

FVDTC

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WAGGIN' TALES

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September Membership Meeting

The regularly scheduled September membership meeting will be held in person at the Kane County Extension Center (535 S. Randall Rd, St. Charles) at 7:30pm on Wednesday, September 11. We will enjoy a presentation by InterQuest Detection Canines:

- School drug and contraband inspections
- Workplace drug and contraband inspectors
- Counseling assistance and comfort dogs

Join us for a fascinating demonstration and a time for Q&A See Laura Lagger (yp2@fvdtc.org) if you have questions.

Puppy Class Schedule Change

The 6:00pm Puppy class class will be taking a hiatus in December of 2024. The next session (September 12 to November 21) will follow the current schedule. The next session will then start again on January 2.

See Will Short (dot@fvdtc.org) if you have questions.

It's time for the Fall Trials!

FVDTC's annual Tracking Test will be held on Sunday, September 8th, starting at 6:30am, at Fitchie Creek Forest Preserve (39W933 Russell Rd., Elgin, IL.) Come on out and see the fun. Contact Kent Hildebrand (tracking@fvdtc.org) if you have questions.

Next on the calendar: FVDTC's fall Agility Trial will be held September 13-15 at CarDunAI in Huntley. Volunteer opportunities are available on the club web site (www.fvdtc.org). Contact Cathy Fleury (agilty@fvdtc.org) if you have questions.

Last up: FVDTC's Obedience and Rally Trials will be held at the Kane County Fairgrounds on November 16-17. The premium list is available on the club web site (www.fvdtc.org), and you can contact Taffy Wille (obedience@fvdtc.org) if you have questions or want to help.

CERF Eye Clinic

FVDTC will host a CERF eye clinic during regular training on Thursday, October 3, at the Kane County Fairgrounds.

Date: Thursday, October 3rd, 2024

Appointments: 4:40pm - 7:00pm

Location: Kane County Fairgrounds
525 Randall Rd, St Charles, IL
Robertson Building

Test performed by: Denise M. Lindley of Animal Eye Consultants

Cost: \$50 per dog

Registration and payment is required to reserve your spot in the clinic!

Send Check, payable to FVDTC to:
Wendy Waddick
6N275 Brierwood Drive
Campton Hills, IL 60175

Along with your payment, please include:

- Your preferred time for arrival.
- Your dog's name and breed.
- Email Address and phone number

The exam will take place approximately a half hour after your arrival time. Upon arrival, dilation drops will be placed in your dog's eyes to ensure a thorough examination. On the night of the exam, please bring your AKC registration information, if your dog is registered with the AKC.

We will make every effort to fulfill arrival time requests. This clinic will most likely fill, if you want to participate in this clinic, please reserve your spot ASAP!

There will be no refunds of pre-registered examinations fees 2 weeks prior to the clinic date, if you are not able to attend for any reason.

If you are bringing more than 1 dog, please try to bring a helper to hold your dogs during the examinations.

Contact Wendy Waddick (director@fvdtc.org) if you have questions

Membership Report

Hannah Jeselski
Bolingbrook, IL
Completed Beginner class
Cane Corso

Patty Larson
Sycamore, IL
Mix breed
Completed Beginner class.

Marianne Rice
Geneva, IL
Mixed breed
Completed Beginner class

Heidie Peterson
Glen Ellyn, IL
Sheltie
Completed Beginner class

Brittany O'Carroll
St Charles, IL
Completed Puppy class

Calendar

September 2024

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| 05 | Thu | Regular Training 4H Classes Rally Workshop Puppy Ends (6:00pm) |
| 07 | Sat | Tracking Setup |
| 08 | Sun | Tracking Test |
| 11 | Wed | Membership Meeting |
| 12 | Thu | Regular Training 4H Classes Health Clinic Rally Workshop Puppy Begins (6:00pm) |
| 13 | Fri | Agility Trial |
| 14 | Sat | Agility Trial |
| 15 | Sun | Agility Trial |
| 19 | Thu | Fun Match 4H Meeting |
| 26 | Thu | Regular Training 4H Classes Rally Workshop |

October 2024

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| 03 | Thu | Regular Training CERF Eye Clinic Rally Workshop 4H Classes |
| 08 | Tue | Regular Training 4H Classes Rally Workshop Puppy Ends (8:00pm) Adv. Puppy Ends (6:00pm) Beginner Ends (6:00, 7:00, 8:00pm) |
| 13 | Sun | Membership Meeting (Zoom) |
| 17 | Thu | Fun Match 4H Meeting |
| 24 | Thu | Regular Training 4H Classes Rally Workshop Puppy Begins (8:00pm) Adv. Puppy Begins (6:00pm) Beginner Begins (6:00, 7:00, 8:00pm) |
| 31 | Thu | Regular Training |

Are You Getting the Club Email News?

The Waggin' Tales is published on a monthly basis, and is the "primary method of communicating club news to the general membership," according to the club policy statement. But ... that document is pretty old. If you want more timely news, make sure you sign up for the club's email news. Compiled by Pat Senne, and published on a weekly basis, it will provide you with the latest updates from the club. Contact Dave Lewis (president@fvdtc.org) to sign up. For all you social media devotees, make sure you like and follow FVDTC on Facebook, as well. (<https://www.facebook.com/FVDTC>).

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