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Paws4ever Spring 2017 Class Schedule

All classes meet at Paws4ever, located at 6311 Nicks Road, Mebane, NC

Indoor Classes (conducted in the Learning Center)

Early Bird Pricing: Pay by March 27th and save \$10!

For Junior Puppy, Senior Puppy, and Family Dog 1 please come to the first night of class **without** your dog.
All students, please bring proof of current vaccination to your first class.

Class	Day	Time	Instructor	Weeks/Cost	Start Date
Junior Puppy	Tuesday	6:15pm	Staff tbd	6wks/\$100	4/11/17
Senior Puppy	Monday	6:30pm	Staff tbd	6wks/\$100	4/10/17
Family Dog 1	Monday	6:15pm	Cindy Lee	6wks/\$100	4/10/17
Family Dog 1	Tuesday	11:45am	Staff tbd	6wks/\$100	4/11/17
Family Dog 1	Tuesday	7:30pm	Staff tbd	6wks/\$100	4/11/17
Family Dog 2	Tuesday	10:30am	Staff tbd	6wks/\$100	4/12/17
Family Dog 2	Wednesday	7:30pm	Staff tbd	6wks/\$100	4/12/17
Reliable Recall	Thursday	10:30am	Lisa Rowden	4wks/\$80	4/20/17
Canine Good Citizen	Thursday	11:45am	Lisa Rowden	6wks/\$120	4/20/17
Intro Rally Skills	Monday	7:30pm	Staff tbd	6wks/\$120	4/10/17
Scent Detection	Tuesday	7:30pm	Audrey A. Low	6wks/\$120	4/11/17
Foundation Agility	Wednesday	6:15pm	Staff tbd	5wks/\$100	4/12/17
Obstacle Skills	Wednesday	6:15pm	Staff tbd	5wks/\$100	4/12/17
Contacts&Weaves 1	Thursday	6:15pm	Staff tbd	5wks/\$100	4/13/17
Puppy Social Hour	Sunday	2:00pm	Audrey A. Low	free	ongoing

Outdoor classes (conducted in the Agility Field)

These classes are held outdoors, weather permitting. **You may pay as you go, or purchase a P4E Punch Card.** Please pre-register if you plan to attend an outdoor class, so we can notify you of weather cancellations.

Class	Day	Time	Instructor	Weeks/Cost	Start Date
Handling Skills	Thursday	7:30pm	Staff tbd	\$20/class	4/13/17
Competition 1	Monday	6:15pm	Penny Leigh	\$20/class	4/10/17
Competition 2	Monday	7:15pm	Penny Leigh	\$20/class	4/10/17
Sequencing Skills	Wednesday	6:15pm	Penny Leigh	\$20/class	4/12/17
Advanced Seq.	Wednesday	7:15pm	Penny Leigh	\$20/class	4/12/17
Agility Run-Thrus	Saturday	10:30am	Nelson Hobbs	\$5/dogs	ongoing

To register for class, please complete our online Class Registration form.
You will receive a secure online invoice to pay by credit card, or mail a check to:

Paws4ever Dog Training, 6311B Nicks Road, Mebane, NC 27302

Registrations and payment must be received by April 3rd.

Class descriptions and prerequisites on reverse.

Private sessions with our Certified Staff Training Instructors available by appointment.

Questions? Contact us at train@paws4ever.org

Spring 2017 Paws4ever group classes:

Junior Puppy For puppies 2-4 months old at the start of class. Teach your puppy attention, responsiveness, basic obedience and manners. Supervised off-leash play time allows puppies to burn off energy and work on their social skills too. 2 DAPP vaccines required by week 2, no puppies at week 1.

Senior Puppy For puppies 4-6 months old at the start of class. Teach your puppy attention, responsiveness, basic obedience and manners. Supervised off-leash play time allows puppies to burn off energy and work on their social skills too. Rabies and DAPP vaccines required. No puppies at week 1.

Puppy Social Paws4ever recognizes the need to develop critical social skills and a solid training foundation as soon as your new puppy comes home. Our weekly Puppy Social is offered FREE on most Sundays at 2pm to pups ages 2-6 months. Puppy parents learn to use playtime as a valuable reward for being attentive and mannerly, developing a polite, socially comfortable adult dog that enjoys play dates and remains focused on their family as appropriate. Enrollment is required as space may be limited.

Family Dog 1 For dogs over 6 months old with no previous formal training. Learn to get and keep your dog's attention so that he can be responsive and obedient in any environment. We work on basic obedience like sit, down, stay, come, polite leash walking, and appropriate greetings when meeting dogs and people. Rabies and DAPP vaccines required. No dogs at week 1 class.

Family Dog 2 For graduates of Junior or Senior Puppy Kindergarten or Family Dog 1 or Lifeskills. Family Dog 2 expands on the skills learned in previous classes and introduces new elements such as wait, leave it, go to place, recalls and loose-leash walking with distractions. Reinforce the good manners your dog already knows with increased distractions and difficulty.

Really Reliable Recall For graduates of Family Dog 2, this course focuses on the skills needed to develop a more reliable recall in real life situations, expanding to include increased distractions and difficulty, and practice outdoors.

Canine Good Citizen For graduates of Family Dog 2 or equivalent. This class prepares dog and handler teams for the CGC test, typically administered on week 6. Test items include walking nicely on leash, ignoring distractions, coming when called, and politely greeting dogs and people.

Intro to Rally Skills For graduates of Family Dog 2 or equivalent, this course introduces the fun sport of Rally Obedience, with main focus on building a solid foundation. Learn how to develop cooperative partnership with your dog as you navigate short sequences of skill stations.

Scent Detection Ever wonder what your dog's nose knows? Learn to read what he or she is saying in a fun class geared toward dogs who would benefit from intense mental stimulation. Main concepts covered will include imprinting on odour, recognising natural alert behaviour, and adding a trained indication. Specific legal odours will be handler's choice, such as morel mushrooms, personal items, antler sheds, or essential oils. No prerequisites are required, but dogs should be comfortable and quiet when crated between turns.

Foundation Agility For dogs who have completed at least one group training class. This class emphasizes all component skills needed in agility: self-control, motivation, balance/coordination and handling. Dogs and handlers will learn a foundation of safety and skills that will enable them to continue to more advanced agility training if they wish. This class is geared toward dogs who have no prior experience with agility training.

Obstacle Skills For dogs who have completed Foundation Agility or equivalent. Introduce your dog to the agility obstacles in a positive, safe manner. Your dog will be introduced to tunnel, jump, table, tire and some contact obstacles, developing confidence as you navigate each challenge as a developing team.

Handling Skills For dog and handler teams who have completed two or more agility classes and are ready to start performing short sequences. Learn to walk a course, plan a path for you and your dog, and execute handling techniques like front, rear and blind crosses, lead-outs, etc. Jumps, tunnels and table used, class conducted mostly outdoors.

Sequencing Skills For dog and handler teams who are ready to put all the obstacles into sequences, including contacts and weave poles. Practice various course challenges, improve your timing and handling skills, and reinforce your dog for proper obstacle performances at higher speeds. Class is conducted outdoors.

Contacts & Weaves 1 For teams that have completed Obstacle Skills and/or Foundation Agility. Teach your dog rock solid performance of the contact obstacles (A-frame, dogwalk & seesaw) and weave poles. We teach 2on2off contacts and weave poles using 2x2 method. Class is conducted indoors.

Comp 1, Comp 2 & Advanced Sequencing These agility classes are geared towards experienced teams preparing for competition. All equipment is used, sequences 10-20 obstacles long. Competition 1 (Novice) Competition 2 (Open/Advanced) Advanced Sequencing (Masters).