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The Recall

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From the Prez...



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First of all, thank you to Donna Schmitt who singlehandedly ran the UKC Agility Trials on Sunday, April 15th. I know there were exhibitors there to help, but with that snowstorm that kept many away, Donna had to play Secretary, Kitchen Wench, Course Builder, Chairperson, and clean up. Thank you to those who helped her with all those duties (I don't know who was really there). Thank you also to those who came, helped, and ran on Saturday. It surely wasn't the nicest of weekends but unfortunately you can't cancel these things unless it is a major weather problem.

Well, now that we have had our second winter, things should be going in the right direction in the weather department. But there is always the chance for a third winter?

It is going to get busy around club the next couple of months. If you haven't heard of the decision to replace our floor, you will hear it now. Mark and his crew will be replacing the flooring. Help will be needed the first weekend in June, so please volunteer. Contact Mark at kimark@nconnect.net or call him at 920-344-0001. Many hands make the project go quickly and efficiently. I believe

I heard that Mark and George Leveille will be renting a truck and driving to just north of Eau Claire to pick up the flooring. This decision was to save the club almost a thousand dollars in shipping. When they come back, they will need to unload, and you know the rest. So if you can help, it sure would be appreciated. I am not sure of all the details, but word will be out there soon.

Other things are happening too. The new Obedience rules go into effect on May 1st. The Club will have the AKC Rules and Regulation books for sale shortly. Instructors of the Novice and Open classes will be showing and teaching the new exercises. They are fun to do with your dog. I know it is a change, and we don't necessarily like that, but it is what it is. Hopefully, it won't hurt the entries too much. We are sure there will be fewer entries in Open until everyone gets on the same page. Even if you are not showing or trialing your dog, the new exercises will be fun to learn because it is always interesting to see what we can teach our dogs to do successfully.

Then of course, there is the May meeting with the Jefferson County K9 Unit. That is always

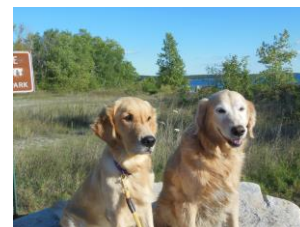
a big draw, and hopefully, you have the 24th of May marked on your calendar.

A couple of other things, volunteers are always needed, and of course, it is your club! Volunteer for what you want to do and help make our club events successful with your input. Claudia is in charge of the 2018 raffle. She has some new ideas to increase donations. So, if you see her, talk to her about it. Maybe there is something you can help with.

Please if you bring something to use in your training technique or a treat for a success, clean it up and don't leave it lying around for someone else to clean it up. The building should always be in as neat order as possible. Everyone can help with that.

Now carry on – training, training, training, to make your dog the best companion you can have.

-Joan



From the VP's Desk...

A New Floor at WWCDTC

We will be changing the flooring in the coming months. We will be putting down a foam mat made by GreatMats. It should make it a lot easier to run on. We will be removing most of the old flooring and replacing it with this product. We will be selling the old flooring. Both the rubber roofing and the stall mats under them will be available. The rubber roofing will be sold at \$1.00 per square yard. The stall mats will be sold at \$10 each. All product needs to be removed from the property by

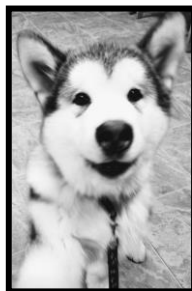
either the 2nd or 3rd of June. It is up to you to haul it away or make arrangements for someone to do it for you.

If you would like either of these products, please let Mark know either by e-mail (kimark@nconnect.net) or by phone (920) 349-8048.

We will also be looking for more people to help out with replacing the floor. We are looking for help on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd of June. If you can help and haven't signed up, please let Mark know at the

above e-mail or phone number. The more people we can get, the quicker it will go. Mark will post exact times at a later date but right now we are looking at starting about 3:00 Friday afternoon and about 9:00 both Saturday and Sunday mornings.

-Mark Christiansen



May Achievement Match

On May 22nd we will hold our Spring Achievement Match. This is a great opportunity to evaluate your dog's skill level. The match is open to any club member. We will have Beginning Novice, Novice, Open and Utility matches. We will also have Rally if we get enough dogs to sign up for it. We will run this similarly to our fourth Friday run thru's. We will need judges and stewards for this match; sign-up sheets will be posted at the club.

Here is a good opportunity to get your club volunteer hours in for the year.

In order to participate, you must sign up prior to the event. We will begin running dogs at 7:00. Prizes will be offered at each level. We will also have an NQ raffle.

-Mark Christiansen



Get Well Soon, Bea!

Our good friend and eldest club member, Bea, suffered a recent illness. Bea is doing well and working hard at recovering. Her goal is to be back at training and showing by June.

We all send Bea our love and best wishes.

What's Up At Club?

- WW Achievement Match
Tuesday, May 22 at 7pm
- General Membership Meeting & Jefferson County Sheriff K9 Demo
Thursday, May 24 at 7pm
- 4th Friday Run Thru
Friday, May 25
- Floor Replacement Work Weekend
Friday, June 1 thru Sunday, June 3
volunteers needed
- 4th Friday Run Thru
Friday, June 22
- GMPC Obedience & Rally Trial
Saturday, June 23
- WW AKC Obedience & Rally Trial
Sunday, June 24



"Well, here we go again. ... Did anyone here *not* eat his or her homework on the way to school?"

WESTERN WAUKESHA COUNTY DOG TRAINING CLUB *GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

(*Minutes to be approved at the May 24th meeting.)

March 13, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 pm by Joan Kaml, the President.

Joan thanked Chris Getter for the program on the new Obedience and Rally exercises.

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING – The minutes were approved as printed in the Newsletter.

SECRETARY'S REPORT – No report

TREASURER'S REPORT – Barb reported that the mortgage is now \$ 48,142.00 and should have it paid off in about 3 years.

The February UKC Obedience Trial made a profit of \$ 1175.00 and the one day Feb. UKC agility trial made \$ 464.00

Treasurer's report was approved as read.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT – No report

TRAINING COMMITTEE –**DIRECTOR OF TRAINING REPORT - Mark Christiansen**

Next session starts April 3

REPORT FROM KAREN JOHNSON - There are a couple of classes already closed and others are getting close. The link for classes will be up soon on the website.

MONDAY NIGHT - The last session went very well. We did have to refer a couple of dogs out after their first week. We want to refer dogs out on orientation night, before they become an issue. People are to bring their pups on Orientation night so they can be evaluated as to what they can and cannot do, as well as how they get along with other dogs

AGILITY – There will be a new Foundation class on Thursdays, instructor Donna Schmitt

INSTRUCTOR'S MEETING - Friday night, March 16 at 6:30pm. Bring treats

4th FRIDAY RUN THRU – Linda Warn - Still need a few volunteers for the Mar 23 run thru

COMMITTEE REPORTS –**Meetings/Programs –**

Health Clinic – 3/17. Tara reported that there are still a few openings for Cardiac. They have added another hour for the Eyes – has 5 more spaces available at 3:00pm. Walk in for heartworm tests, vaccinations, etc., everything but the eyes

May Meeting – Thurs. 5/24 Jefferson County Sheriff K-9 Unit

Grounds/Building/Housekeeping – Mark Christiansen

Lighting – the puppy play yard light needs to be replaced. Will work on replacing both inside and outside lights with LEDs

Flooring – will go with the 60 mil reinforced product. Tear out the old floor on Friday, clean the floor mats and floor beneath. Will sell the old flooring. Take place the first weekend of June There will be a sign-up sheet for floor help

Flower Pots – Debbie reported that we will be doing several groupings of 3 pots along the side and front of the building. The groupings should be easier to maintain as a group. We will go with easy care, low maintenance plants. Pot color will be Coffee

Membership – Mark Christiansen

1st Reading – Colleen Bliffert and Rob and Ellen Blitz

WESTERN WAUKESHA COUNTY DOG TRAINING CLUB*GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES CONTINUED-**Membership**

Dues – they are coming in and have received about ½ of them. Even if you have free dues, please fill out the information, so Mark can make sure everything is updated. We also need to know how you would like to receive the club information.

Trials – AKC

June Obedience and Rally Trial – Chairperson: Barbara Drake

July Agility Trial – Location is Think Pawsitive

Trials - UKC

Obedience & Rally Trial – October

Agility Trial - April

NEWSLETTER –

Thanked Anne DeRoo for helping Lorene and Kim with the transition. If submit articles for the newsletter cannot be copyrighted because the newsletter is on our website. Feel free to send pictures, recipes, brags, etc.

Next deadline is April 20

OLD BUSINESS – None

NEW BUSINESS – None

NEXT MEETING DATE – May 24, 2018

ADJOURNMENT – Meeting was adjourned at 8:35 pm

BRAGS

-Respectfully submitted Debbie O'Brien, Secretary



Think Your Dog Has What It Takes?

Upcoming CGC, CGCA and CGCU Test Dates

AKC® CANINE GOOD CITIZEN® PROGRAM



AKC Canine Good Citizen (CGC) Test Date: Monday, May 14, 2018

Test Time: 7:45 p.m.

Test Fees:

WWCDTC Club Members: FREE

WWCDTC CGC Class Participants: FREE

All Others: \$10.00

Test Contact: Anne De Roo

Email: cgcauclass@gmail.com

Test Location:

Western Waukesha County
Dog Training Club

It is recommended for dogs and handlers to have taken a beginning obedience class or have similar prior training. Successful completion of an evaluation is needed for CGC title.

Please note: *The use of head collars, prong collars, "no-pull" harnesses, treats, use of toys, harsh corrections, etc. are not permitted during the evaluation. Participants should bring their dog's brush or other grooming tool (comb, zoom groom, etc.) to the evaluation.*

Canine Good Citizen is a certification program developed by the AKC that is designed to reward the owners of dogs who are well mannered both at home and in the community. Test items include:

Supervised separation

Appearance and grooming

Coming when called

Sitting and laying down on command including staying in place on command

Accepting a friendly stranger

Walking on a loose lead

Reaction to another dog

Sitting politely for petting

Walking through a crowd

Reaction to a distraction

Need to polish your skills? The next 8 week CGC class begins on Monday, June 4. Class size limited to 10 dogs - sign up NOW!

Does Your Dog Already Have Its CGC Title?

Take It To The Next Level!

AKC Community Canine (CGCA)



Test Date: Tuesday, June 19, 2018

Test Time: BY APPOINTMENT ONLY*

Test Fees:

WWCDTC Club Members: FREE

WWCDTC CGC Class Participants: FREE

All Others: \$10.00

Class/Test Contact: Anne De Roo

Email: cgcauclass@gmail.com

Test Location:

Western Waukesha County
Dog Training Club

Prerequisite: Must have CGC on file with AKC

AKC Urban CGC (CGCU)



Test Date: Tuesday, June 26, 2018

Test Time: BY APPOINTMENT ONLY*

Test Fees:

WWCDTC Club Members: FREE

WWCDTC CGC Class Participants: FREE

All Others: \$10.00

Class/Test Contact: Anne De Roo

Email: cgcauclass@gmail.com

Test Location:

**To Be Announced - Please contact Anne
for test address and/or directions**

Prerequisite: Must have CGC on file with AKC

* CGCA and CGCU evaluations will begin at 6:30 p.m. and will be limited to 10 dogs. Class participants will take precedence for space availability and test appointment times.

Our next 10 week CGCA/CGCU Class will begin on Tuesday, July 3. Class size is limited to 6 dogs.

Sign up now for this popular class!

For more information on all evaluation criteria, please visit AKC.org to download a brochure, print the Participants Guides or watch videos of actual evaluations..... plus much more! All dogs, including both purebred and mixed breed dogs are welcome to participate in the American Kennel Club (AKC) Canine Good Citizen Programs. Did you know that your dog does not have to have 'papers' to register your dog with the AKC? If you have a mixed-breed dog you can opt to get an AKC Canine Partners #. If you have a purebred dog with no papers you can opt for the AKC Purebred Alternative Listing Program. The benefits of doing so include the ability to compete in AKC performance events such as Obedience, Rally and Agility. These sports are a LOT of fun for both you and your dog and we encourage everyone to get involved.

Annual Rally/Obedience Trial Raffle November 2018



Claudia Sonnenberg is now planning our Rally/Obedience Raffle for 2018 to be held November 23, 24 and 25. Our 50/50 Raffle will again be held on Friday for Rally exhibitors, thanks to Mark Christiansen's great idea. Most of the Rally winners turn their winnings back into the money we donate to the Sheriff's department.

Besides the baskets donated by each class, we are inviting anyone to donate a Breed basket, a Rally Basket, or an Obedience basket. Claudia donated a Border

Collie basket last year, and it was very well received. If you have any other basket suggestions, please let Claudia know.

This year, we will have letters for the Raffle Committee to take with them to ask for donations from Jefferson County businesses since we are located in Jefferson County.

Claudia had a lot of members who have volunteered to help this year, and she is looking forward to working with all of them! JoAnne Kullman, Tara Matusiewicz, and Lorene Schramm will be

working with Claudia to pull off this great event. We hope to top what we brought in last year!

The Raffle will be set up on Wednesday or Thursday (Thanksgiving Day). The committee will decide set-up when the event gets closer.

*-Claudia Sonnenberg,
Raffle Chair*



Obedience & Rally...

New Competitive Heeling Class Offered at WWCDTC

There is a new class offered in obedience at WWCDTC this session - Competitive Heeling.

Class meets on Wednesdays at 12:15, and the instructor hopes to cover all the aspects of beautiful heeling for each dog and human team enrolled. With both group and individual skill building, all students will have plenty of opportunity to improve skills in the complex art of heeling.

The class is taught by Priscilla Wagner. Priscilla is a new member who has been training her Golden

Retrievers for 18 years. Her first dog earned her CGC/TDI, her second dog a CD, and her third dog a UD. She also has two dogs in training and one very happy to be a house pet! Priscilla has been a member of Companion Dog Club in Omaha, NE and Forest City DTC in Illinois. WWCDTC is more suited to her interest in obedience, and Priscilla is a very happy new member! Stop by on Wednesdays to watch the class in progress. It will be offered again next session if heeling is an area on which you would like to focus.

Beginning Utility???

Chris Getter is considering offering a beginning utility class for the summer session. It would have to be scheduled on a Tuesday or Thursday night at 8:00 PM. Included in the class would be each exercise in utility and time to work on the individual components. A fair amount of discussion would be required. The dogs would be attempting new exercises, but it would not be a utility run through. It is a "teach the trainer to teach the dog" type of class. Chris would like to know if there is enough interest in this class to offer it. If you are interested, email Chris Getter with your preference for either Tuesday or Thursday evening. Email Chris at gettmystic@yahoo.com.



Soft Liverwurst and Pumpkin Treats

Preheat oven to 350.

Ingredients:

16 oz. Liverwurst/Braunschweiger

16 oz. Pureed Pumpkin

2 cups whole wheat flour

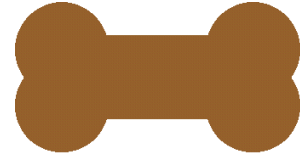
Mix the 3 ingredients in a food processor. Spread on a large cookie sheet lined with aluminum foil and sprayed with Pam or olive oil.

Bake at 350 degrees for 30-40 minutes, or until dry and "spongy." Let cool. Cut into training sized treats. Freeze them in snack size bags so they are ready for training.

**Liverwurst contains a bit of fat - use small treats to avoid unpleasant digestive effects! **

Great for training!

-Lorene



Wagging Rights 2018

Carol Moser and Moxie earned a CDX on March 10, 2018 with a score of 195, winning 1st place! What a fantastic team! Congratulations!



Despite all of the April snow, NADD Dock Diving season officially opened on March 23rd up at Three Hounds Training Ground's indoor dock diving facility in Plymouth, WI. Layla (our 3 year old GSP, Hurricane Layla Louise, CA, DJ, DS, CGCA CGCU) was super happy to see the season open and proved it on March 24th by jumping a personal best of 17'9" - her previous best was only 16'1", so the improvement was HUGE. She also earned 4 more Q's toward her DSA (Dock Senior Advanced) title. While she may not be the longest jumper or have the biggest air, she jumps with so much heart and Koenraad & I are both so proud of what this little girl has accomplished so far. We can't wait to see what the rest of the season brings for her!



May 2018



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 <u>Week 5</u> AM Rally PM Obedience	2 <u>Week 5</u> Obedience/ Rally/Agility	3 <u>Week 5</u> Agility Obedience Rally	4	5 <u>Rental</u> WESSA Set-up
6 <u>Rental</u> WESSA Specialty	7 <u>Week 7</u> Puppy/Manners Classes	8 <u>Week 6</u> AM Rally PM Obedience	9 <u>Week 6</u> Obedience/ Rally/Agility	10 <u>Week 6</u> Agility Obedience Rally	11 <u>Rental</u> Aussies	12 <u>Rental</u> Aussies
13 <u>Rental</u> Aussies	14 <u>Week 8</u> Puppy/Manners Classes	15 <u>Week 7</u> AM Rally PM Obedience	16 <u>Week 7</u> Obedience/ Rally/Agility	17 <u>Week 7</u> Agility Obedience Rally	18	19 <u>Rental</u> HAWS Seminar
20 <u>Rental</u> HAWS Seminar	21 <u>Puppy/Manners</u> <u>ORIENTATION</u>	22 <u>WW</u> <u>ACHIEVEMENT</u> <u>MATCH</u>	23	24 <u>WW GENERAL</u> <u>MEMBERSHIP</u> <u>MEETING</u>	25 4 th Friday Run Thrus	26
27	28  MEMORIAL DAY	29 <u>Week 8</u> AM Rally PM Obedience	30 <u>Week 8</u> Obedience/Rally/ Agility	31 <u>Week 8</u> Agility/Obedience/ Rally		

June 2018



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 WWCDTC Floor Replacement	2 WWCDTC Floor Replacement
3 WWCDTC Floor Replacement	4 <u>Week 1</u> Puppy/Manners Classes	5 <u>Week 9</u> AM Rally PM Obedience	6 <u>Week 9</u> Obedience/Rally Agility	7 <u>Week 9</u> Agility/Obedience Rally	8 RENTAL MDTC Set-up	9 RENTAL MDTC
10 RENTAL MDTC	11 <u>Week 2</u> Puppy/Manners Classes	12 <u>Week 10</u> AM Rally PM Obedience	13 <u>Week 10</u> Obedience/Rally Agility	14 <u>Week 10</u> Agility/Obedience Rally HAWS KIDS	15	16
17	18 <u>Week 3</u> Puppy/Manners Classes	19 <u>Week 11</u> AM Rally PM Obedience	20 <u>Week 11</u> Obedience/Rally Agility	21 <u>Week 11</u> Agility/Obedience Rally HAWS KIDS	22 4 th Friday Run Thrus	23 <u>Rental</u> GMPC Obed/Rally
24 <u>WW AKC</u> <u>Obedience/Rally</u>	25 <u>Week 4</u> Puppy/Manners Classes	26 <u>Week 12</u> AM Rally PM Obedience	27 <u>Week 12</u> Obedience/Rally Agility	28 <u>Week 12</u> Agility/Obedience Rally	29	30

Board of Directors & Important Contacts

CLASS SIGN-UP

Summer Session

Classes begin July 10th

Please fill forms out neatly and completely.

One dog per form.

Mail forms to me:

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Lake Mills, WI, 53551.

You can also drop them in my mailbox at the clubhouse.

-Karen Johnson



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We would love to share pictures of your canine friends!

-Kim & Lorene



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Articles must be received by June 20, 2018 to appear in the July Newsletter.