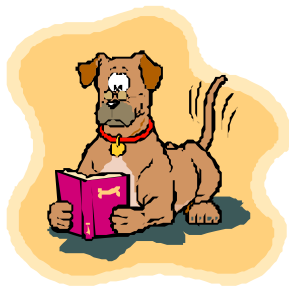


MT. NITTANY DOG TRAINING CLUB

Train Positively for a Happy Dog

Learn how to train your dog with positive reinforcement and praise.



CLASS LOCATION: PSU AG PROGRESS DAYS SITE

ROUTE 45, ROCK SPRINGS

(10 miles west of State College)

OBEDIENCE CLASSES SUMMER 2017

BEGINNERS	TUESDAYS	June 13 - Aug 1 (skip 7/4 make TBD)	6:00 - 7:00 pm
BEGINNERS	TUESDAYS	June 13 - Aug 1 (skip 7/4 make TBD)	7:15 - 8:15 pm
KINDERGARTEN PUPPY (KPT)	THURSDAYS	June 15 - Aug 3	6:00 - 7:00 pm
RALLY	WEDNESDAYS	June 14 - Aug 2	6:00 - 7:00 pm
INTERMEDIATE CGC	WEDNESDAYS	June 14 - Aug 2	7:15 - 8:15 pm
RECALLS N WALKING	WEDNESDAYS	July 5 - July 26 (4 weeks)	6:30 - 7:30 pm
SHOW OBEDIENCE WORKSHOP*	TUESDAYS	June 20 - Aug 1 (skip 7/4 makeup TBD)	10:00 am - 12:00 pm

To register or for information on Obedience classes call: **JUDY @ 1-888-444-0906 option 4**

AGILITY CLASSES SUMMER 2017

AGILITY FOUNDATIONS	WEDNESDAYS	June 14 - Aug 2	6:00 - 7:00 pm
AGILITY FOUNDATIONS 2	WEDNESDAYS	June 14 - Aug 2	7:15 - 8:15 pm
AGILITY FOUNDATIONS	WEDNESDAYS	June 14 - Aug 2	9:00 am - 10:30 am
BEGINNING	WEDNESDAYS	June 14 - Aug 2	10:45 am - 12:15 pm
BEGINNING	THURSDAYS	June 15 - Aug 3	6:00 - 7:30 pm
INTERMEDIATE	THURSDAYS	June 15 - Aug 3	7:45 - 9:15 pm
INTERMEDIATE	THURSDAYS	June 22 - July 13 (4 weeks)	9:00 - 10:30 am
ADVANCED INTERMEDIATE	MONDAYS	June 19 - July 31 (7 weeks)	6:00 - 7:30 pm
HANDLING	MONDAYS	June 19 - July 31 (skip 7/3) (6 weeks)	7:45 - 9:15 pm

To register or for information on Agility classes call: **Linda 1-888-444-0906 option 3**

See page 2 for class descriptions.

Additional information is available on our website www.mndtc.org or email info@mndtc.org

OBEDIENCE

KINDERGARTEN/PUPPY (KPT): Designed for puppies under the age of 4 months at the start of the class. Emphasis is learning early intervention to prevent bad habits (jumping, chewing etc.), beginning training, and socialization to other dogs, people, and unusual situations.

BEGINNERS: Designed for dogs of all ages that have not had previous training or need to review the basics. We will show you effective methods for dealing with typical dog training issues. Emphasis is on basic obedience walking on a leash, sitting/downing on command, coming when called, etc. It is never too late to train your dog!

INTERMEDIATE: Designed for individuals who have previously taken an obedience class such as Kindergarten or Beginners and would like to continue working on control, stays, basic obedience and practice towards the AKC Canine Good Citizenship certification test. <http://www.akc.org/events/cgc/program.cfm>

RALLY: Skills are taught to perform the exercises and understand the courses encountered in competition. Dogs and handlers should have completed at least a basic obedience level class.

RECALLS AND WALKING: 1 hour a week for four weeks where we focus on two important skills for all dogs - Great Recalls and Polite Walking! This workshop is open to all dogs who have had at least one previous obedience class

***SHOW OBEDIENCE WORKSHOP:** 'Drop In' format. \$10
No Need To Pre Register - Registration/Payment taken at each workshop

Each week the first hour will be devoted to specific obedience exercises for example:

1. Heeling: Basic Retrieves: Scent Discrimination: Stays
2. Stand for Exam and Moving Stand: Retrieve over the High Jump: Broad Jump: Stays
3. Directed Jumping: Broad Jump: Recalls: Stays
4. Directed Retrieve: Signals: Flat Retrieve: Stays

The second hour will be an open obedience training time, coordinated by the instructor. Trainers may work for themselves, structure a run thru, or work with one another

AGILITY

AGILITY FOUNDATIONS: This class will introduce your dog to the fun sport of agility and emphasize building a positive working relationship between dog and handler. The class will help develop agility skills including: attention (focus with distraction), impulse control, drive, recalls and sends, stays, positional cues, and behavior shaping on low and starter equipment.

Open to dogs 4 months and up, as well as to those already competing.
Prerequisite: Previous Beginners Obedience or Kindergarten Puppy class or permission of the instructor.

For safety reasons, we recommend that dogs be at least 12 months old before enrolling in an agility class beyond Agility Foundations. Dogs less than 12 months old will not be able to participate in some class activities.

BEGINNING AGILITY: Open to who have completed the Agility Foundations class or have the permission of the instructor. This class will build on the Agility Foundations class with the progression to more advanced obstacle skills and greater off-leash control.

INTERMEDIATE AGILITY: Designed for individuals who have completed Beginning Agility and whose dogs are comfortable with the agility equipment. Emphasis will be on simple sequencing and introduction to basic handling techniques.

ADVANCED INTERMEDIATE: Emphasis on reviewing and reinforcing skills learned in Intermediate for both handler and dogs.

HANDLING: Designed for individuals who have successfully completed an Intermediate Agility class or its equivalent. Emphasis is on handling techniques, course strategy, and preparation for actual competitions.