



# Fox Valley Dog Training Club

## NEW MEMBER APPLICATION



Thank you for your interest in joining Fox Valley Dog Training Club (FVDTC). Once your application is submitted to the Membership Chair, you are welcome to join any FVDTC activity and are eligible to pay the membership rates for classes/correction clinics; although, you are not able to vote on club-related issues until your membership is approved. Your application will be voted on at the meeting following its publication in our Waggin' Tales newsletter. We encourage you to be present at that meeting to be introduced to other members. Membership meetings are held during the months of January, March, May, July, September and November, with the specific dates available on our calendar.

Application Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Breed(s) of dog(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Check which of the following requirements you fulfilled prior to submitting this application.

I completed the Puppy Class, within the past 12 months.

-- or --

I completed the Beginner Class, within the past 12 months.

-- or --

I guest trained\* 8 times in the past 12 months,  
in an Advanced Level Obedience Class \_\_\_\_\_  
and/or, in the Conformation Class \_\_\_\_\_

\*Please attach to this application, your 8 receipts (dated and signed by a FVDTC member) and a completed health certificate.

Check your preference for receiving Waggin' Tales, our newsletter.

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

How did you hear about Fox Valley Dog Training Club (FVDTC)?

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\_\_\_\_\_

Why do you want to continue training your dog at FVDTC?

\_\_\_\_\_  
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What goals do you have for your dog and what can we do to help you attain these goals?

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\_\_\_\_\_

Tell us something about yourself and your family to help us get to know you. Please include such things as hobbies, occupation, children, etc.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

As an organization supported strictly by volunteers, we count on our members to volunteer at club sponsored events. If you know what activities you would like to volunteer, please include them here.

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

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We at FVDTC strongly 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

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Our membership year is **January 1** through **December 31**. Annual dues are \$90.00 for a Training member, with the appropriate number of Work Credits. If this application is submitted at times other than the beginning of our Membership year, please use the chart below to determine the amount to include with this application. Our Training membership dues are pro-rated at \$7.50 per month.

| <b>When your application date is in...</b> | <b>Training dues are...</b> | <b>IF your name is published in our newsletter in...</b> | <b>Then voting occurs at Membership Meeting in...</b> |
|--|-----------------------------|--|---|
| January .....                              | \$90.00 .....               | February .....   | March   |
| February .....                             | \$82.50 .....               | March .....  | May   |
| March .....                                | \$75.00 .....               | April .....  | May   |
| April .....                                | \$67.50 .....               | May .....  | July  |
| May .....                                  | \$60.00 .....               | June .....   | July  |
| June .....                                 | \$52.50 .....               | July .....   | September   |
| July .....                                 | \$45.00 .....               | August .....   | September   |
| August .....                               | \$37.50 .....               | September .....  | November  |
| September .....                            | \$30.00 .....               | October .....  | November  |
| October .....                              | \$112.50 .....              | November .....   | January, next year                                    |
| November .....                             | \$105.00 .....              | December .....   | January, next year                                    |
| December .....                             | \$97.50 .....               | January .....  | March, next year                                      |

FVDTC survives on the volunteer efforts of our members to continue providing the activities in which we all enjoy participating. We ask our members to donate some of their time at our many activities to earn 'Work Credits', in exchange for maintaining your dues at these rates. Work Credits are FVDTC's way of tracking those opportunities and their values are available on the Web site in the Members Only section. As a new member, we ask that any member of the family earns 1 Work Credit in your first year. After that first year, we ask that members earn 3 Work Credits annually. When 3 work credits are not earned, the membership fees are \$180.00 for the next year.

For more information or if you have any questions, please contact the Membership Chairperson. Please mail this application with dues to the address below. Please make checks payable to FOX VALLEY DOG TRAINING CLUB or FVDTC.

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| (630) 584-1002 | <b>MEMBERSHIP CHAIRPERSON</b><br>Sue MacPherson<br>4N791 Chaffield Drive<br>St. Charles, IL 60175 | membership@fvdtc.org |
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