

FVDTC

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WAGGIN' TALES

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It's a New Year: Welcome to 2024!

FVDTC welcomes a new year in a few days, so there is a lot to announce and lot to do. First, you need to renew your membership by end of January. The form is included in this issue of *Waggin' Tales*, and is available on the club web site <https://www.fvdtc.org>.

Second, make sure you have all of your 2023 work credits recorded. The best place to do that is on the club web site. Log in at "Members Only" and then choose "My FVDTC". Once your work credits are recorded, you can apply for Title Awards or Volunteer Awards. Those forms are also in this issue of *Waggin' Tales* and online.

Lastly, make sure you plan to attend the club's Annual Meeting, to be held via Zoom on January 17. Access credentials will be provided a few days before the meeting. We will be holding elections for the 2024 Board of Directors at that meeting. The nominating committee has selected the following people for 2024:

President.....David Lewis	Obedience Trial Chair.....Taffy Wille
First Vice President.....Bob Boeke	Membership Chair.....Sue MacPherson
Second Vice President....Laura Lagger	Public Education Coordinator...Carol Nightingale
Secretary.....Carolyn Pearson	Tracking Test Chair.....Kent Hildebrand
Treasurer.....Phil Nuger	Agility Trial Chair.....Cathy Fleury
Director of Training.....Will Short	Director at Large.....Wendy Waddick

A start for 2024 would not be complete without a huge thank you to the 2023 Board, Committee Chairs, Committee Members, and volunteers that make FVDTC a success. Thank you all!

Calendar

January 2024

- 04 Thu Regular Training
Puppy Begins (8:00pm)
Adv. Puppy Begins (6:00pm)
Beginner Begins (6:00, 7:00, 8:00pm)
- 11 Thu Regular Training
- 17 Wed Annual Meeting (Zoom)
- 18 Thu Fun Match
- 25 Thu Regular Training
Advanced Rally Workshop

February 2024

- 01 Thu Regular Training
Advanced Rally Workshop
Puppy Ends (6:00pm)
- 08 Thu Regular Training
Advanced Rally Workshop
- 15 Thu Fun Match
CGC Test
- 22 Thu Regular Training
Advanced Rally Workshop
- 29 Thu Regular Training
Advanced Rally Workshop

Fun Matches

We can always use stewards and judges for the monthly Fun Matches at FVDTC. Volunteer on the FVDTC web site at fvdtc.org/volunteer or see Barb Misch (matchsteward@fvdtc.org) for more details.

Board Meeting - December, 2023

The December board meeting was canceled due to lack of quorum. In an online discussion, the board voted to have the 2024 and subsequent Annual Meetings via Zoom, unless changed by a later board vote.

Intermediate/Advanced Rally Workshop

Fox Valley Dog Training Club is happy to announce a workshop for those of you who want to move to the next level of Rally Competition.

Date: Thursdays, January 25 – February 8, February 22 – March 7

Time: 6:00pm

Location: Kane County Fairgrounds

Cost (FVDTC Members): \$0.00

Cost (Guests): \$20.00

There is a limit of 10 working teams!

Overview: Introduce and practice Intermediate/Advanced Rally signs. Continue working on ring etiquette and ring procedure. Individual course run-thru's.

Prerequisite: Completion of the Beginning Rally Workshop, competition or title in Novice Rally

CGC Test – February 15

FVTC will host a CGC Test on February 15 at the Kane County Fairgrounds in St Charles, IL.

Participants limited to 12.

Contact Sally Boeke at registration@fvdtc.org prior to February 14th to sign up.

St. Jude's Recycled Card Program

Do you hate to toss/recycle the beautiful Holiday cards you receive? I do, so I send my card fronts to St. Jude's Ranch for Children. This year I am inviting anyone who would like to add their cards to what I send.

If you are interested, please bring the front only (without any handwriting on it) of ANY (not just holiday) cards to me at training. Due to copyright laws, St. Jude's cannot accept Hallmark, American Greetings and/or Disney cards so do not include any of those cards. The recycled cards are turned into new cards and sold as a fundraiser and to help provide teens with life and work skills.

-- Carolyn Pearson



Fox Valley Dog Training Club

MEMBER RENEWAL



THE NEW MEMBERSHIP YEAR BEGINS JANUARY 1, 2024
 DUES FOR THE 2024 MEMBERSHIP YEAR ARE DUE BY **JANUARY 31, 2024**

Your name will be omitted from the 2024 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 1-31-2024.

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. All fields on this application marked with (%) are required to be completed.

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%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 receive periodic club related news / updates in your email inbox?

\_\_\_\_\_ %Yes    \_\_\_\_\_ %No

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 believes 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^^ |
| <b>1</b>        | \$67.50                      | \$33.75   |
| <b>2</b>        | \$45.00                      | \$22.50   |
| <b>3</b>        | \$22.50                      | \$11.25   |
| <b>4</b>        | \$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 01-31-2024*

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<br>Sue MacPherson<br>4N791 Chaffield Drive<br>St. Charles, IL 60175 | membership@fvdtc.org |
|----------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|

## **IT'S AWARDS TIME 2024!**

**Congratulations!** If you are filling out award forms then you must have earned one or more new titles in 2023! 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 2023 (i.e., a dog may have earned two "legs" toward a title prior to 2023, but if the third "leg" was earned in 2023, the title is earned in 2023). However, all scores for any of the "Special Club Awards" must have been earned in 2023.
- **Please print clearly on the 2024 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:**

**SALLY BOEKE  
37 Sherwick Rd  
Oswego IL 60543**

All information, photos, and clothing must be received no later than  
**January 31, 2024 6:00 PM**

**NO EXCEPTIONS**

**FORMS, PHOTOS AND CLOTHING MAY ALSO BE GIVEN TO  
SUE MACPHERSON OR SALLY BOEKE AT TRAINING**

**If you have a Traveling (Special Perpetual) Trophy, PLEASE return it as soon as possible to  
Sally Boeke**

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## 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 5 work credits.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Yes / No | Is the award you selected, to be personalized with your dog's picture?<br>If "Yes", did you...<br><input type="checkbox"/> Email a <u>good, clear close-up photograph</u> of your dog to sallyboeke@yahoo.com?                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| Yes / No | Is the award you selected, an airbrushed item on clothing?<br>If "Yes", did you...<br><input type="checkbox"/> Email a <u>good, clear close-up photograph</u> of your dog to sallyboeke@yahoo.com?<br><input type="checkbox"/> Provide a cotton-blend <u>pre-washed</u> item of clothing?<br><input type="checkbox"/> Make sure that there are no creases, folds or seams where the picture is to be painted?<br><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?<br>If "you are eligible", did you...<br><input type="checkbox"/> Complete the Special Award section on the application?                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Yes / No | Were you the recipient of a Special Perpetual Award last year?<br>If "Yes", did you...<br><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 Sue or Sally. 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 Reg. Name (with ALL titles as of Dec. 31). \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Titles Earned in 2023 \_\_\_\_\_

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 2023. For each level earned, pick **ONE** award (*you may choose awards from a lower level if desired*)

| Level                                                                                                                          | Awards Selection                                                                                                                                                         | Pick one                 | Details and Options                                                                                                                                                            |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>AKC Level 1</b><br><br>RN BN<br>ACT1<br>ACT2<br>THDN<br>TKN<br>TKI                                                          | \$30 Gift Certificate to Pets Supplies Plus or PetSmart                                                                                                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Circle one:</b> 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"/> | <b>Choose Design:</b> Name Agility Obedience<br><b>Choose Size:</b> 4x6 5x7 8x10                                                                                               |
|                                                                                                                                | Stainless travel mug, without handles, with breed & dog's call name decal.                                                                                               | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Breed</b> _____ <b>Add call name?</b> Yes / No<br><b>Circle one:</b> Stainless White Black Red<br><b>Decal:</b> Sparkle: Black / Gold / Silver<br>Matte: Black / Red / Blue |
|                                                                                                                                | Polar Camel 20 oz. Drinkware-Ringwear Vacuum Insulated Tumbler w/Lid<br><a href="https://belle-design.com/drinkware/">https://belle-design.com/drinkware/</a>            | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Circle one:</b> Black Red Green Purple Blue Teal                                                                                                                            |
|                                                                                                                                | Dog Bowl<br><a href="https://belle-design.com/pet-bowls/">https://belle-design.com/pet-bowls/</a>                                                                        | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Circle one:</b> Black Red White Pink Navy Teal<br><b>Choose Size:</b> Small Medium Large                                                                                    |
|                                                                                                                                | Ornament/Sun Catcher<br><a href="http://www.simplebooklet.com/etchedmemorycatalog">www.simplebooklet.com/etchedmemorycatalog</a>                                         | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Choose Shape:</b> Heart (Reg or Dlx) Octagon Star Oval Circle (Reg or Dlx) Diamond (Reg or Dlx)<br><b>Breed:</b>                                                            |
|                                                                                                                                | Key Ring<br><a href="http://www.simplebooklet.com/etchedmemorycatalog">www.simplebooklet.com/etchedmemorycatalog</a>                                                     | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Choose Shape:</b> Heart Octagon Rectangle Square<br><b>Breed:</b>                                                                                                           |
| Custom Night Light<br><a href="http://www.simplebooklet.com/etchedmemorycatalog">www.simplebooklet.com/etchedmemorycatalog</a> | <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                                                                                                 | <b>Breed:</b>            |                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>AKC Level 2</b><br><br>CD GN<br>PCD NA<br>NAJ NAP<br>NJP NF<br>NFP RA RI<br>THD VCD1<br>TKA TKP                             | Pendant<br><a href="http://www.simplebooklet.com/etchedmemorycatalog">www.simplebooklet.com/etchedmemorycatalog</a>                                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Choose Shape:</b> Oval Circle Rectangle<br>Email Photo**                                                                                                                    |
|                                                                                                                                | \$55.00 Gift Certificate from CLEANRUN.COM                                                                                                                               | <input type="checkbox"/> |                                                                                                                                                                                |
|                                                                                                                                | Custom-T-Shirts –                                                                                                                                                        | <input type="checkbox"/> | See Sally Boeke for selections                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>AKC Level 3</b><br><br>CH CDX<br>GO PCDX<br>OA OAJ<br>OAP OJP<br>OF OFP<br>RE TD<br>TDU<br>THDA TKE<br>VCD2                 | Champion Wall Plaque                                                                                                                                                     | <input type="checkbox"/> | Only for those earning the Champion title.                                                                                                                                     |
|                                                                                                                                | \$60.00 towards Scent Articles                                                                                                                                           | <input type="checkbox"/> |                                                                                                                                                                                |
|                                                                                                                                | \$70.00 Gift Certificate from CLEANRUN.COM                                                                                                                               | <input type="checkbox"/> |                                                                                                                                                                                |
|                                                                                                                                | Hoodie –Zip Up Hoodies                                                                                                                                                   | <input type="checkbox"/> | See Sally Boeke for selections                                                                                                                                                 |
|                                                                                                                                | Stain Glass of Dog 8" x 10"                                                                                                                                              | <input type="checkbox"/> | See Kelli Montgomery                                                                                                                                                           |

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## Fox Valley Dog Training Club Awards Application (continued)

Handler Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Dog's Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_

| Level                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Awards Selection                                                                                                                                                  | Pick one                 | Details and Options                                                                                                                                           |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>AKC Level 4</b><br><br>GCH UD PUD<br>VER AX AXJ AXP<br>AXJP XF XFP RAE<br>RM TDX THDX<br>XFP VCD3                                                                                                                                        | \$80.00 Gift Certificate from CLEANRUN.COM                                                                                                                        | <input type="checkbox"/> |                                                                                                                                                               |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 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"/> | <b>Course map:</b> Tracking Agility Rally<br><b>Date of Event:</b> _____<br><b>Location of Event:</b> _____<br><b>Choose wood:</b> Maple or Cherry            |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Dog Head Airbrushed onto clothing article or canvas. You must provide clothing, artist will supply canvas.                                                        | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Choose one:</b> Canvas (wall hanging) or Clothing Photo**<br><b>Include dog's call name?</b> Yes / No                                                      |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Stain Glass picture of your dog 8" x 10"                                                                                                                          | <input type="checkbox"/> | See Kelli Montgomery                                                                                                                                          |
| <b>AKC Level 5</b><br><br>UDX PUDX OM<br>OGM MX MXJ<br>MJP MXF MXP<br>MXJP MXB MJB<br>MJPB MFP MFB<br>MXPB MXS MJS<br>MJPS MFS MFPS<br>MXPS MXG MJG<br>MJCP MFG MFPG<br>MXPG MXC MJC<br>MFC MXPC PAX<br>RM TQX T2B<br>T2BP THDD VCD4<br>VST | Full Body Airbrushed onto clothing article or canvas. You must provide clothing, artist will supply canvas.                                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Choose one:</b> Canvas (wall hanging) or Clothing Photo**<br><b>Include dog's call name?</b> Yes / No                                                      |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Wooden plaque (10" x 13") with 2 photo cutouts and room for two Agility, Rally courses, Tracking maps or custom wording                                           | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Course map:</b> Tracking Agility Rally<br><b>Date of Event:</b> _____<br><b>Location of Event:</b> _____<br><b>Choose wood:</b> Maple or Cherry            |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Stained Glass of your dog 12" x 12"                                                                                                                               | <input type="checkbox"/> | See Kelli Montgomery                                                                                                                                          |
| <b>AKC Level 6</b><br><br>OTCH MACH<br>PACH RACH<br>VCCH CT POTCH                                                                                                                                                                           | Wooden Leash Holder<br><a href="https://belle-design.com">https://belle-design.com</a>                                                                            | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Choose one:</b> Engraved Photo Engraved Text Photo**                                                                                                       |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Title Bar/ Ribbon Holder-1 Photo<br><a href="https://belle-design.com">https://belle-design.com</a>                                                               | <input type="checkbox"/> | Photo**                                                                                                                                                       |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Wooden MACH Title Bar Holder includes a picture and dog's name/title if desired.                                                                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> | Photo**<br>Dog's name & titles: _____                                                                                                                         |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Custom Black Metal Ribbon Holder with breed or sport design. Approximately 36" x 12"                                                                              | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Breed for Design:</b> _____<br><b>Dog Sport for Design:</b> _____<br><b>Include Call Name:</b> Y / N<br>Committee will work with you to create the design. |
| <b>Any other title from another registry</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                | Choose any item from level 1 (if you have also earned a title in Level 1 category then you are eligible for two items).                                           | <input type="checkbox"/> | List titles eligible for this award:<br>_____<br>List item chosen from level 1:<br>_____                                                                      |

\* If you have selected a plaque or have one from a previous year, then list any title plates you need for 2023. Reminder 1 plaque holds 8 plates. i.e.: RN, UD, AX, etc. \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*Email Photos to Sally at [sallyboeke@yahoo.com](mailto:sallyboeke@yahoo.com)

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# Fox Valley Dog Training Club Work Credits 2023 (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-AM | Fri-PM | Sat-AM | Sat-PM | Sun-AM | Sun-PM |                          |
| 5. Work at the Fall Agility Trial                        |       |     |     | Fri-AM | Fri-PM | Sat-AM | Sat-PM | Sun-AM | Sun-PM |                          |
| 6. Steward for 4-H Show                                  |       |     |     |        | Yes    |        |        |        |        |                          |
| <b>Count the circles for Rows 1-6:</b>                   |       |     |     |        |        |        |        |        |        | _____                    |
| 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)             | _____ |     |     |        |        |        |        |        |        |                          |
| <b>Total Rows 7-10:</b>                                  |       |     |     |        |        |        |        |        |        | _____                    |
| <b>Total Number of 1 Credit Tasks</b>                    |       |     |     |        |        |        |        |        |        | <input type="checkbox"/> |

## 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 |     |     |      |     |                              |
| <b>Count the circles for Rows 1-3:</b>                                                       |                                           |     |     |     |     |     |     |      |     | _____                        |
| 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: _____ |     |     |     |     |     |     |      |     |                              |
| <b>Total Number from Rows 3 - 5</b>                                                          |                                           |     |     |     |     |     |     |      |     | _____                        |
| <b>Total 2 Credit Tasks</b>                                                                  |                                           |     |     |     |     |     |     |      |     | <b>(multiply Total by 2)</b> |
| <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                     |                                           |     |     |     |     |     |     |      |     |                              |

## 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): _____       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                                   |
| _____                                              |                                           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | _____                             |
| _____                                              |                                           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | _____                             |
| <b>Total Number of Tasks</b>                       |                                           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | _____                             |
| <b>Total 3 Credit Tasks</b>                        |                                           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | <b>(multiply Total Rows by 3)</b> |
| <input type="checkbox"/>                           |                                           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                                   |

## 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: _____ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                              |
| <b>Total Rows 1-9</b>                                              |                                           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | _____                        |
| <b>Total 4 Credit Tasks</b>                                        |                                           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | <b>(multiply Total by 4)</b> |
| <input type="checkbox"/>                                           |                                           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                              |

**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.

# 2023 FVDTC SPECIAL AWARDS

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING INFORMATION IS February 20, 2024**

**Return completed forms to: Sally Boeke 37 Sherwick Rd Oswego Il 60543**

|                     |                  |
|---------------------|------------------|
| CLUB MEMBER'S NAME: | DOG'S CALL NAME: |
|---------------------|------------------|

## HIGH QUALIFYING AVERAGE

|                                                                           |                 |                 |             |                  |                       |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| List the average of all <i>qualifying</i> scores for one or more classes. | <b>NOVICE A</b> | <b>NOVICE B</b> | <b>OPEN</b> | <b>UTILITY B</b> | <b>RALLY NOVICE A</b> |
|                                                                           |                 |                 |             |                  |                       |

## 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.

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>DEBBIE ORR MEMORIAL AWARD</b> to the member whose dog earned the <b>most AKC, UKC or CKC titles</b> during the year.                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | (Enter the <i>total number</i> of titles earned for <b>ONE</b> dog. Include all AKC, CKC and UKC titles)                                                              |
| <b>HEATHER MEMORIAL AWARD</b> given to the handler whose dog earned the <b>3 highest scores in Novice A</b> .                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | (List the <i>3 highest scores</i> in Novice A)                                                                                                                        |
| <b>FOUNDERS AWARD</b> given to the handler whose dog earned the <b>5 highest scores</b> in Regular AKC classes.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | (Include only the <i>5 highest scores</i> in regular classes)                                                                                                         |
| <b>ED KNEIP AWARD</b> given to the handler whose dog earned the <b>highest combined score in Open B and Utility A or B</b> at same AKC trial.                                                                                                                                                                                                    | (Highest combined score in Open B and Utility A or B, at the same trial)                                                                                              |
| <b>KANOSAK KENNEL AWARD</b> given to the handler whose dog earned the <b>3 highest Utility A scores</b> at AKC trials, with at least 5 scores being submitted.                                                                                                                                                                                   | (List <i>5 highest scores</i> in Utility A)                                                                                                                           |
| <b>TUCKER MEMORIAL AWARD</b> given to the handler whose dog earned their first <b>AKC Rally Advanced Excellent (RAE1) title</b> , 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) |
| <b>DIANNE OTT VERSATILITY AWARD</b> given to the handler whose dog earned at least one title in each of the following competition areas: <b>Obedience, Tracking and Agility during the calendar year</b> . 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)                                                                                         |
| <b>NATALIE MEMORIAL AWARD</b> given to the dog/handler team who has given the <b>most volunteer hours in therapy work</b> in the calendar year.                                                                                                                                                                                                  | (List the <i>number of hours</i> volunteered in therapy work for 2023 with a formal therapy organization)                                                             |



# Volunteer Awards 2023



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 **10** work credits in 2023
- 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 Supplies Plus or PetSmart                                                                                                        | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Circle one:</b> Pets Supplies Plus PetSmart                                                                                                                                            |
| Wall Plaque (7" x 9") with Title plates (holds 8 plates)                                                                                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> | * List plates here:                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Wood picture frame (landscape orientation) customized. <b>Agility &amp; Obedience</b> designs have call name. <b>Name</b> design has call and registered name. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Choose Design:</b> Name Agility Obedience<br><b>Choose Size:</b> 4x6 5x7 8x10                                                                                                          |
| Stainless travel mug, without handles, with breed & dog's call name decal.                                                                                     | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Breed:</b> _____<br><b>Call name:</b> _____<br><b>Circle one:</b> Stainless White Black Red<br><b>Decal:</b> <i>Sparkle:</i> Black / Gold / Silver<br><i>Matte:</i> Black / Red / Blue |
| Polar Camel 20 oz. Drinkware-Ringwear Vacuum Insulated Tumbler w/Lid<br><a href="https://belle-design.com/drinkware/">https://belle-design.com/drinkware/</a>  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Circle one:</b> Black Blue Green Purple Red Teal                                                                                                                                       |
| Dog Bowl<br><a href="https://belle-design.com/pet-bowls/">https://belle-design.com/pet-bowls/</a>                                                              | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Circle one:</b> Black Navy Pink Red Teal White<br><b>Choose Size:</b> Small Medium Large                                                                                               |
| Ornament/Sun Catcher<br><a href="http://www.simplebooklet.com/etchedmemorycatalog">www.simplebooklet.com/etchedmemorycatalog</a>                               | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Choose Shape:</b> Heart (Reg or Dlx) Octagon Star Oval Circle (Reg or Dlx) Diamond (Reg or Dlx)<br><b>Breed:</b> _____                                                                 |
| Key Ring<br><a href="http://www.simplebooklet.com/etchedmemorycatalog">www.simplebooklet.com/etchedmemorycatalog</a>                                           | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Choose Shape:</b> Heart Octagon Rectangle Square<br><b>Breed:</b> _____                                                                                                                |
| Custom Night Light<br><a href="http://www.simplebooklet.com/etchedmemorycatalog">www.simplebooklet.com/etchedmemorycatalog</a>                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Breed:</b> _____                                                                                                                                                                       |

**ALL COMPLETED FORMS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED TO:**

Sally Boeke  
37 Sherwick Rd  
Oswego IL 60543

E-mail – awards@fvdtc.org

All information must be received no later than **January 31, 2024 6:00 PM**

NO EXCEPTIONS

**FORMS MAY ALSO BE GIVEN TO SALLY BOEKE AT TRAINING**

**PLEASE DO NOT CONTACT OUR VENDORS DIRECTLY**

## Fox Valley Dog Training Club Work Credits 2023

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

### Section 1: One Credit Tasks

*In rows 1-6, 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 Fun Match:                | 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-AM | Fri-PM | Sat-AM | Sat-PM | Sun-AM | Sun-PM |
| 5. Work at the Fall Agility Trial       |     |     |     |      | Fri-AM | Fri-PM | 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. Instructor (Rotating) for Drop-In Class (total nights ÷ 2) | _____ |
| 10. Work at Front/Information Table (total nights ÷ 2)        | _____ |
| 11. List Other Events worked at/on (count 1 for each)         | _____ |

Total Rows 7 - 11: \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Number of 1 Credit Tasks**

### Section 2: Two Credit Tasks

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

- |                                                                                      |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |      |     |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|
| 1. Judge a Fun Match (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: _____ |
| 6. Committee Chairperson for the following event(s) | Enter Number of Event(s): _____           |

Total Number from Rows 3 - 6

**Total 2 Credit Tasks (multiply Total by 2)**

### 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)**

### Section 4: Four Credit Tasks

- |                                                            |                                           |
|------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| 1. Primary Instructor for Drop-In Classes for 1 quarter    | Number of quarters: _____                 |
| 2. Assistant Instructor for Drop-In Classes for 1 quarter  | Number of quarters: _____                 |
| 3. Primary Instructor for Registered Class for 1 session   | Number of sessions: _____                 |
| 4. Assistant Instructor for Registered Class for 1 session | Number of sessions: _____                 |
| 5. Registered 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)**

**Total Credits for year**

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

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