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BOARDING AND TRAINING LLC CONTRACT

The cost for training my dog is _____ per session

The following is required before bringing your dog for training at First Class Boarding & Training.

Proof of shots – distemper, hepatitis, parainfluenza, canine parvovirus, coronavirus, and bordetella (kennel cough).

_____ ["Owner"] hereby retains Tony Montoya ["Dog Trainer"] of First Class Boarding & Training to coach and train _____ ["The Dog(s)"] under the following terms and conditions:

Location. The lessons will take place at the _____.

Sessions last approximately one hour. Tardiness on the client's part does not prolong the session.

1. Cancellation and or Rescheduling. 48 hours notice is required to cancel or reschedule a lesson. I allow for one of these during the five to eight-week training period. A voice message or e-mail message may be sent to do this, and I will confirm that I have received the message during that day. If the client does not cancel as required, and is not present at the lesson location, they will either lose that lesson or need to pay for additional ones at the end. However, if the trainer feels that the client is acting irresponsibly, the trainer retains the right to cancel the package and refund any additional lessons that were due the owner, excepting for the ones where the trainer showed up, but the client did not.

2. Maintenance of Goals. The owner recognizes that this training session does not train the dog, but instead coaches the owners to train their dog according to skills conveyed and homework provided. In order for the dog to obey the owner, the following must occur:

The owner must understand the basic principles of training (this will be explained and provided by the trainer/Behaviorist).

The owner must apply the basic principles of training.

The owner must not interact with the dog in a way that rewards bad behavior and/or punishes good behavior.

The owner must regularly train the dog at least an hour a day (not in one block but as will be explained at different points of the day), six days a week to convey and fine tune command performance (as will be explained by the trainer).

The owner must not give commands that they are not ready to reinforce if the dog does not perform.

Some dogs can accept a great deal of training in 8 weeks, others are just getting started. The average adult dog needs 6 months of intensive training to be a well trained dog. If I train my dog for less time, I do not expect a fully trained dog. Obedience training may take less time dependent upon what I, the owner, expect to get done and upon how diligent I am with the follow up at home.

Guarantee. First Class Boarding & Training LLC does not guarantee training in this arrangement. Much of the training is going to be done by the client. The trainer cannot control whether the client follows the advice, does the homework, is consistent outside of training time, and many other factors.

Refunds:

A. We are a small, local business and take your pet's training seriously. We put effort into every class and training plan. Our trainers spend a lot of time and money to gain the knowledge, experience, and professional credentials necessary to be able to help you communicate with your pet. For these reasons, refunds will not be given at any time or for any reason.

B. In some cases, a transfer may be permitted. This occurs on a case-by-case basis and is not guaranteed. We suggest being sure you have selected the appropriate dates for class or appointments prior to registration and that you are able to commit to working with your dog.

C. All clients are given a registration and/or service agreement before training begins. Failure to abide by the agreements may result in termination of training services without refund. Examples of such include but are not limited to: using aversive training techniques when trainer isn't present (i.e. shock collar), being a disruptive or emotionally negative presence in a group class or appointment, causing danger or harm to any person or animal, etc.

Communication in between lessons of any difficulties or problems that were arising.

Proof that homework was accomplished by the ability of the client to produce results of exercises as will be outlined.

3. Aggressive Dogs. The owner warrants that he/she has disclosed to the trainer in writing (client interview form & other) any behavior that may indicate that the dog may be aggressive to other dogs or people, included but not limited to growling, forceful barking, snapping, raising of hackles, lowering of head and staring, chasing, attempting to bite, and biting. The trainer reserves the right to refuse or discontinue services for an aggressive dog, in which case the trainer will have no further obligation to the owner. All dogs will remain on a leash when out of the owner's car.

4. Liability. All behavioral advice and training suggestions are provided at the Client's own risk. Use of this information is voluntary and First Class Boarding & Training LLC is not responsible for injury to another human or animal. The client is at all times responsible for the actions of their dog. First Class Boarding & Training LLC and Tony Montoya (The Trainer) are not responsible for any injuries or expenses resulting from socialization or training. Dogs participating in physical exercises may be injured by running, jumping, chasing a ball etc. Client hereby identifies and holds harmless First Class Boarding & Training LLC and Tony Montoya [The Trainer(s)] for injury, death, or loss of the dog.

SIGNATURES BELOW WILL REPRESENT AGREEMENT OF THE ABOVE MENTIONED TERMS OF AGREEMENT AND EXPECTATIONS.

Date:

Client Signature (printed and signed):

NAME: _____ ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____ HOME PHONE: _____

CELL PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

DOG'S NAME: _____ AGE: _____ BREED: _____ SEX: _____

CURRENT FEED: _____ SHOT/VAC - CURRENT/EXPLAIN _____

HEARTWORM: _____ VETERINARIAN INFORMATION: _____

THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING FIRST CLASS BOARDING AND TRAINING LLC FOR ALL OF YOUR TRAINING NEEDS.