



BEGINNER CLASS INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION



Modified August 2005

FOR: Dogs 5 months of age or older (Younger dogs with previous formal training will be considered.)
COST: 90.00 for eight lessons - 1 night per week for 8 weeks includes weekly class handout.

Classes will teach you how to train your dog in basic obedience exercises such as sit, down, stand, stay and come. We will also demonstrate how to teach your dog to walk on a leash through "controlled walking" and will introduce the concepts of heeling with attention, right turns, left turns and about turns. The classes continue to deal with basic socialization and good manners as well as prevention of behavioral problems such as biting, chewing, barking, house soiling and jumping up. Areas of concern to the owners will be discussed. Classes will emphasize motivation as a training tool and teach you to understand your dog and use positive reinforcement for correct behavior. Play techniques will be used to build confidence and a happy attitude in your dog.

Send registration form and \$90.00 to **BLOOMINGTON OBEDIENCE TRAINING CLUB, 8127 Pleasant Avenue South, Bloomington, MN 55420, ATTN: CLASS REGISTRATION DESK.**

**If you have any questions, call BOTC at 952-888-4998
See our website at www.botcmn.org**

**** To register for a class, please complete the following****

Your Name _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Daytime Phone _____ Evening Phone _____

Email _____

Dog's Name _____ Breed _____

Male or Female (Circle one) Spayed/Neutered (circle one if applicable) Dog's Date of Birth _____

Where did you hear about BOTC (Be Specific) _____

SEE OTHER SIDE

START DATE OF CLASS	DAY OF WEEK	TIME
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**PROOF OF DISTEMPER AND PARVO VACCINATIONS IS REQUIRED THE FIRST NIGHT OF CLASS. TO "SPEED UP" REGISTRATION THE FIRST NIGHT, PLEASE ENCLOSE A COPY OF YOUR DOG'S MEDICAL RECORDS WHEN YOU RETURN THIS FORM
*Do not bring your dog for the first class***

OFFICE USE ONLY	
Amount Received	_____
Check Number	_____
Date	_____
Amount Due	_____
Confirmation postcard sent	_____

OFFICE USE ONLY	
VACCINATION INFORMATION	
Vet Clinic	_____
Phone Number	_____
Vaccination	_____ Date _____
Vaccination	_____ Date _____
Vaccination	_____ Date _____
Comments	_____



CONDITIONS OF REGISTRATION



REFUNDS

It is the policy of BLOOMINGTON OBEDIENCE TRAINING CLUB to offer NO refunds for incomplete classes, except upon receipt of a veterinarian's written note certifying the death or disabling injury of the enrolled dog.

LIABILITY

Handlers are liable for any injury or damage sustained or caused by their pet or themselves while participating in THE CLUB activities.

EQUIPMENT

We require the use of an buckle or snap collar and a 6 foot leash for training classes. The collar and leash are supplied by the handler.

Bring a baggie full of soft doggie treats (cut-up hot dogs, cut-up cooked steak, SOFT dog kibbles, etc.)

HEALTH

Rabies certificate and proof of parvo vaccinations are required for all dogs attending classes.

If your animal has a "temporary" communicable medical problem, such as fleas, kennel cough, etc., we request you do not bring him/her to class. You may still attend classes without your dog.

We also request that any bitch in season not be brought into the BOTC training facility. We will make every attempt to reschedule any unused block training session. Please discuss this with your instructor.

GENERAL

It is the policy of BLOOMINGTON OBEDIENCE TRAINING CLUB to provide a safe facility in which to train dogs.

- The members of BOTC believe all dogs should be handled in a humane manner. If any BOTC instructor or BOTC Board Member determines that an animal is being mistreated or is in any way in danger by the owner/handler, that animal and owner/handler may be asked to leave the BOTC facility.
- Aggressive dogs will not be tolerated within the BOTC facility. If an instructor or BOTC Board Member feels your dog is aggressive towards any human or any dog, you will be asked to leave the facility.

It is the responsibility of the dog's handler to clean up any feces left by his or her animal. This includes inside the BOTC training facility, as well as the grounds outside the facility.

I HAVE READ AND AGREE TO ABIDE WITH THE ABOVE CONDITIONS:

Please print your name: _____

Please sign your name: _____

Guardian (if handler is a minor): _____

Date: _____