

WWCDTC



The Recall

July, 2018

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From the Prez...

What's Up At Club?

- 4th Friday Run Thrus
Friday, July 27
- General Membership
Meeting, Ice Cream
Social, & Trick Dog
Demonstration
Tuesday, July 31 at 7pm
- **NO 4th FRIDAY RUN**
THRU IN AUGUST
- Bark River Dog Club
UKC Agility Trial
September 1 & 2
- WWCDTC Picnic
Saturday, September 22
- 4th Friday Run Thru
Friday, September 28



THANK YOU doesn't seem like enough for all the members who helped with the flooring weekend. It was awesome to see them pull out the old floor and put in the new one. An awesome job was done by all. We have gotten lots of compliments on it from not only our own members but also exhibitors in the two obedience/rally trial weekends that have been held on it. But the big THANK YOU also goes to Mark who orchestrated this project. Went to 20 miles north of Eau Claire to get it on Thursday, came back on Friday, unloaded it and then figured out how all was going together. We are glad to have such wonderful members who help when called upon. What else is happening?

Well, we survived our obedience/rally trials on the 24th of June, with the Greater Milwaukee Poodle Club hosting theirs on the 23rd. All went well both days and I know some of our members accomplished goals. Now we are off to our AKC Agility Trials on the 7 & 8 of July held at Think Pawsitive. I understand that we have filled that trial with 330 runs. That is great. Donna Schmitt will be looking for helpers, so if you are available contact her at keezzz@hughes.net and volunteer.

Don't forget to come to the meeting on the 31st of July. It is the Ice Cream Social. Ice cream and toppings provided by the Club. Members can bring sweet treats too. The program will be by Donna Schmitt - It will be on

trick dog training. She will be showing some great tricks with Sherlock that can be taught to your dog and then be able to qualify for the TKN (Trick Dog Novice) Title. But she will explain all that. So plan on coming.

Otherwise, summer is here. It is far too hot now to do anything outside with the dogs. So keep your dogs inside in the air conditioning along with yourself. Have a great summer.

Happy heeling,

Joan





From the VP's Desk...

A New Floor at WWCDTC

Hi Everyone,

I hope everyone is enjoying the new floor. I think it turned out really nicely and have heard mostly good comments about it. Everyone who has trialed on it has had rave reviews from what I have heard. The real test will be when we have our first Agility trial on it. Because of all the great people that we have in the club who helped out, the project went very smoothly. I am not going to list everyone that helped out because I am sure I would forget someone. We owe everyone who helped out a great big **THANK YOU!** You guys and gals are awesome.

We started Friday afternoon at about 2:00 when I got back from picking up the mats. Once we got the truck unloaded, the real work started. First off, we had to remove all of the old rubber roofing. We were going to leave some large sections to cover the floor for the banquets but found out they were just too heavy to move around. So we cut some small mats and larger sections that people had asked for in advance.

Then, on to removing the cow mats... A huge thank you to Joe Kugel for bringing in his tractor and

trailer for us to use to haul the mats outside. That made all the difference in the world for this project. We would load about 20 of them on the trailer at a time and pull them and pile them up outside. We managed to remove about half of the mats Friday night, and get that section of the floor cleaned.

We started up again at 9:00 on Saturday morning removing the rest of the mats and cleaning the rest of the floor. There was some water under the mats but not really as much as I had anticipated. I started laying the new floor at about 9:30 and after I got a small area started the rest of the crew went to work. They had the main body of the floor laid in about 5 hours.

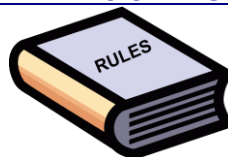
Meanwhile, some went about the task of patching in the pieces along the sides. I think we had the whole floor in place by about 4:30. Thank you to Joe, Jen, and George for staying and finishing the patch work.

On Sunday, there were just a lot of little tasks to be done like, taping the rubber roofing at the ends and putting the building back together after we vacuumed it with the new vacuum. Some of the ladies went about detail cleaning the building Sunday, as well as,

Saturday. The kitchen was scrubbed, freezer defrosted, windows cleaned, and a whole bunch of other tasks too numerous to mention. One other thing that Kurt Hackbarth did on Saturday was replace the two lights above the front tables with LED bulbs. That made a huge difference in the amount of light in the building. So that will be our next project; replacing all of the bulbs with LED ones. Hopefully, we will tackle that project this fall sometime.

So, a **HUGE THANK YOU**, to everyone who helped with **this project**. We have a great group of people in this club and that makes projects like this go really smoothly.

NEW FLOOR RULES



So, with the new floor, we have a couple of new rules that we need to follow to help keep the floor looking great for a long time. First off, if your dog has an accident or you spill something on the floor please clean it up right away. The sooner it gets cleaned up the less likely it is to seep into the seams. You can clean up

messes the same as we always have. I have noticed that the Odor Ban has a tendency to foam up a little when using it on this floor but it still works great. The next rule is a big one. Please, if you bring your crates or your chairs into the club, to use for an event or meeting or anything else, please make sure you put a mat or rug down under them especially your chairs. Please check your chairs and make sure they are in good condition and have all of the rubber feet on them so they don't pierce the floor. The plastic chairs that we have cannot be used until we get enough tennis balls to put on the legs because for the first trial we had they pierced the floor very badly in some areas. We have small rubber mats available to be used back in the agility area. Once we have a spot cleaned out in cold storage, they will be moved there. If we follow these simple rules I am sure we can probably get around 10 years of life out of the floor. I hope everyone enjoys the new floor.

Thanks Again,

Mark



WESTERN WAUKESHA COUNTY DOG TRAINING CLUB *GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

(*Minutes submitted for approval at the July 31st meeting.)

May 24, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 8:20 pm by Joan Kaml, the President. Joan thanked the Jefferson County Sheriff's Department for their presentation.

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

SECRETARY'S REPORT – No report

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

PRESIDENT'S REPORT – Reminder to keep the building straightened out, as rentals, etc. come in. Put chairs away and take you own stuff with you at the end of the day. Memorial for Rick Pfeiffer – Club going to plant a tree with a plaque

TRAINING COMMITTEE – DIRECTOR OF TRAINING REPORT - Joan Kaml filled in for Mark Christiansen

CLASSES – Watch for the sign-up sheets for the Summer session

MONDAY NIGHT - Going well

CONFORMATION CLASSES – 2nd and 4th Tuesdays ACHIEVEMENT MATCH – Mark wanted to thank everyone for participating and helping 4 th FRIDAY RUN THRUS – Linda Warn – We are filled for this time. Have a nice Open class signed up

COMMITTEE REPORTS –

MEETINGS/PROGRAMS –

July Meeting – 7/31. Donna Schmitt will have a demonstration on dog tricks and stunt dog

September Meeting – 9/22 Club Picnic, we need someone to organize it. Seminars – Possible – We could not coordinate a weekend with Linda Koutsky, but are looking into some other options

GROUND/ BUILDING/HOUSEKEEPING – Mark Christiansen

Flooring – Mark will go next Friday 6/01 to get the flooring. We are still looking for help, there is a signup sheet and an email will be sent. If you don't hear anything, give Mark a call. Friday 6/01 we will start taking out the floor, be at the club at 2:30pm. Bring vise grips if you have them, they will be needed to remove the stall mats. We have already sold quite a few of the stall mats and some of the rubber roofing. Will be cutting up some of the roofing for mats to keep at the Club. Will start laying the new flooring on Saturday 6/02, be here at 9:00am. All crates must be set on a mat.

Repairs – installed new middle A/C unit, cost \$ 5000

Equipment – buying a new 30" vacuum cleaner for the new floor, will pick it up the end of the week

Flower Pots – Planting will be done the Sunday of Memorial Day weekend

Lights – Joe and Mark will be installing all LED lights in the building

MEMBERSHIP – The new membership booklets with a pen are out – please take yours. If you find any mistakes, you can blame Joan Kaml and Mark Christiansen

1st Reading – Mary Dray

2 nd Reading – Kate Blanton – returning member

Put new members 1st and 2nd readings in the newsletter

TRIALS – AKC

June Obedience and Rally Trial – 6/24 Chairperson: Barb Drake One day trial, has had a good response

July Agility Trial – 7/07 & 7/08. Location is Think Pawsitive; Chairperson – Donna Schmitt. It will be one big ring

TRIALS – UKC

Conformation – 8/25 & 8/26

Agility Trial – Labor Day weekend

Obedience & Rally Trial – October

NEWSLETTER – Deadline June 20. Need pictures, articles, announcements, etc.

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

OLD BUSINESS – None

NEW BUSINESS – Donna Schmitt mentioned that Waukesha Kennel Club is looking for volunteers for their upcoming show Donna Schmitt mentioned that the printer did not work for the Agility trial, this delayed the start of the trial. Please let us know if something breaks or doesn't work. Anne DeRoo – CGCA test 6/19 or CGCU on 6/26. Your dog already has to be CGC registered to try for advanced title. Class will start again on 7/03, currently only 3 openings left Chris Getter will have a Beginning Utility class on Tues nights at 8:00pm in July. Need to contact Chris Getter if interested.

NEXT MEETING DATE – July 31, 2018 Ice Cream Social

ADJOURNMENT – Meeting was adjourned at 8:50 pm

BRAGS

Respectfully submitted

Debbie O'Brien, Secretary



CLUB NOTES

WWCDTC AKC AGILITY TRIAL July 7 & 8

A big "THANK YOU" goes out to the Agility crew of this club. Donna Schmitt and her team did an awesome job running the trials this past weekend at Think Pawsitive. The trials filled this year, meaning there were 330 runs per day. Stress entered into the picture big time when the judge we hired was unable to get here due to the airlines. What do you do then - well after you think about it for a few minutes try to hire another judge (close), and get all the approvals needed from AKC. Fortunately she was able to get Kathy Rudolph using the previous judges' courses and everything was approved. But you don't settle down until the trial is over. Everything ran very well with all the great help our members and exhibitors gave. Again, a big "THANK YOU" to our Agility Team!

Do you have a THERAPY DOG?

On the third Thursday of every month from 9:00-11:00 AM there is a group of therapy dogs that meet at All About Learning in Oconomowoc. There they are using their dog skills and gentle nature to make all different age groups have a happier day.

Then in the evening a group of therapy dogs meet the Third Thursday at the Watertown Library in the children's section upstairs so all types of children can read to these patient dogs. 6:30-7:30PM This positive experience can even encourage poor readers to read more. Come join the fun!
-Susan Czyzewicz

My Granddaughter is showing another student how to check Emma's teeth 😊



Emma the Airedale



We Lose A Friend...

RICK PFEIFFER

1952-2018



Long Time member, Rick Pfeiffer, passed away on May 19, 2018. Rick and Bev Pfeiffer have been members of WWCDTC since 1977. Rick trained several of his Alaskan Malamutes in obedience over the years. One of his dogs achieved her CDX which was a special accomplishment. Rick was also very involved in the Club's building of our training facility. He installed all of the fencing around the yard and he updated the area around the building with railroad ties several years ago. Rick was always at Club when needed for some hefty project. In fact, when we were on the third floor of the building in Oconomowoc, and we would have to take our matting to the Jefferson County Fairgrounds to hold our AKC obedience trials, Rick was the one who would carry those rolls, like there was nothing to it, up and down those stairs. (Thank goodness we don't have to do that anymore.)

Rick will be missed, not only by his family, but also by all of his "dog" friends at WWCDTC.

Rick's obituary can be found at <https://s3.amazonaws.com/CFSV2/obituaries>

Reminder...Annual Rally/Obedience Trial Raffle November 2018



The WWCDTC Obedience/Rally Trial 2018 will be held November 23-25. Claudia Sonnenberg is in charge of the raffle for the event. The raffle includes baskets donated from each WWCDTC class; items donated by area businesses, and, hopefully, baskets donated by club members as well as, a

50/50 raffle on Friday evening. Proceeds of the raffle are donated to the Jefferson County Sheriff's K-9 Unit. In the past, many of the winners of the 50/50 Raffle have turned their winnings back into the money we donate to the Sheriff's department. Members are invited to donate baskets for the

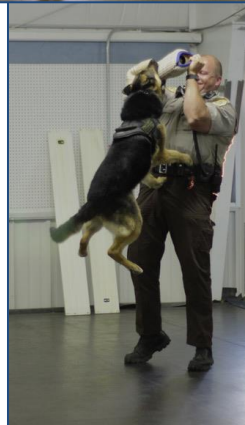
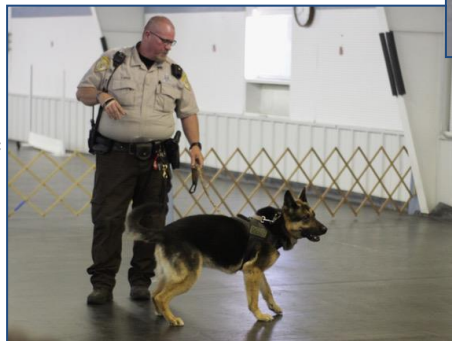
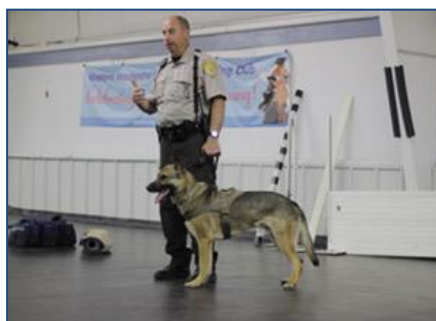


Raffle. Basket theme ideas include: Breed baskets, Rally baskets, Obedience baskets. Please direct questions to Claudia.

WHY DONATE to the raffle???

The Jefferson County Sheriff's K-9 Unit visited the WWCDTC May 24 membership meeting and introduced the membership to the K-9 officers and their handlers. The teams brought a commemorative plaque for the club to thank us for our donation of the proceeds of the WWCDTC November Obedience/Rally Trial raffle to support the K-9 Unit. The K-9 Unit is almost entirely supported by donations from the community, making our interest and support highly valued and important to the jobs these hardworking teams.

The K-9 officers and handlers demonstrated their skills and talked with the membership about the program. Topics included training each dog receives, life as a K-9 officer and handler, the roles that K-9 officers play in the community, and costs involved in obtaining and supporting the K-9 officers.



K-9 officer teams' work includes:

Law enforcement, community relations, criminal apprehension, drug and substance search and more.

Frozen Dog Treat Recipes



Peanut Butter Banana Frozen Dog Treats

Blend:

3 Ripe Bananas
32 ounces Plain Yogurt
1 cup Peanut Butter

Pour mixture into ice cube tray.

Freeze for several hours.

Treat your pup to a chilly reward!



Gabriel, owned by Deb Klemp,
"I'll get my dish. Bring on the
cold treats mom!"

Pup Frozen Treat Recipe

1/2 cup organic plain yogurt
2-3 tbsp raw honey
1/2 overripe banana
Fruit of choice (strawberries and blackberries
work very well)

Mix yogurt, honey and banana until smooth.
Add in fruit and mix to blend.

Spoon into empty ice cube trays.

Freeze several hours.

Store in bags - a perfect treat for these hot
summer days!

** easy to double recipe if you have enough
ice cube trays! **



Wagging Rights 2018



My Border Collie, Brodie, and I competed in
the 4 UKC rally trials on May 12th & 13th, 2018 at
the Dodge County Canine Club. He earned his
RO-2 title with 3 first places.

The 2nd trial on Sunday we moved up to level 3.
Brodie again earned a 1st place as well as High In
Trial.

Not bad for a rescue dog. -Wayne Christensen



Cheerio's I am A Honey Of A
Bea, "Bea" earned her BN on
June 9th winning 1st place with
a 196. -Joan Kaml



On June 17, in Grayslake, IL, at the Little
Fort KC show, Technique I'll Have The Final
Say, BN, RN, JH, CGC, Siobhan, became a
Champion! She completed her CH in two
months with 3 major wins. -Jean Granger

Layla and Lucy both received their CAA (Coursing Ability
Advanced) titles at the CAT event that was hosted by
Cudahy Kennel Club on May 12 in Oak Creek, WI. Time
to start chasing that CAX! -Anne & Koenraad De Roo

Zoli (Stonehill For Auld Lange Syne) earned his Novice Draft
Dog title May 26 in Iowa. Then on June 9 he got an AKC Rally
Novice title and June 10 he got his Beginner Novice title. He also
amused the crowd on May 27 by jumping out of the ring during
the recall and on June 9 by zooming around the ring several times
also during a recall so we haven't achieved perfection quite yet!
Thank you Kerry Waltersdorf for my fun boy, and thank you to
all who have helped me with this bundle of energy! -Cindy Falk



Wagging Rights 2018



On Saturday, July 7, Aspen finished her MACH! Aspen gives her best in everything she does and is truly a champion. MACH Sunfire Absolutely Positive (Aspen), UDT, VCD2, MXB, and so much more. Congratulations Aspen and Karen Johnson!



Last June Harry Beggs and his Norwegian Elkhound, Ch Grayplume's Take Back Time aka Kar, traveled to Genoa City to try sheep herding at Shannon Wolfe's farm. It was a cool cloudy day, perfect for Elkhounds. Kar was first in the ring to chase sheep (herding). When Shannon told her she could not catch the sheep, just herd them around, Kar understood. She did an outstanding job and earned her Herding Instinct title.

CGC wags...

Congratulations to all of the teams who passed their CGCU evaluation on Tuesday, June 26:

Julie & Dharma (on Dharma's birthday!)

Kim & Quinn

Virginia & Buster

Amy & Luna

Sue & Honey

Keep up the good work!




This is an amazingly fun, yet challenging class! The students learn how to navigate urban life and be "out & about" with their dog in a real life, community based setting. It's harder than it looks when you have people of all sizes that the dogs don't know approaching and wanting to pet, walking in and out of stores, in and out of elevators, up and down stairs, urban noises and distractions. I'm really proud of the effort that everyone who has taken this class has put into training their dogs both in the ring and outside in the community! Plus, a huge thank you to all of the stores who have helped us by allowing access to the dogs for training on Tuesday evenings!



July 2018



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Week 5 Puppy/Manners Classes	3 OFF	4 	5 OFF	6	7 WW AKC Agility Trials @ Think Pawsitive
8 WW AKC Agility Trials @ Think Pawsitive	9 Week 6 Puppy/Manners Classes	10 Week 1 AM Rally PM Obedience	11 Week 1 Obedience/ Rally/Agility	12 Week 1 Agility Obedience Rally	13	14
15	16 Week 7 Puppy/Manners Classes	17 Week 2 AM Rally PM Obedience	18 Week 2 Obedience/ Rally/Agility	19 Week 2 HAWS Kids' Agility Agility Obedience /Rally	20	21 Rental Alaskan Malamutes Picnic
22	23 Week 8 Puppy/Manners Classes	24 Week 3 AM Rally PM Obedience	25 Week 3 Obedience/ Rally/Agility	26 Week 3 Agility/Obedience/ Rally	27 Basenjis' Specialty (during the day) 4 th Friday Run Thrus	28
29	30 Puppy/Manners ORIENTATION	31 WW GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING Week 4: AMRally				

August 2018



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2 HAWS Kids Agility	3 Rental Sandra Ladwig Camp	4 Rental Sandra Ladwig Camp
5 Rental Sandra Ladwig Camp	6 <u>Week 1</u> Puppy/Manners Classes	7 <u>Week 4</u> AM Rally PM Obedience	8 <u>Week 4</u> Obedience/Rally Agility	9 <u>Week 4</u> Agility/Obedience Rally	10	11
12	13 <u>Week 2</u> Puppy/Manners Classes	14 <u>Week 5</u> AM Rally PM Obedience	15 <u>Week 5</u> Obedience/Rally Agility	16 <u>Week 5</u> Agility/Obedience Rally HAWS KIDS	17	18
19 UKC Agility Playday	20 <u>Week 3</u> Puppy/Manners Classes	21 <u>Week 6</u> AM Rally PM Obedience	22 <u>Week 6</u> Obedience/Rally Agility	23 <u>Week 6</u> Agility/Obedience Rally HAWS KIDS	24 NO 4th Friday Run Thrus Dodge County Canine UKC Rally Trial	25 <u>Rental</u> Dodge County Canine UKC Conformation Show
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September 2018



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 Bark River Dog Club UKC Agility Trials
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9	10 <u>Week 5</u> Puppy/Manners Classes	11 <u>Week 9</u> AM Rally PM Obedience	12 <u>Week 9</u> Obedience/Rally Agility	13 <u>Week 9</u> Agility/Obedience Rally HAWS KIDS	14	15 <u>RENTAL</u> <u>Badger Golden Retriever Club Specialty</u>
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Mark Your Calendar-

*UKC Agility Playday

August 19 at WWCDTC...

Come practice on the UKC equipment.

*The Bark River Dog Club

UKC Agility Trials,

September 1 & 2

at WWCDTC. Two trials per day...4 trials total.

CLUB NOTES

CRATE COVERS - Many Thanks, to Claudia & Roger Sonnenberg, for building wooden covers for the tops of our club crates. These new sturdy additions will make a neater, more serviceable area to place your leash, treats, or bag, when your dog is in the crate, while protecting our canine friends residing below from falling items and dangling leashes!

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 on there. Forms are available on the board and the cost is \$25.

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GOT NEWS?

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Molly is a Bichon-poodle mix, going to be 12 years old in a couple weeks. Purrkins was a shelter kitten who died of mouth cancer a couple years ago at age 13. -Ellen Geiger

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club...

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