

December 2017 Newsletter & Meeting Minutes

Eleven of us enjoyed a fun and festive Christmas Party and Gift Exchange at the Water Street Brewery in Grafton on Dec. 2nd. As always, the gifts were very creative, and there was a bit of 'stealing from others' going on! We had a very brief meeting, and you'll find the minutes below.

Please mark your calendars for our Annual Meeting, which will be held on Sunday, Mar. 4th at the home of Craig Larrabee and Mike Bernklau in Mequon. We will be electing officers and 3 board members at the meeting. If you have any interest in becoming an officer or board member, please let me know. Also, we will be presenting awards for any new titles earned by your Airedales in 2017, so please send me that information. I will need your Airedale's official name, the owner'(s) name(s), and the name(s) of the title earned.

~Sue

MEETING MINUTES, DEC. 2, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 12:30 by WATC Vice President Barb Brown.

Vice President's Report

Barb Brown reported that our Specialty Show was a big success. Approximately 25 exhibitors were there, some from Minnesota and Illinois. Having our grooming areas very near our indoor ring was a real plus, and our outdoor luncheon under a large tent was enjoyed by all.

Treasurer's Report

WATC Treasurer Sandi Cooley reported that our checkbook balance is \$5,961.78.

New Business

Barb Brown mentioned that when she was at Montgomery attending the ATCA dinner, she purchased an Airedale statue made by WATC member Joanne Vohs. There was a discussion about using it as a special trophy at our Specialty show. The discussion was tabled until our Annual Meeting.

Craig Larrabee and Mike Bernklau offered their home for our Annual Meeting. The date was set as Sunday, Mar. 4th.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:50.

WATC 2018 ANNUAL MEETING

Sunday, March 4th

11:00 a.m.

At the home of Craig Larrabee and Mike Bernklau

617 E. Circle Rd.

Mequon, WI 53092

If your last name begins with A - R, please bring a side dish or salad.
If your last name begins with S - Z, please bring a dessert.

Driving Directions

From I-43, take the Mequon Rd. exit. Go east on Mequon Rd. The road will curve to the south. Go approximately 2 miles, past the park on your left, to Circle Rd. Go Left on Circle Rd. At the 'T', turn left. Their home will be on your right, with the Airedale mailbox.

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PUPPIES & AVAILABLE AIREDALES!

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From WATC Member Lanny Duttlinger:

Thinking about another dog? I may have what you are looking for. Tali is an 2 year old intact female looking for a forever home with someone that would enjoy doing things with her. She has started her agility training and would love to go on in this venue if you are interested. She is full of energy but extremely sweet. For more information you can contact Lanny Duttlinger at 815-914-6416. In the meantime, enjoy the holiday season.

From WATC Member Lori DeBernardi:

Merry Christmas to all, and Ch Isis Sweet Saffron Symphony & Aircraft RAF Chichester
Straffing Squadron Leader SHR,UR

Have a litter on the ground ready for forever homes very late December!

Thanks,

Lori

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From WATC Member Steve Lehrer:

We have a litter due the end of January.

Sire: CH Joval This Ain't No Disco (Kwinn)

Dam: CH Hardknott Sometime In The Sweet By And By (Birdie)

Thanks,

Steve Lehrer

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