



# WAGS *and* TALES

## 2024 Farm Dog Certification



### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

- 06/29 Canine First Aid & CPR class
- 07/11 Monthly Membership Meeting @ 7:00pm
- 08/01 Monthly Membership Meeting @ 7:00pm
- 08/03-08/04 IABCA Badger State Sieger
- 08/09 – 8/11 WDC Agility trial @OKC
- 08/16-8/18 WDC Fast CAT Trial @ OKC
- 09/05 Monthly Membership Meeting @ 7:00pm
- 09/21 WDC Fun Match
- 10/03 Monthly membership Meeting @ 7:00pm
- 11/07 Monthly Membership Meeting @ 7:00pm
- 12/05 Monthly Membership Meeting & Christmas Party

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### August News Deadline

Please submit articles

By **July 15** to

[WDCNewsEditor@gmail.com](mailto:WDCNewsEditor@gmail.com)

## MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES – June 6th, 2024

**Secretary Report:** No report.

**Treasurer Report:** Marie gave a financial report of the club's finances. The club had to prepay a portion of the new flooring in order to order it.

**President's Report:** Margie thanked everyone that purchased the old flooring and announced it is all sold. Margie reminded everyone that there will be no meeting July 4th but the meeting will be held July 11th.

**Committee's:**

Louise Torkelson gave an update on the Farm Dog Certification being held June 23, 2024. Pre-entries close June 20th, but accepting day of show entries if entry limits are not reached.

Jackie reminded everyone that next week Thursday, June 13th, is the appreciation event. Anyone planning to attend should sign up on the website. A dish to pass or a dessert is requested of each household / individual membership. Begins at 5 pm, Dinner at 6 pm and Awards at 7 pm. Dogs are not allowed.

Nancy Zolkowski discussed the agility trial to be held August 8, 9, 10th. Volunteers are needed for the trial. A sign up will be available in July.

Karla Smith reminded everyone that a new yard pass is required for this year. Forms can be given or mailed to Karla. Please remember to include your car license number. Everyone was reminded that only the membership individuals can use the yard.

Karla Smith also mentioned that WDC is looking at the Fetch event to be held at the club. One more individual is needed for the committee. There will be a run through before the event.

Amy Schneider thanked everyone who showed up for the Memorial Day parade. The next parade will be the Labor Day Parade. You can attend the parade with your dog if you are a voted in member but if you are not a voted in member you can still attend but not with your dog.

Next Friday, June 14th the floor will be ripped up and we are looking for volunteers. Those that are purchasing the flooring will need to pick up shortly after.

Cindy Veit displayed many items for order in the K9 Closet. Jackie mentioned that July 20th there will be a Sniff & Go at Louise Torkelson's farm.

Barb told the membership there will not be an orientation after the meeting. Those looking to be members introduced themselves.

**1st Meeting**

Fahey, Theresa  
 Hammerstein, Cat & Darek Flanigan  
 Kersten, Susan  
 Lewis, Mike  
 Ofenbeck, Mary  
 Osterberg, Laurie & Doug  
 Zenz, Ari

**2nd Meeting**

Dietrich, Jane  
 Fucik, Melody & Tom  
 Kososki, Marissa  
 Sablich, Mary  
 Schulze, Heather  
 Trail, Susen  
 Weyenberg, Margaret & Michael  
 Worsch, Garrett & Satia Kavanaugh

Margie welcomed all the new members and mentioned that we have many volunteer opportunities. There will be volunteers needed for the FAST CAT Trial in July.

Len Hoehne announced that a Canine CPR & First Aid class will be held June 29th at the club. The cost is \$35 for members and \$45 for non-members. The cost includes the book. There will be a Canine CPR Review class on July 20th from 9 am – 11:30 am and the cost is \$10 for members if you have a book or \$30 if you need a book. You can bring your own dog to practice on.  
 Cry & Brag was held.  
 50/50 raffle was held.  
 The meeting adjourned.  
 The annual ice cream social was held.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Tracey Rymer  
 Secretary

## BOARD MEETING MINUTES – June 20th, 2024

**Attendees:** Margie Hohman, Marie Murphy, Penney Garbe, Tracey Rymer, Jackie Kobierecki, Kayla Bauduin, Barb Hoffman

**Secretary Report:** None

**Treasurer's Report:** We had a loss for the month of May due to many expenses.

**President's Report:** None

**Membership Report:**

2nd Meeting Attendee's

Dietrich, Jane

Fucik, Melody & Tom

Kosowski, Marissa

Sablich, Mary

Schulze, Heather

Trail, Susen

Weyenberg, Margaret & Michael

Worsch, Garrett & Satia Kavanaugh

There was a motion to approve the 2nd meeting attendees to become members of the club.

Kayla discussed that a trainer wants to have a basic manners drop in class for the summer. It was discussed that vaccines should be submitted ahead of time and a waiver should be filled out if they are not a member.

Kayla mentioned that there will be a Confidence Building Class this summer on Tuesdays from 7-8:30PM and looking at a drop-in class called Jump Grids on Wednesday's at 6 PM.

Kayla will have optional training for the trainers and assistants for the summer on Monday's at 6 pm. There was a discussion regarding agility equipment possibly needed and the board is willing to hear about the needs and then the equipment should be budgeted the following year.

Kayla will come up with a statement to go out to the membership regarding the use of wejoin on our website.

Recently there has been a problem with people signing up to rent the floor and not showing up and canceling so that others can use the floor. Jackie wants to talk to Shari Lloyd about doing a 6-week Pre CGC class before the next CGC testing. This would also be available for trainers and volunteers of the CGC.

Kayla mentioned that we should look at a new sign-up system for classes. Jackie will talk with Ideal Dog and Tracey will talk with Yahr Complete K9 and Kayla will talk with Clever K9's.

The new floor in the back room needs special care. Jackie will talk with Jon about the care and if we need signage.

Kayla asked if the instructors get to use the floor for free for the summer and it was agreed yes, they can. Chelsea Wood asked if she could hold a workshop for AKC Disc Dog and it was approved but the date needs to be arranged.

Oshkosh Kennel Club agreed to let our club run the April 2025 Conformation show at the Sunnyview Expo Center. We needed OKC to approve this as we are in their jurisdiction. We are waiting for AKC to approve it.

Karla Smith tried to do the Fetch Dog inside the building, and it does not work. WDC will be holding a Fast CAT Trial August 16-18th at the Oshkosh Kennel Club.

A number of members have been receiving emails from board members asking for money. We would never ask that, and these are scam emails. The Board Meeting in July will be changed to Tuesday, July 16th at 5:30 PM. Jackie will be taking minutes for Tracey at the July 11th Membership meeting.

Motion to adjourn the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Tracey Rymer

Secretary

**Membership First Meeting**

Fahey, Theresa  
Frenchton

Hammerstein, Cat & Darek  
Flanigan  
Labradoodle

Kersten, Susan  
Chesapeaks & mixes

Lewis, Mike  
Blue Heeler

Ofenbeck, Mary  
Border Collie

Osterberg, Laurie & Doug  
GSD/Husky Mix

Zenz, Ari  
German Shepherd

**Membership Second Meeting**

Dietrich, Jane  
Golden & Border Collie

Fucik, Melody & Tom  
Golden Retriever

Kososki, Marissa  
Carin Terrier

Sablich, Mary  
German Shepherd

Schulze, Heather  
Black Lab

Trail, Susen  
Pembroke Welsh Corgi

Weyenberg, Margaret &  
Michael  
Scottish Terrier

Worsch, Garrett & Satia  
Kavanaugh Vanderloop  
Cocker Spaniel, Springer Spaniel

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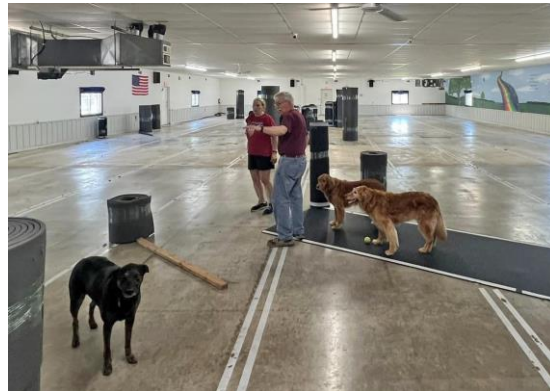
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### SCAM ALERT!

Several people have mentioned receiving emails from WDC board members asking them to send money or purchase gift cards. THESE ARE SCAMS! No board member is EVER going to ask you to do this. Please mark these as scams and block the sender. If you hover your cursor over the sender's address, you can see that it is not from the person that they want you to think it's from. Don't open it or interact with it in any way. Please be careful!

### THANK YOU!!!

Thank you to Jon Kester, Brian Draeger, Chuck Johnson, Betty Lehrer, and Chris & Wendy Konshak for removing the old flooring in the back room in preparation for the new flooring which has now been installed. Our club is so lucky to have people like you who are willing to step up when help is needed. Thanks also to the canine crew for their supervision of the operation.



### 2024 Appreciation & Awards Dinner



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### 2024 Farm Dog Certification



## Announcing the 2023 Winners of the Traveling Trophies

### MARY STRANGE CONFORMATION AWARD

KAREN GAINES showing her Welsh Springer Spaniel  
CH WITHYWINDLE'S IN THE SPOTLIGHT

### WINNEGAMIE DOG CLUB CONFORMATION ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

LAUREN GAINES showing her Welsh Springer Spaniel  
GCH CH TRYSTYN'S INSIDE INFORMATION.

### WDC HIGH SCORING CONFORMATION AWARD

MARGIE HOHMAN with her Irish Red and White Setter  
GCHB CH LAUREL OAK SPECIAL DELIVERY O'SHAY FCAT2 CGC TKN

### LOWELL TRACY RECOGNITION OF EXCELLENCE AWARD

MARGIE HOHMAN with her Irish Red and White Setter  
GCHB CH LAUREL OAK SPECIAL DELIVERY O'SHAY FCAT2 CGC TKN

### JUDY FALCK MEMORIAL TRAVELING OOBEDIENCE AWARD

CONNIE WOOD scored 190 with her Australian Shepherd  
RACH RIOT'S LAPIS LAZULI UD BN GN RM3 RAE2 MX MXJ MJB MFS T2B2  
BCAT ACT2 SCN SIN DN DDB CGCA CGCU TKP ATT VHMA FITG

### PURSUIT OF EXCELLENCE AWARD

NICOLE BEARMAN, scoring 194.5 in the Utility A class with her Portuguese Water Dog,  
GCHB KALISTA'S WHAT A CATCH UD RE OA OAJ OD TKI

### WDC OWNER-HANDLED DOG OF THE YEAR AWARD

MARGIE HOHMAN with her Irish Red and White Setter  
GCHB CH LAUREL OAK SPECIAL DELIVERY O'SHAY FCAT2 CGC TKN

### WDC AGILITY DOG OF THE YEAR - REGULAR

CONNIE WOOD scored 140.41 with her Australian Shepherd  
RACH RIOT'S LAPIS LAZULI UD BN GN RM3 RAE2 MX MXJ MFS T2B2 BCAT ACT2 SCN SIN DN CGCA CGCU TKP VHMA  
FITG

### WDC AGILITY DOG OF THE YEAR – PREFERRED

NO WINNER because no one applied for this award

### HANK PERFORMANCE VERSATILITY AWARD

LAURA INMAN with her Keeshond  
CH MACH3 PACH5 KJ'S SPEED DATE CD BN RA MXC MJC MXP20 MXPC2 MJP18 MJPG2 PAX5 OF T2B BCAT SEN RATO  
TKN

Submitted by Laura Steidl, Traveling Trophy Committee Chair



# VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

## COMMITTEE HELP NEEDED

Contact: Jackie Kobierecki  
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## CLASS HELP NEEDED

More help is needed with teaching and assisting. It's a fun way to share your knowledge with students and help them train their dogs to its full potential. A private training session will be held. We are also in need of assistants to help with the training equipment during classes: this is keeping track of payments, receipts, and fittings of collars, etc. during classes. Vacuuming after Obedience classes is also needed. This takes about 30-45 minutes each day. Hours are flexible. If interested in helping, contact the Director of Training,  
[WinnegamieDogClubTraining@gmail.com](mailto:WinnegamieDogClubTraining@gmail.com)

## HELP NEEDED VACUUMING

We need someone to vacuum after classes (at 8:30pm) on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday evenings or early the morning after classes (7:00am) on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Contact Kayla Baudhuin ([rigel7823@gmail.com](mailto:rigel7823@gmail.com)) if you can help.

## NURSING HOME VISITS

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Prerequisites:

- Must be an approved member.
- Your dog must be at least one year old and have earned its Canine Good Citizen certificate.
- Dogs need to be approved by Fawn Tauber (contact Fawn to schedule an evaluation)
- One of the nursing homes does require the handler to present their vaccination card, showing 3 Covid vaccinations.

## **Procedure for Submitting Member Volunteer Hours Reports**

As you earn volunteer hours, please complete the "Volunteer Hours Report Form" and submit it to the Hours Recorder in one of three ways:

- Scan and email the form to: [crystals214@yahoo.com](mailto:crystals214@yahoo.com)
- Drop off the completed form in the club office
- Mail it to the Hours Recorder (address on form)

Hard copies of the form are available in the club office. It can also be downloaded from the website under the Membership tab (listed in both the Forms and Volunteer sections).

Members can check their hours completed to date status on the website in the Membership / Volunteer section. The document name is "Volunteer Hours Log". Updates will be posted at least once a month.

Any questions or comments, please contact Crystal Schroeder at [crystals214@yahoo.com](mailto:crystals214@yahoo.com).





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