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January/February, 2020

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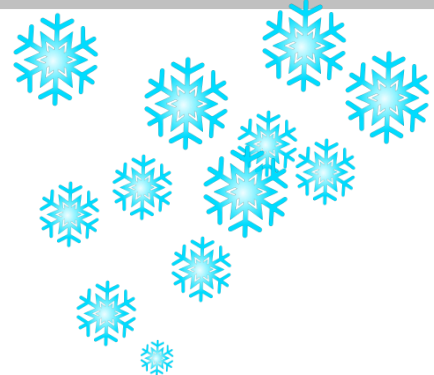
Annual Banquet and Achievement Awards



Saturday, January 25, 2020
Social time @ 4:30pm; Dinner @ 5:30
Annual Meeting and Awards to follow



Mark Your Calendars




January 4 & 5 - WWCDTC AKC Obedience & Rally Trials

 January 6 - Winter Session Classes Begin

 January 10- 2nd Friday Rally Run Thru

 January 18 & 19 - Bark River Dog Club UKC Agility Trials

 January 24 - 4th Friday Run Thru

 January 25 - WWCDTC ANNUAL BANQUET & General Membership Meeting (see flyer)

ALL FORMS FOR SIGNING UP TO VARIOUS THINGS ARE ON THE WEBSITE AND/OR AT CLUB.



From the President...

Of course it is that time of the year when everyone is super busy. I hope all had a good holiday season. We will be getting ready for the winter session now and hopefully there won't be too many cancellations of classes due to weather. There is information on the cancellation of class procedures in this newsletter. Can't believe it will be 2020 already. Where has all the time gone?

First, I'd like to thank Karen Slack and everyone who put their heart and soul in working the November Obedience/Rally Trials. We had a great Rally entry of 90 for one trial and 83 for the other. Everyone had a great time on Friday as Rally was the only thing going on. Then Saturday and Sunday the obedience part of it happened and that too was a great time with a nice entry for that also. Many thanks go out to all who worked the trials. They don't happen unless our members volunteer to steward, etc. If you entered the trial that is great too and hopefully you achieved what you entered.

From the President... continued-

Second, thank you to Joan and Wayne Christensen for putting together the Rally Master Sign Class. The three weeks went fast and it was well attended. Everyone really enjoyed it and learned tons on the upper level of Rally. Thanks Joan and Wayne for doing that extra class.

Third, thank you to those instructors who continued their classes for a few weeks in December. This helps people keep their dogs tuned up over the winter months when there is down time because of weather etc.

Lots of things coming up in January to keep us busy. The AKC Obedience/Rally Trials are the first weekend. The entry isn't as good as last year, but okay. We know that sometimes weather concerns are considered when entering. Hopefully, we will not have any concerns for that.

There is a UKC Agility play day scheduled for January 12th starting at noon. Karen Slack is heading that up so come and run your dog on the UKC Agility equipment to get ready for the UKC Agility Trials the following weekend – January 18 & 19.

After that we have the Annual Banquet on the 25th of January at Club. Tara is in charge of this little event. Entry forms are in the newsletter so send them in to her or put them in the box at club that you are coming. It is always a wonderful evening of good friends and good food. Bring the dish to pass as assigned by letters on the flyer. We will also present to the Sheriff's Department the annual proceeds from the Raffle held at the November Trial.

Look in the newsletter for other happenings coming up. Classes start the week of January 6th. Cathy Bender has been working hard on getting the class listings organized and ready for the instructors.

One last thing is that we are in dire need of instructors. So, if you wish to becoming an instructor for WWCDTC, for Obedience talk to Chris Getter, Agility – Karen Slack, Rally – Jen Effler-Leveille, Monday night – Tara or Mark. There is an apprentice program so that you can shadow an instructor so that you get your feet wet. There are also many benefits to being an instructor. But the Club doesn't operate unless we have instructors. So please consider being one for the future. It only takes two 10 week sessions to teach and get free dues and other benefits.

Also, one little reminder, when you are sending e-mails on the Yahoo groups, please sign your name. There is no way of telling who sent them unless you do. As we have many multiple first names around, put your last name if you are one of those. Thanks!

Everyone have a great 2020.

Joan

PS – Now there is another big THANK YOU to Mark for Chairing, Karen for Chief Ring Steward and Trophies, Barb for Kitchen Duty, and all the Stewards who worked their hearts out at our January 2020 Trials. A very successful weekend and a lot of compliments for the efficiency these trials are r



**WESTERN WAUKESHA COUNTY DOG TRAINING CLUB – GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING –
November 19, 2019**

The meeting was called to order at 8:25 p.m. by Joan Kaml, the President.

Joan thanked Mittsy Violes from Lake Mills Veterinary Clinic and very good presentation on behavior.

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

SECRETARY'S REPORT – Reported that the April UKC Obedience/Rally trial is now up on the UKC website.

TREASURER'S REPORT – Treasurer's report was approved as read.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT –

Calendar for 2020 is being worked on

Thanked Betsy Sande and Joanne Kullman for volunteering at Casserly Veterinary's open house

TRAINING COMMITTEE – Board

Classes for Winter – Sign up forms are out – need emergency contact information & put in Cathy's box in kitchen. There are no limits on classes, but if not attending please let instructor know.

Weather guidelines – Classes are cancelled for Warnings and not for Advisories or Watches. If instructor doesn't want to teach class, please find someone else who will teach or call all of your students to cancel.

Instructor Meeting - Sun. 12/8. Sign up tonight or at the meeting. Chris Getter in charge of Obedience instructors. Jen Effler in charge of Rally instructors. Always looking for new instructors.

Special Classes for break – Agility pick up class Wed. 6pm. Rally Master class – Wed mornings Dec. 4, 11 & 18 by Joan Christensen & Anne Millane. Command Discrimination class Tues. 12/3 evening by Chris Getter.

Monday Night – Administrative help is needed. CGC, CGCA and CGCU classes will start again in Spring.

Trying to get an instructors meeting together, see Tara if interested in helping or instructing.

Scentwork – Thurs. night Intro to Scent class will start at 6:00pm

Trick Class – Day class will be offered if interest

Conformation – pick up classes in December

COMMITTEE REPORTS –

Meetings/Programs –

Banquet – January 25, 2020. Tara is the coordinator. Flyer is out. Theme – For Love of the Dog. Joan in charge of Achievement Awards – Flyer out. Please send picture and achievements.

Health Clinic – Mar. 14, 2020. Flyers will be out shortly.

Grounds/Building/Housekeeping – Please shovel by doors and put ice melt down. There is a shovel and bucket of ice melt by each entrance door. Snowplowing and salting will be done as needed.

A new fan will be replaced Friday 11/22 on the north end of the building.

Trials – AKC

October Agility Trial Wrap Up – Donna reported the trial went really well.

November Scent Work Trial Wrap Up – 464 runs in 2 days. Great trial, was done really well.

November Obedience/Rally Trials – Karen Slack has all stewards and a couple of people coming to help clean up on Sunday. Help needed for set up on Wednesday.

Trials – UKC

October Obedience/Rally Trial – Anne thanked everyone that competed. Trial went well.

January Agility Trial – Jan. 18 & 19, 2020. Play date is Jan 12

February Agiliy Trial – before UKC Conformation Show

April Obedience/Rally Trial – April 18 & 19.

4th Friday Run Thrus – Thanked Sandy Perkins. Will start again in January, there will be none in February.

Membership – Lorene Schramm

1st Reading – Stephanie Ziety.

2nd Reading – Kelly Raylof, Pat Soik, Kris LoDuca, Sherri Perot, Juanita Comeau. Welcomed as new members.

Website – Still down due to maintenance issue at Go Daddy. Email Lisa Kutschera information for the website

Newsletter – Thanked Lorene and Kim. Next deadline Dec. 20. Need articles, photos, announcements, etc

Nominating Committee – Sandy Perkins chair. Offices open are President, Vice President and 2 Board members, Tara and Nancy. Any nominations, submit a note until Dec. 31.

OLD BUSINESS – None

NEW BUSINESS – Waukesha KC having a BOB Match & 2 Rally Trails Feb. 22, 2020. Karen Slack proposed a full cleaning of the building. Anyone has contacts for commercial cleaners that are insured. Club clothing see Joan

NEXT MEETING DATE – January 25, 2020, Annual Banquet

ADJOURNMENT – Meeting was adjourned at 9:15 pm

BRAGS

Respectfully submitted

Debbie O'Brien, Secretary

Officers & Board Elected for the 2019-2020 Years

President - Joan Kaml (1/19)
262-781-8072

Karen Slack (1/20)
920-625-3831

Vice President - Mark Christiansen (1/19)
920-344-0001

Sandy Perkins (1/20)
262-470-8750

Secretary - Deb O'Brien (1/20)
414-302-1968

Harry Beggs (1/20)
920-342-7042

Treasurer - Barbara Drake (1/20)
262-784-1428

Nancy Schmitt (1/19)
414-412-0008

Tara Matusiewicz (1/19)
608-576-1309

Notes from the Membership Director

As the year winds down, a couple of reminders for all members... when you become a member, you agree to volunteer at a minimum of 2 events for the club. These might be trials, run thrus, the health clinic, or other events the club sponsors. Additionally, you agree to attend at least two general membership meetings throughout the year. Not only do we enjoy seeing members at meetings and events, but it is how you support your club and stay up to date on club activities. Please be sure to fulfill your obligation!

Also, if you have a change in your email address, please let me know. Send a note to loreneschramm@gmail.com and I will update the club's email listing. This is for email only – I am not the yahoo group coordinator!!

Lorene Schramm



HEALTH CLINIC – MARCH 14, 2020

This year's Health Clinic plans are well on their way. This year we are adding Echo Cardiograms for those in need of one to further check on their dog's heart condition if there is a question on it. Dr. Heidi will be doing these along with the regular listening procedure. So spread the word on that if you have a breed that might need this test besides. It will cost \$255 for members and \$260 for non-members. But remember you are saving the veterinarian office charge for example.

Looking Ahead....2020 WWCDTC DATES

January 10 – Rally Run Thrus

January 12 – UKC Agility Play Day

January 18 – 19 – UKC Agility Play Day

January 25 – WWCDTC Annual Banquet & Meeting

February 7 – BRDC UKC Agility Trial

February 14 – Rally Run Thrus

February 28 – NO 4TH FRIDAY RUN THRUS

March 13 – Rally Run Thrus

March 14 – WWCDTC HEALTH CLINIC

March 17 – GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

March 24 – Spring Session Starts

Mark your personal calendars with these events for the first half of 2020.

Meeting dates will be forthcoming shortly.

BARK RIVER DOG CLUB UKC AGILITY TRIAL AND PLAY DAY

Donna Schmitt and Katie Guse will be running this trial again on the 18th and 19th of January. This is always a good trial to enter with your dog. There are 4 trials on the weekend so you can achieve a title plus points and other things needed in UKC. The premiums are on the website and at club. If you aren't familiar with this, come and watch. Some of the equipment is a little different but fun. The classes have this equipment out usually a week or two before the trial so you could practice and also there is a play day on the 12th of January at noon so you can practice on it.

ANNUAL BANQUET AND ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

The Annual Banquet is coming up on the 25th of January. The flyer is in this newsletter with the details. Tara has chosen a Valentine Theme this year, "***For the LOVE of our Dogs***". If you have accomplished some titles with your dog, fill out and submit the form attached to the newsletter so that you can receive an **Achievement Award** for your accomplishments. The form is in this newsletter also and there are some out at club too.

The banquet main dishes will be catered by Glenn's Catering, however, you are asked to bring a dish to pass. The breakdown by alphabet is on the flyer.

Winter Weather Class Cancellations

Wisconsin winters can be tough as we all know...

WWCDTC uses the National Weather Service "winter weather warning" to determine that class cancellations will be communicated to you, as well as, the discretion of class instructors and the Club Directors. The safety of our membership is very important to us!



In the event of class cancellation due to severe weather, cancellations will be communicated to you via the following methods:

- WWCDTC Facebook page
- Local TV stations weather closing listings
- Class instructors

Stay safe this winter!!



Conformation

Classes

Schedule

Reminder

Conformation classes are held the 2nd and 4th Tuesday evening each month. You can check the calendars attached or the club website to find these classes. Open to the public.



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The Recall

Do you have an article for the next edition of

"The Recall"?

Email your article, photograph, recipe, or story to:

wwcdtcnews@gmail.com

Articles must be received by February 15, 2020 to appear in the January Newsletter.

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Achievement Awards 2019

WWCDTC recognizes the achievements of its members and their dogs at the Annual Banquet. Each dog receives a certificate listing their titles earned over the course of the year. In order to be recognized, you must fill out the form included in this newsletter and submit it along with a photo of your dog to the Award Chairperson by January 15, 2020.



WWCDTC DOG MEMORIAL

Unfortunately, we have to say goodbye to our best friends at some point. WWCDTC has a Memorial Board in the entrance where you can honor your friend. A plate which includes the dog's name, life span, titles earned, owner, etc., will be made and placed on the Memorial Board. WWCDTC invites members to memorialize their dog there. Forms are available on the board and the cost is \$25.

