



MICHIGOLDEN NEWSLETTER

Fort Detroit Golden Retriever Club, Inc. SEPTEMBER 2016

NEXT PROGRAM MEETING - 9/20/2016, 5:00 PM

Topic: Judging Stories, Part 2 - Judging Stories From Here and World-Wide with speaker Carl Liepmann.

Location/time: Alibi of Troy restaurant, dinner at 5pm followed by the Board meeting and program. 6700 Rochester Rd., Troy, MI 48085. (south of Leader Dogs).

We are checking out the Alibi restaurant to see if we would like to hold our Annual Banquet there. Please feel free to join at 5pm. We do not have a reservation.

Calendar of Events

September 16, 2016

location: Goodells, MI

FDGRC's Specialty/Obedience Show. Pot luck lunch, please bring a dish to share.

September 20, 2016

location: Alibi restaurant, Troy, MI

Dinner at 5pm followed by the Board meeting and Program meeting. See above for details.

October 18, 2016

location: Canine Workshop, 34300 Klein Rd., Fraser, MI

6:30pm—Board Meeting

7:30pm—Program Meeting - Halloween Fun. Bring your dog in a Halloween costume for the contest to benefit the club. Plus bring homemade dog treats in 6 separate packages, with the recipe included in each, to participate in the Cookie Exchange. More details later.

Please use the entrance on the North end of the building, opposite end from their parking, to avoid disrupting the dog training session in progress.

November 15, 2016

location: Leader Dogs, Avon Rd., Rochester Hills

6:30pm—Board Meeting

7:30pm—Program Meeting - Tour of the newly renovated Leader Dog facility.

Misc. Info	Other Upcoming Shows/Events
<p>Specialty Show Trophy donations: If you are interested in donating money to sponsor a class (i.e. 6-9 puppy dog, BOW, Utility B, etc.) at our specialty shows please contact Lynn Knapke at fcgoldens@hotmail.com or talk to her at a meeting. A sign-up list is usually passed around at the program meetings. Now taking donations for 2017.</p> <p>Sunshine: Please let Dorothy Scarborough (dorothys@charter.net) know of anybody (human or canine) that is in need of a sympathy/get well/ sunshine card from FDGRC and she will send one out.</p>	<p><u>Find out details and/or other local shows at:</u> http://www.akc.org/events/search http://www.infodog.com http://entryexpress.net</p> <p><u>Obedience/Rally trials:</u> also see AKC website</p> <p><u>Breed shows:</u> also see AKC website 9/17 & 18 *St. Clair KC, Goodells, MI</p> <p>* Obedience/Rally at these shows</p> <p><u>Agility trials:</u> pretty much every weekend in Dexter, Flint, and Lapeer, MI. See AKC's website for details. 10/21-23 FDGRC, Lapeer, MI</p>
Notes from the Editor	<p><u>Field trials/Hunt Tests:</u></p> <p>***Please note: please verify shows and dates through AKC's website.***</p> <p>GRCA info: 2016 GRCA National Specialty will be held in Placerville and Corning, CA from 10/2 - 10/9.</p> <p>From the Huron River Labrador Retriever Club: Training dates - Please check their website for details - http://www.huronriverlrc.com</p>
<div data-bbox="295 1272 583 1633" data-label="Image"> </div> <p>FYI, the deadline for getting stuff (articles, brags, pictures, etc.) to me is the last Sunday of the month. Editor TBD</p> <p>GRF Updates: GRF Updates list - To join, simply send a blank email to: grfupdates-subscribe@yahoo.com For more information about the GRF, please visit our website at http://www.goldenretrieverfoundation.org/</p>	

Health Screening

All Breed Eye Clinic
Sponsored by
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Sunday, November 13, 2016

8:00AM to 3:30PM

**Northfield Dog Training 3676 W. Ellsworth Rd.
Ann Arbor, MI. 48103**

OFA eye exams by Dr. Wendy Townsend, Diplomat ACVO of Purdue University

Appointments by pre-registration **preferred**. We will schedule them on a first come/first served basis, upon receipt of payment and the form below. Day of event walk-ins will be accommodated as soon as is reasonable.

Pre-registration deadline: must be received by Wednesday, Nov. 4, 2016. Cost: \$35 for OFA eye exam by pre-registration deadline, \$40 if after the deadline.

Mail check, payable to MGRC with your completed registration form to:
Jan Masica 9192 Horseshoe Bend Dexter, MI. 48130
Questions? Contact Jan at toikar@aol.com or 734-646-6527

Include an email address in order to receive a confirmation notice.
Golden owners: Please indicate if your dog is in the CCA that day.

You will need your dog's AKC registration number and/or other permanent ID for the OFA forms.

Name _____
 Dog's Registered name _____
 Dog's call name _____ Breed _____
 Address _____

 Phone _____
 Email Address _____
 Time Preference: ___ None ___ 8:00-10:00 ___ 10:10-12:00 ___ 12:30-2:00 ___ 2:10-3:30
 CCA? ___

Minutes

FDGRC – Board Meeting minutes – August 27, 2016, 1:13 p.m. The meeting was held in conjunction with the club picnic, Oxford, MI.

August Attendance: Board: Cindy Collins, Kathy McElroy, Peggy O’Keeffe, Judie Weisman. Members: Laura Fabbro, Lynn Knapke, Larry Weisman. Guest: Laura Fabbro’s mother, Theresa.

Nominating Committee: The nominating committee is comprised of Chris Curling, Laura Fabbro and Lynn Knapke, with Chris Curling serving as chair. Larry Wiseman and Carol Ruby will serve as alternates. There are 4 positions to be filled. These positions are currently held by Cindy Collins, Chris Curling, Cindy Fisher and Peggy O’Keeffe. Both Cindy Collins and Chris Curling are term limited so they may not run for any position.

Al Loudon: Cindy Collins made the motion, seconded by Judie Weisman, that the club donate \$100 to the GR Foundation in Al’s memory.

Update on Hart vs DFGRC: Progress on the lawsuit was discussed. Our insurance company is handling the situation and, according to our attorney, will proceed slowly. Grateful thanks to Cindy Collins and Judie Weisman for all their efforts.

September 20 Meeting —The meeting will be held at Alibi of Troy, no reservations required. We will begin eating at 5:00 with the board meeting to be held during the meal, program by Carl Liepmann to follow the general membership meeting.

Plans for October 18 Meeting: October 18 - Cindy Collins will contact Jennifer DuRocher regarding a dog friendly location for this meeting. Possible activities include: a Halloween Costume contest for dogs with proceeds being donated to the club; a dog cookie & recipe exchange. Other suggestions welcomed.

Treasurer’s Report: The treasurer’s report was accepted as presented.

Meeting adjourned at 2:09.

Respectfully submitted,

Peggy O’Keeffe
Secretary

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For Your Information

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Jim Rau Dog Shows: 4707 Perklomen, PO Box 4038, Reading, PA 19606, (www.raudogshows.com)
Entry Express: P.O. Box 743, Charleston, AR 72933 (www.entryexpress.net)
Dr. Paws (TDInc) Terry Seraceno, 248-888-7488, (www.drpaws.org)
Orthopedic Foundation for Animals 2300 Nifong Blvd., Columbia, MO 65201, (www.offa.org) - also doing eye certifications (ECR)
CERF, Inc South Campus Courts, Bldg A, Purdue Univ., West Lafayette, IN 47907, (www.vmdb.org)

Websites for additional information on upcoming shows and trials:

AKC: www.akc.org, click on EVENTS, then EVENTS AND AWARDS SEARCH

UKC: www.ukcdogs.com, click on DOG EVENTS, then UPCOMING EVENTS

CKC: www.ckc.ca, click on CKC SERVICES, then choose CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Club Policy

Membership in the Fort Detroit Golden Retriever Club is open to any person actively interested in promoting the aims of the Club, i.e., careful and restrictive breeding of genetically sound, instinctive and temperamentally balanced Golden Retrievers. The Club meets monthly for Golden Retriever related activities such as field training sessions, informal and AKC sanctioned matches, obedience and conformation work, specialty point events, working certificate tests, tracking tests and educational presentations. The key word in the above outline is **ACTIVE**. We are not just a social club, although there is much sociability. Persons who wish to become active members are invited to subscribe to our Club Newsletter, which has information about our activities. Anyone is welcome. If after attending at least three of our meetings within twelve months you find yourself in accord with our aims, we invite you to submit an application form to the Board of Directors. Please include on the back of your application form, the activities you have attended, and be sure that you sign the attendance roster any time you attend a meeting.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES: \$10.00 per year - Open to everyone - This is **NOT** membership. Please make checks payable to FDGRC and send to the Newsletter Editor.

MEMBERSHIP RATES: Individual: \$20.00 per year. Family (2 people): \$25.00. Associate: \$15.00.

Obtain forms from Treasurer or Secretary or Membership Chair.

ADVERTISING POLICY: Open to members only. All advertising must be in "Classified Ad" style. Minimum cost is \$2.00 for 4 lines, maximum of 6 lines for \$3.00. For Golden Retrievers only. Member owned adults or litters from member owned bitches, dog related services and items excepting stud service.