

FVDTC

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A Note From the President

Hello All,

As everyone already knows, FVDTC had paused all in-person classes, training and events due to the Governor's orders and a resurgence of COVID cases in our area and our state. Unfortunately, we don't know when we will be able to return. We will not be able to reopen until we are at least able to have a minimum of 25 people or more at our building. But, we can't say for sure when this will happen. Keep checking our website and your email for any updates. If you have not signed up to receive our email blasts, contact Miriam Zarate and give her your email address so she can add you to her list.

Speaking of our email blasts, I would really like to thank Miriam for sending out the many email blasts that have been requested these last few months. I would also like to thank Nancy Pederson for all the FB posts with updated information. Both have been key to getting updated information to all. They have each responded very quickly to the many requests. I would also like to thank Dave Lewis again for all the website updates and the many changes he has had to make to our online class sign ups. This has been a lot of extra work for our "Woofmaster" Dave this year. But his efforts have been an essential part of being able to offer training at our club this year. So a huge thank you to all!!

I would also really like to thank Taffy Willie and all her committee members for their hard work planning this year's Fall Obedience & Rally Trials. It was a big disappointment to have to cancel our shows this year. This was not an easy decision, but, in order to comply with the Governor's Tier 3 Mitigation restrictions and the Kane County Health Department's gatherings limitations, canceling was the only decision we could make. We just couldn't hold our show while staying under 10 people or less at our site. Thank you, Taffy, for all your hard work that went into planning for this event!

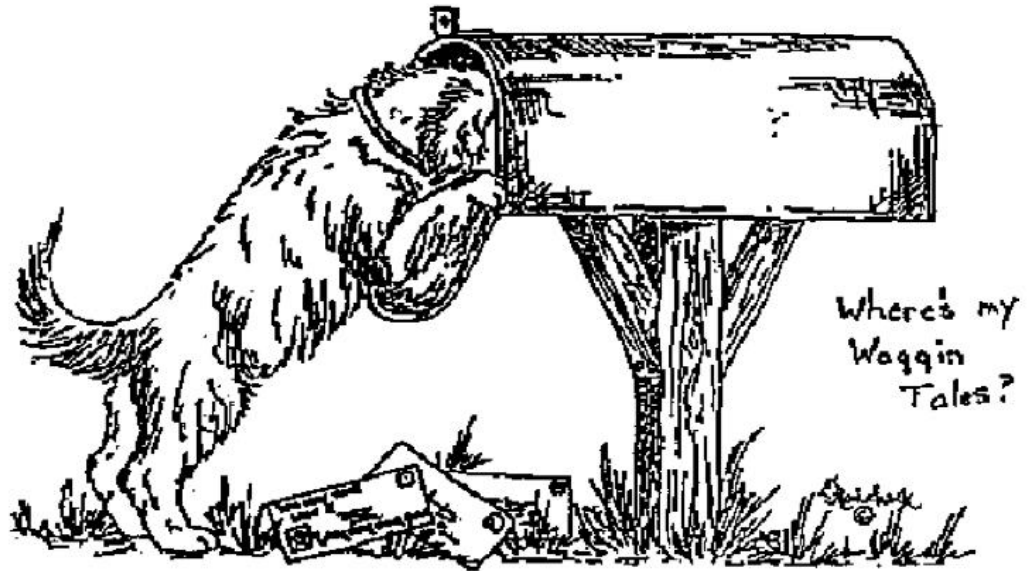
A reminder about Work Credits for dues renewal and awards. There is no Work Credits requirement for a reduction of dues for 2021. Everyone will automatically qualify for a dues reduction for next year's Membership Renewal. As of right now, only 5 Work Credits are needed to qualify for any New Title or Volunteer Awards for this year. However, the Board plans on discussing this requirement again at the December Board meeting.

I hope everyone is staying safe, healthy and following all the precautions needed to avoid the spread of COVID as we go into these next few difficult months. We have had several students and club member's family members effected by COVID-19 recently. Please continue to wear a mask when around others; practice social distancing and wash your hands frequently so we can all be together again; hopefully soon.

Wishing everyone a Happy Thanksgiving, Wendy

Membership Report

Megan Garafolo
North Aurora
German shepherds
Completed Beginner class



Calendar

December 2020

09 Wed Board Meeting
03 Thu Regular Training **Canceled**
10 Thu Regular Training **Canceled**
17 Thu Regular Training **Canceled**
22 **Tue** Regular Training **Canceled**
29 **Tue** Christmas Party **Canceled**

January 2021

TBD