## Clinton County Canine Club Summer 2017 Class Schedule

Classes Beginning June 26, 2017

Member Registration Dates: June 2<sup>nd</sup> to June 5th Public Registration Dates: June 6<sup>th</sup> to June 13th

## \*\*\* Registrations will not be accepted prior to the above dates \*\*\*

Register online by clicking the link below for the desired class. After submitting the registration form you will receive an email confirmation with additional instructions for completing your registration. If the class is currently full you will prompted to complete information to be placed on our waiting list. \*\*\* Registrations are not completed until payment is received. \*\*\*

All registration paperwork must be postmarked by to avoid a late fee of \$20.

Please note that class sizes are limited and it is thus important that your payment and paperwork be received by the deadline or, in the event that there is a waiting list for the class, your spot will be given away.

## **Questions?**

Contact the Registrar by email at CCCCRegistrar@gmail.com (preferred method) or call (518) 846-8839.

## **Monday Classes**

То	Description	
5:30 PM 6:20 PM	Intermediate Obedience FUNdamentals (Limit 8)	Instructor(s)
	First Day of Class: 6/26/2017	Daniel Meunier
	Number of Scheduled Class Sessions: 8	
	Location: PARC Oval	
	Pre-requisites: Basic Obedience/Family Pet Dog Manners or a prior Puppy Class with recommendations from your instructor is a must. Dogs and handler teams must be able to work in close comfortably proximity to other dogs in a sometimes highly stimulating environment	
	These classes might possibly be filmed for educational purposes.	
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# 5:45 PM 6:45 PM Puppy Kindergarten / AKC STAR Puppy (Limit 10) Instructor(s) First Day of Class: 6/26/2017 Beverly Detwiler Number of Scheduled Class Sessions: 9 Location: PARC Oval This class is for young puppies through six months of age at the start of class. The class will conclude with the AKC STAR Puppy evaluation. Please note that the first class on June 26th will have NO PUPPIES, as it is an orient for handlers only. Click here to register for this class: <a href="https://goo.gl/forms/MrtMhG3S3rdqpfSr1">https://goo.gl/forms/MrtMhG3S3rdqpfSr1</a>

## **Tuesday Classes** From То Description 6:30 PM 7:30 PM Basic Beginner Obedience/Family Pet Dog Manners I (Limit 12) Instructor(s) First Day of Class: 6/26/2017 **Daniel Meunier** Number of Scheduled Class Sessions: 9 Location: PARC Oval Family Pet Dog Manners & Basic Obedience. For adult and adolescent dogs aged 6 months or more. Auditors are welcome and even encouraged to watch these classes at no charge, although without dogs. Please note: The first scheduled class is an orientation for dog handlers only. Dogs DO NOT attend the first class. These classes might possibly be filmed for educational purposes. Click here to register for this class: https://goo.gl/forms/xQEkQNTXPvRnBfGr2

# 7:00 PM 7:50 PM AKC Advanced CGC - Community Canine/Urban Canine Good Citizen Instructor(s) (Limit 8)

First Day of Class: 6/26/2017

Number of Scheduled Class Sessions: 8

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### Location: PARC Oval

This class will introduce dog and handler teams to the skills and distractions that are included in the two AKC Advanced Canine Good Citizen tests. Testing for all three levels of AKC Canine Good Citizen will be available. The goal of the AKC Community Canine test is to test a dog in a natural setting - loose leash walking through real crowds, small group sit-stays, and recalls with distractions in a public space. The AKC Urban CGC test adds city distractions to the real world skills evaluated. Noises, varying surfaces, crossing a street, climbing stairs and walking through a public building are part of this test. Class members will be expected to train and practice during the week between class sessions. Please note that the use of food is not permitted during these tests. Details of the tests may be found here: http://www.akc.org/dog-owners/training/

Prerequisites: Dogs and handler teams must have already completed at least a Family Pet Dog Manners/Basic Beginner Obedience class or Adolescent

Manners class or higher and have well developed CGC skills and/or a CGC title. Completion of an Advanced Beginner, Intermediate, or Canine Good Citizen class and a CGC title are strongly recommended. Instructors may excuse any class members who cannot demonstrate basic CGC skills during the first few classes. A dog must pass the CGC test and have the title on file with the AKC prior to taking the Community Canine and the Urban CGC tests. The CGC test will be offered during week 3 or 4 of classes in preparation for the Community and Urban tests.

Each dog must also have either an AKC Registration Number, an AKC PAL Registration Number (for unregistered, neutered purebreds) or an AKC Canine Partner Number (neutered mixed breeds) prior to taking the test. AKC registration is necessary in order to receive a title certificate.

Registration information is available at http://www.akc.org/dog-owners/ Completion of registration can take 2-3 weeks depending on the type of registration, so please register your dog ASAP. Numbers from other registries (CKC, Con KC, UKC, APR, NPR. Etc are not acceptable.)

Please note that road trips will be required in order to expose participating dogs to all the components of the two tests.

Click here to register for this class: <u>https://goo.gl/forms/9F0FyUsCPj2xvMZ12</u>

## **Clinton County Canine Club General Training Rules**

- 1. Dogs will be kept on leash at all times, unless otherwise told by your instructor.
- 2. Each handler is responsible for his dog's conduct in class. For safe training conditions please maintain a 4-6' distance between dogs. Your instructor will provide guidance for maintaining appropriate and safe behavior during class.
- 3. Only equipment acceptable to the instructor will be used in class.
- 4. Have your dog relieve himself away from the building. Bring a plastic bag to clean up any droppings. You will have to take it home with you, as there are no dumpsters on the grounds. If your dog relieves himself during training, someone will hold your dog while you clean up.

- 5. Classes start promptly. Please be on time. If you are early, wait outside until the previous class has left the building. Leave promptly when your class is over to avoid congestion at the door. If you wish to talk to your instructor or a friend, be considerate of the class that is in session.
- 6. If you need to miss a class please notify your instructor.
- 7. Bitches in season will not be allowed to attend classes without the permission of the instructor. The handler should attend and practice at home.
- 8. Do not train a sick dog. Leave him at home but come yourself.
- 9. Handlers are expected to pay attention to class work even if they are not actively involved so they will know what to do when it is their turn. If you do not understand something, please ask questions. We do not want you to practice an exercise wrong for a whole week.
- 10. Members of your family or friends are welcome to observe class. Children must be supervised. Handlers under 16 years of age must be accompanied at each class by a responsible adult.
- 11. The student, family members or dog's caregiver must handle the dog in all classes. All handlers should practice at home. In fairness to the dog, and the other participants, the primary handler should make an effort to attend most classes whether handling the dog or observing.
- 12. Practice 20-30 minutes daily at home. This can be broken into two or three sessions. Incorporate the exercises into your daily life.
- 13. The instructor reserves the right to dismiss any dog or handler from class for any legitimate reason.
- 14. Wear comfortable clothing. Rubber soled, flat shoes are recommended.
- 15. There is no smoking in any building where classes are held or within the vicinity of any outdoor class.