

A Guide to GDAC's Yahoo Group

GDAC's yahoo group is our club's primary source of communication. This is where information is conveyed between meetings regarding classes, trials, fun matches and community events. We also use it as a forum to ask questions and discuss issues related to dogs. If you are not a member of the yahoo group, you are missing out on important information. Joining yahoo groups is free and it should not cause an increase in spam. If you don't want the messages coming to your email, but you still want to stay informed, you can set your account to be online only. This way you log into yahoo at your leisure to look at the messages and nothing is sent to your inbox. Below are a few steps to help you get started. If you are still having difficulty getting set-up please contact me (dlang@montana.net).

1. To join GDAC's yahoo group you must be a member of the club. When you join the club, the membership director will send you an invitation to join the yahoo group. If you do not have this invitation, you can also join the yahoo group by sending an email request to: gallopingdog-subscribe@yahoogroups.com. The group moderator will send you an invitation to join. Sometimes your computer thinks this message is spam, so be sure to check your spam filter if you don't receive the invitation in your inbox. To get started you will need to reply to the emailed invitation.
2. Once you have responded to the email invitation, you will receive a welcome email. From there you will either be prompted to set-up an account profile with yahoo or to sign in to your existing account. If you already belong to a yahoo group you will be able to view the GDAC group right away, without having to set up a new profile.
3. To set up a Yahoo account visit www.yahoo.com and click on the groups link. On the groups page choose sign up.
4. Once your profile is set up, sign in from the groups page. Once you've successfully signed in, you'll be directed to a "your groups" home page. Click on "My Account" or "Edit my Groups" to customize your settings.
5. To post a message to the group, create a new email with the address: gallopingdog@yahoogroups.com. To reply to a post either use the reply button in Yahoo groups or your email's browser. If you wish to reply privately to a post use the sender's email address to create a new message and not the gallopingdog@yahoo.com address.