

CLASS SCHEDULE & INFORMATION

2020 Tues. Start Dates:

1/7, 3/17, 5/26, 8/4, 10/13

www.lomitadogtraining.org

(for details and enrollment links)

(310) 530-4814

2020 Wed. Start Dates:

1/8, 3/18, 5/27, 8/5, 10/14

Tuesday	Wednesday	Saturday
Rally 2:00 pm * Dog Tricks 5:45 pm * Beginning Obedience 7 pm Intermediate Obedience 7 pm * = special schedule/location, see description	Advanced Obedience 7:45 am Intermediate Obedience 9:00 am Beginning Obedience 10:15 am Rock Your Recalls 5:30 pm Puppy Development 6:30 pm Tracking - Competition 7:00 pm Conformation 7:30 pm *	Competition Obedience 9 am * * = special schedule/location, see description

Classes are held at **Lomita Park** • 24428 Eshelman Ave. • (310) 326-0140 • Enroll at Lomita Park or online <http://www.lomita.com/cityhall/>

Please bring: proof of vaccinations treats for your dog fitted collar and 6' leash

NOTE: Dogs with dog/people aggression can't be accepted. Dogs must be in your care and in good health for at least 3 weeks prior to the start of class.

Puppy Development, Manners & Obedience - \$100 for 6, 1 hr classes - Inst.: Ethel Mercer (310) 326-3266 - Inst: Jerri Rousseau secretary@lomitadogtraining.org

This class is designed to give you and your puppy a great start in the world by working on confidence-building, manners, obedience and socialization. At the start of the session puppies should be between the ages of 9 weeks to 6 months for most breeds. Exceptions may be made for slightly older puppies smaller than 10 pounds. Very young puppies need only their first set of shots, older puppies need to be up to date. May use collars or harnesses but NO metal or prong collars.

Beginning Obedience - \$100 for 6, 1 hr classes - Tues. Inst.: J Thourot (310) 259-5464/jt@acdbug.com - Wed. Inst.: Ethel Mercer (310) 326-3266

This class is designed to help you teach your dog the behaviors, skills and manners they need to become a good companion. You will learn and practice training techniques based on positive reinforcement, including marking desired behavior, verbal praise and treats. Dogs/ puppies should be at least 5 months of age. Basic companion dog skills include: come, sit, down, stay/wait and walking on a loose leash.

Intermediate Obedience - \$100 for 6, 1 hr classes - Tues. Inst.: Ethel Mercer (310) 326-3266 - Wed. Inst.: J Thourot (310) 259-5464/jt@acdbug.com

This class is designed to help you advance your training skills and take your dog's accomplishments to a higher level. This is a perfect prep class for taking the AKC Canine Good Citizen test. It is also a great foundation class for those considering other competitive dog sports. Your dog needs to have completed the Beginning Companion Dog Training class or you will have to make prior arrangements with the instructor.

Rock Your Recall - \$100 for 6, 1 hr classes - Inst.: Vita Allison (562) 484-8049/dubheart@yahoo.com

Wish your dog would happily come to you every single time you called? Even with distractions? This could be the class for you. Step by step instruction to build value for the recall. Maybe the most important skill your dog can learn. Your dog needs a minimum of Beg./Intermediate Obedience or Instructor approval to enroll.

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Advanced Obedience - \$100 for 6, 1 hr classes - Inst.: J Thourot (310) 259-5464/ jt@acdbug.com

This class is for people/dogs already possessing a solid obedience foundation and who have mastered the skills taught in Intermediate or a similar class. The focus is on developing skills for advanced obedience work (including competition: heeling, fronts & finishes, recall, stand, group exercises) and additional skills depending on class needs or interests.

Dog Tricks - \$100 for 4, 1 hr classes - Starts 1/14, 3/24, 6/2, 8/11, 10/20 - Inst.: Ethel Mercer (310) 326-3266

This class, taught by our certified Trick Dog instructor, introduces you and your dog to more than 30 tricks. Trick training provides physical and mental challenges for your dog and a rewarding experience for you. Your dog can earn a Novice, Intermediate or an Advanced Trick Dog Performer Title with the American Kennel Club (AKC) or a Trick Dog Champion (TDCH) title with Do More With your Dog.

Tracking AKC Competition - \$100 for 5, 1 hr classes - Inst.: Vita Allison (562) 484-8049/ dubhheart@yahoo.com

This class is designed for dog/handler teams new to competitive tracking and interested in training for possible AKC competition. Tracking creates a great bond, increases focus and leaves your dog relaxed. The team follows a person's footsteps to locate a "lost" object. It's not physically stressful, so fits well into nearly everyone's life (puppies, older dogs, dogs competing in other sports). This class teaches the foundation needed for AKC tracking titling events.

Lomita resident discount available on classes held at Lomita Park

Ernie Howlett Park Class

Class is held at **Ernie Howlett Park** • 25851 Hawthorne Blvd. • (310)377-1577 • Enroll by mail or in-person at Rolling Hills Estates City Hall Enrollment Form: www.ci.rolling-hills-estates.ca.us/departments/community-services/recreation-classes-and-programs • RHE resident discount available

Rally: A sport for you and your dog - \$130 for 6, 1.5 hr classes - Inst: Vita Allison (562) 484-8049/ dubhheart@yahoo.com

The handler/dog team complete a course of stations requiring teamwork and precision. This course introduces the station signs and teaches the skills needed to successfully compete in this fun AKC event. This is a great way to build obedience skills and develop a stronger relationship with your canine companion.

Workshops

Please contact the instructor directly for workshop registration/locations

Competition Obedience Workshop - \$5 per session - Ongoing (*meets most Saturdays*) - Inst.: Jack Thourot (310) 259-5464/ jt@acdbug.com

This workshop, for club members and guests, coaches to participants' specific challenges and ring procedure needs. It also introduces the sport of "Obedience" by focusing on ring work in Beginning Novice, Novice, Open and Utility.

Conformation Workshop - \$8 per session - On 2 week schedule - Instr: Gloria Henderson (310) 831-8793, Tom Haagenson (310) 528-5125

This workshop provides the opportunity to practice showing your purebred dog in Conformation. Skills for you and your dog include how to gait your dog in a show ring, how to prepare for a judges' examination and how to present the optimal picture to a conformation judge. Please call instructors for dates, location and permission to attend.