# Joining the GTCFTC will benefit you and your dog!

Whether you show your dog in the breed ring or participate in performance activities such as Obedience, Agility, Barn Hunt and Earthdog, being a member of the **GTCFTC** will be a wonderful resource for you. Some of our members are original members of the club, which was founded at the Duluth Kennel Club show in July, 1996.



In addition to the valuable knowledge you will receive as a member of the club, you will also have lots of fun, meet new

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people and find encouragement to try different activities with your dog. It's always a pleasure to get together with others who have the same breed. The dogs even seem to recognize their own breed! Who knows? Maybe you'll find answers to some of the questions about your Fox Terrier that you've had for a long time!







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# For the Love of the Breed

The GTCFTC is dedicated to the preservation of the purebred Fox Terrier, wire and smooth, through educational programs AKC licensed events and, of course, social activities. Founded at the Duluth Kennel Club Show in 1996, several of our members have been with the club since its inception.

Meetings are held 3-4 times per year, and our calendar year culminates in our Fox Terrier Specialty Show in late August. Fox Terrier owners and breeders from all across America attend and compete in this event.



In addition to the conformation part of the specialty, we also hold a specialty obedience match

as well as a barn hunt. (They are terriers, after all!)

Barn Hunt is a rapidly growing dog sport that shows off the superb scenting and



hunting skills typical of our breed. No previous experience is required, but be careful...it's likely to be your dog's new favorite activity!

### Some of the Events We've Held

The GTCFTC holds widely varied club meetings and events. We've held breed ring and obedience "fun matches," held seminars on topics such as fertility, obedience and grooming. There are meetings where we gather to plan events, and there are meetings where we just have fun together! And did we mention



## **Benefits of Joining**

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In addition to meeting new friends and learning more about Fox Terriers, membership in the **GTCFTC** may result in the discovery of a new activity to share with your dog. Just like Barn Hunt, Obedience, Agility, Lure Coursing and Earth Dog are also wonderful ways of competing together with your Fox Terrier. The GTCFTC sponsors events like these throughout the year.



#### **Membership**

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Membership in the GTCFTC is very affordable, just \$25 for a single membership and \$30 for a family membership each year. Associate mem-

berships are also available for \$15 per year. Meetings are usually held during or after an AKC-sanctioned event. Guests are always welcome at these meetings.



#### Come join us as we

explore and enjoy this high-energy breed together.

# A busy Fox Terrier is a happy



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