



JANUARY / FEBRUARY 2012 TRAINING SCHEDULE

(Updated 1/3/12)

**** SPECIAL COURSES ****

~ K9 SAFETY - (4 hour course)

Location: Sirius K9 Academy (indoor facility) in Yorba Linda. Instructor: Caroline Haldeman. **Next class date: Thursday (6:30pm – 10:30pm) / Date: TBA (Summer 2012.)** The K9 safety class is for those who work with dogs with rescue organizations, shelters, boarding kennels, vet hospitals, etc. This class will cover how to read dogs, handling them safely, and how to deal with aggressive dogs. It also covers how to protect yourself from an attack, liability, and much more! Prerequisite: You must work for or volunteer for a dog related business, rescue, or shelter and provide proof upon sign up. **You must sign up for this class on our website and payment must be made in advance to reserve a spot.** This is not a drop-in class. Cost: \$50. (Group rates are available upon request.) **You may also pay for this class on-line. Contact Caroline at 714-296-9714 or via email at Caroline@siriusk9training.com for more details.**

~ AKC CANINE GOOD CITIZEN (CGC) TESTING & CERTIFICATION

Held at the Sirius K9 Academy (indoor facility) in Yorba Linda. Testing is on rain or shine! **Next CGC testing date: Sunday, February 12th at 3pm.** Cost: \$20. Prerequisite: **You must sign up with the evaluator to test and payment must be made in advance to reserve a spot.** Evaluator: Mary-Lou Halliday-Campbell. (Visit our website to see the AKC CGC Test and for more details.) We especially encourage ALL protection trained dogs and large breeds take this test yearly! **You may also pay for this test on-line.**

~ THERAPY DOG TESTING & CERTIFICATION

Held at the Sirius K9 Academy (indoor facility) in Yorba Linda. Testing is on rain or shine! **Next TDI (Therapy Dogs International) Test Date: TBA (Summer 2012.)** Evaluator: Linda Randall. Prerequisite: Dogs must be at least 1 year old at time of testing and must have passed at least the Sirius K9 basic obedience test. (Visit our website for more details.) Cost: \$10. / \$20. if you also need the CGC (AKC Canine Good Citizen) certification on your dog. (If your dog hasn't been CGC certified, it is mandatory to test for this as well.) You must RSVP in order to attend this test! (10 dogs maximum.)

~ BEGINNER DECOY SEMINAR - (4 hour course)

Location: TBA (Will be in Orange County.) Cost: \$80. (This course may also be audited for \$50.) Instructor: Caroline Haldeman. **Next projected class date: Summer 2012 (Date / time: TBA)** (Class size is limited to 6 decoys!) Prerequisite: **You must sign up for this course on our website and you must be 18 years or older. Full payment must be made in advance to reserve a spot.** This class will introduce you to decoy work. You will learn how to work dogs on tugs, soft & young dog sleeves, and will be introduced to full suit work. You will learn how to read dogs and work them in prey / defense drives and how to build a dog's confidence. This class is for physically fit individuals only and those with no injuries preventing them from moving quickly, running, bending over, etc. **You may also pay for this class on-line. Sign up now to reserve your spot and to be notified of the next class date. Contact Caroline at 714-296-9714 or via email at Caroline@siriusk9training.com for more details.**

~ **ADVANCED DECOY SEMINAR** - (4 hour course)

Location: TBA (Will be in Orange County.) Cost: \$100. (This course may also be audited for \$70.) Instructor: Caroline Haldeman. **Next projected class date: Fall 2012 (Date / time: TBA)** (Class size is limited to 6 decoys!) Prerequisite: ***You must sign up for this course on our website and have attended our Beginner Decoy Seminar. Full payment must be made in advance to reserve a spot.*** This class will introduce you to advanced decoy work. You will work dogs on intermediate & leg sleeves, in a full suit, and be introduced to muzzle agitation and hidden sleeve work. This class is for physically fit individuals only and those with no injuries preventing them from moving quickly, running, bending over, etc. ***You may also pay for this class on-line. Sign up now to reserve your spot and to be notified of the next class date. Contact Caroline at 714-296-9714 or via email at Caroline@siriusk9training.com for more details.***

~ **SIRIUS K9 ACADEMY PROFESSIONAL DOG TRAINER PROGRAM**

(16 week / 250 hour course) This course will prepare you for a career training dogs professionally. Upon completion of this course, you will receive a Professional Dog Trainer Certificate. Class location: Sirius K9 Academy (indoor facility) in Yorba Linda. **Projected class start date: TBA (Spring 2012)** This course will meet three times per week (times will vary) for four months. Additional mandatory class observation days will also be scheduled weeknights and Saturdays. This will be a part-time intensive hands-on course. Cost: \$4,390. (8 student maximum!) Prerequisite: ***An application and a non-refundable application fee of \$50. as well as a \$250. deposit is required to reserve a spot in this class.*** The balance will be due on the first day of class and the deposit will be applied to the class fee. You must be 18 years or older and in good physical condition. The applicant must possess a High School diploma (or G.E.D.) and be fluent in English. Instructor: Caroline Haldeman. This course will incorporate only rescue dogs in need of homes into the program. This course will cover many aspects of dog training including; Obedience, tracking, protection training, therapy dog training, scent discrimination, agility, Pet First Aid / CPR, and much more! You will need to be prepared to transport the rescue dogs you will be working to and from class, as well as be able to temporarily foster a rescue dog at your home in order to meet the requirements of this course. ***Please visit our website for additional information and to request an application. You may also pay for this class on-line. Contact Caroline for more details at 714-296-9714 or email her at Caroline@siriusk9training.com.***

**** SIRIUS K9 ACADEMY WEEKLY CLASS SCHEDULE ****

~ **PUPPY MANNERS GROUP CLASS** - (6 week course)

(TUESDAYS at 6:30pm) Instructor: Michele Smith. Cost: \$150. (\$135. for pups from a rescue or shelter – with proof.) Held at the Sirius K9 Academy (indoor facility) in Yorba Linda. Class is on rain or shine! **Next class start date: Tuesday (6:30pm - 7:30pm): January 17th.** Prerequisite: Puppies must be between 10 – 16 weeks old. All puppies must have had at least their second series of vaccinations to attend this class, along with a ‘clean bill of health’ letter from your veterinarian. ***You must sign up for this class on our website and payment must be made in full to reserve your spot.*** This class will help prepare your dog for our Basic Obedience group class. (If your dog is older than 4 months, please sign up for our Basic Group class.) You and your dog will be introduced to the Clicker in this class. Your puppy will learn how to sit, down, wait, walk on a loose lead, respond to his/her name, greet people and dogs politely, and more! This is a very fun and motivational class! (8 puppy maximum!) ***You may also pay for this class on-line.***

~ **ADVANCED GROUP OBEDIENCE**

(THURSDAYS at 7:30pm / Locations vary.) BY APPOINTMENT ONLY. **Class Dates: January 19th / February 16th.** *You must sign up for this class 24-hours prior to the scheduled class time via a text, an email, or call to be added to the class roster.* Instructors: Caroline Haldeman and John Endlich. Prerequisite: Your dog must be able to pass our Intermediate Obedience Test to attend this class. If your dog hasn't been tested or been to our facility before, you must schedule an evaluation first. Cost: \$20. per session. **Visit our website to see what your dog will learn in this class! Contact Caroline at 714-296-9714 or via email at Caroline@siriusk9training.com to sign up and for the class location.**

~ **FIELD TRIP GROUP OBEDIENCE**

(THURSDAYS at 7:30pm) (See dates below.) BY APPOINTMENT ONLY. *You must sign up for this class 24-hours prior via an email, text, or call to be added to the class roster.* Limited class size. Meeting locations vary throughout Orange County. **Class Dates: January 12 & 16th / February 9th & 23rd.** Instructor: Caroline Haldeman and Mary-Lou Halliday-Campbell. Cost: \$20. per session. This class will take you and your dog to distracting locations including shopping centers, malls, parks, the beach, etc. This class is great for dogs that are easily distracted! Prerequisite: Your dog must be able to pass our Basic Obedience Test and have attended at least (4) intermediate group obedience classes. We recommend that you get a working dog vest for your dog for this class. (See our website Store to get one.) **Sign up by calling or texting 714-296-9714 or via email at Info@siriusk9training.com and to get the class location.**

~ **BASIC GROUP OBEDIENCE (YORBA LINDA)** - (7 week / 16 hour course)

(WEDNESDAYS at 6pm / SUNDAYS at 9am) – **With over-flow classes as needed. Over-flow class times will be assigned based on sign-up / deposit date.** Held at the Sirius K9 Academy (indoor facility) in Yorba Linda. Class is on rain or shine! Instructors: Caroline Haldeman, Mary-Lou Halliday-Campbell, John Endlich and Mary Ann Loomis. (This course has a minimum of two and as many as four instructors per class!) Dogs should be a minimum of 4 months old. **New classes begin on: SUNDAY = Jan 15th / March 4th / April 22nd / June 10th / July 29th / Sept 16th / Nov 4th.**

Please note: The first Wednesday class is on the above posted Sunday class start dates. We combine both classes for the first class which is an orientation. After attending the Sunday orientation, if you signed up for the Wednesday class, you will then attend the remaining classes on the following Wednesday evenings. (Class size maximum is 6 - 8 dogs.) Dogs do NOT attend the first class. The first class is approximately 2 hours long. Cost: \$200. ** (\$50. Discount for two or more dogs from the same household. / \$35. Discount for dogs adopted from a shelter or rescue. / \$25. Discount for current Sirius personal protection dogs, returning clients, service dogs in training, current law enforcement, fire, and military personnel!) Please note: Only one discount per dog. Prerequisite: You must sign up for this class on our website. **A deposit of \$50. per dog must be paid in advance to reserve a spot in the class and to be added to the class roster.** The balance is due on the first day of class and the deposit will be applied to the class fee. (For those wanting to only attend the orientation the cost is \$50.) **To see what you will learn in this class, please visit our website! You may also pay for this class on-line. Contact us at 714-296-9714 or via email at info@siriusk9training.com for more class details.**

~ **BASIC GROUP OBEDIENCE (HUNTINGTON BEACH)** (7 week course)

(TUESDAYS at 7pm) Held at an indoor location in or near HB. Instructor: Mary-Lou Halliday-Campbell. *Next class start date: TBA (Feb 2012.)* Dogs should be a minimum of 4 months old. Class size maximum is 6! Dogs do not come to the first class. The first class is approximately 2 hours long. Cost: \$200. Prerequisite: *You must sign up for this class on our website. A deposit of \$50. per dog must be paid in advance to reserve a spot and to be added to the next class roster.* The balance is due on the first day of class and the deposit will be applied to the class fee.

~ **BASIC GROUP OBEDIENCE (IRVINE)** (6 week stream-lined course)

(SUNDAYS at 4:30pm) Held outside in south / west Irvine near the Laguna Hills border. Instructor: Caroline Haldeman. *Next projected class start date: March 4th.* Dogs should be a minimum of 4 months old. Class size maximum is 8! Dogs do not come to the first class. The first class is approximately 2 hours long and is held at our Yorba Linda facility. Cost: \$175. (No discounts given for this class.) Prerequisite: *You must sign up for this class on our website. A deposit of \$50. per dog must be paid in advance to reserve a spot and to be added to the next class roster.* The balance is due on the first day of class and the deposit will be applied to the class fee. *Contact Caroline at 714-296-9714 or via email at Caroline@siriusk9training.com for more class details.*

~ **INTERMEDIATE GROUP OBEDIENCE**

(WEDNESDAYS at 8pm / SATURDAYS at 1pm) Held at the Sirius K9 Academy (indoor facility) in Yorba Linda as well as other nearby Yorba Linda locations. Class is on rain or shine! This is a RSVP class. It is on-going with no start or end date. You can attend as often as or whenever your schedule permits! This class will help prepare your dog for the CGC test, (TDI) Therapy Dog test, our Field Trip classes, and for our Intermediate Obedience test. Instructors: Caroline Haldeman, Mary-Lou Halliday-Campbell, John Endlich, and Mary Ann Loomis. Prerequisite: Your dog must be able to pass our Basic Obedience Test to attend this class. If your dog hasn't been tested for our basic obedience test or been to our facility before, you must schedule an evaluation with one of the instructors first. Cost: \$20. per session or \$60 for 4 CONSECUTIVE classes. (If you pay for 4 classes at our discounted rate and you miss one or more of your consecutive classes, you will lose that class credit.). *To RSVP for this class, you can email or text us, or leave a voice message. Please RSVP 24-hrs in advance and leave your name / dog's name and contact # in the message. Clients who have RSVP'd will be notified if the class location will not be at our facility and of the new location at least 4 hours prior. Visit our website to see what your dog will learn in this class!*

~ **PERSONAL PROTECTION TRAINING** (Beginner – Advanced)

(SATURDAYS 7am – 1pm) Training locations vary. BY APPOINTMENT ONLY. *You must sign up for this class anytime on Thursday or before 12pm on Friday via a text, email, or call to the instructor to be added to the class roster each week.* This is an on-going class. All breeds and ages welcome! Instructor: Caroline Haldeman. Prerequisite: New dogs must be evaluated prior to starting this class. Dogs over six months old must be able to pass our Basic Obedience Test. (No one under 18 years old please.) Cost: Beginner dogs & puppies working on a tug = \$25. / Dogs working on a soft sleeve & leg sleeve = \$30. per session / Dogs working on an intermediate sleeve & full suit = \$35. per session. Visit our website to learn more about Personal Protection training! *Contact Caroline at 714-296-9714 or via email at Caroline@siriusk9training.com for more details and to sign up.*

COMING SOON TO SIRIUS K9 ACADEMY!

We are very excited to announce the following upcoming classes!

New! ~ **SCENT WORK CLASSES!**

New! ~ **GROUP HIKES!**

(Additional details and class information will be posted on our website soon! :)

IN-KENNEL TRAINING / BOARDING

We provide In-Kennel Training and Boarding for your convenience! However, we limit our in-kennel & boarding dogs to minimize stress and to assure your dog gets plenty of individual attention! **DOGS IN FOR BOARDING AND IN-KENNEL TRAINING STAY AT THE HOMES OF OUR TRAINERS!** You must sign up well in advance to assure your dog a spot. We offer in-kennel training for the following: **OBEDIENCE TRAINING (ALL LEVELS), BEHAVIOR MODIFICATION (BAD HABITS / POOR MANNERS / FEAR / DOG AGGRESSION ISSUES), THERAPY DOG TRAINING, TRACKING, PERSONAL PROTECTION TRAINING, PUPPY MANNERS, POTTY TRAINING, AGILITY TRAINING, REMOTE COLLAR TRAINING, NARCOTIC DETECTION, RALLY-O / COMPETITION OBEDIENCE AND MORE!** Please visit our website for more details or contact us to set up boarding or in-kennel training for your dog.

PRIVATE LESSONS

Sirius K9 also offers (1) hour & (1/2) hour Private Lessons in your home, at a local park, or at our large indoor facility in Yorba Linda! We offer private lessons for the following: **DOG TO DOG (OR OTHER ANIMAL) INTRODUCTION, POTTY / HOUSE TRAINING, OBEDIENCE TRAINING (ALL LEVELS), BEHAVIOR MODIFICATION (BAD HABITS / POOR MANNERS / FEAR / AGGRESSION ISSUES / SEPERATION ANXIETY), THERAPY DOG TRAINING, TRACKING, PERSONAL PROTECTION TRAINING, PUPPY MANNERS, AGILITY TRAINING, BOUNDARY CONTROL, NARCOTIC DETECTION, RALLY-O / COMPETITION OBEDIENCE, REMOTE COLLAR USE AND INTRODUCTION AND MORE!** Each private lesson is tailored to your needs! Please visit our website for more details or contact us to set up your private lesson.

**** We offer FREE Obedience Evaluations ****

**(For dogs that have had prior professional training elsewhere,
so you know where you fit in at our facility!)**

**** GIFT CERTIFICATES AVAILABLE! ****

You can buy them on-line or at our facility.

(Makes a great gift! :)

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