

Agility Focus March/April Classes at DOI Field



Agility Focus with Rhonda Koeske

These classes will be available exclusively to Dog On It members until March 5th, after which time they will be opened to others. Non members can register and be wait listed until the 5th to receive early bird discounts.

Classes are held at Dog On It Field – 4253 W. Ponkan Rd., Zellwood, FL

Please note that the numbers in parentheses (#) show the flow of progression for a “new” dog, classes are designed with overlap so your dog could be eligible for more than one class.

Please look closely at the schedule. Much has changed to consolidate to 2 days. If you have questions please contact me at adchtack@gmail.com.

Early Bird Discounts If your envelope is postmarked by March 3rd deduct \$10! (not to be combined with multiple dog/class discount)

Multiple Dog/Class Discounts – handlers paying for 2 or more classes at any one time can deduct \$10 for each “long” class and \$5 for each “short” class.

Puppy Class, (1) (current puppy class students and any never-agility-trained dog, please make sure puppies are okay per your vet to participate) – 45 minute class

\$60 for 4 weeks

Tuesdays 6:15 – 7:00 pm; March 15, 22, 29 and April 5 **Note: New Day and Time**

This class will include new skills and tricks and build on what the puppies in it have already learned but will refresh for new students. Basics of obedience for agility to help with focus, overcoming distractions, and impulse control. Will include pre agility tricks and skills. Homework will be given. To “graduate” dogs should not be overly fearful of moving objects and unusual surfaces; they should also be focused on the handler and be in control around other dogs on leash. Max 6 dogs.

Foundations (2) (6 mos. to 15 mos. approximately) – 45 minute class

\$60 for 4 weeks

Tuesdays 7:15 – 8:00 pm; March 15, 22, 29 and April 5 **Note: New Day and Time**

Flatwork, cone work, and contact behaviors will be taught. Basics of handler versus obstacle focus for young dogs. Jumps will not be at full height. Beginning teeter and weaves (based on age of dog), will be started. Homework will be given. To “graduate” dogs should follow handler direction and readily take jumps and tunnels when directed. Dogs may be 6 months old and up. Max 6 dogs

Pre Competition (3) – 1 ¼ hours

\$100 for 4 weeks

Mondays 8:00 – 9:15 pm; March 14, 21, 28, and April 4

Note: Wednesday Night Class is discontinued

This class will focus on your relationship with your dog while working. Each class will include some obstacle basics (and maintenance of behaviors) and handling basics, while keeping a greener dog focused on you. Discussion on rewards and focus will be part of this class. Dogs that are not yet competing but familiar with jumps and tunnels (up to all obstacles) are perfect for this class. Dogs struggling with focus issues will also benefit. Dogs may be jumping at a lower than competition height. To “graduate” dogs should be doing all obstacles independently. Max 8 dogs.

Competition Basic (4) – 1 ¼ hours

\$100 for 4 weeks

Tuesdays 10:00 am – 11:15 pm; March 15, 22, 29 and April 5 **Note: new time**

Or **Mondays 6:30 – 7:45 pm**; March 14, 21, 28, and April 4 **Note: new day and time**

This class is for dogs currently competing at a beginning and mid level that can safely and independently perform all obstacles. This class will focus on building trust that your dog will commit to an obstacle so you can effectively execute your handling choices. Commands to assist you in handling your dog on course will be broken down and taught. Distractions and maintenance of criteria will be discussed and worked on. Dogs should be jumping at their competition height (if not planning on competing, dogs may jump at their comfort level). Max 8 dogs.

Competition Walk In (4, 5) – 1 ¼ hours

\$110 for a 4 session punch card

Tuesdays 8:15 – 9:30

pm; All Tuesdays that other classes are taking place (i.e., March 15, 22, 29 and April 5).

The ultimate in flexibility!!! Designed for people who cannot commit in advance to several weeks! Punch cards will be sold for 4 sessions. Students can come to class on a walk-in basis. Only 6 cards will be in circulation at a time. Classes will be Masters course-based and feedback will be individualized.

This class can also be joined for \$100 for a session (i.e. not walk-in to class; you miss a class you cannot make up). Only half the class can have this option, Walk In Card holders have preference.

Skills Classes – Distance Skills for Less Agile Handlers - 45 minute class

\$60 for 4 weeks

Mondays 5:30 – 6:15 pm; February 2, 9, 16, 23 **Note: New day**

This session will work on must haves for less agile handlers: Good stays on start lines and contacts, distance commands such as “go” and “out”, developing a plan for running a course by looking for “critical points”. Max 6 dogs.

Handler Agility

\$10!! per week, walk in

Tuesdays 8:45 – 9:45 am; February 2, 16, 23 **Note: new time!**

Exercise classes designed specifically for agility handlers, with a focus on flexibility, balance, foot speed, and peripheral vision while in action. Focus is on improving movement on an agility course.

Private Lessons –

55 min. - \$70

40 min. - \$48

25 min. - \$35 –(first session cannot be 25 min.)

Available on Mondays from 3:00 to 5:00 pm, Tuesdays, between 1:00 and 5:30 pm, Wednesdays, between 8:00 am and 2:00 pm.

Ask about other times.

Contact Rhonda at (586)214-1988 OR adchtack@gmail.com

Please bring only healthy dogs to the training site. If your dog gets sick, your money will be refunded. If your dog aggressively reacts to another dog during class, it will be addressed, up to being removed from class. If you have a dog that can have issues around other dogs, please warn others and take care to make sure they are under your control at all times.

Any questions contact Rhonda at (586)214-1988 OR adchtack@gmail.com

Full payment is required to hold a spot. Make checks payable to Agility Focus and mail to Rhonda Koeske, 1073 Alcove Loop, The Villages, FL 32162. Please mail form below with your payment. In addition a signed Dog On It Liability Form is required, the first night of class.

Handler:

Current Dog On It Member?

Phone Number:

Is this a cell? Can you receive texts?

Email address:

Home address:

First Dog Name:

Dog Age:

Jump Height:

Class – Give class name, day and time:

If only 1 class – Early Bird Discount? (by 1/20)

Second Dog Name:

Dog Age:

Jump Height:

Class – Give class name, day and time:

Using Multiple dog/class discount?

Third Dog Name:

Dog Age:

Jump Height:

Class – Give class name, day and time:

Using Multiple dog/class discount?

I agree that I have read all of the above and have selected the correct class for my dog. Additionally, I understand my obligations with respect to my dog's health and behavior.

Please sign and date:



Spring Schedule

	Mondays March 14, 21, 28, April 4	Tuesdays March 15, 22, 29, April 5	Wednesdays March 16, 23, 30, April 6
8:00			Available for Private Lessons
8:30			
9:00			
9:30			
10:00		10:00 - 11:15 Competition Basic	
10:30			
11:00			
11:30			
12:00			
12:30			
1:00		Available for Private Lessons	
1:30			
2:00			
2:30			
3:00	Available for Private Lessons		
3:30			
4:00			
4:30			
5:00			
5:30	5:30 - 6:15 Skills Class		6:15 - 7:00
6:00	6:30 - 7:45 Competition Basic	7:15 - 8:00 Foundations	
6:30	8:00 - 9:15 Pre Competition	8:15 - 9:30 Competition Walk-In	
7:00			
7:30			
8:00			
8:30			
9:00			