



Western Waukesha County Dog Training Club  
Newsletter

# *The Recall*

December, 2020

## *WWCDTC Annual Banquet*

*Saturday, January 30, 2020*

*See flyer for details*

*Annual Achievement Awards*

### **Officers & Board**

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### **WHAT'S HAPPENING AT WWCDTC**

12/25	Merry Christmas
1/1/21	Happy New Year
1/5/21	Winter Session Classes Start
1/9 & 10/21	AKC Winter Obedience & Rally Trials
1/30/21	Annual Banquet & Achievement Awards
2/20 & 21/21	BRDC UKC Obedience & Rally Trials
2/27/21	Alaskan Malamute Weight Pull

### **NEW YEAR MATCH—1/2/2021** **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY**

Yes, we are having the New Year Match but need stewards and callers. So, start off the new year with volunteering to either call or steward at this match. Contact Chris Getter at 262-370-2059 or gettmystic@yahoo.com and get your name on the list.

The flyer for the match is in this newsletter. You get to run your dog too—FREE.

ALL COVID RULES APPLY—MASKS REQUIRED.

SEE FLYER FOR TIMES, ETC.

### **JEFFERSON CTY K-9 UNIT**

As you know we did not have the raffle this year at our November trials. However, we did put out a donation station, and did very well with donations from exhibitors and friends. This will be added to the amount we have from the Picnic.

However, if you still wish to donate, you can. If you are at the club you can put it in the donation can, or can send a check to Barb Drake, 14350 W Honey la, New Berlin, WI 53150 and it will be put in the fund.

The Sheriff will be at the banquet to accept the funds. WWCDTC should be proud of this annual donation.

## THANKSGIVING CONTINUES

Our essential volunteers shined. Volunteers ranged from decades of experience to newbies just starting in Beginner Novice A. FANTASTIC! It pained Joan Kaml the trials' secretary to have to return entries.....we filled all days.

It began the day before Thanksgiving. The cleaning angels (Joy, Joe and Lisa) came to club and did their magic. In the afternoon Joan, Maridel and I set-up for the 3 days of trials after Thanksgiving.

Thursday was "turkey day". A day to enjoy our blessings and give thanks.

Our club members worked through thick or thin for 3 days. Some came with wounded ankles, pulled backs, aches and pains. Some left litters of puppies and dogs home with spouses. I want to give thanks to the "support teams" we have. We needed check in people and temperature takers for the contact trace list we kept.

Friday were 2 rally trials. With the competent stewards (Donna Schmitt, Joy Flannery, Patty Beran, Kerry Walterdorf and Kris Kerr) things went smooth as silk. A quick lunch Barb Drake served up to sustain us. The exhibitors had to fend for themselves. We didn't make food to sell....because of covid. Anne Millane put out the self-serve ribbons.

Saturday and Sunday we 2 days of obedience. Our members who helped those days were Anne Millane, Ann Helm, Bev Pfeiffer, Maridel Hein, Katy Walters, Kelly Rehwoldt, Kerry Luderus, Linda Warn and Sue Kugel.

Clean-up after trials are always the forgotten but important part. Clif Sanders, Joe Kugel and Lisa Twitchell got the job done lickity split.

The whole week-end ran just as nice as the perfect about turn we all want with our buddy at our side. It appeared all exhibitors felt comfortable with the covid procedure changes we had to do. The club teamwork was commended by the judge. He took pictures of how we had the building and really liked what we did. You make WWCDTC a club to be proud of. It takes members to support our events with their skills and desire to help.

I'm giving thanks to you, our members.—Karen Slack, fellow member & Trial Chair

## **CLASS SIGN UP FOR WINTER 2021 SESSION**

***Just a little reminder when classes are for the winter session. Don't forget that weather will play a part in this at this time of the year. Cathy Bender is still taking sign ups, so e-mail her yours if you haven't signed up yet. [cathytom@verizon.net](mailto:cathytom@verizon.net)***

Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
9:30—Beginner Scent Work	9:00—Novice/ Rally Adv/Exc	Morning—Agility Classes
10:00—Advanced Scent Work	10:00—Open/Rally Nov/Inter	6:30—Rally Master/Excellent
6:30—Open Obedience	11:00—Beg.Open/Beg. Novice	7:15—Novice / Beg Novice *
7:00 Conformation (2nd & 4th)	Noon—Workshop Utility	*Class will be adjusted according to sign up.
	Evening—Agility Classes	7:30—Rally Adv/Inter/Novice

## COVID 19 and Classes and Trials

It is great to see what is happening and the cooperation of everyone at club in classes. We have met all the expectations for keeping members safe in training their dogs in the classes.

WWCDTC will be putting on the January weekend trials this year with only one judge. This is being done to keep less people in the building. Plans have been underway in which to handle the exhibitors in a safe way. We hope to have a good entry for both the Rally and Obedience Trials. Help will be gotten to put things together. Mark Christiansen is the Chairperson of these trials. So when he asks for help—please volunteer as that is what makes our trials work.

**MASKS ARE REQUIRED AND REMEMBER  
TO COVER YOUR NOSE!**

## VOLUNTEERS FOR RUN THrus

We welcome back Chris Getter in organizing and putting together our Run Thru Agenda. Chris did it for many years prior to Sandie Perkins. Sandie has taken over Chris's job of getting instructors for classes.

We will be having our next Run Thru on February 6th. A Saturday morning. So when Chris contacts you, or you can contact her to volunteer, say "YES I'll be happy to steward or be acaller". We have changed up the procedure so that less people are in the building at a time. You asked to "show n go" so that we have a minimum amount of people in the building.

Chris Getter's information for contacting is:  
gettmystic@yahoo.com  
262-370-2059

There will also be a sign up sheet at club on the board.

## *MEMBERSHIP*

*We will be welcoming*

*Nicole (Gear) Marien  
Cheryl Catalino  
Leanne Panizick*

*To our Club  
at our January  
Banquet*



## **SNOW DAY PROCEDURES**

Winter is upon us and of course, we don't want you to come to club with bad roads, etc. The procedures we have in place are simple and should be followed.

If there is a WINTER WARNING classes will probably be cancelled. Pam Abrath who lives not far from Club will be calling into the TV stations to put the information about cancellations on. We will probably be under the Waukesha County section because of our name. So watch for this.

If for some reason you don't want to come even if there is no warning, please, please contact your instructor so they know you aren't coming. You can email or call them. We don't want an instructor driving out to club and then finding out that their students aren't there. Just a courtesy.

Plowing and/or salting of the lot will be done usually the first thing in the morning. We notify the plowing service of our events so that he knows to come and plow before an event.

If you are at club and the doors aren't shoveled out, please take the time to do that as it helps keep the building cleaner and it is safer for all club members. All you need to do this is being placed at the doors. Salt and a shovel. Thanks, your Board.

## **HELP WANTED: OBEDIENCE INSTRUCTORS AND ASSISTANTS**

Our classes begin the week of January 4th, and we need obedience instructors or the following classes:

Tuesday evening: Novice

Wednesday morning: Beginner Open and Beginner Novice

Thursday evening: Beginner Novice and Novice

**Please note that the new coordinator for obedience instructors is Sandie Perkins.** Contact her (slpmax1063@gmail.com or 262-470-8750 no texts, please) to choose the class you would like to teach.

**Have you no teaching experience?** We can assign you as an assistant so you can get a taste of what it's like.

**Covid concerns?** We are downsizing the number of students in each class, and the number of classes held at any one time. Masks are required in the building at all times.

**Job Perks?** If you teach two semesters, your dues are free. You get a free shirt and a \$50 stipend to use toward attending educational events (when these start up again). If wanted to give you additional time to train your dog, you will get a key to the building. This can be used when the building is available during off times. You will also feel a tremendous rush of self-esteem from having done your civic duty. Teaching others actually makes us better trainers—another added benefit. You will also earn the enthusiastic gratitude of the WWCDTC Board and what could be better than that?

So contact Sandie Perkins TODAY, before she calls you!. Thanks !!!

## **AKC Obedience & Rally Run Thrus NEW YEAR'S MATCH**

**Saturday, January 2, 2021**

*Utility & Open Run Thrus begin at 9:00 a.m.*

*Novice & Rally Run Thrus will begin not before 11:30 a.m.*

*Gate entries for Utility & Open from 8:30 a.m. until 10:00 a.m.*

*Novice, Beg Novice & Rally Gate Entries starting at 10:30 a.m.*

ate entry fees \$6.00 for 1st entry, \$4.00 for 2nd entry of same dog.  
**asks are required at all times in the building. No crating in building.**  
**ocial distancing will be enforced.**

Dogs must be leashed at all times except when being exhibited.  
Reasonable corrections allowed.

Building phone number: 920-206-9311.

### **Pre Entry fees :**

**\$5.00 Per Entry , \$4.00 2nd entry of same dog.**

**Send pre-entries by Dec. 28, 2020 to:**

**WWCDTC End of Year Match, W1314 Cedar Dr, Ixonia, WI 53036**  
Circle class entered:

Beg. Novice / Novice	Open	Utility	Height
Rally—Novice/ Intermediate	Advanced	Excellent/Master	Height

Dog's Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I assume all financial liability for the acts of my dog(s), myself, my guests or invitees, and hold harmless WWCDTC from any liability and agree to indemnify WWCDTC from any claims arising there from.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Payment must accompany



## ADDITIONAL CLASSES

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

Scent Work with Becki Hirschy  
Thursday nights at 7:00-7:45 pm Beginning  
8:00 p.m. Advanced set ups  
Contact Becki at [beckijo@sbcglobal.net](mailto:beckijo@sbcglobal.net).

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

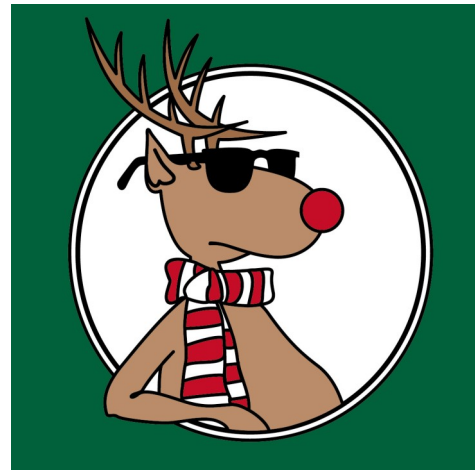
Conformation Classes with Kylie Sievert  
Open to the public—\$5 per handler  
2nd & 4th Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.

As winter is upon us, these may or may not be available due to weather conditions.

## MONDAY NIGHT CLASSES—INSTRUCTORS

Monday night classes are in need of instructors and assistants. This is a great way to give back to your sport, and get new people interested in the sport. Please consider teaching a class (Puppy, Junior Manners or Beginning Manners) or assisting in a class to help participants get the most out of the class.

Contact: Mark Christiansen, [kimark@nconnect.net](mailto:kimark@nconnect.net)  
Koenraad DeRoo, [kderoo@outlook.com](mailto:kderoo@outlook.com)



## FROM THE PRESIDENT

Well, winter is here. By this weekend we are suppose to have snow which will really make a mess around the area. But maybe they could be wrong as it is a bright sunny day this day.

WWCDTC has been busy all year. Yes, much of it was off due to COVID but we are almost back full swing with members doing their part in wearing masks, 6 foot distancing and other COVID regulatons to help stay safe. Trials are slowly coming back with all kinds of restrictions which work. In fact the Badger Kennel Club will be moving their March 20 & 21, 20201 Obedience and Rally Trials to our building to avoid Dane County last minute regulations and then they have to cancel their trial.

Our November trials went very well and were givin high fives by the judge and all the workers. Jim Comunale took pictures of our facility to show other clubs on how to keep things organized and safe. So hopefully others will take a look at what we did and copy. It certainly worked well, and members should be proud of themselves with the ideas they came up with to make our facility safe.

2021 will be busy too. We have a group looking into Tracking Tests. We presently only put on a VST which is great but before you get to this you have to do a TD, TDX so this is what this group is looking into. Mary Daniel is looking into property available for these tests. Seeing it takes about 10 acres per test, it is hard to come up with a piece that works for 4-5 tracks, etc. So watch for further information on this in the coming months. Thanks Mary for taking the time to do all the leg work. Hopefully later this year we will be hosting.

Thank you to Harry Beggs for his years on the board. Harry resigned from the board and was replaced by Sue Kugel. We welcome Sue to the board,

Don't forget to send in your achievements along with a picture in jpeg. I know we won't have too many this year but there are some out there that accomplished titles. These make the banquet special.

As we are on break how, hopefully all are enjoying this. Everyone has plans we are sure for the holidays.

Happy Holidays Joan



# Western Waukesha County Dog Training Club

## Annual Achievement Award Certificate Application

### General Information:

Western Waukesha County Dog Training Club (WWCDTC) recognizes the achievement of its members in the sport of dogs through its Awards Program. An Achievement Award Certificate will be presented at the Club's Annual Awards Banquet in January. For this award, WWCDTC will recognize **ALL TITLES IN ANY REGISTRY**, earned during the previous year while a member in good standing. In order to receive this award, the applicant must currently be a member in good standing, and must complete and submit this award application form by January 15<sup>th</sup> and send it to the Awards Chairperson. **Any title earned may be included on your certificate.**

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

***PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY, EXACTLY AS YOU WANT YOUR DOGS NAME TO APPEAR ON THE CERTIFICATE:***

Dog's name (with all titles listed): \_\_\_\_\_

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Dog's Call Name \_\_\_\_\_

Titles achieved during the 2020 year: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

List any scores/placements or any additional information: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

### **PLEASE PRINT INFORMATION.**

**PLACE FORM AND PHOTO IN JOAN'S BOX BEHIND DOOR IN KITCHEN OR MAIL TO ADDRESS BELOW, OR E-MAIL WITH FORM AND PICTURE. PLEASE BE SURE THE FORM IS LEGIBLE.**

	I have included my dog's photo for printing on my certificate. (Photo will be returned)
	I have e-mailed my dog's photo for printing on my certificate. You may also include your title information; the form does not have to be mailed. (Photo must be jpg.)

Come Celebrate Our Stars  
WWCDTC  
ANNUAL BANQUET  
AND ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS  
Saturday, January 30, 2021

*Members and their families are invited to the Annual Banquet at the Club. The Club will provide Country Style BBQ Ribs, Chicken in Cream Sauce, Broccoli Rice Bake, Veggies, Salad, Rolls and butter and beverages. And of course Dessert*

*Because of the Covid protocols in place we ask that you NOT bring a dish to pass, yes we will all miss everyone's cooking.*

**Masks will be required to be worn whenever possible**

This is the Annual Meeting of the Club. Come celebrate the accomplishments of your fellow members and friends.

We will be presenting a check to Sheriff Milbrath for the Jefferson County K9 Officers

Time: 4:30 p.m. social time—5:30 p.m. Dinner  
General Membership Meeting, Awards and fun to follow:

Cost is \$15.00 per adult, and kids 10 and under are FREE.

Reservation deadline is Wednesday, January 20, 2021

**NO LATE RESERVATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED**

**Send reservations to:**

**Mark Christiansen 630 W. Juneau Str. Hustisford, WI 53034**

**Or put in Banquet Box at Club**

Names of attendees: \_\_\_\_\_

No. attending at \$15.00 each \_\_\_\_\_ Total enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**WESTERN WAUKESHA COUNTY DOG TRAINING CLUB – GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING –  
November 17, 2020**

The meeting was called to order at 7:24 p.m. by Joan Kaml, the President.  
Thanked Jackie Kascht for putting together the program on the building.

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

**SECRETARY'S REPORT** – None

**TREASURER'S REPORT** – Mortgage paid off. There has been little inflow, but the club is still in the black.  
Received a Thank You from the Ixonia Volunteer Fire Dept. for donation.

**PRESIDENT'S REPORT** – Thanked people for coming tonight

Harry Beggs resigned from Board. Thanked Harry for his service on the Board. There will be a temporary appointment until the January election.

Working on the Calendar for 2021 Dodge County Canines UKC conformation will be in Madison

**DIRECTOR OF TRAINING REPORT - Board**

**Monday Night** - Mark Christiansen

Next session starts Jan. 04, 2021 Class changes - Will have 2-Beginning Manners and 2-Beginning Junior Manners classes. Will incorporate CGC into Jr Manners.

Thank you to Maridel for coming in to set up for class on Monday morning

**Obedience** – Winter session starts January 5, 2021. Send in class sign ups to Cathy Bender

**Scent work** – Sue Kugel reported classes to continue thru December. Becky Jo Hershey having run thru practices in December. Looking at January Beginning scent work classes on Thurs. evenings

**Rally Classes** – Marlene Unke will be teaching Novice and Kris Kerr will teach Advanced and Masters

**Trick Class** – Donna Schmitt taking a break

**Agility** – Katie Gusie will have pickup classes in December on Wed. evenings, start at 6:00pm

**Conformation** – Kylie for winter, start in January

**CGCA & CGCU** – Start back in Spring 2021

**COMMITTEE REPORTS –**

**Meetings/Programs –**

**Annual Banquet** – January 1/30/21. Mark in charge, info to be out soon. Everything will be catered, no food

by members. Achievement Awards – Joan will work on Donation to Sheriff Department

**Health Clinic** – Cancelled for 2021

**Trials – AKC VST** – Went well. There were 7 tracks laid, 2 teams passed

**Scent Work** – Was a success, everything went very smoothly. Made \$2600.

**Obed/Rally** – Nov. 27, 28 & 29. Have 45 rally entries & 64 obedience entries. Closed early because trial

is full. January trial entries are coming in.

**Trials – UKC Rally Trial** – February 20 & 21, 2021. Secretary – Denine Ackerbauer. Still need a chairperson. Saturday will be 2 Obedience and 1 Rally trial. Sunday will be 1 Obedience and 2 Rally Trials.

April 2021 Secretary – Debbie O'Brien Chairperson – Kris Kerr

**Run Thrus** – Candy Cane Caper – had good attendance. Cleared \$200 New Year's Match – Jan. 2, 2021

Beginner Novice Run Thrus – Dec. 5. Carol Moser and Sandy Perkins organized.

Sandy Flatten will "judge"

**Membership** – Thanked Lorene for her service the last several years, she is resigning at the end of the year.

Mark taking over temporarily. Looking for someone to take over the duties after the upcoming dues are taken care of.

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading** – Leanne Panizich & Nicole Marien – returning member **2<sup>nd</sup> Reading** – none

**Dues** – Members will be getting ½ off dues, Instructors get credit for the year.

Dues notices available at banquet.

**Building/Grounds/Housekeeping** – Thanked Joe Kugel for the daily maintenance. If notice something, please speak up. Faucet in 1<sup>st</sup> bathroom will be fixed

Thanked Karen Slack for overseeing Joy, Lisa, Joe and Russ.

Information for Winter class cancellations will be done by Pam again this year.

**Newsletter** – Need a new Newsletter Editor in 2021. Mini newsletter format is fine.

**Website** – Lisa working on updates



**Nominating Committee – Sandy Perkins**

**Slate for 2021 – Secretary:** Debbie O'Brien **Treasurer:** Barb Drake

**Board:** Bev Pfeiffer, Lisa Kutschera and replacement for Harry Beggs vacancy

Sue Kugel expressed interest in Board position Voting to take place at the January Banquet

**OLD BUSINESS** – Need someone to take care of the Wall of Fame

**NEW BUSINESS** – Yahoo Groups cease to exist mid-December. Will test Google Groups out, will get more information

at the banquet. Will go back to sending emails until we get Google Groups

Possible TD and TDU Tests Mary Reich, Mary Daniels and others working on putting on some

tests in

the future.

**NEXT MEETING** – Banquet 1/30/21

**ADJOURNMENT** – Meeting was adjourned at 8:04pm

**BRAGS**

Respectfully submitted

Debbie O'Brien, Secretary

