

# FVDTC WAGGIN' TALES

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## A Note From the President

Hi All,

Just a short note this month. As we finish another busy, productive and fun-filled year at FVDTC, it's once again time to renew your membership for 2018. Please make sure you send in your completed membership renewal form and work credit form to Sue MacPherson. It's important to fill out and send in your family work credit form, along with your renewal form. New members need only one work credit and current members need only 3 work credits to get a 50% reduction of their dues, but you must send in your work credit sheet to Sue to qualify for the reduced membership fee! Remember, any family member who has earned work credits can be included for this reduction of dues for next year.

Along with your membership renewal it's time to send in your 2017 volunteer and title awards forms to Donna Bihner. If you have completed at least 10 work credits you qualify for either a new title award or volunteer award. There are lots of great awards to choose from. Can't decide what to get? Just look on the website for photos of all the great awards that are being offered. Donna Bihner and Nancy Pederson work hard each year to offer lots of great items. Many of these items are custom-made items, so it is very helpful to get your awards forms in as soon as possible so that your custom items can be done on time. FVDTC is one the of the most generous clubs that I know of, as far as awards go.

As we close out the year I want to wish everyone Happy Holidays and a happy, healthy and prosperous New Year filled with lots of new titles! I would also like to thank everyone for all their hard work through this last year. All of our hard working and fantastic club members and volunteers is what makes FVDTC such a unique and great club. Thank you!

Happy New Year!

*Wendy Waddick*

## Member Work Credits

**FVDTC Members!** You're running out of 2017. Regular Training Dues for 2018 are \$180, but you can earn a discount by working for the club. Three work credits earns you a 50% discount and 10 credits makes you awards-eligible. You can record your credits on the club web site by logging in to the "Members Only" section and choosing "My FVDTC" from the menu. Not sure what you can do? Go to "Members Only" and choose "Info & Forms". You only have 1 more month to get those 3 credits (or 10), so get to work!

## Missing Marian

It is with the saddest of hearts that I tell you that Marian Lazzara has lost her battle with cancer. She died on the night of December 15th with her loving and devoted twin sister Loretta by her side, along with 2 close friends. I was very honored to be one of them. Marian died very peacefully. Marian's twin sister Loretta rarely left her sister's bedside during the last week she was hospitalized. Loretta and I would take short sleep shifts the last few nights and days of Marian's life so that someone was always awake and besides Marian. It was very important to them both that Marian never be alone during this difficult period. It was quite amazing to see how caring and devoted Loretta was to her sister throughout this terrible and devastating illness.

Marian touched so many lives in so many ways. All the doctors, nurses and hospital staff at the hospital were quite touched by Marian. When ever any doctor, nurse or hospital staff would come into her room to help in anyway, Marian would always thank them. No matter how big or small the task they did to help her and no matter how bad she was feeling, she always thanked everyone for all they did for her.

Marian was usually the quieter of the two sisters, never one to want to be in the spotlight. She was usually the one behind the scenes. But privately, she was always one to laugh and have fun. She loved Sponge Bob Squarepants, not the cartoons, but the innocent happy character that he was. She had lots of happy Sponge-bob items. Her favorite color was yellow, maybe this is why she loved him? As we all know, Marian loved her poms, especially her current Pom Erin. They both were able to obtain so many titles together, including an AKC Grand Champion title and many rally and obedience titles. Not only did she work with her own dogs, but Marian helped train and show many many other dogs of various breeds too. She was able to train and show so many dogs and breeds. We were all talking about this recently and just about everyone in the room has had a dog that Marian had trained and shown. She had such a skill for this and she loved it!

Marian was an extremely hard worker in any of the many endeavors that she took on. She was always willing to volunteer, whether at FVDTC, the many Pomeranian clubs that she belonged to, the

Chicagoland Shetland Sheepdog Club or the countless shows and clubs that she either helped as steward or table stewarded for. Marian was a great table steward and was always by her sister's side as her table steward when Loretta judged. We could always count on Marian to help!



She was also a very hard worker at her place of employment at St. John Neumann Catholic Church where she worked for many years. During her funeral mass we learned that Marian loved to put happy, encouraging sticky notes all over the church's office for all to see. She also loved to be out doors and work on the church's gardens. She would secretly purchase all the plants and plant them in the gardens to make the gardens beautiful. She never told anyone that she was the one who would purchase all these plants and she never wanted to be repaid. She was a deeply religious person, she just wanted her house of worship to be beautiful.

During her lengthy illness and her numerous hospitalized, it was very touching to see how caring and devoted Marian's sister Loretta was. They have been together since birth. This will be a very difficult time for Loretta. Please continue to offer your thoughts and prayers to her as she mourns the loss of her beloved sister. I too will miss Marian a great deal, I was able to get to know her even better and get closer to her during her long illness. Marian was in and out of the hospital a lot during the last few months. Marian and I would share a hug at the end of each visit. It was "our thing", at the end of each visit Marian would say "time for our daily hug" and I would go to embrace her. I will miss her a great deal and I will especially miss our daily hugs. I considered her a dear friend. Rest easy my dear friend. You will be dearly missed by many and your contribution to the dog world will not be forgotten.

*Wendy Waddick*

## Notes from the Trial

To all club members, especially the volunteers who are truly the club's ambassadors, enjoy these well-deserved kudos:

Thank you for the confirmation of my expensive weekend of experience, lol!  
Thank you again to the club, you as secretary, and the two judges I had and the stewards, everyone was very friendly and professional, organized and efficient.  
Bethany Wiltshire

Wow, I have not showed in obedience for several (many) years and was a trial secretary for a couple of years. I have to say I am just blown away by your trial and how you handle entries. Thanks for the results for my dog, that is really neat. The whole trial was really a joy and all the volunteers extra nice and helpful. We also enjoyed the cookies!  
Mary Syslo & Zoey RN CGC

## Thanks!

*We received this letter from the Chicago Zoological Society:*

Dear Friends:

Thank you very much for Fox Valley Dog Training Club's gift of \$100 to the Chicago Zoological Society in memory of Lynn M. Weis. Lynn, one of our volunteers, truly loved Brookfield Zoo and the animals in the Tropic World exhibit and we are touched that she continues to inspire others to contribute to our important work.

Per the family's request, memorial gifts for Lynn will be used to support the care and feeding of the animals in the Tropic World exhibit, and her passion for Brookfield Zoo's gorillas. I hope you will stop by the Zoo to see your gift in action and enjoy a special part of her lasting legacy.

We are grateful for your gift in memory of Lynn.

Sincerely

[signed]  
Cynthia W. Zeigler  
Chief Advancement Officer

## Calendar

### January

*We're still working on this one. Check the club web site for the latest updates*

### February 2018

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# Fox Valley Dog Training Club

## Work Credits



### for Membership and Awards

Effective January 1, 2015

To maintain reduced membership dues, you must:

- Earn one work credit, in your first year of membership
- or
- Earn three work credits, in each year after your first year of membership

To receive a club award, you must:

- have a minimum of ten work credits for the year, automatically includes the work credits for dues.
- and
- be listed as a Regular or Lifetime Training Member in the roster

Each available "job" in the club has been assigned the following work credits:

#### ONE credit:

- Attend a membership meeting
- Steward one Kane County Fair 4-H Dog Show
- Steward one Correction Clinic
- Work the Information Table/Front Desk for two nights
- Work 1/2 day at the Obedience Trial
- Work 1/2 day at the Agility Trial
- "Substitute" as an Instructor or an Assistant Instructor for two nights
- Instructor for Conformation Class for two nights
- Work at an Event (not on the committee)

#### TWO credits:

- Judge one Kane County Fair 4-H Dog Show
- Judge one Correction Clinic (OR the monetary compensation - NOT both)
- Evaluator for one CGC Test
- Work Full day at the Mat Cleaning
- Work Full day at the Tracking Test
- Work Full day at the Obedience Trial
- Work Full day at the Agility Trial

#### THREE credits:

- \*Primary Instructor or Assistant Instructor for 4-H Class for one year
- Serve on a Committee for one year

#### FOUR credits:

- \*Primary Instructor for Advanced Classes for one quarter
- \*Assistant Instructor for Advanced Classes for one quarter
- \*Primary Instructor for Conformation Class for one quarter
- \*Primary Instructor for Puppy or Beginner Class for one session
- \*Assistant Instructor for Puppy or Beginner Class for one session
- Serve as Puppy/Beginner Class coordinator for one year
- Serve as a Board Member for one year
- Chairperson on a Committee for one year
- Serve as Kane County 4-H Coordinator for one year
- Serve as Kane County 4-H Dog Projects Superintendent for one year

\* Instructors must be present for at least 75% of the classes to receive the work credit.

*Work credits for other services to the club may be awarded by the Board on a per-event basis.*



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^^
<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 01-31-2018*

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	<b>MEMBERSHIP CHAIRPERSON</b> Sue MacPherson 4N791 Chaffield Drive St. Charles, IL 60175	membership@fvdtc.org
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## ***IT'S AWARDS TIME 2017!***

**Congratulations!** If you are filling out award forms then you must have earned one or more new titles in 2017! 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 2017 (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 2017). However, all scores for any of the "Special Club Awards" must have been earned in 2017.
- **Please print clearly on the 2017 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](mailto:awards@fvdtc.org)

All information, photos, and clothing must be received no later than  
February 1, 2018  
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>
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|----------|---|
| 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 photograph?<br>If "Yes", you will be notified of the dates and times of the photo session.   |
| Yes / No | Is the award you selected, to be personalized with your dog's picture?<br>If "Yes", did you...<br>__ 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?<br>If "Yes", did you...<br>__ Email a <u>good, clear close-up photograph</u> of your dog?<br>__ Provide a cotton-blend <u>pre-washed</u> item of clothing?<br>__ Make sure that there are no creases, folds or seams where the picture is to be painted?<br>__ 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>__ 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>__ Return it to Donna Bihner, Nancy Pederson 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 2017 \_\_\_\_\_

Directions: Circle titles earned in 2017. 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
<b>AKC Level 1</b>  RN BN PCD ACT1 ACT2 THDN TKN TKI	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 <b>Choose Wood:</b> Cherry Maple <b>Choose Size:</b> 4x6 5x7 8x10
	Stainless travel mug, without handles, etched with breed & dog's call name	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Breed</b> _____ <b>Add call name?</b> Yes / No <b>Circle one:</b> Red Green 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: <a href="http://www.foxhavenonline.com/products">www.foxhavenonline.com/products</a>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Circle one:</b> Neon Pink Neon Green Stone <b>Circle one:</b> Embroidered / Painted (email photo) - <b>Embroidery Pattern:</b> _____ <b>Include dog's call name?</b> Yes / No
	Wooden ornaments – image painted or burned in.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Choose:</b> Painted Burned image Email Photo**
	Custom fabric collar with name/phone number (if desired) etched into the buckle	<input type="checkbox"/>	Committee will contact you with choices
<b>AKC Level 2</b>  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"/>	<b>Choose one:</b> Pencil or Watercolor Email Photo**
	1" Silver Pendant of your breed or a paw print with 18" silver chain	<input type="checkbox"/>	Committee will contact you with choices
	Color Photo (8" x 10"), not matted or framed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pictures will be taken at training in early spring.
	Custom Pendant painted with the picture of your dog.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Email Photo**
	Leash Rack hand-painted with dog's picture.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Background:</b> 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: <a href="http://www.foxhavenonline.com/products">www.foxhavenonline.com/products</a>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Circle one:</b> Tan White Dark Purple Blue <b>Include dog's call name?</b> Yes / No <b>Embroidery Pattern:</b> _____ <b>Thread Color for name:</b> _____
	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"/>	<b>Include dog's call name?</b> Yes / No <b>Circle one:</b> Forest Charcoal Navy Red Royal <b>Thread Color for name:</b> _____
	Customized car magnet with dog's picture and name	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Include dog's call name?</b> Yes/No (Email Photo**)
Wooden dumbbell for Open. Stripe wood pattern or dog's pictures burned into both ends.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Choose One:</b> Striped Pattern / Custom <b>Custom - Email** 2 photos (one for each end)</b>	
2 Clear Pint Glasses etched with your breed or from your photo and call name	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Choose One:</b> __Breed __Photo (Email Photo**) <b>Include dog's call name?</b> Yes / No	
<b>AKC Level 3</b>  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"/>	<b>Choose One:</b> __ Custom __\$60 <b>Custom:</b> Committee will contact you for details.
	Color Photo (11" x 14"), not matted or framed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pictures will be taken at training in early spring.
	Medium Duffel Bag (10" x 10" x 20") embroidered with your dog sport and call name. Selection details can be found at <a href="http://www.foxhavenonline.com/products">www.foxhavenonline.com/products</a>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Circle one sport:</b> Agility Obedience Rally <b>Color:</b> _____ <b>Dog's call name?</b> Yes / No <b>Thread Color for name:</b> _____
	Full Zip Hooded Sweatshirt (men and ladies sizes). Embroidered with dog breed and dog's name if desired. Selection details can be found at <a href="http://www.foxhavenonline.com/products">www.foxhavenonline.com/products</a>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Size:</b> _____ <b>Color:</b> _____ <b>Embroidery Pattern:</b> _____ <b>Name Choice:</b> Call / Registered <b>Titles:</b> Yes/No <b>Thread Color for name:</b> _____

## 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>  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"/>	<b>Choose one:</b> 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) <b>Date of Event:</b> _____ <b>Location of Event:</b> _____ <b>Choose wood:</b> 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"/>	<b>Circle one sport:</b> Agility Obedience Rally <b>Circle one:</b> Red Black Navy Royal Blue <b>Include dog's call name?</b> Yes / No <b>Thread Color for name:</b> _____
	Polar fleece jackets (men's and ladies sizes) embroidered on left side.  Selection details can be found at <a href="http://www.foxhavenonline.com/products">www.foxhavenonline.com/products</a>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Size:</b> _____ <b>Color:</b> _____ <b>Embroidery Pattern:</b> _____ <b>Choose one:</b> Call name Registered name <b>Include titles:</b> Yes No <b>Thread Color for name:</b> _____
	Dog Head Airbrushed onto clothing article or canvas	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Choose one:</b> Canvas or Clothing (you provide) Email Photo** <b>Include dog's call name?</b> Yes / No
	Wood Clock hand-painted with your dog's picture	<input type="checkbox"/>	Email Photo** <b>Name if desired:</b> _____
	Throw Blanket (4' x 5') customized with your photo	<input type="checkbox"/>	Email Photo**
<b>AKC Level 5</b> UDX OM OGM MX MXJ MX MJP MXF MFP MXB MJB MFB MXPB MXS MJS MFS MXPS MXG MJG MFG MXPG MXC MJC MFC MXPC T2B T2BP THDD VCD4 VST	Full Body Airbrushed onto clothing article or canvas. <u>You must provide clothing.</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Choose one:</b> Canvas or Clothing <b>Include dog's call name?</b> Yes / No Email Photo**
	Wooden plaque (10" x 13") with 2 photo cutouts and room for two Agility courses or Tracking maps or custom wording	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Course map:</b> Tracking Agility Rally <b>Date &amp; Location of Event:</b> _____ <b>Choose wood:</b> Maple or Cherry
	Director Chair with name & breed either embroidered or painted on the back.  Patterns: <a href="http://www.foxhavenonline.com/products">www.foxhavenonline.com/products</a>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Choose chair color:</b> Red Blue Black Purple Green <b>Choose 1:</b> Embroidered Painted (email photo**) <b>Embroidery Pattern:</b> _____ <b>Name on chair:</b> _____
<b>AKC Level 6</b> OTCH MACH PACH RACH VCCH CT**	Custom stained glass leash holder or wall hanging.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Email Photo**
	Wooden MACH Title Bar Holder includes a picture and dog's name/title if desired.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Email Photo** Dog's name & titles: _____
<b>UKC/CKC</b>	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 2017. 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 2017

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						
<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 style="float: right;" 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 (multiply Total by 2)</b> <input style="float: right;" 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 (multiply Total Rows by 3)</b> <input style="float: right;" 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 (multiply Total by 4)</b> <input style="float: right;" 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.

# 2017 FVDTC SPECIAL AWARDS

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING INFORMATION IS February 1, 2018**

**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.

<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>3 highest scores</b> in Regular AKC classes.	(Include only the <i>3 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 2016 with a formal therapy organization)

# Volunteer Awards 2017



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 2017
- 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
Stainless travel mug, without handles, etched with breed	<input type="checkbox"/>	Breed: _____
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 18" silver chain	<input type="checkbox"/>	Choose One: Breed Pawprint (choices will be sent) 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.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Circle One: Forest Charcoal Navy Red Royal
Pint Glasses (2 with clear glass) etched with "FVDTC" or Breed	<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, 2018

NO EXCEPTIONS

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

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