

Coming Up at WWCDTC

9/5 & 6 - BRDC UKC Agility Trial
9/8 Conformation Class—7:00
9/8 Classes Start for the Fall Session
9/18 "Soft Opening" of Run Thrus
9/19, 20 Rental—Aussies
9/22 Conformation Class—7:00
9/25 Set Up for AKC Scent Work Trial
9/26, 27 WWCDTC-AKC Scent Work Trials

10/3 WWCDTC Picnic & Genl Mbr Mtg
10/4, 5 BRDC—UKC Rally Trials
10/17, 18 Rental—BGRC All Breed Obed/Rally
10/23 4th Friday Run Thrus (Pending)
10/24, 25 WWCDTC-AKC Agility Trials

Cathy Bender will be sending out the class listings.

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CLASSES START SEPTEMBER 8, 2020

Are we ready. Well all COVID 19 guidelines have been studied and studied. Those pertaining to doing what we do are now in place. So hopefully members will feel safe and comfortable coming to classes each week. There is plenty of sanitation items available and out for members to use. Hand sanitizer, wipes for the tables, chairs, etc., disinfectant spray for other things that might need it. If you don't see something let one of the Board members know so it can be looked into. One last thing, if you are sick—STAY HOME. Let your instructor know that you won't be there, however.

Another important part is that **MASKS** are required while in the building and in class. Your dog will get use to you wearing one. Also after class leave the building so that we don't have congregating in the building. Stay 6 feet apart as much as possible. Do socializing outside as weather permits.

With classes starting we ask that members who signed up for a class attend it. We want members to get the most out of the classes, and attending is one way. Instructors plan out their classes and sometimes missing one will cause you to miss some important part of the instructors program for that class.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

WCDTC welcomes the following new members voted in at the August meeting

Bev Duerst 608-332-1099 bevduerst@gmail.com & Lisa Twitchell 414-840-4711 Itwitchell@wi.rr.com

Put these new members in your Membership book

It is with sadness that we learn of the passing of long time member Margaret (Muggs) Hawkins. Muggs trained her Great Danes in conformation and obedience. Prayers to her family.

NOVEMBER 27, 28 & 29, 2020 AKC OBEDIENCE/RALLY TRIALS

WWCDTC's annual AKC Obedience and Rally Trials will be on the above weekend. However, due to COVID some changes are being made to accommodate the guidelines. First, we will only be having a one ring, one judge trial. Our Judge Jim Comunale has made some suggestions along with the guidelines. There will be two Rally trials on Friday, and one obedience on Saturday and Sunday. All trials have been approved by AKC.

Watch for further information and volunteer opportunities closer to the dates. Volunteers will probably be doing some different jobs at the trials. Taking of temperatures, checking in exhibitors at the gate. Controlling sanitation duties, etc.

Premiums will be available soon. Get training.

INSTRUCTORS & ASSISTANTS NEEDED

As everyone knows we are always in need of instructors and assistants. There are opportunities to be part of the Monday Night Puppy and Manners classes, or the regular Obedience and Rally Classes.

So if your heart desires, please volunteer to be an Instructor or Assistant. There are many benefits to doing this like free dues, key to the building, and others.

Contact Mark Christiansen at kimark@nconnect.net or 920-344-0001 for Monday Night Classes

Contact Chris Getter at gettmystic@yahoo.com or 262-370-2059 for Obedience Classes

Contact Jen Effler-Leveille at powderhoundmals@gmail.com for Rally Classes

ADDITIONAL CLASSES

WWCDTC will be adding the following classes this fall. Sign up for these classes is with the instructor or the folders that are on the first crate in the front of the building.

Trick Class with Donna Schmitt
Thursday nights at 7:00 p.m.
Donna's contact trickkees@gmail.com

Scent Work Classes with Sue & Joe Kugel Tuesday morning—Beginner 9:30 a.m. Advance 9 a.m. or 10 a.m.

Conformation Classes with Toni Raden Open to the public—\$5 per handler 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.

CGCA & CGCU Class with Anne DeRoo Class available for Spring Session Contact Anne at kderoo@outlook.com

SEPTEMBER 18TH RUN THRUS

Don't forget the "Soft Opening" Run Thrus for members only on the 18th.

Looking forward to seeing members come out for this and practice holding these with the COVID guidelines

WWCDTC Annual Picnic and Mortgage Burning Saturday, October 3, 2020

Members, family and their friends are invited to a picnic supper at the Club. In addition this will be a Mortgage Burning Party as the Club has paid the mortgage.

The club will provide the following meal Italian Beef or Pulled pork, Fruit Salad, Jeff's Red Potato Salad, Buns, Butter and Beverages and Dessert

Cost: \$10.00 per person (kids under 7 free) **No pay at the door reservations**.

In an effort to see that everyone attends that makes a reservation, your money will be refunded when you arrive.

Thus making this event *FREE* to you.

EVENT Mortgage Burning

WWCDTC has successfully paid off the mortgage to build this training facility in 20 years. We wish to celebrate this event with the members of the Club.

Time:

4:30—5:30 p.m. social hour (Beverages & Snacks) 5:30 p.m. Dinner

Followed by meeting and mortgage burning. Covid19 guidelines will be followed. MASKS REQUIRED

Names of attendees			
No. attending @ \$10 each	Total \$	Refund \$	
Checks payable to WWCDTC—			

DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS SEPTEMBER 25,2020 (no exceptions)

Put in box at Club or send to Mark Christiansen 630 W Juneau St., Hustisford, WI 53034, kimark@nconnect.net 920-344-0001

WWCDTC - GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES - AUGUST 18, 2020

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. outside the club training facility by the president.

Minutes of previous meeting – The last meeting was in January 2020 and those minutes were not available at the meeting. They will be approved at the next meeting October 3, 2020.

Secretary's Report – Secretary was not in attendance due to work.

Treasurer's Report – Barb Drake read the Treasurer's report for July 31, 2020. It was approved **President's Report** – Due to Covid 19 many things at the club have been cancelled. Joan complimented members for sanitizing the club as they used it during the last six months. She reminded members that the club has all the desanitizing equipment available. She reminded members that the shields were not sufficient face cover and you needed to wear a mask also. There have been members training in the building during this time and that was good so that the building didn't sit empty if something happened. At one point during a rain storm there was a leak in the office that one of the members reported to Mark. Joan thanked Sandie Perkins for under taking the soft opening classes. They were very successful this summer. Classes will start September 8. Further than this we don't know what might happen with the Covid19.

TRAINING COMMITEE -

Monday Night – Mark reported that Monday night was going well. Temperatures are being taken as the people arrive. Unfortunately because of the long delay, some of the puppies are now 8-12 months old and haven't had puppy class. They are working through this.

Obedience Classes – These classes the week of September 8. Joan thanked Cathy Bender for continuing to take these sign ups and make the class listings. Joan said to send the class sign up for your dog to Cathy asap as the deadline is soon. There was also a request for instructors. Joan introduced two new instructors for this session Bev Durest and Marlene Unke.

Rally – Classes are set

Scent Work – Sue Kugel said these classes are going well. There is only daytime classes at this time as we don't have an instructor for Thursday night classes. .

Agility – Katina Guse is scheduling pick up agility classes with UKC equipment as the trial is September 5 & 6

Conformation – Toni Raden will be teaching them this fall on t he 2nd & 4th Tuesdays.

CGC/CGCA/CGCU – Konraad DeRoo reported for Anne that the CGCA & U classes aree full at t his time. Members who signed up have to come to the first night as it is an orientation. This is mandatory so that the schedule for classes will be explained.

COMMITTEE REPORTS -

Meetings/Programs – Next meeting is October 3 which is the Club Picnic and mortgage burning night. The January Banquet is coming up and we need a coordinator for that.

Building/Grounds/Housekeeing – Thanked Joe, Lisa, Joy, Mark & Russ for keeping the building in top shap. Also thanked Sue & Joe Kugel for keeping the flowers watered.

Trials – UKC – Donna Schmitt reported the Agility trial is September 5 & 6 2020. Entries close August 21. Premium is out.

Trials – AKC – The November 27, 28, 29 2020 trials are being worked on. It will be a one judge, one ring trials.

Membership – Lisa Witchel and Bev Durest were voted into membership tonight. Julie Cepuis and Pam Champeau were introduced as first reading. Members were reminded that if they had changes to their information to contact Lorene.

Website – Konraad had no report. Lisa said she has put a bunch of stuff on there and there is more to be put up.

Newsletter – Joan is presently doing "mini" newsletters for information to the members. One will be out in about 2 weeks.

OLD BUSINESS

Sandie Perkins made a reminder to members about the September 18 Soft Opening Run Thrus. It's for members only and she needed a few more workers.

NEW BUSINESS – None

ADJOURNMENT – There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 7:40.

Respectfully submitted, IJoan Kaml, Acting Secretary

SPECIAL OBEDENCE RUN-THRU FOR CLUB MEMBERS ONLY

Friday, September 18, 2020 Open at 6 p.m.—start at 6:30 p.m. Absolutely FREE!!! No charge !!

Due to our virus concerns, there will be some changes to our usual 4th Friday routine, please read

MASKS ARE MANDATORY FOR ALL WORKERS AND CALLERS. AND FOR ALL PARTICI-PANTS, EVEN WHILE YOU ARE IN THE RING.

There will be two rings instead of the normal four. Crating space is available in the middle area of the building, between the two rings. Please don't be a space hog. Please don't bring children or visitors. Use hand sanitizer and/or wash your hands, maintain social distancing as much as you possibly can.

Joan Kaml will be present to sign you up for the class(es) of your choice. The set up for the evening will be as follows:

Ring One **Beginner Novice** Open (to follow) Ring Two Novice Utility (to follow)

Hope to see you here.

JUST A FEW MORE THINGS—

AKC VST TEST—October 11, 2020

Club member Jan Plagenz will be chairing the annual Variable Surface Tracking Test again this year at the Delavan Industrial Park. Jan has done this for probably the last 10 years (or more). This test gets a passing participant a Champion Tracker title before their dog's name. It covers all surfaces with a prelayed track. A very difficult test to pass.

However, this year, no spectators are allowed. But, if you wish to volunteer to help lay tracks, contact Jan at 262-252-4566 or dobrmin@aol.com.

UKC RALLY TRIALS—10/10 & 11/20

Bark River Dog Club (sister WWCDTC Club) is planning on 4 Rally Trials on the above dates. Classes in Rally will have UKC signs about 4 weeks ahead of the trials for practice. Premiums available soon

FROM THE PRESIDENT

As you can see we are back in almost full swing of things. A lot happening in the coming months with the safety of the COVID guidelines which make it just that much more labor intensive.

WWCDTC has worked hard over the past 20 years to pay off their mortgage. So the Club's celebration of this event should be a great evening and hopefully a good turnout. MASKS will be required and social distancing. Mark is in charge of th is event and we thank him for his organization of it. There will also be some surprises

One t hing I wish to point out is the fun times that can be had by doing UKC trialing. While it is just a little different, it is another opportunity to use your dogs skills. They have changed some of the Rally Obedience signs, and the Club does have them. Go on their website to see the new ones. Hopefully we will have a good entry with ust Rally Obedience happening. Anne Millane and Deb O'Brien are Chair and Secretary of this event.

Most of what I have to say is in this newsletter, so my article will be short.

Welcome back WWCDTC members.

I.Joan

Don't Forget!!

Make your reservations early

No reservations taken after September 25, 2020

WWCDTC
Annual Picnic and
Mortgage Burning

Saturday, October 3, 2020