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Next Meetings

September meeting will be noonish on Saturday, Sept. 5th at the obedience trial at Family Dog Training Center!



Committee Report -- WSOTC Labor Day Weekend Obedience Trials

Submitted by Kathy Lang, Trial Chair -- 07 29 15

Our second year of Labor Day weekend limited-entry, Obedience-only Trials is fast approaching! The trials will be held on Sept. 5 and 6 at Family Dog Training Center in Kent, WA. Entries close at 6:00 pm on August 19. A waiting list will be taken in the event the Trials fill. (There is no provision for online entries for these Trials.) Here's a link to the premium list:

<http://www.wsotc.org/docpub/2015wsotclabordaypremium.pdf> Theresa Calter, of K9EventsNW is once again our Trial Secretary <http://www.k9eventsnw.com/>. As of July 29, we are about two-thirds full. (Judging is limited to 7 hours per judge.) Our judges are Theresa Temple and Carolyn Wray. This year we are offering NEW TITLE ROSETTES, at the request of last year's exhibitors. Class placers will receive flat ribbons. HIT and HC will also receive rosettes. If you're interested in donating money to help pay for the ribbons and rosettes, please contact Ingrida Robinson at 4ingrida@comcast.net.

Our popular W(h)iner's Raffle is back, with another four-bottle donation from Mill Lane Winery in Tenino, WA <http://www.mill-lane.net/>. (Exhibitors who NQ will receive a raffle ticket.) Thanks to Shelley Timbers for arranging these donations!



*Helpers needed for the obedience trial: stewarding, hospitality,
grounds. Please read the report and participate!*

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Obedience Trial Chair Report, cont'd

Trial Co-Chair, Jill Petersen, is handling the Friday night Rent-A-Ring, which is almost full. You'll find an entry form in the premium list, but contact Jill to see if space is available dchipster1@yahoo.com.

Nina Sage (Nina's Photography – www.ninasphotography.com) will be attending the Trials both days as our exclusive professional photography. In addition to taking your win photos, Nina will be taking candid photos of your dogs working in the ring. Check with her at the Trial for special show packages.

Chief Ring Steward, Linda Shea, is actively seeking ring stewards -- LindaShea@walp.us. Please contact her if you can help. Be sure to let her know if you're also planning to enter the Trial so she can work around your schedule. If you have friends, students or classmates who are not entering but would like to help out and get first-hand, inside-the-ring experience, tell them to contact Linda.

Hospitality Chair, Cheryl Jackson, is organizing a pot-luck lunch both days. The club will provide basic sandwich fixings and we'd like you to bring salads, chips/dips, side dish, desserts, etc. to share. Let Cheryl know if you can help at the Trial and/or what you plan to bring – Cheryl@jacksonmanor.com.

David Jackson is in charge of Grounds/Equipment and could use your assistance setting up on Friday (early afternoon). Contact David at David@jacksonmanor.com if you can help.

We hope to see you there! In the meantime, enjoy these photos from last year's Trials!

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