PATIENT PAWS POSITIVE DOG TRAINING, LLC---APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT

Puppy Start Right _____ Canine Manners_____ Private Lessons_____

DATE SESSION BEGINS: _____

What are your goals for you and your dog in these training sessions? _____

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Please carefully read the following and initial where indicated. Females in season will not be allowed to participate in class while in heat and credit will not be given for any classes missed. INITIAL_____

AGGRESSIVE DOGS ARE PROHIBITED IN TRAINING CLASS. DEFINITION OF AGGRESSIVE DOG IS ANY DOG THAT SHOWS AN INAPPROPRIATE CHALLENGE, THREAT OR CONTEST TO ANOTHER DOG (HUMAN OR CANINE.) Please consult with Cindy Andrysiak if your dog has exhibited aggression in the past before applying for class. Any person asked to leave a training class because of their dog's aggressive behavior, will not receive a refund of any remaining classes. However, private sessions may be another option to continue and move forward with training. INITIAL_____

Due to limited enrollment restrictions for training classes, no refunds will be given after the first session of class. Credit for a future class will be at the discretion of the trainer. INITIAL_____

Name and address: _____

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Phone Numbers: Home:_____Cell:_____

Email Address: _____

Dog's Name:_____ Age_____ Sex_____ Breed:_____

Vet's Name:_____ vet's phone number_____

What to bring to class:

1. Your dog on a short (4' to 6') leash, no retractable leashes (flexis) will be allowed.
2. Unless otherwise instructed, only flat buckle or martingale collars or a harness should be used.
3. Plenty of small chewy training treats (the size of a kernel of corn) or bite size hotdogs.
4. A treat pouch to wear on your waist, or a material construction apron or Fanny Pack.

INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

WAIVER OF LIABILLITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, LOSS, OR DAMAGE, AND AGREEMENT TO HOLD HARMLESS.

I understand that attendance at a private or group dog training class, function or event is not without risk to myself, to members of my family, or to guests who may attend or to my dog(s), since some of the dogs to which I will be exposed may be difficult to control and may be the cause of injury, to persons or other dogs, even when handled with the greatest degree of care and precaution.

I agree to indemnify , and hold harmless Patient Paws Positive Dog Training, LLC, it's instructors, assistants, landlords, and agents, from any and all liability, loss, or damage which may be alleged to have been and/or have been caused directly or indirectly to any person, dog, or thing by my act or the act of my dog(s) while in or near the training area, or near the entrance thereto, and I personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim: I further agree to hold the aforementioned party(ies) harmless for any and all claims for damage or injury to my dogs, whether loss, theft, disappearance, damage, or injury be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence, actions, or inactions of the aforementioned party(ies), or by the negligent actions or inaction of any other person, dog , or thing, or any other causes.

I understand that the degree to which a dog is successfully trained is a function of the interest, commitment, and cooperation of the owner. I acknowledge and agree that there is no guarantee that my dog will achieve the desired level of training despite the best efforts of the instructor.

I further understand that once the dog training classes for which I registered have begun, I am not entitled to a refund of any kind, after the first session of class, should I be unable to complete activity. Makeup sessions are at the discretion of the trainer.

I also certify that my dog(s) who will be attending classes is (are) current on vaccinations. I agree to supply Patient Paws Positive Dog Training, LLC with proof of these vaccinations. I have received the concurrence of my vet for my dog to attend classes if there are any health issues (for instance lameness or medications) which might interfere with my dog's ability to participate.

I acknowledge that I have read this agreement and that I am entering into it voluntarily and with full understanding of the terms contained herein. I further agree that this Agreement is binding for this and all subsequent classes, events, and/or functions I attend.

Signature of Participant: _____Date: _____

Signature of Guardian: _____Date: _____

(If this is for a minor child the parent/guardian must sign)

BASIC INFORMATION FOR CLASSES

1. **Feeding before class:** Do not feed your dog his regular meal before class. We want the dog to be highly motivated to accept their food rewards.
2. **Equipment:** A flat buckle collar, or a harness, and a six foot or a four foot leash along with a sufficient supply of training treats that your dog will find rewarding. I will supply the clicker. Remember you have to compete with the other things of interest going on for your dog in a new place. So make sure you have something that really gets your dog's attention! Bring a couple of different kinds of small training treats and vary them from week to week.
3. **Walking your dog before class:** Try to give your dog a walk before you come to class to give the dog a chance to eliminate. Take your dog outside at any time during class if you feel your dog needs a potty break.
4. **The benefits of physical exercise prior to class:** It is important that your dog come to class ready to give attention and learn. You may find it necessary to take your dog for a walk or some other activity before class. Some physical activity may help take the edge off, which may allow him to focus on you better.
5. **What to do if your dog does "potty" in class:** Don't make a fuss over it! Supplies will be provided to clean it up.
6. **Cannot make it to class:** Please contact me and let me know if you cannot make it to a scheduled class.
7. **Most recent copy of shot records**
8. **Payment Due at your Orientation or 1st Class if you have previously completed Orientation. Payment in the form of CASH or CHECK only.**