

The Luvk9s Lowdown

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This month's featured breed is the Cane Corso, or Italian Mastiff.

Rocco, a 4-month old Cane Corso, just completed puppy class and is ready for Halloween.

Luvk9s Dog Training October newsletter

Happy Halloween! Will you be dressing your dog up for Halloween? To dress, or not to dress – that is the question! To read more about this topic, **click here**.

Click on the links below for more training tips:

- Your dog smells you better than you think
- Training an older dog
- Teaching an incompatible behavior to fix an undesirable one

With the holidays rapidly approaching, Luvk9s will be offering several one session workshops on specific behavior issues (basic obedience review, coming when called and loose leash walking) as well as some fun stuff (tricks, nose works, agility and the Canine Good Citizenship). Workshops start next week! **Click here for more info.**

Nothing in life is free

In her book, "How to be the Leader of the Pack", Patricia B. McConnell states "I know you love your dog. But if you love your dog you will do him no favors by catering to him, continually cooing over him or providing him with no boundaries. Dogs need to feel secure to be truly happy."

To continue reading, click here.

Cane Corso

Did you know that the Cane Corso, also known as the Italian Mastiff, was originally developed to guard property and hunt big game such as wild boar?

Did you also know that:

- The athletic and muscular Cane Corso typically weights 90 120 pounds?
- The Cane Corso is highly intelligent and therefore needs firm leadership and established boundaries?

Quote of the Month

"Dogs are the best medicine."

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- The Cane Corso is also incredibly docile and affectionate towards his family (including children.)

To learn more about the Cane Corso, click here.

Ending with a smile....this month's VIDEO

https://youtu.be/5qR-MKijcPg

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