

## **\*\*New B&D Creekside Activity Center Classes\*\***

Start Date: May 13<sup>th</sup> (no class on My 27<sup>th</sup>)

Trainers: Darlene Schmucker and Gina Caldwell

Cost: \$20 per class for a 6-week session

### **Puppy Manners**

**Time: 9:30 am-10:30 am**

**Puppy Manners Classes** (10 weeks-6 months) are essential for establishing a solid foundation of obedience for your dog. These classes are designed to teach you how to socialize your puppy properly while training them in basic cues and good manners. You will learn how to train your puppy through real-life challenges with confidence. AKC Star Puppy test is offered.

### **Beyond Puppy**

**Time: 9:30 am-10:30 am**

**Beyond Puppy Classes** (5-9 months) are essential for reinforcing the foundation of obedience for a well-behaved dog. These classes are designed to teach you, as a dog handler, how to properly socialize and train your dog in basic cues such as heeling, recall, sit, down, and stay. You will learn puppy focusing techniques while leash walking near other dogs and people.

### **Basic Obedience**

**Time: 10:30 am-11:30 am**

**Basic Obedience Classes** (over 9 months) are essential for building on the foundational skills learned in puppy classes, and continuing to develop your dog's obedience. Your dog will learn to improve their duration and distance with basic cues such as sit, down, stay, recall, and leash walking while navigating a distracting environment. AKC Canine Good Citizen test is offered.

### **Advanced Obedience**

**Time: 10:30 am-11:30 am**

**Advanced Obedience Classes** (over 1 year) build upon the foundational behaviors learned in Basic Obedience, applying those skills to more complex scenarios. You will learn how to work as a team while keeping your dog focused in highly distracting environments. These advanced behaviors will provide a solid foundation for other classes, such as agility, rally, and therapy dog training. Advanced AKC Canine Good Citizen test is offered.

### **\*\*Questions and Registration\*\***

To confirm your attendance, please contact Gina at (724) 244-8743 or [storytimedogtraining@gmail.com](mailto:storytimedogtraining@gmail.com). Include your name, number, email, dog's name, breed, and age. All dogs must be current on vaccinations and demonstrate good manners around other dogs. Our classes are both educational and enjoyable, ensuring that you and your dog stay mentally and physically engaged while learning new skills.

***Get ready to train with a positive attitude as you continue to build a happy and healthy relationship with your dog!!!***