NEWSLETTER January 2023

NEXT MEETING February 2nd @ 8:15PM

# THE RECALL















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# FOREST CITY DOG TRAINING CLUB BOARD MEETING AGENDA January 5, 2023

### Call Meeting To Order

The Board meeting of FCDTC was called to order by President Sarah Kittner at 6:11 p.m.

Board Members Present were: Sarah Kittner Jennifer Walker, Patricia Schroder, Sharon Robertson, Connie Scott and Brenda Juhlin.

Absent: Rick Lilly

### Approval of Minutes

The minutes from the December meeting were approved as published in the Recall. The motion was made by Sharon and 2<sup>nd</sup> made by Jennifer.

### **GUESTS**

None

### **Board Reports**

### **Presidents Report: (Sarah Kittner)**

- Sarah presented Connie and Brenda with a token gift for their years of service.
- Legislative Reports will be done by Beth Wiltshire since we do not have a legislative position after updating the SROP.
- Forest City Facebook Page Sarah mentioned that this page is to be used for brags or other club information. It's not for complaining about issues that do not belong on a public page.
- Mona was interested in doing the supply ordering, Sharon is doing this and it will remain with Sharon as things seem to go well since she has the card to pay for these items. If anyone sees we are low on supplies, please email Sharon.

Vice Presidents Report: (Rick Lilly) Absent

### Secretaries Report (Brenda Juhlin)

- Applications
  - o 2<sup>nd</sup> Meeting -
    - Jamie Ries
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Meeting no one
- Awards Deadline is January 15<sup>th</sup>

- 4 H is looking for collar and leash donations IF you have a performance leash or collar, please contact Rick Lilly or Jenny Fingland
- Upcoming Rentals/Trials:

### 2023:

- 1/22 RFIKC AKC Match
- 1/28-1/29 Janesville Beloit Kennel Club
- 3/10-3/12 FCDTC Agility Trial
- 5/14 FCDTC Tracking Test
- 6/10-6/11 FCDTC FastCAT Trial
- 6/16-6/17 Winnebago Labrador Retriever Club
- 6/29-7/2 FCDTC Agility Trial
- 8/19-8/20 FCDTC FastCAT Trial
- 9/22-9/24 FCDTC Rally & Obedience Trial
- 10/7-10/8 FCDTC FastCAT Trial
- 11/10-11/12 Medallion Rottweiler Club Agility Trial
- 12/2-12/4 FCDTC Agility Trial

### Treasurers Report: (Sharon Robertson)

- · November financials reported
- Donation from Bonnie Robinson for agility equipment, thank you card sent to Bonnie.
- 2022 Agility Trial P&L presented from both trials.
- Bill in from Scott for fixing the lights and his work around the club. Jennifer made the motion to pay a total of \$250 which would give him some money for his labor since he was only charging us for his supplies used. Sharon made the motion to approve and motion carried. Sharon will get a check out to Scott.

### **Director Of Training Report: (Connie Scott)**

- Review Session 1 Had to cancel 4 obedience classes and 2 agility classes due to
  only 1 student being registered for the classes. The instructors for those classes will not
  be paid the stipend, but would receive a free class credit.
- Connie brought it to the Board that there are some members that are concerned regarding the way we collect the fecal checks for dogs in our facility. It was suggested that if these members are concerned, they should ask the Secretary to be put on the agenda and bring their concerns to the Board.

### **Director Of Trials Report: (Jenn Walker)**

• New photos are up! The old photos are outside the office to be picked up by those that own those dogs.

Member at Large: (Patricia Schroder) No report

### **Pending Business**

### Awards:

Discuss awards night at the March meeting. Will awards be given out to members with over achiever credits? The Board will give an award to those members with more than 24 credits at the March meeting.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

**Teeter:** Brenda mentioned that Gayle asked me to mention that Carla Wolter will drive to Clip and Go Agility to pick up our teeter top since we approved ordering it and if she picks this up for us, it will save on delivery and we can get it before our March trial. Brenda made the motion to approve paying mileage for Carla to do this, Connie 2nd the motion. Motion carried. This trip is approximately 369 miles (one way) and would cost around \$490 in expense for getting it. If they shipped it to us, it would cost \$575 and we wouldn't be guaranteed we would have it prior to our March trial.

**Rock Valley Credit Union:** Sharon reported that we are going to be opening an account so that we can move our CDs to this credit union now that we will have an officer change. Sharon, Pat and Tammy will be listed on the account. Sharon made this motion and Connie 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Motion carried. Sharon will get this taken care of as soon as possible.

**Chase Bank:** Sharon reported that Brenda will now be taken off the account and Tammy will be added on the account as the officers change after tonight's meeting. Sharon made the motion and Connie 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Motion carried. Sharon will get this taken care of as soon as possible.

### Adjournment

Connie made the motion to adjourn Brenda 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Motion carried, and meeting was adjourned at 7:29 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Brenda Juhlin Secretary



### FOREST CITY DOG TRAINING CLUB GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING AGENDA January 5, 2023

### **Call Meeting To Order**

The Membership meeting of FCDTC was called to order by President Sarah Kittner at 8:16 p.m.

Board Members Present were: Sarah, Jennifer, Patricia, Sharon, Connie and Brenda

Absent: Rick Lilly

Members: 85 Guests: 5

### **Approval of Minutes**

The minutes from the December meeting were approved as published in the Recall. The motion was made by Carla and 2<sup>nd</sup> made by Deb. Motion carried; Minutes approved as published.

### **GUESTS**

None

### **BRAGS**

Jenn Walker	lvy	T2B title earned at AKC Agility Invitational
Anita Wolney	AJ	Agility titles NA, NAJ earned at our December Trial
Nicole Koser	Archer	Earned AKC Advanced Trick Dog Title
Silvia Miyares	Jerry	Earned CGC title @ 10 months old
Brenda Juhlin	Winston	PACH title earned at December Trial
CONGRATULATIONS EVERYONE!!		

### **Board Reports**

### **Presidents Report: (Sarah Kittner)**

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Vice Presidents Report: (Rick Lilly) Absent

### **Secretaries Report**

### Applications –

- Applications were received by Lifetime members for renewal as they are granted until the end of January per governing documents.
- Applications taken from members who did not renew so they will be voted in at the February meeting as they only need to complete application and pay dues, then attend the February meeting to be voted in. All seniority is lost on these applicants as they missed the deadline of 12/31.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Meeting -
  - Jamie Ries
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Meeting none
- Awards Deadline is January 15<sup>th</sup>
- 4 H is looking for collar and leash donations please notify Rick Lilly or Jenny Fingland if you
  have any available to donate to 4-H.

### Treasurers Report: (Sharon Robertson)

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### **Director Of Training Report:**

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only 1 student being registered for the classes. The instructors for those classes will not
be paid the stipend, but would receive a free class credit.

### **Director Of Trials Report: (Jenn Walker)**

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Member at Large: (Patricia Schroder) No report.

### **Committee Reports**

- A. Agility Chair (Cheerie Ohda/Gayle Dixon/Sandy Allen) Gayle reported the trials in December went very well. She thanked everyone for all their help as it takes a village for it to be so successful.
- B. Building & Equipment (Ron Meidinger/John Bowman/Lloyd Fulcer) Ron reported the air on the northside is now set at 64 degrees and that seems to be a temp that works for everyone.
- C. Collars & Leashes (Ronda White) Looking for a volunteer for Saturday 1/14
- D. Conformation (Pati Wiedel) Sunday Classes 1/8 & 1/15, 1/22 AKC Match with Sunday class after the match.
- E. Education (Mona Lilly) Absent
- F. Obed/Rally Chairperson (Dawn Pfluger) Thanked the members that filled in for Session 6 when needed, its appreciated. Reported there were 4 classes canceled and 2 agility classes as well.
- G. Registration (Julia McPherson) All done and went well.
- H. Therapy & Demos (Kathleen Smiley-Alsup) Kathleen reported the Ida Library group in December was well received. She is looking for those who would like to come and show some of the types of things their dog does (obedience, rally, agility, tricks etc) on February 4<sup>th</sup> at 10am at the Ida Public Library in Belvidere.

### **Pending Business**

No business pending

### **NEW BUSINESS**

Sarah announced there were 3 Lifetime Members selected and one award went to Gayle Dixon! Congratulations Gayle for your time and service to our Club!! Gayle was awarded with a plaque for her Lifetime Membership. The other two will be presented in February.

Excuse Guests for Voting

### **Board Election:**

Sarah reads the rules for the election to the membership. Those with dues not currently paid will not be allowed to vote.

### Nominations:

Vice President:

Meg Hennessey

Secretary:

Tammy Tucker

Director of Training:

Sydney Baldwin Julia McPherson

Each candidate was given 3 minutes to speak on their behalf. In addition, each candidate was allowed one person to speak for one minute on their behalf.

The motion was made by Brenda Juhlin to suspend the meeting after voting took place while the ballots were being counted. Carla 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Motion carried.

The meeting was then called back to order after the ballot committee (Kathleen, Sandy and Brenda) completed the count.

The meeting was again called to order by President Kittner as she announced the following results:

Vice President: Meg Hennessey

Secretary:

Tammy Tucker

Director of Training: Sydney Baldwin

Due to the change of officers, Brenda Juhlin will be removed from the Chase Bank Account and Tammy Tucker will be placed on the account.

There was no pending business and no new business discussed.

### Adjournment

Joyce made the motion to adjourn, Carla 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Motion carried, and meeting was adjourned at 9:06 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Brenda Juhlin Secretary

## FCDTC23 - Members Page Password

Online Registration Discount Codes fcdtck923 – 75% off Members On-Line Registration Discount fcdtnew23 – 40% off New Member (less than 12 credits) Discount rescuefcdtc23 – 20% off Rescue/Adoption Discount on 1st Class Agility23 - \$50 discount for agility class

Silvia Miyares announces her dog Jerry - American Staffordshire Terrier earned his Canine Good Citizen title on December 17, 2022. He accomplished this at only 10 months old!

# Congratulations!

