

## WFTCCS Versatile Wire Award

The Versatile WFT Awards Program is to recognize members of the Wire Fox Terrier Club of the Central States whose wires excel in the full range of AKC or AKC recognized events, especially those that demonstrate the inherent traits of the Wire Fox Terrier.

The WFTCCS is a breed club supporting performance events for the Wire Fox Terrier, there will be five levels of Versatility Awards. The top level will only be achievable by an AKC Champion of Record. These versatility awards are based on a point system which is used to weigh each title based on its difficulty to earn. These levels are:

**Bronze:** Four (4) points earned in two different venues

**Silver:** Seven (7) points earned in three different venues

**Gold:** Twelve (12) points earned in four different venues. At least three (3) of those points must come from a 3 point title (JE RATO CZ8S TD TDU or SWN) or higher in the Hunting Group (Earth Dog, Barn Hunt, Tracking or Scent Work)

**Diamond:** Eighteen (18) points, Must meet all requirements of Bronze, Silver and Gold Versatility Awards and earn a Championship in Conformation or Performance Venue in Earthdog (EE), Barn Hunt (RATCH), Scent Work (SWD), Tracking (CT), Obedience (OTCH), Rally (RACH) or Agility (MACH or PACH).

**Platinum:** Twenty-Five (25) points. Must include points from all four (4) Groups (Conformation, Hunting, Companionship, and Agileness) and requirements of Bronze, Silver, Gold and Diamond Versatility Awards..

### Versatile WFT Award Program Eligibility and Rules

- Versatility Awards are open to any AKC Registered Wire Fox Terrier
- Owners and Co-owners of dog must be members of WFTCCS in good standing
- It is the responsibility of the owner of eligible dog to apply for Versatile WFT Award Program by January 31<sup>st</sup> of the year the next WFTCCS Specialty is held. Titles can be earned in previous years as it may take several years to obtain requirements for title. Applications can be found on the WFTCCS website ([wftccs.org](http://wftccs.org)) or from the Versatile WFT Award Program Chair, Jesy Wahlsten [jlynterriers@protonmail.com](mailto:jlynterriers@protonmail.com) or 218-390-6422
- Completed application and copies of the AKC certificates earning points towards the level being applied for should be sent to Versatile WFT Award Program Chair. Titles from AKC Recognized Events (Barn Hunt, Flyball, or Dock Diving) must be officially added to AKC title .

- Awards will be given out during the General Membership meeting at the Specialty. Award Certificates will be mailed to those not present.

### **Versatile WFT Award Program Awards:**

Each level will receive a certificate indicating which level has been achieved. Each certificate will have the registered name of wire including titles, owners, and breeders included.

The dog's registered name will be placed on a plaque which will remain in the club's possession.

**Bronze:** Four (4) points earned in two different venues

Certificate will include a Bronze embossed Versatile WFT Seal

**Silver:** Seven (7) points earned in three different venues

Matted Versatile WFT print with Silver embossed Versatile WFT Seal

**Gold:** Twelve (12) points earned in four different venues. At least three (3) of those points must come from a 3 point title (JE RATO CZ8S TD TDU or SWN) or higher in the Hunting Group (Earth Dog, Barn Hunt, Tracking or Scent Work)

Gold embossed Versatile WFT Seal to be added to print earned at Silver level

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Diamond embossed Versatile WFT Seal to be added to print earned at Silver level.

**Platinum:** Twenty-Five (25) points which include points from all four (4) Groups (Conformation, Hunting, Companionship, and Agileness) and requirements of Bronze, Silver, Gold and Diamond Versatility Awards.

A note card would be sent to the breeder of the wire who received a Versatile Wire Award honoring them.



Additional certificates, prints, seals and postage may be purchased for multiple owners or breeders.

For any questions, contact:

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