

The Training Game

An Obedience Workshop with Maggie Hayes and Friends

Focus on FUN! Play with a purpose!
Use games to develop attention, and build drive, self-control and relationship.
Play games to hone skills and fine tune your heeling, class exercises and fronts.

When: August 28th from 9 AM to 5 PM. **Where:** Merrimac Dog Training Club, 15 Newsome Pl, Newport News, VA.

Maggie's philosophy: I believe my dogs, and those of my students, can and will do anything we ask of them. From the Bassett hound to the pug to the border collie, each dog brings something unique to this game we play. Each has a lesson to share when we are ready to learn it. It is our challenge as trainers to give to our dogs what we expect from them...focus, energy, humor, patience, persistence, consistency, feedback and fun! When we approach training as a game, we build a partnership based on play with the "want to" balanced by the "have to" and we teach our dogs how to win! Throw in a bit of laughter and I believe each dog is capable of working with attitude and joy. I really do!

Her dogs:

OTCh UOCH SR Jessie Bear UDX3 JH WC OBHF...Novice A to OTCh, multiple HIT/HCs along the way
OTCh GOCH SHR SR Fireside Snap N Crackle UDX4 JH WCX JJ OBHF...#2 UKC all breed Open and Utility dog
2006; #57 in the Front and Finish top 100 teams in 2006; over 100 HIT/HCs in AKC/UKC; GRCA's Obedience Hall of Fame
UOCH Fireside Incredible Journey UDX JH OBHF...#2 UKC all breed Open and Utility dog, 2009;
Four UKC 200s; GRCA's Obedience Hall of Fame; 40 AKC/UKC HIT/HCs; and she's only three!

Her friends:

Sharon Wright...training/showing for 25 years; multiple UD/UDX Cockers; #1 Cocker for several years; NOI invitee
Current partner OTCh Razor UDX6 competes in obedience, agility, herding and flyball; rising star, Frisk-BC in training.
Meredith Garrett...from Novice A to OTCh with Australian Shepherd, Sarah; AKC/ASCA NOI invitee; over 50 HIT/HCs;
Triple OTCh dog-AKC/UKC/ASCA; rising star, Luke-BC in training.

Fees: Working slot, member \$65. Working slot, non-member \$80. Auditor, member \$40. Auditor, non-member \$50.
This includes lunch, drinks and handouts. **Make checks payable to MDTC.** No refunds after August 1st.

Registration form: Mail, with check, to Pat Wright 11710 Jefferson Avenue, Suite G Newport News, VA. 23606
Contact Pat at 757-876-3062 or email patricia1547@verizon.net

Name _____

Address _____

Phone # _____ **Email** _____

Breed/Age of Dog _____ **Titles Earned** _____

Training challenges you'd like addressed _____

AGREEMENT TO HOLD HARMLESS AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

I hold all members of Merrimac Dog Training Club harmless from any and all liability, costs and expenses arising as a result of this activity, including but not limited to, injury or death of dogs, bodily injury or death to any person and damage to property of any kind

SIGNATURE _____

Date _____