

UPCOMING EVENTS

December 16, Holiday Party-at Kim Scattergood's
January 12, 2013 – CCA, at What A Great Dog, Frisco,
January 13, 2013 – Obedience Match, at What A Great Dog, Frisco
January 13, 2013-Club Banquet, Spaghetti Warehouse, Plano
March 22, 2013 – Specialty and Obedience Trial, Fort Worth TX
March 22-24, 2013 – Heart Clinic, Fort Worth TX
March 23, 2013 – Eye Clinic, Fort Worth TX
April 13, 2013 – Junior and Senior Hunting Test, -cancelled
April 14, 2013 – WC/WCX – location TBA
May 3-5, 2013 – All-Breed Agility Trial, Fort Worth TX
October 20 – 30, 2013 – GRCA National Specialty, Wichita Falls TX



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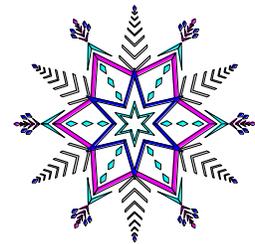
December 2012



**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2012
4-7 P.M.**

Home of Kimberly Scattergood

6918 Pasadena Ave
Dallas, TX 75214



PLEASE LET KIMBERLY KNOW IF YOU ARE COMING. She needs a correct count in order to have enough meat for everyone. We also ask that everyone please bring a side dish, salad, dessert, appetizer, or turkey garnish, and let Kimberly know what you're bringing so she can make sure we don't get too many desserts (can you have too many desserts??) and not enough veggies. The RSVP deadline is Wednesday, December 12 at 6:00 pm. Email or call Kimberly Scattergood to let her know that you are coming and what you will bring.

email: kimloveslajolla@aol.com
cell: 480-282-0122

The Scattergoods live in Lakewood, close to the southwest end of White Rock Lake (Gaston @ Garland Road). You can use your GPS or Mapquest.com for directions.

Bring a \$20-\$25 gift for the gift exchange. Rules for the exchange are: Each participating person (18 or older) will draw a number at random for the gift exchange. Then matching numbers will be drawn at random for the order of the exchange. Once the gift is opened it may be stolen up to three times. After which it is considered retired. In other words, once it has been claimed four times it is no longer available. The Club will be providing gift certificates for the juniors, therefore the juniors will not be participating in the gift exchange.

Don't forget to bring your trophies, polished, to the party so they can be re-engraved for this year's winners. If you are not coming to the party, contact a board member about where you should drop off the trophy. Do not take the trophy to the shop in Rockwall. The club will be using a new engraver.

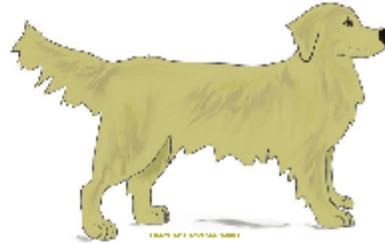
A WEEKEND OF DOG FUN.... HOSTED BY DFWMGRC

Certificate of Conformation Assessment (CCA) – GOLDEN RETRIEVERS ONLY SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 2013

LOCATION: WHAT A GREAT DOG
10550 John W. Elliott Drive, Suite 200
Frisco TX
(climate controlled indoor facility)

TIME: 8:30 a.m.

EVALUATORS:
Gloria Kerr
Nancy Talbott
Barbara Branstad



MORE INFO AT www.dfwmgrc.org/CCA.htm

LIMITED ENTRY: 21** with 3 alternates
December 31 is the initial closing date. If we receive more than 21 entries on or before December 31, we will have a random draw to determine participants. The random draw, if necessary, will occur on January 1, 2013. All entrants will be notified of the results of the random draw.

If we don't receive 21 entries by December 31, the entries will remain open until we get 21 entries. We will accept day-of entries if we have not received 21 entries.

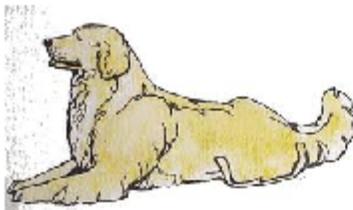
FEE: \$65.00

Go to the website for the entry form: <http://dfwmgrc.org/CCAOfficialEntryForm.pdf>

SEND ENTRIES WITH PAYMENT (Checks payable to DFWMGRC) TO:
Terry Thornton
4802 Windmill Creek Drive
Parker, Texas 75002

amigoldretrievers@yahoo.com

OBEDIENCE AND RALLY MATCH... SUNDAY, JANUARY 13, 2013 (All Breeds Welcome)



OC and RC (Obedience and Rally) MATCH
Same location - What a Great Dog
10550 John W. Elliott Drive, Suite 200
Frisco TX (climate controlled indoor facility)

Cost: \$8.00 first entry, \$6.00 second entry same dog (entry includes group stays) \$2.00 for additional group stays.

Utility and Open will run first at 8:30 am.
Novice check in will begin at 11:00 am
Rally Match will begin at 8:30 and continue
throughout the day, finishing no later than 3:00 pm
Repeats on a time-available basis

DFWMGRC ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET



OLD SPAGHETTI WAREHOUSE

1517 N. Central Expwy.
Plano, TX 75075

Sunday, January 13, 2013
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

\$23.00 PER PERSON
(Includes Entrée, Dessert, Tax, Gratuity)

Return This Form and Payment to Sherri Farmer No Later Than **FRIDAY, JANUARY 4, 2013.**

Make Checks Payable to DFWMGRC

Sherri Farmer
3616 Parker Road
Wylie TX 75098

NAME: _____ How many in your party: _____

Your Choice... Please mark what you would like.

ENTRÉE CHOICES (1 per person):	How Many?	Which Salad?	
		Garden	Caesar
• Spaghetti & Meatballs	_____	_____	_____
• Incredible 15-Layer Lasagne	_____	_____	_____
• Four-Cheese Manicotti	_____	_____	_____
• Fettuccini Alfredo	_____	_____	_____
• Pesto Spaghetti Basilica	_____	_____	_____
• Grilled Chicken Caesar Salad	_____	_____	_____

All entrées include a crisp fresh Garden or Caesar salad, freshly baked sourdough bread and your choice of soft drink or iced tea.

DESSERT CHOICES (1 per person):	How Many?
• Tiramisu	_____
• Brownie Sundae	_____
• Ice Cream Sundae	_____



Cash bar available.



2013 Slate

President: David Brown
V. President: Sherri Farmer
Treasurer: Lynda Williams
Secretary: Shari Curran
Corres. Sec.: Shari Degan
At Large: Patti Caldwell
Kathy Felix

**We are voting only on President,
Secretary, and At Large**

Dues for 2013

\$25 family
\$20 INDIVIDUAL

Mail to Shari Degan
433 Fannin Road
Melissa TX 75454

**NOMINATIONS OR GOOD
SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD**

Please contact any board member
regarding your nomination for the good
sportsmanship award for 2012. The Board
will make the final decision in December, so
get your nominations in now.

AGILITY

DAWG Nov. 16

Novice Fast
URO1 UCD UCH Manor's Morning Comes Too
Early CDX,GN,RE,NA,NAJ ASCA CD, RN (Ingram)

DAWG Nov. 18

OAJ leg **TITLE!!!**
UCDX RO1 SHR Bridgeton's Steel Man Working CDX
RE NA NAJ SH WCX (Frick)

DFWMGRC Nov. 23

Novice B Standard - 2nd place.
River Mohrgold A Pink Car-Nation For Saracen RN
(Degan)

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OBEDIENCE

CENTEX Nov.24

RE **TITLE!!!!**
SHR UCD Manor's Anapolis CD BN RA NAJ NJP
ASCA RN(Ingram)

DALLAS-FORT WORTH METRO GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB
MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2012
SPRING CREEK BARBECUE, IRVING, TX

The meeting called to order at 7:05 p.m. with a quorum present. Minutes of previous meeting were approved as printed in the Newsletter.

After treasury report by Lynda Williams, Dick stated that the Club is in solid financial shape.

Sherri Farmer reported on the 2013 National. She said the merchandise should be on the website in December. She reminded everyone of the trip to Wichita Falls on December 10th to get another look at the facility. Everyone is welcome to go. She said she plans to be there about 10:00 a.m. She also mentioned that we will be having an eye and heart clinic at the National and she is looking for vets to participate. The proceeds will go to the National.

Terry Thornton talked about the Hunt Test scheduled for April 13th and the WC, WCX, scheduled for April 14th. Several major conflicts have come up for several of the hunt test committee members, making it impossible for them to be at the hunt test and WC/WCX. This causes a big void in club members to work. Because of a lack of members to work, she suggested cancelling the Hunt Test, but not the WC, WCX. After considerable discussion, Donna Todd made a motion, which was seconded by Sherri Farmer, to go ahead and cancel the Hunt Test on April 13th, but keep the WC, WCX as planned. This passed with a unanimous vote.

Then there was a discussion about future Hunt Tests and WC, WCX's. Terry suggested moving them to the last weekend in October to avoid the conflict with the agility trial in Wichita Falls. (Sherri and Donna are agility trial secretaries for the agility trial in Wichita Falls the same weekend as the hunt test and WC/WCX. Since Donna has been the chair of the hunt test for several years, it is significant that she can't be at the hunt test.) Donna Todd made a motion to start having the tests the last weekend of October, starting in 2014. It was seconded by Sherri Farmer. This also passed by unanimous vote.

In Shari Degan's absence, Sherri mentioned that the agility committee has decided to move the Agility Trial for 2014, which is now the first weekend in May, from Watt Arena to the last weekend in February at Myers Park. She feels the \$10 parking fee is unreasonable and our date is never secure and subject to being bumped, as was done in the past. Shari Degan has reserved the last weekend in February 2014 at Myers Park in McKinney, which was previously used by DOTC. Since DOTC has given up that weekend, we took advantage of reserving it. There were no objections noted to moving the dates.

Dick asked if there were any additional nominations from the floor to add to the nominees selected by the Nominating Committee for the Club's 2013 officers. The positions open are President (David Brown, nominee), Recording Secretary (Shari Curran, nominee), and Board Member at Large (Patti Caldwell, nominee). There were no nominations from the floor.

Dick informed the Club about a letter he had received from Barbara Shaw concerning the Lone Star State Classic shows at Market Hall in July. Barbara says the number of specialty clubs who participated in the Thursday specialty this year did not financially justify the additional cost they had for renting the building. She had asked Dick if our club would consider a start time after 3:00 p.m. to help cut the cost. Everyone agreed that was not a good idea because we would be finishing so late in the day. Sherri Farmer asked about having the 2014 specialty on Friday concurrent with the regular LSSC golden classes. Everyone agreed for Dick to ask Barbara if that would be a possibility. It was mentioned that there is a 100 dog limit to entries of concurrent specialties.

Dick asked again if anyone there would chair the 2014 March Specialty and there was no response. He said the board would have to get together to try to find a solution.

Shari Curran asked about decorations for the Welcome Dinner at the National. Sherri suggested just doing table decorations and said there would be 39 tables.

Sherri said the Holiday Party will be on December 16th at Kimberly Scattergood's house. Gifts should be in the \$20-\$25 range.

Saturday, January 12th is the Club's CCA. Sunday, January 13th is the rally and obedience fun match. That night is the awards banquet at Spaghetti Warehouse in Plano. The Club was reminded that Donna needs pictures for all the plaques.

Our guest, Bob Musheno, was introduced. He lives in DeSoto and has a 10 year old golden. He attended the Fun Day, so this was his second meeting.

Terry Thornton made a motion to adjourn at 7:55 p.m. Sherri seconded the motion.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara Brown
Recording Secretary