

FVDTC

WAGGIN' TALES

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A Note From the President

Hi All,

Happy New Year to all, I hope this new year is a happy, healthy and prosperous one with lots of new titles!

I want to close out last year by thanking Candy Ellis and her helpers, who worked so hard to make sure we had a fun-filled Christmas party. We had lots of delicious goodies to eat and the building looked very festive. We also had our annual pictures with Santa. This year we changed things up a bit; for the first time we had a female Santa. Jan Winters did an outstanding job as Santa. She really took on her new role and played it with gusto. Thanks Jan! Also, a big thank you to Anita Kuhn and her two Santa's helpers Christine and Jennifer. They did a great job getting all the dogs to look their best for the photos with Santa, which was not always an easy thing to do. It was lots of fun just watching them do their magic. Thank you to all!

This year starts with a few important reminders, it's time to renew your 2017 FVDTC membership. Please fill out your renewal and work credit forms and send all to Sue MacPherson, along with the appropriate dues. These are all due now so please don't delay! Another important reminder: it's awards time! If you have earned any new titles during 2016 and have at least 10 work credits you can apply for an award. If you have not earned any titles but have volunteered and have at least 10 work credits you qualify for a volunteer award. The awards forms and pictures of the awards can be found on the website. Donna Bihner and Nancy Pederson have been working very hard on this year's awards, and have included some new awards options. But, the deadline to apply for an award is fast approaching. The absolute deadline is February 2nd, all awards forms and any photos and such MUST be in by this deadline, no exceptions. The artist and vendors need time to ensure all our awards are completed in time for our annual banquet which will be held on Sunday, April 9th. More information on the banquet will be coming soon, so look for it at training night and on the website.

I know it just the beginning of the year, but, it's not too early to start earning your work credits. There are many ways to earn these credits, just ask any committee chair how you can help. Don't wait until the end of the year! Remember, you need at least 3 work credits to earn the discounted membership dues and you need at least 10 work credits for a title or volunteer award.

Thanks all and see you at training!

Wendy Waddick

Election Results

Congratulations to the winners of the 2017 Board Elections:

President: Wendy Waddick

1st Vice President: Ed Herdes

2nd Vice President: Peggy Sue Seehafer

Secretary: Carolyn Pearson

Treasurer: Phil Nuger

Director of Training: Will Short

Obedience Trial Chair: Pat Senne

Agility Trial Chair: Cathy Fleury

Membership Chair: Sue MacPherson

Public Education Chair: Barb Runkle

Tracking Test Chair: Ingrid Hamburger

Director at Large: David Lewis

Braggs!

Give an extra pet to these fine canine friends to reward their recent accomplishments:

Driver

Golden Retriever
Handler: Nancy Pederson
At FVDTC, November 19
Rally Novice B, 3rd Leg and a Title!

Parker

Golden Retriever
Handler: Donna Bihner
At Oshkosh, January 14, 2017
Open Dogs, New Champion

Secret

Russell Terrier
Handler: Sandi and Tom Stephenson
At Wheaton, in December
AKC championship.
We are especially proud that it was achieved from the Bred-by-Exhibitor class! Big thank you to all conformation instructors in our club. Your help made it happen.

Seminars and Classes

There are lots seminars and classes in the area. If you know of one, or if you attended and would like to share your experience, contact us at waggintales@fvdtc.org. This list came from <http://dogseminarsdirectory.com/>

Arthritis and Beyond: Caring for Your Geriatric Pet

Linda Mitchell, DVM
February 12, 2017 (Chardon, OH)

The Tellington Ttouch Method: More than Relaxation Part 2

Daniela Zurr DVM
February 15, 2017 (Online Seminar / Webinar)

The Dog as a Natural Species

Janice Koler-Matznick, M.S., ACAAB
February 21, 2017 (ongoing webinar)

Wag It Games Online Instructor Course

Sumac Grant-Johnson CPDT-KA

February 24-April 21 (Online Course)
Plus one month support

A Simple Functional Assessment: The Most Versatile Tool In Your Toolbox

Susan Smith
March 1, 2017 (10:00am Central)
Raising Canine Webinar

From Control to Compassion: What Wild Canids Can Teach Us About Forming Deeper Bonds with Our Dogs

Beth Duman
March 10 – 12, 2017 (Battle Ground, Indiana)

Coming Soon: CGC

FVDTC's next Canine Good Citizen test will be April 20 at the Fairgrounds. If you teach a class, please promote our test. Registration forms can be found at the training table and test requirements at <http://www.akc.org>

Membership Meeting Highlights (November 09, 2016)

Meeting brought to order at 7:41 p.m.

Carolyn Pearson (Secretary). The September Meeting minutes were not published. Several items of correspondence were read.

Phil Nuger (Treasurer) was not in attendance and reported that there has not been any significant activity since the financial statements were presented at the October Board meeting.

Will Short (Director of Training) reported that the last session of 2016 began last week. He stated that he is seeking instructor volunteers for 2017. During the first four weeks of January 2017, Cindy Pakenas and David Thornell will be teaching a Rally Advanced and Rally Excellent workshop. Additionally, Terri Vaira and David Thornell will be conducting a CGC workshop in February from 6:00 until 6:50 p.m.

Will also stated that he plans to discuss having 4-H classes on correction clinic nights with Barb Runkle.

Pat Senne (Obedience Trial Chairperson) reported that Cheryl Hettinger has volunteered to set up a booth at our obedience and rally trials to sell our FVDTC-logo t-shirts, unless there were any objections from any members at the meeting. Pat announced that the building would be available to the exhibitors starting at 7:00 a.m. on

the days of our trials.

Additionally, it was announced that Kathy Bianchetti and Sharon Shimko were this year's Raffle Committee Co-chairs. All club members are invited to donate raffle-ready items sometime the week prior to the trial. Kathy and Sharon will organize the items, sell the raffle tickets, draw the tickets and distribute the items at the Saturday trial.

Sue MacPherson (Membership Chairperson) read a list of 5 new applicants who were published in the Waggin' Tales. Francene Andresen made a motion to accept the list as published and read. Shirley Sennebogen seconded the motion. The list was approved by all members present, with no one opposed or abstaining. Welcome to the following new members who were present at the meeting: Dianne Herold, Chuck Winge, Joanne Winge and Callie Winge.

Ingrid Hamburger (Tracking Test Chairperson) announced that she is awaiting confirmation from the 2017 tracking judges.

Barb Runkle (Public Education Coordinator) was not in attendance, however, Cheryl Hettinger reported that some volunteers are still needed on Saturday, November 12th, from 9:30 a.m. until

12:30 p.m. at the Chicago Pet Show at the Kane County Fairgrounds. Cheryl stated that volunteers can bring their dogs, as long as they bring a rabies certificate and complete the pet show form. She also said that dogs should be able handle a very busy and crowded environment. Anyone who wanted to volunteer should contact her or Barb Runkle. Joan Lester volunteered at the meeting.

Candy Ellis (Annual Dinner Chairperson) was not in attendance, but reported that the Awards Dinner committee will be deciding on a location and theme within a couple of weeks. Candy reported that she and Pat Senne would be visiting the two locations in the near future.

Candy also stated that a Santa is needed for our Christmas party photos. Anyone wishing to volunteer can contact Candy at training.

Donna Bihner (Awards Co-Chair) was not in attendance, but reminded club members that the awards forms would be available in early December, and submitting them earlier than the deadline would be greatly appreciated.

Cris Ballenger (CGC Test Coordinator) stated that there were 12 teams at the September 29th CGC test and our evaluator, Rick Cox, passed them all. The \$15.00 checks from each entrant were mailed to Phil Nuger. Cris thanked the following individuals who volunteered: Donna Matthews, Joan Lester and Gina Post.

A group photograph with text was submitted to our Facebook coordinator, Waggin' Tales, and the web master (permission to use photographs was obtained from all entrants). Rick opted to earn work credits as the test evaluator, therefore we did not have any evaluator expenses.

Cris reported that there are enough FVDTC

ribbons for at least two more evaluations.

Holly Cass (Graduation Chairperson) reported that she may have an individual willing to take over the position of Graduation Chair for 2017, however it has not been confirmed. She stated that she is uncertain about her future plans and did not think that she would be available to be able to perform the job duties after this year.

Pat Senne (Match Co-Chair) stated that she had nothing to report as Correction Clinic Coordinator. Sandi Stephenson volunteered to be a Novice judge in the event that a second judge was needed for the November Correction Clinic.

Ingrid Ingrid Hamburger (Match Steward Chairperson) reminded everyone that when you sign up to steward at a Correction Clinic, you **MUST** sign up yourself. Additionally, everyone needs to remember their passwords, as she does not have any way to recover them.

Francene Andresen (Sunshine) reported that recent recipients of flower arrangements were Nina Herdes for her recent surgery and Cheryl Lewis for her recent health issue.

Monthly Dollar Bucket

...and the winner of \$5.00 is Shirley Sennenbogen as drawn by new club member, Chuck Winge. Ingrid Hamburger received a donation of \$6.00 towards the Tracking Test expenses.

Old Business

None

New Business

None

A motion was made, seconded and approved to adjourn the meeting at 8:38 p.m.

Membership Report

Helen Baloun
 Doberman Pinscher
 Guest trained 8 times

Christine Tarchinski & Michael Toellen
 Border Collie
 Completed puppy class

Linda Johnsen
 Husky mix
 Completed puppy class

Melissa Barton
 Labrador & St Bernard
 Completed puppy class

Justin Blondin & Kimberly Tansor
 Weimaraner
 Completed beginner class

Amanda & Melissa Petrowich
 Old English Sheepdog
 Completed beginner class

Sharyl Rauba
 Retriever mix
 Completed puppy class

Paul & Cathy Seger
 Labrador Retriever
 Completed puppy class

Kersten & Tom Wright
 Labrador Retriever
 Completed beginner class

Bill Abraham
 Field Spaniel
 Guest trained 8 times

Buffy Cramer-Hammann
 Bernese Mountain Dog
 Guest Trained 8 times

Sue Campbell
 Mixed breed
 Completed beginner class

Calendar

February

02	Thu	Regular Training 3-Week CGC Prep Class
09	Thu	Regular Training Puppy Begins (8:00pm)
15	Wed	Board Meeting
16	Thu	Correction Clinic
23	Thu	Regular Training 3-Week CGC Prep Class Ends

March

02	Thu	Regular Training
09	Thu	Regular Training Beginner Ends (6:00, 7:00, 8:00pm) Puppy Ends (7:00, 8:00pm) Advanced Puppy Ends (8:00pm)
15	Wed	Membership Meeting
16	Thu	Correction Clinic
23	Thu	Regular Training 4H Starts Beginner Begins (7:00, 8:00, 9:00pm)
30	Thu	Regular Training
31	Fri	Agility Trial Setup

Board Meeting Highlights (December 07, 2016)

Meeting brought to order at 7:30 p.m.

Carolyn Pearson (Secretary) The October Meeting minutes were approved as published. Several items of correspondence were read.

Phil Nuger (Treasurer) presented the following reports for discussion:

- Statement of Activity Comparison, January 1st through December 7th.
- Statement of Financial Position Detail, January 1st through December 7th.

Will Short (Director of Training) reported that all classes for Session 1 of 2017 have Primary Instructors. Additionally, the Conformation instructors were set for January, February and March. Will stated that the Rally Advance and Excellent workshop will be held on all Thursdays in January, including the January 19th Correction Clinic.

Carolyn reminded Will Short that David Thornell was to conduct the Beginner's Novice workshop for the November Puppy and Beginner's students during the January correction clinic, starting at 6:30 p.m. This is the same time that he was supposed to be co-teaching the Rally Advance and Excellent workshop with Cindy Pakenas. Will, Wendy and Donna all said that they would remind David of that commitment. Invitations to participate in the Beginner's Novice workshop will be extended to the students in Sessions 4 and 5 of 2016.

Will also reported that there will be 6:00 p.m. CGC Workshop during all training Thursday nights in February.

Sue MacPherson reported that she recently heard of an in-house trainer from "smartdogstrainingandlodging.com," but did not

have any feedback other than what was on their website. Donna suggested that we could seek feedback by asking for comments on Facebook.

Pat Senne (Obedience Trial Chairperson) stated that she plans to have a pre-trial meeting sometime in August or September, 2017. It was agreed that we would also offer food for sale on Sunday. Sue MacPherson stated that the vendors did fairly well on Sunday. Pat also reported that the selfie screen was once again a huge hit! Pat said that she is ready to send out the 2017 judges' contracts.

Donna Bihner (Director at Large) reported that the Awards and Volunteers Forms are available on the website and will be printed in the next Waggin' Tales. She said that there are new items offered on each form.

Old Business

None

New Business

- **Phone Changes**

Dave sent the following request for the Board to address. After the January 5 class session begins, Sally Boeke is taking over the class coordinator position for beginner and puppy classes, and Nancy Pederson is keeping responsibility for Rally / Tricks / CGC workshops. That would require a splitting of the communication channels to match. Dave reported that the "workshops@fvdtc.org" email address has

already been set up. However, adding another extension to our phone line would increase our costs.

Our current plan is:

2 Extensions:

\$12.99 / month

\$1.95 / month for voicemail transcription

To add another extension, we need to upgrade the plan to the next step up of:

5 Extensions

\$49.99 / month or \$299.99 / year

\$1.95 / month for voicemail transcription

In the last month we have a total of 10 voicemails transcribed, out of 43 calls answered. So we are not being charged with overages on the transcription.

Additionally, Dave reported that regardless of the plan the club chooses, he will switch the billing cycle from monthly to annually. By doing that for the two extension plan, the club will save \$25.89 / year. The Board agreed to leave the phone plan at two extensions and to go to the annual billing cycle.

- **Calendars**

Carolyn reported that due a meeting previously scheduled at the Extension Center the January Membership meeting is scheduled for January 25th, rather than earlier in the month.

A motion was made, seconded and approved to adjourn the meeting at 8:49 p.m.

Membership Meeting Highlights (January 25, 2017)

Meeting brought to order at 7:48 p.m.

Carolyn Pearson (Secretary). The November Meeting minutes were approved as published. Several items of correspondence were read.

Phil Nuger (Treasurer) was not in attendance; however he reported that he needs to complete some account reconciliations prior to completing the end of year financial reports. He did provide estimated reports which he felt were a good approximation of last year's results.

Will Short (Director of Training) reported that, effective immediately, there will be the following changes to the way the Rally ring will be run. Will and Brenda will do the run-throughs until 8:00 p.m. Starting at 8:00 p.m., Joyce Conway will monitor the ring until 9:00 p.m. or until the

remaining dogs have completed their run-throughs. There will be a limit of 30 dogs. On Tuesdays, the nights when Joyce cannot help, there will be a limit of one run per dog.

Additionally, Will said that, except for Conformation, there are instructors for all classes for the next session. Will stated that anyone who wished to volunteer to be an instructor in the conformation ring should contact him.

Nancy Pederson sent a report that Sally Boeke has taken over the Class Registrar position starting with the February 9th 8:00 pm Puppy Class. Nancy stated that she will be the 2017 Workshop Registrar for the short-term classes, such as the CGC Prep and the trick classes.

Nancy reported that there are currently seven individuals signed up for the 6:00 pm CGC Prep Class, meeting on February 2nd, 9th, and 23rd. Will stated that there will no more workshops until after the 4-H show is held.

Pat Senne (Obedience Trial Chairperson)

stated that she is currently working on the judging assignments for 2017.

Sue MacPherson (Membership Chairperson)

read a list of 4 new applicants who were published in the Waggin' Tales. Sue MacPherson made a motion to accept the list as published and read. Ingrid Hamburger seconded the motion. The list was approved by all members present, with no one opposed or abstaining. Welcome to all new members.

Sue also reminded all club members to send in their work credit form with their membership renewal form.

Dave Lewis reminded us that the online membership roster only shows those folks who have renewed their membership for 2017. The roster is growing as people send in their renewals.

Ingrid Hamburger (Tracking Test Chairperson)

reported that the Judges and the Forest Preserve Pavilion has been confirmed for the 2017 Tracking test weekend of September 9th and 10th. Ingrid stated that the Proof of Insurance certificate will be sent to the directly to the Kane County Forest Preserve.

Candy Ellis (Annual Dinner Chairperson)

reported that the Annual Dinner will be held on April 9th, which is SUNDAY at the Riverside Receptions in Geneva on Main Street, just west of the Fox River. The time is tentatively scheduled for 6:30 doors and bar opening, with dinner to be served at 7:00 p.m. There will be a cash bar. The committee is close to choosing one of the following themes of "stars" or "allstars".

Donna Bihner (Awards Co-chairperson)

reminded all club members that award form applications along with any pictures or clothing items which are to be painted are due by February 2nd. Donna asked anyone who earned any perpetual awards last year to please return them to either Nancy Pederson or her, ASAP.

Donna also announced that the award form applications are available on our web site as well as pictures of all of the award choices. You may send the forms, bring the forms to training or scan and email them. Donna stated that they do not care how they get them; they just want to make sure everyone that is eligible gets them in by February 2nd!

Cris Ballenger (CGC Test Coordinator) was not in attendance and reported that she had "Nothing to report other than the weather in Florida is great."

Marian Lazzara and Pat Senne (Match Co-chairs) reported that everything is going well. Attendance was low at the January correction clinic, as is typical for the month.

Ingrid Hamburger (Match Steward

Chairperson) reminded all correction clinic volunteers that IF you sign up to work and cannot fulfill your commitment to PLEASE REMOVE your name from the online sign-up. This enables other club members the opportunity to sign up or allows substitutes to be found.

Sue MacPherson (Publicity) agreed that 1,000 brochures should be printed to send out to the local veterinary offices, to hand out at training and to pass out at local events in which the club participates.

Francene Andresen (Sunshine) reported that 2016 was a difficult year for a lot of our members, both with illnesses and deaths. Fox Valley and all our members wish everyone going through difficult times to know that we are very sorry for all that

you are enduring and wish you all peace in 2017. Francene reported that the following losses occurred in 2016.

- Judy Anderson
- Mary Bradley
- Donna Stahelin
- The son of Linda and Mike Szot
- The mothers of:
 - Susan Keller
 - Sue MacPherson
 - Taffy Wille

Additionally, the following club members endured illnesses or hospitalizations in 2016.

- Donna Bihner
- Peggy Sue Seehafer
- Carol Nightingale
- Candy Ellis
- Lynn Weis
- Jill Ramsey
- Cheryl Lewis
- Mike Donovan
- Mike Trausch
- Diane Propst
- Nina Herdes
- Jeff Wille

Voting for 2017 Board of Directors

Wendy extended a thank you to all of the club members who served a Board Members and Committee chairs for 2016.

Wendy read the complete listing of the Nominating Committee's slate for the 2017 Board positions. There were no nominations from the floor. Sue MacPherson collected and Joyce Conway and Sharon Shimko counted the ballots. Wendy announced the following individuals were elected as the Board of Directors for 2017.

Position	Candidate	Position	Candidate
President	Wendy Waddick	Obedience Trial Chair	Pat Senne
First Vice President	Ed Herdes	Membership Chair	Sue MacPherson
Second Vice President	Peggy Sue Seehafer	Public Education Coord	Barb Runkle
Secretary	Carolyn Pearson	Tracking Test Chair	Ingrid Hamburger
Treasurer	Phil Nuger	Agility Trial Chair	Cathy Fleury
Director of Training	Will Short	Director at Large	Dave Lewis

Jan Winters (Therapy Dog Evaluation) was not in attendance, however Wendy reported that the next TDI test is scheduled for Thursday, May 18th.

Dave Lewis (Waggin' Tales Editor) stated that the next deadline is Sunday, January 29th. Donna suggested that as a way of obtaining more contributions, we send out a monthly reminder to all Committee Chairs encouraging them to submit items for publication.

Monthly Dollar Bucket

...and the winner of \$8.00 is Joan Lester as drawn by club President, Wendy Waddick. Joan donated her winnings to the Tracking Test. Therefore, Ingrid Hamburger received a donation of \$16.00 towards the Tracking Test expenses.

Old Business

None

New Business**• ADOT Ratification**

Will Short, DOT, made a motion to approve Loretta Lazzara, Sandi Stephenson, Brenda Rivera and Candy Ellis as Co-Assistant Directors of Training for 2017. The motion was seconded by Francene Andresen. The motion was accepted by all members present, with no one opposed or abstaining!

• Committee Chair Appointments

Wendy, our re-elected President, announced that the following is a list of the Committee Chairs for 2017.

4-H Coordinator	Barb Runkle
ADOT	Loretta Lazzara, Sandi Stephenson, Brenda Rivera, Candy Ellis
Annual Dinner Chair	Candy Ellis
Awards	Donna Bihner and Nancy Pederson
CGC Coordinator	Cris Ballenger
Class Registrar	Sally Boeke
Graduation Chair	Carla Tsoris
Historian	Sally Boeke
Match Chair (Coordinator)	Pat Senne
Match Chair (Entries)	Marian Lazzara
Match Chair (Judges)	Sandi Stephenson
Match Chair (Stewards)	Ingrid Hamburger
Publicity	Jennifer Cornele
Statistician	Sue MacPherson
Sunshine	Francene Andresen
Therapy Dog Evaluation	Jan Winters
Waggin' Tales Editor	Dave Lewis
Workshop Registrar	Nancy Pederson

A motion was made, seconded and approved to adjourn the meeting at 8:43 p.m.

Volunteer Awards 2016



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 2016
- 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 (A)	Pick one (B)	Details and Options (C)
Coasters with FVDTC logo or with breed picture	<input type="checkbox"/>	FVDTC Y/N or Breed _____
Car magnet with your chosen breed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Breed: _____
Stainless travel mug, without handles, etched with breed	<input type="checkbox"/>	Breed: _____
Hand-painted flat, white glass ornament with your chosen breed picture.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Breed: _____
Pendant with picture of your chosen breed. Includes a black leather cord necklace.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Breed: _____
Cutting board with FVDTC logo or with your chosen breed picture	<input type="checkbox"/>	FVDTC Y / N or Breed _____
Silhouette of your chosen breed's Head or Full Body as a 1" silver pendant with an 18" silver chain.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Breed: _____ Choose One: Silhouette Full body
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 2, 2017

NO EXCEPTIONS

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

Family/Individual Work Credit Form 2016 (one per family)

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)

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|---|-----|-----|-----|------|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----|
| 1. Meetings attended: (to maximum of 3) | Jan | Mar | May | July | Sept | Nov | | | | |
| 2. Steward at Correction Clinics: | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Aug | Sept | Oct | Nov |
| 3. Work at the Obedience Trial | | | | | Fri | Sat-AM | Sat-PM | Sun-AM | Sun-PM | |
| 4. Work at the Spring Agility Trial | | | | | Fri | Sat-AM | Sat-PM | Sun-AM | Sun-PM | |
| 5. Work at the Fall Agility Trial | | | | | Fri | Sat-AM | Sat-PM | Sun-AM | Sun-PM | |
| 6. Steward for 4-H Show | | | | | Yes | | | | | |

Count the circles for Rows 1-6: _____

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|--|-------|
| 7. Substitute Instructor or Assistant (total nights ÷ 2) | _____ |
| 8. Instructor for Conformation Class (total nights ÷ 2) | _____ |
| 9. Work at Front/Information Table (total nights ÷ 2) | _____ |
| 10. List Events worked on (count 1 for each) | _____ |

Total Rows 7-10: _____

Total Number of 1 Credit Tasks

Section 2: Two Credit Tasks

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

- | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|
| 1. Judge a Correction Clinic (you cannot claim work credits if you were paid for this event) | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Aug | Sept | Oct | Nov |
| 2. Work at the Tracking Test | | | | | Sat | Sun | | | | |
| 3. Work at Mat Cleaning | | | | | Yes | | | | | |

Count the circles for Rows 1-3: _____

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|--|-------------------------------------|-------|
| 4. Evaluator for a CGC test | Enter Number of Test(s): | _____ |
| 5. Judge at the Kane County 4-H Dog Show | Enter 1 if you performed this task: | _____ |

Total Number from Rows 3 - 5 _____

Total 2 Credit Tasks (multiply Total by 2)

Section 3: Three Credit Tasks

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|--|-------------------------------------|-------|
| 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

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|--|-------------------------------------|-------|
| 1. Primary Instructor for Advanced Classes for 1 quarter | Number of quarters: | _____ |
| 2. Assistant Instructor for Advanced Classes for 1 quarter | Number of quarters: | _____ |
| 3. Primary Instructor for Puppy or Beginners Class for 1 session | Number of sessions: | _____ |
| 4. Assistant Instructor for Puppy or Beginners Class for 1 session | Number of sessions: | _____ |
| 5. Puppy/Beginner Class Coordinator for 1 year | Enter 1 if you performed this task: | _____ |
| 6. Committee Chairperson for 1 year | Enter Number of Committee(s): | _____ |
| 7. Kane County 4-H Coordinator for 1 year | Enter 1 if you performed this task: | _____ |
| 8. Kane County 4-H Dog Projects Superintendent for 1 year | Enter 1 if you performed this task: | _____ |
| 9. Board Member for 1 year | Enter 1 if you performed this task: | _____ |

Total Rows 1-9 _____

Total 4 Credit Tasks (multiply Total by 4)

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!***



Fox Valley Dog Training Club

MEMBER RENEWAL



THE NEW MEMBERSHIP YEAR BEGINS JANUARY 1, 2017
DUES FOR THE 2017 MEMBERSHIP YEAR ARE DUE BY **JANUARY 31, 2017**

Your name will be omitted from the 2017 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 1-31-2017.

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

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

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP Code: _____

Phone: _____ () _____

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

Breed(s) of dog(s): _____

Training areas of interest: _____

Check your preference for receiving the Waggin' Tales newsletter.

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

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

_____ Yes _____ No Name: _____
_____ Yes _____ No Name: _____

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

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

Signature

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

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

Signature

Signature

PLEASE SELECT YOUR MEMBERSHIP TYPE

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

Did You Earn 3 Work Credits Last Year?**

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

Check your method for providing your work credits:

Attached form Recorded online in Members Only

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

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

AMOUNT ENCLOSED _____ *******

****In accordance with our By-laws, a \$10.00 re-instatement fee will be charged for dues not received by 01-31-2017*

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

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