



Tricks 4 Treats

Pet Dog & Fun Agility Training



Hello

Thank you for your interest in our Intermediate pet dog training courses.

Now that you have the basics in place, such as sit, down, wait, stay, coming back when called etc, we can progress each cue/area of need by putting them into various exercises that will help to strengthen each cue. We also work on further motivation and stimulation, to ensure that you and your dog are working well together with great results.

The Intermediate course has been designed as a follow on course from our Novice courses. We aim to improve upon your dogs' skills by introducing further distractions and carrying out exercises that allow for further proofing and progression. We also introduce Clicker Training as a method to encourage efficient learning without losing any of the fun that we always aim to achieve.

The Intermediate Course will cover various exercises that will enable you to gain or regain verbal 'control' of your dog both on and off lead.

The following is a sample of what we will cover:

- Progressing Wait & Stay
- Improve Loose Lead (& Off lead walking if relevant to the group)
- Direction Control
- Distance Control
- Progressing Leave/Take
- Food/Toy Distraction
- Fun Tricks & Games

If we feel the group will cope, we will bring the dogs' off lead. This decision is made based on the dogs' we have in each new course. If any dog cannot come off lead due to being overly distracted, we will continue their training on lead, this is still a heavy benefit.

Although you may feel that your dog isn't suited to this level, this is rarely the case. Without expanding on their skills and increasing their knowledge, they may find some distractions all too difficult. Therefore, continuing your training and giving your dog a chance to succeed with our progressive techniques, will help to set them up to cope well. You also have the benefit of being with and around a very supportive and knowledgeable team, we are here to assist every step of the way.

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Remember high-value tasty food rewards get better results! Also remembering that your dog chooses their reward, it's up to you to discover just what might work on a weekly basis and it may change from week to week. We tend to encourage bringing more than one food, as often if dogs aren't sure of what to expect, they are more likely to focus based on the possibility of goodies coming their way. Be prepared.

It is vital that you remain consistent. If you haven't carried out any training with your dog for a while, they may have come out of the habit of doing as they are asked. It is advisable that you put in a fair amount of effort; this will aid the weeks ahead and re-affirm your relationship with your dog. Training is a life long process, without continued education we all become less proficient at the task at hand and remember, always keep it fun, if you both enjoy the process you will love what you achieve together.

If in any doubt please do get in touch, we are more than happy to discuss any concerns or queries you may have.

We hope that you choose to book onto an Intermediate course and hope to see you soon.

All the best

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Intermediate Training Course Booking Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Post Code: _____ Tel: _____ Mobile _____

Email: _____

Dogs Name: _____ Dogs Age/D.O.B: _____

Neutered: _____ If so, when? _____

Breed/ Crossbreed **Please Specify**: _____ Sex: M/F

Where did you purchase your dog? **Please state**, breeder, rescue, privately rehomed etc

How long have you owned your dog? _____

What do you feed your dog and when? **Please state brand/s**

Does your dog have any known allergies? **Please state**

Do you or your dog have any medical history we need to be aware of? If so, please provide further details

Registered Veterinary Practice: _____

Have you undertaken any 'professional' training to date? If yes, please provide further details

Please state if your dog shows any signs of fear, nervousness, extreme excitement, excessive barking, low tolerance towards dogs' and/or people or any other behavioural issue - **Please Note that full assistance for any behaviour problem is available. Please use a separate sheet of paper if necessary**

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Course (Date & Time): _____

How did you hear about Tricks 4 Treats? _____

Would you like to receive information about Tricks 4 Treats or Your Dogs Needs (Online Store) via email? _____

Payment

Please tick your chosen method of payment from one of the following:

- Enclosed £80.00 cash
- Enclosed a cheque for £80.00 (made payable to 'Tricks 4 Treats')
- Made a direct bank transfer of £80.00 (BACS) (Please use your full name as reference against your payment):
 - Account Name: Tricks 4 Treats
 - Account Number: 41476023
 - Sort Code: 09-06-66
- Card payment via debit or credit card (VISA, Mastercard, Maestro accepted)
 - Upon receipt of your completed booking form we will call you to take payment of £80.00.
- I have made a card payment of £80.00 via the telephone on: Date _____

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Declaration

I understand that my dog must be on a lead (unless under instruction) and under my control at **all** times, including during training and whilst entering and leaving the training premises.

I understand that I am expected to clear up after my dog and dispose of any matter appropriately in the outside bins provided.

I understand that a refund **will not** be issued if cancellation is requested 2 weeks prior to my course commencing, unless under exceptional circumstances. Any potential cancellation will be discussed before a decision is made. If my place can be filled at the time of my request, a full refund will be issued.

I understand that the following is **NOT** accepted or tolerated in any Tricks 4 Treats training classes:

- **NO** choke/check chains, prong/pinch collars/electric shock collars
- **NO** sound or remotely activated collars of any kind
- **NO** retractable/flexi/extendable/slip Leads
- **NO** aversion 'tool', such as rattle cans, water sprays, correction sprays, rolled up newspapers etc
- **NO** harsh handling of any kind
- **NO** physical punishment of any kind

I have read and fully accept the terms and conditions set out by Tricks 4 Treats and agree to meet the terms of their policies at all times.

Print Name: _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____

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