personalized with your dog's picture?
If "Yes", did you...
<input type="checkbox"/> Email a <u>good, clear close-up photograph</u> of your dog? Send them to dbihner@gmail.com |
| Yes / No | Is the award you selected, an airbrushed item on clothing?
If "Yes", did you...
<input type="checkbox"/> Email a <u>good, clear close-up photograph</u> of your dog?
<input type="checkbox"/> Provide a cotton-blend <u>pre-washed</u> item of clothing?
<input type="checkbox"/> Make sure that there are no creases, folds or seams where the picture is to be painted?
<input type="checkbox"/> Make sure your name is marked on the clothing and/or the form is securely attached to the item? |
| Yes / No | Review the "Special Award" page and determine if you are eligible for an award?
If "you are eligible", did you...
<input type="checkbox"/> Complete the Special Award section on the application? |
| Yes / No | Were you the recipient of a Special Perpetual Award last year?
If "Yes", did you...
<input type="checkbox"/> Return it to a committee member or turn it in at the information desk at training? |

Congratulations you are done! Please gather all forms, photos and clothing and bring them to training to give them to Donna or Nancy. You may also send them to the address on the first page of the packet.

Fox Valley Dog Training Club Awards Application (one per Dog)

Handler Name: _____ Email Address _____ Phone: _____

Dog's Registered Name (with ALL titles earned as of December 31). _____

Dog's Call Name: _____ Breed: _____ Titles Earned in 2018 _____

Patches are available for a limited number of titles. Would you like a patch if it is available? YES NO

Directions: Circle titles earned in 2018. For each level earned, pick ONE award (*you may choose awards from a lower level if desired*)

Kennel Club	Awards Selection	Pick one	Details and Options
AKC Level 1 RN BN PCD ACT1 ACT2 THDN TKN TKI	\$30 Gift Certificate to Pets Supplies Plus or PetSmart	<input type="checkbox"/>	Choose: Pets Supplies Plus PetSmart
	Wall Plaque (7" x 9") with Title plates (holds 8 plates)	<input type="checkbox"/>	* List plates at the bottom of the second page.
	Wood picture frame (landscape orientation) customized with name and/or design. Agility & Obedience designs has call name. Name design has both call and registered name.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Choose Design: Name Agility Obedience Choose Wood: Cherry Maple Choose Size: 4x6 5x7 8x10
	Stainless travel mug, without handles, with breed & dog's call name decal.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Breed _____ Add call name? Yes / No Circle one: Stainless White Black Red Decal: Sparkle: Black / Gold / Silver Matte: Black / Red / Blue
	Small tote bag, black and choice of one other color. Embroidered with paw prints & call name painted with your dog's (or breed) picture. Embroidery Patterns: www.foxhavenonline.com/products	<input type="checkbox"/>	Circle one: Neon Pink Neon Green Stone Circle one: Embroidered / Painted (email photo) - Embroidery Pattern: _____ Include dog's call name? Yes / No
Wooden ornaments – image painted or burned in.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Choose: Painted Burned image Email Photo**	
AKC Level 2 CD GN PCDX NA NAJ NAP NJP NF NFP RA RI THD VCD1 TKA TKP	Custom (8" x 10") pencil or water color portrait. Matted	<input type="checkbox"/>	Choose one: Pencil Watercolor Email Photo**
	1" Silver Pendant of your breed or a paw print with 18" silver chain or black leather cord	<input type="checkbox"/>	Committee will contact you with design choices. Choose one: Silver Chain Black Cord
	Color Photo (8" x 10"), not matted or framed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pictures will be done at photographers home.
	Custom Pendant painted with the picture of your dog. Includes a black leather cord necklace.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Email Photo**
	Leash Rack hand-painted with dog's picture.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Background: Natural Wood Painted Email Photo**
	30" x 54" towel embroidered with a dog breed & call name. Commonly used as a grooming table topper. Selection details can be found at: www.foxhavenonline.com/products	<input type="checkbox"/>	Circle one: Tan White Dark Purple Blue Include dog's call name? Yes / No Embroidery Pattern: _____ Thread Color for name: _____
	Blanket (black with colored inside), 4' x 5' with a carrying bag and an insulated lunch bag. Embroidered with paw prints and name.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Include dog's call name? Yes / No Circle one: Forest Charcoal Navy Red Royal Thread Color for name: _____
Wooden dumbbell for Open. Stripe wood pattern or dog's pictures burned into both ends.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Choose One: Striped Pattern / Burned image For Image: Email** 2 photos (one for each end)	
2 Clear Pint Glasses etched with your breed or from your photo and call name	<input type="checkbox"/>	Choose One: ___Breed ___Photo (Email Photo**) Include dog's call name? Yes / No	
AKC Level 3 CH CDX GO PUDX OA OAJ OAP OJP OF OFF RE TD TDU THDA VCD2	Champion wall plaque	<input type="checkbox"/>	Only for those earning the Champion title.
	Custom wooden articles or \$60.00 toward scent articles	<input type="checkbox"/>	Choose One: ___ Custom ___\$60 Custom: Committee will contact you for details.
	Color Photo (11" x 14"), not matted or framed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pictures will be done at photographers home.
	Medium Duffel Bag (10" x 10" x 20") embroidered with your dog sport and call name. Selection details can be found at www.foxhavenonline.com/products	<input type="checkbox"/>	Circle one sport: Agility Obedience Rally Color: _____ Dog's call name? Yes / No Thread Color for name: _____
	Full Zip Hooded Sweatshirt (men and ladies sizes). Embroidered with dog breed and dog's name if desired. Selection details can be found at www.foxhavenonline.com/products	<input type="checkbox"/>	Size: _____ Color: _____ Embroidery Pattern: _____ Name Choice: Call / Registered Titles: Yes/No Thread Color for name: _____

Fox Valley Dog Training Club Awards Application (continued)

Handler Name: _____ Dog's Call Name: _____

Level	Awards Selection	Pick one	Details and Options
AKC Level 4 GCH POC UD VER AX AXJ ASP AJP XF XFP RAE RM TDX THDX VCD3	Portrait of your dog in pencil or watercolor. 11"x13" double matted.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Choose one: Pencil or Watercolor Email Photo**
	Wooden Title Plaque (8" x 10") for rally, tracking or agility titles. Includes 4" x 6" picture opening, map of course and dog's name and titles etched into wood.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Must submit course map (tracking/agility/rally) Date of Event: _____ Location of Event: _____ Choose wood: Maple or Cherry
	Large Duffel Bag with embroidered ends, top and front pocket. Customized with your sport and/or dog's name	<input type="checkbox"/>	Circle one sport: Agility Obedience Rally Circle one: Red Black Navy Royal Blue Include dog's call name? Yes / No Thread Color for name: _____
	Polar fleece jackets (men's and ladies sizes) embroidered on left side. Selection details can be found at www.foxhavenonline.com/products	<input type="checkbox"/>	Size: _____ Color: _____ Embroidery Pattern: _____ Choose one: Call name Registered name Include titles: Yes No Thread Color for name: _____
	Dog Head Airbrushed onto clothing article or canvas	<input type="checkbox"/>	Choose one: Canvas or Clothing (you provide) Email Photo** Include dog's call name? Yes / No
	Wood Clock hand-painted with your dog's picture	<input type="checkbox"/>	Email Photo** Name if desired: _____
	Throw Blanket (4' x 5') customized with your photo	<input type="checkbox"/>	Email Photo**
AKC Level 5 UDX OM OGM MX MXJ MX MJP MXF MFP MXB MJB MFB MXPB MXS MJS MFS MXPS MXG MJG MFG MXPB MXC MJC MFC MXPC PAX RM T2B T2BP THDD VCD4 VST	Full Body Airbrushed onto clothing article or canvas. <u>You must provide clothing.</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Choose one: Canvas or Clothing Include dog's call name? Yes / No Email Photo**
	Wooden plaque (10" x 13") with 2 photo cutouts and room for two Agility, Rally courses, Tracking maps or custom wording	<input type="checkbox"/>	Course map: Tracking Agility Rally Date & Location of Event: _____ Choose wood: Maple or Cherry
	Custom Black Metal Ribbon Holder with breed or sport design. Approximately 36" x 12" See examples here: https://www.facebook.com/groups/520647197985011/	<input type="checkbox"/>	Breed for Design: Dog Sport for Design: Include Call Name: Y/N Committee will work with you to create the design.
AKC Level 6 OTCH MACH PACH RACH VCCH CT**	Custom stained glass leash holder or wall hanging.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Email Photo**
	Director Chair with name & breed either embroidered or painted on the back. Patterns: www.foxhavenonline.com/products	<input type="checkbox"/>	Choose chair color: Red Blue Black Purple Green Choose 1: Embroidered Painted (email photo**) Embroidery Pattern: _____ Name on chair: _____
	Wooden MACH Title Bar Holder includes a picture and dog's name/title if desired.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Email Photo** Dog's name & titles: _____
UKC/CKC	Wall Plaque (7" x 9") with Title plates (holds 8)	<input type="checkbox"/>	* List plates below

* If you have selected a plaque or have one from a previous year, then list any title plates you need for 2018. Reminder 1 plaque holds 8 plates. i.e.: RN, UD, AX, etc. _____

**Email Photos to Donna at Dbihner@gmail.com

Fox Valley Dog Training Club Work Credits 2018 (all family members may help)

Name: _____ Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Section 1: One Credit Tasks

In rows 1-7, circle all event(s) that you worked: (each event is ONE credit)

1. Meetings attended: (to maximum of 3)	Jan	Mar	May	July	Sept	Nov					
2. Steward at Correction Clinics:	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	
3. Work at the Obedience Trial					Fri	Sat-AM	Sat-PM	Sun-AM	Sun-PM		
4. Work at the Spring Agility Trial					Fri	Sat-AM	Sat-PM	Sun-AM	Sun-PM		
5. Work at the Fall Agility Trial					Fri	Sat-AM	Sat-PM	Sun-AM	Sun-PM		
6. Steward for 4-H Show					Yes						
Count the circles for Rows 1-6: _____											
7. Substitute Instructor or Assistant (total nights ÷ 2)					_____						
8. Instructor for Conformation Class (total nights ÷ 2)					_____						
9. Work at Front/Information Table (total nights ÷ 2)					_____						
10. List Events worked on (count 1 for each)					_____						
Total Rows 7-10: _____											
Total Number of 1 Credit Tasks <input style="width: 20px; height: 15px;" type="text"/>											

Section 2: Two Credit Tasks

In rows 1-3, circle all event(s) that you worked:

1. Judge a Correction Clinic (you cannot claim work credits if you were paid for this event)	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	
2. Work at the Tracking Test					Sat	Sun					
3. Work at Mat Cleaning					Yes						
Count the circles for Rows 1-3: _____											
4. Evaluator for a CGC test											Enter Number of Test(s): _____
5. Judge at the Kane County 4-H Dog Show											Enter 1 if you performed this task: _____
Total Number from Rows 3 - 5 _____											
Total 2 Credit Tasks (multiply Total by 2) <input style="width: 20px; height: 15px;" type="text"/>											

Section 3: Three Credit Tasks

1. Assistant Instructor for 4-H Class	Enter 1 if you performed this task:	_____
2. Primary Instructor for 4-H Class	Enter 1 if you performed this task:	_____
3. Served on the following Committee(s) for a year	Enter Number of Committee(s):	_____
_____		_____
_____		_____
Total Number of Tasks _____		
Total 3 Credit Tasks (multiply Total Rows by 3) <input style="width: 20px; height: 15px;" type="text"/>		

Section 4: Four Credit Tasks

1. Primary Instructor for Advanced Classes for 1 quarter	Number of quarters:	_____
2. Assistant Instructor for Advanced Classes for 1 quarter	Number of quarters:	_____
3. Primary Instructor for Puppy or Beginners Class for 1 session	Number of sessions:	_____
4. Assistant Instructor for Puppy or Beginners Class for 1 session	Number of sessions:	_____
5. Puppy/Beginner Class Coordinator for 1 year	Enter 1 if you performed this task:	_____
6. Committee Chairperson for 1 year	Enter Number of Committee(s):	_____
7. Kane County 4-H Coordinator for 1 year	Enter 1 if you performed this task:	_____
8. Kane County 4-H Dog Projects Superintendent for 1 year	Enter 1 if you performed this task:	_____
9. Board Member for 1 year	Enter 1 if you performed this task:	_____
Total Rows 1-9 _____		
Total 4 Credit Tasks (multiply Total by 4) <input style="width: 20px; height: 15px;" type="text"/>		

Total Credits for year

(Total the credits from Sections 1, 2, 3 and 4)

*If your total is 10 or over, you are eligible for Awards. **THANK YOU FOR VOLUNTEERING!***

If you did any other work for the club that is not listed above and should be taken into consideration by the Board, please list it here.

2018 FVDTC SPECIAL AWARDS

DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING INFORMATION IS February 1, 2019

Return completed forms to: Donna Bihner 2N987 Beith Rd Elburn IL 60119

CLUB MEMBER'S NAME:

DOG'S CALL NAME:

HIGH QUALIFYING AVERAGE

List the average of all *qualifying* scores for one or more classes.

NOVICE A

NOVICE B

OPEN

UTILITY B

RALLY NOVICE A

SPECIAL PERPETUAL AWARDS

Remember, obedience is a sport guided by the principles of good sportsmanship.
Each of you is on the "honor system" in submitting your scores. Include only AKC titles unless otherwise specified.

DEBBIE ORR MEMORIAL AWARD to the member whose dog earned the most AKC, UKC or CKC titles during the year.	(Enter the <i>total number</i> of titles earned for ONE dog. Include all AKC, CKC and UKC titles)
HEATHER MEMORIAL AWARD given to the handler whose dog earned the 3 highest scores in Novice A .	(List the <i>3 highest scores</i> in Novice A)
FOUNDERS AWARD given to the handler whose dog earned the 5 highest scores in Regular AKC classes.	(Include only the <i>3 highest scores</i> in regular classes)
ED KNEIP AWARD given to the handler whose dog earned the highest combined score in Open B and Utility A or B at same AKC trial.	(Highest combined score in Open B and Utility A or B, at the same trial)
KANOSAK KENNEL AWARD given to the handler whose dog earned the 3 highest Utility A scores at AKC trials, with at least 5 scores being submitted.	(List <i>5 highest scores</i> in Utility A)
TUCKER MEMORIAL AWARD given to the handler whose dog earned their first AKC Rally Advanced Excellent (RAE1) title , within 12 months from the first leg earned. Scores will be used to calculate the highest average score as a tie-breaker, when needed.	(List ALL Rally Advanced B <i>and</i> Rally Excellent B scores from the first leg to the final leg for the title. ALL scores must be submitted. NQs are counted as 0)
DIANNE OTT VERSATILITY AWARD given to the handler whose dog earned at least one title in each of the following competition areas: Obedience, Tracking and Agility during the calendar year . If more than one person qualifies for this award, then there will be a point schedule based on the award levels of the titles earned.	(List at least <i>1 title in each area</i> ; Obedience, Tracking and Agility)
NATALIE MEMORIAL AWARD given to the dog/handler team who has given the most volunteer hours in therapy work in the calendar year.	(List the <i>number of hours</i> volunteered in therapy work for 2018 with a formal therapy organization)

Volunteer Awards 2018



The Volunteer Award recognizes those who volunteer their precious time to FVDTC but who are not applying for a title award during the year. To qualify for this award the member must:

- Be a member in good standing
- Earn a minimum of ten work credits in 2018
- Earn the work credits themselves, not by family or other members. No exceptions.

Below is a list of the awards that are offered. Please choose your desired item, complete the Work Credit form and send both pages to the address below. Thank you for your efforts!

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

Awards Selection	Pick one	Details and Options
\$30 Gift Certificate to Pets Supply Plus or PetSmart	<input type="checkbox"/>	Choose: Pets Supply Plus PetSmart
Stainless travel mug, without handles, with breed decal.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Breed: _____ Choose Color: Stainless White Black Red Decal Color: Sparkle: Black / Gold / Silver Matte: Black / Red / Blue
Wooden ornament with your chosen breed picture either painted or image burned into the wood.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Breed: _____ Choose One: Painted or Burned Image
Pendant with picture of your chosen breed. Includes a black leather cord necklace.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Breed: _____
1" Silver Pendant of your breed or a paw print with either an 18" silver chain or a black leather cord. Pendant choices will be emailed based on breed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Choose One: Breed Paw prints Breed: _____ Choose Necklace Style: Black Cord Silver Chain
Small tote bag, black and choice of one other color. Outside pockets and adjustable strap. Embroidered with paw prints.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Circle One: Neon Pink Neon Green Stone
Tote bag painted with your chosen breed on the side pocket.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Breed: _____ Committee will contact you for bag color choice.
30" x 54" towel embroidered with your chosen dog breed. Commonly used as a grooming table topper.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Circle one: Tan White Dark Purple Blue Breed: _____
Blanket, approximately 4' x 5', with a carrying bag and an insulated lunch bag. Embroidered with paw prints.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Circle One: Forest Charcoal Navy Red Royal
Pint Glasses (2 with clear glass) etched with "FVDTC" or Breed profile	<input type="checkbox"/>	FVDTC Y / N or Breed _____

ALL COMPLETED FORMS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED TO:

Donna Bihner
2N987 Beith Rd
Elburn, IL 60119

E-mail – awards@fvdtc.org

All information must be received no later than

February 1, 2019

NO EXCEPTIONS

FORMS MAY ALSO BE GIVEN TO DONNA OR NANCY PEDERSON AT TRAINING

Fox Valley Dog Training Club, Inc.
PO Box 992
St. Charles, IL 60174
www.fvdtc.org

