

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 2018

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| BEGINNERS | TUESDAYS | June 12 - July 31 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm |
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| KINDERGARTEN PUPPY (KPT) | WEDNESDAYS | June 13 - Aug 1 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm |
| INTERMEDIATE CGC | MONDAYS | June 11 - July 30 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm |
| RALLY | MONDAYS | June 11 - July 30 | 7:15 - 8:15 pm |
| TRICKS INTERMEDIATE | WEDNESDAYS | June 13 - Aug 1 | 7:15 - 8:15 pm |
| RECALLS N WALKING | TUESDAYS | July 10 - July 31 (4 weeks) | 6:30 - 7:30 pm |
| CONFORMATION HANDLING | THURSDAYS | June 14 - Aug 2 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm |
| SHOW OBEDIENCE WORKSHOP* | TUESDAYS | June 12 - July 31 | 10:00 am - 12:00 pm |

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

TRACKING CLASSES SUMMER 2018

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| WORKSHOP | WEDNESDAYS | June 6 - June 27 (4 weeks) | 6:00 - 7:00 pm |
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To register or for information on Tracking class call **Sandy @ 814-238-1822**

AGILITY CLASSES SUMMER 2018

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| AGILITY FOUNDATIONS LEVEL 1 | WEDNESDAYS | June 13- August 1 (skip 7/4 make up 7/6) | 5:00 - 6:00 pm |
| AGILITY FOUNDATIONS LEVEL 1 | WEDNESDAYS | June 13 - August 1 (skip 7/4 make up 7/6) | 6:15- 7:15 pm |
| AGILITY FOUNDATIONS LEVEL 2 | MONDAYS | June 11 - July 30 | 7:45 - 8:45 pm |
| BEGINNING | THURSDAYS | June 14 - Aug 2 | 6:00 - 7:30 pm |
| INTERMEDIATE | WEDNESDAYS | June 13 - Aug 1 | 10:45 am - 12:15 pm |
| INTERMEDIATE | MONDAYS | June 11 - July 30 | 6:00 - 7:45 pm |
| ADVANCED INTERMEDIATE | WEDNESDAYS | June 13 - Aug 1 | 9:00 am - 10:30 am |
| ADVANCED INTERMEDIATE | THURSDAYS | June 14 - Aug 2 | 7:45 - 9:15 pm |
| HANDLING | WEDNESDAYS | June 13- June 27 (3 weeks) | 7:30 - 9:00 pm |
| HANDLING (HANDLERS CHOICE) | WEDNESDAYS | July 11 - Aug 1 (4 weeks) | 7:30 - 9:00 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.

TRICK DOG INTERMEDIATE: Designed for any dogs that have completed the AKC Novice Trick Dog title or that have taken our AKC Novice Tricks class and completed KPT Puppy or Beginner Obedience class. Continue your tricks training by teaching your dog more than 20 new tricks. Graduation will be testing for the new AKC Intermediate Trick Dog title.

CONFORMATION HANDLING: For all levels of experience dogs and handlers alike. Learn and practice skills needed to compete in breed competition.

RECALLS N 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

TRACKING

WORKSHOP - Any level that you and your dog are at. We will help you build on that.

AGILITY

AGILITY FOUNDATIONS LEVEL 1: This class will introduce your dog to the sport of agility and emphasize building a positive working relationship between dog and handler. The class will help develop skills including: attention (focus with distraction), impulse control, drive, recalls and sends, positional cues, and behavior shaping on low and starter equipment.

AGILITY FOUNDATIONS LEVEL 2: Mechanics of jumping will be introduced along with progressive work on skills from foundations level 1.

BEGINNING AGILITY: Open to who have completed the Agility Foundations classes or have the permission of the instructor. This class will build on the Agility Foundations classes with the progression to lowered full sized obstacles, weaves, 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.

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 and course strategy.

HANDLING: Handler's Choice - each participant will get to number at least one sequence during the 4-week course using a pre designed course map provided the week before by the instructor.