



# THE PAWPRINT

The Monthly Newsletter of the Wenatchee Kennel Club

**June  
2020**

*The Wenatchee Kennel Club (WKC) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. Its purpose is to further the advancement of all breeds of purebred dogs and provide education for their responsible breeding; conduct events under the rules of the American Kennel Club and to hold other events as approved by the Wenatchee Kennel Club; and provide education, training, and information regarding the responsible ownership, care and exhibiting of all dogs. Those interested in becoming members are invited to contact WKC at (509) 886-DOGS (3647).*

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## Upcoming Events

**WKC Scent Work Trial: July 31 – Aug 2, WKC Training Center**

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## Cairns of WKC Rocks



Judy Johnson wins the prize for creative use of WKC’s abundance of rocks. Her artistically stacked rocks, cairns, are about 2 feet tall and add character to her beautiful flower gardens. Other members and friends have taken boxes of rocks and pickup loads home and to friends to use as stepping stones, landscape features and to build walls. Come help yourself.

Judy Johnson and Mardi Scott: *We adopted more rocks today! There are plenty more.*

Gail Roberts: *(These are) Not just any rocks! Historic Rocks! Rafted or tumbled in on the Missoula Floods 18 thousand years ago! Those round boulders are river cobble! I want to come and adopt more, too, now that I know their amazing history!*

Katherine March: *We got some fantastic rocks for a border. There are so many colors. Every time I look at them I think how they traveled with the floods.*

Chuck St. John: *And we just keep adding to their story! After being roughed up to land on our property each one has been "lovingly" touched by at least one WKC person before making its way to the stack. Come own a piece of local history.*

## Louise's Corner

I hope this newsletter finds you all well. Our club has been faced with challenging times, and I want to thank the many members that have stepped up and done some creative thinking on how we can still have fun with our dogs.

The Board Members have continued to work on the many issues that arise for our club. They are a group of dedicated people who spend many hours behind the scene working. Please know I deeply appreciate everything you do for us.

We have formed a committee on reopening our building for classes. This group is working with the Health Department, Instructors, and others regarding what we need to start classes. Our classes will not look the same for a while till we get through this virus. Maybe we will only have one class at a time instead of two. This group will work through all of this for us. We really need to start bringing some revenue in to help defray our expenses. Watch for updates on our opening.

The club has purchased a thermometer and it has been placed in the building. You will need to stand about two inches from the sensor and the readout will show your temperature. Be sure you allow a few seconds between people or it just shows everyone has the same temperature.

Our Scent Work, Dog Show and Agility trials are still on track to happen. I have had many people ask me if they are still going to happen. Those committees are still planning that they are going to take place. These are big revenue events for us, and we need to really try and have them if we can meet all the guidelines. The special care that we are going to have to take means that we need all club members to help with these events. Even if you know nothing about them you can do some of the extra jobs.

I want to welcome our new members that are listed in this Pawprint. We are glad you are joining us. Be assured you are joining one of the best dog clubs I know. The members are great so if you need any help or have questions please ask. We hope you will join us in our many events and learn some new fun things to do with your dogs.

Louise

### **Late Breaking News!**

The Chelan/Douglas Health Department has accepted WKC into the "Professional Services" category. This means we can go ahead and plan July classes. We are working full speed to finalize policies and schedule classes.

The June membership meeting has been cancelled.

JAX

## German Shepherd



Per Jax:

"Hi everyone!..Oh, I have to tell you about our neighborhood cat named Charlie. He used to live next door to me then ran away just before they moved. But he likes it here and decided to visit my yard in the early morning and he found MY BIRDS. So I get up and go outside and notice something really different in my bush. He finally comes out and runs for the concrete retaining wall which he climbed in just seconds (and I told him to stay away from my birds)!

What a relief for me.

Not much to report until we can get back into our Kennel Club which I am hoping will be real soon. So in the meantime, I am just helping Mom with playing more inside with all my great toys - she really likes it when I think she is not looking and I just calmly go off in the house and hide the toy. Until next time!

Carol, JAX's Mom

## MEMBERSHIP

### NOTICE OF APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

Carol Sunada, Membership Chairman (509) 665-9987

The following applications for membership have been received and reviewed by the Board of Directors. At the June Board of Directors meeting, the Board voted to approve these applications and waive the "attendance at two membership meetings" requirement because of the uncertainty of the COVID-19 situations. Under these special circumstances of not being able to hold a meeting for the last 3 months, the following people were voted in by the Board of Directors at their meeting held on June 1, 2020 as members of the Wenatchee Kennel Club.

### PLEASE WELCOME:

Judi Voris - Weimaraner

Nora Cross - Miniature American Shepherd

Luurie Dawson - Lab and Cattle Dog mix

Tracy Soreano - Golden Retriever and French Bulldog

Cody Beeson, Jordan Harwood and their daughter - Miniature Poodle & Samoyed

Kathy Grignon - mixed breed

We love new members! If you have a friend or family member who is interested in joining or learning more about our Club, please call Carol at (509) 665-9987 for further information.



### Scent Work Entries Open Tuesday June 23rd

The Wenatchee Kennel Club has rescheduled our March Scent Work Trials to July 31-August 2, 2020. The premium is on the club web's page.





Pat Garrison is moving and wants to get rid of these dog houses for free.



Cathi Jzyk: I have a table I would like to give away. One set of legs at 16" ht. If someone is interested in it, just let me know. I am in East Wenatchee.



## Trophy Donations 2020

Please contact Louise Day at [nfday@msn.com](mailto:nfday@msn.com) if you want to donate trophies at the Dog Show this October. Please let me know which trophy and or breed along with exact wording to be in premium list. Remember we have three days of shows this year, so I also need to know what day or days you wish to make your donations.

Prices are as follows:

Breed 40.00

Groups 70.00

Best IN Show 130.00

Best Junior Handler 80.00

Obedience and Rally 50.00

High Scoring Obedience and Rally 75.00

# WKC and COVID-19

The WKC Board has drafted a COVID policy statement. Representatives of the instructors and the building committee have reviewed and commented on it. The goal is to make the WKC Training Center Classes COVID-19 Guidelines conform to the Wenatchee Valley Chamber of Commerce Business Safety Plan Worksheet and identify the actions we need to have in place to manage classes at the Center during Phase 1.5.

An inquiry has been made to the WA State COVID-19 website requesting help to identify into which Business Category they would deem WKC to fall. We might fit Phase 1 Higher Education and Critical Infrastructure Workforce Training COVID-19 Requirements.

We did hear back from the Chelan/Douglas Health District for approval of our plan.

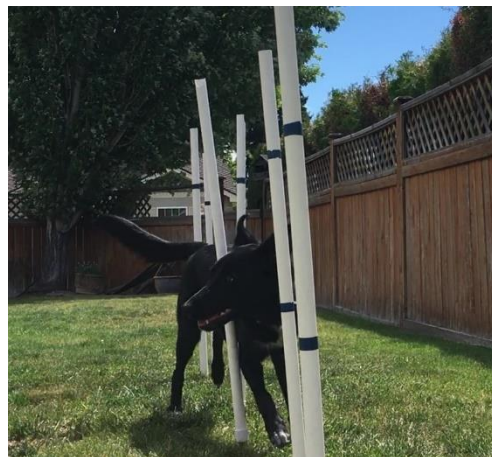
We are currently working to determine class size and other requirements. We are hopeful that some classes will be offered starting in July. It is probable that all students and instructors will be required to wear a mask a majority of the time unless there is a health reason, or communication issue with being masked. The WKC Training Center must comply with the rules of the Health Departments during this time of crisis.



## WKC Members' News and Brags

Jan Flatten: The Flatten Aussies continue to be Aussome! Aspen earned her NADAC Novice Jumpers title; Ginger earned her Elite Jumpers and Novice Touch and Go and Hoopers titles; and Brandi has earned a bunch of points, particularly adding to her Qs to Elite Jumpers title. Having fun with the girls! Ginger is super enjoying her virtual scentwork class and Aspen gets to play along too. Can't wait for the trial!

Tara Barrett: Iskie earned her Intermediate Tricks title. Thanks to Wanda Cottam for evaluating!





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- **Current class schedules** and more info at [www.wenatcheekennelclub.com](http://www.wenatcheekennelclub.com).

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