



# UPPER SNAKE RIVER VALLEY DOG TRAINING CLUB



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## JUNE NEWSLETTER 2024

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### June Meeting

June, 20, 2024, at 7PM

Lilac Circle in Tautphaus Park

Presenter Todd Smith will give a  
demonstration on how to remove a dog  
from a trap

Please bring a chair and dinner if you  
would like.

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Blackfoot Show is June 13-16, 2024  
Setup is Wednesday June 12, 2024

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Our Club Picnic is at Tautpaus Park in Shelter #2 on  
July 18, 2024  
More info to come!

## Member Accomplishments

At PKC's agility trial despite the winds, Hope earned a Master Standard leg, a Master Jumpers Leg and a Master Fast leg for a triple Q.

On Friday, Belle earned her second Novice Fast leg and her second Excellent Jumpers leg. On Saturday she earned her Excellent Standard title.



Nicki and Epic earned their Novice Fast Title at the SDACOU Memorial Day Trials!

Suzanne and Gaia earned their Open Fast Title at the SDACOU Memorial Day Trial



Congratulations All!!

## 2024 Obedience and Rally Gift Donations

It is that time of year again where club members get the chance to donate money towards the obedience and rally trial 1<sup>st</sup> place gifts. Last year, we gave a treat/toy and a stainless-steel water bucket. This year, we will be giving dog-show themed blankets from Kohl's. We gave out a few of these at the October agility trial, and they were a hit!

If you are interested in donating, please email me (Desirae Chase) with the amount you'd like to donate. The blankets were \$6.74 (I got them for a killer deal) and we need approx. 50 sponsorships for this year (we have leftover buckets/toys from last year that will be offered as well). Even sponsoring one class makes a huge difference! If you donate, we will list your name on in the premium as a sponsor.

We are sticking with tradition for the high in trial, high combined. Etc. classes and will be giving out the \$25 gift cards with a specific sponsor listed. If you are interested in sponsoring one of those classes, please see the availability for those below (the empty ones are available to sponsor).

Please pay Suzanne Belger, or club secretary, with cash or a check. Please make checks payable to USRVDTTC and mail them to Suzanne at 994 Lowell Dr., Idaho Falls ID 83402

### 2024 Sponsorship Donors

**ODMAD Dog Training  
Nicki Bowden**

**Tiffany Stolworthy**

**Suzanne Belger**

\*\*\*\*\*FRIDAY, AUGUST 16, 2024\*\*\*\*\*

Class Name		Sponsor Name
<b>Obedience Classes</b>		
High Combined (Open B & Utility)	\$25	
Highest Scoring Dog in Regular Class	\$25	ODMAD Dog Training (2024)
Highest Scoring Junior Handler	\$25	The Jossi Family (2022)
<b>Rally Classes</b>		
High Combined (Advanced B & Excellent B)	\$25	
High Combined Triple (Advanced B, Excellent B, & Masters)	\$25	

Highest Scoring Junior Handler	\$25	Jossi Family 2024
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**\*\*\*\*SATURDAY, AUGUST 17, 2024\*\*\*\***

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<b>Obedience Classes</b>		
High Combined (Open B & Utility)	\$25	
Highest Scoring Dog in Regular Class	\$25	
Highest Scoring Junior Handler	\$25	Jossi Family (2022)
<b>Rally Classes</b>		
High Combined (Advanced B &Excellent B)	\$25	
High Combined Triple (Advanced B, Excellent B, & Masters	\$25	ODMAD Dog Training (2024)
Highest Scoring Junior Handler	\$25	Nichole Nead-Crossley @ Keller Williams Realty East Idaho (2023)

**\*\*\*\*\*SUNDAY, AUGUST 18, 2024\*\*\*\*\***

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Highest Scoring Dog in Regular Class	\$25	
Highest Scoring Junior Handler	\$25	The Jossi Family (2022)
<b>Rally Classes</b>		
High Combined (Advanced B &Excellent B)	\$25	

High Combined Triple (Advanced B, Excellent B, & Masters)	\$25	Kristie Rasmussen (2023)
Highest Scoring Junior Handler	\$25	The Jossi Family (2022)

## **USRVDTC BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

Meeting Date 5/9/24

The regular monthly board meeting of the Upper Snake River Valley Dog Training Club was called to order by President, Nicki Bowden, on Thursday, May 9, 2024 at 7pm at Plum Loco in Idaho Falls.

Previous Board Minutes Read/Dispensed: Motion to accept board minutes as they were printed in the April newsletter.

Motion by: Suzanne Belger

Seconded by: Richard Brizzee

Board Members Present:

Lacey Moon Nicki Bowden Richard Brizzee Suzanne Belger

Visitors/Members Present:

Phil Moon Lois Olson Steven Olson

**Report of President:** Todd Smith from Upper Snake River Trappers of Idaho contacted Nicki and asked if he could come and teach a little class on how to release a dog when it gets caught in a trap. We'd like to have him come to our next meeting to present.

**Report of Vice President:** Shelter #3 reserved on July 18<sup>th</sup> for the summer party. Richard is still looking for a caterer.

**Report of Secretary:** None

**Report of Treasurer:** YTD income: \$2013.79 Total Equity: \$106,575.11 Balance Sheets are filed with secretary notes and available upon request. Our CD from 6 months ago is coming to maturity but will automatically renew (we made about \$200 in those six months in interest)

**Report of Committees:**

Nicki – Scent work trial June Cluster – All on track. The trial in September at North Bingham County Park. Their entire board quit, and the park closed so we can't hold our trial there. Nicki doesn't know if we should find another location or if we should just cancel the trial.

Suzanne – Classes- Beginning Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup> - We have only 8 people signed up for all three Obedience classes. Suzanne would like to see if the people who are signed up for the 6:45 class can switch to the 5:45 class and not have a late class. Agility class is full.

Suzanne – Patty Biggins seminar July 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup>. We're going to charge the same prices as last time. No other seminar ideas have come forward.

**Unfinished Business:**

**New Business:**

Motion for Adjournment: Suzanne Belger

Seconded by: Richard Brizzee

Time Adjourned: 7:24pm

