



Thank you for your enquiry into KRRs Training services.

Classes are held weekly on Thursday nights at

KRRs Training, Unit 4 Horrocks Farm, St Michaels, PR3 0UH

Puppy and Bronze Class : 8pm – 8.45pm

Silver Class : 6.30pm - 7.15pm

Gold Class : 7.15pm – 7.45pm

KRRs Training is a force-free company and we will not allow any aggression or negative reinforcement to the dogs. We also have a duty of care to our clients to keep them and their dogs safe and therefore do not allow aggressive dogs in class environments. That said we do not believe in just turning people away and therefore offer One-to-One consultations to be arranged at our discretion.

In order to avoid having an “owners only” night we have compiled this Welcome Pack. The pack contains all the information that would be given to you on the first night. Please take the time to read this pack and should you have any questions throughout the course do not hesitate to ask.

We kindly ask that all attendees sign the acknowledgement of terms document – a declaration that all owners take sole responsibility for their dogs actions in class.

Please then return to the email address or KRRs Training, Horrocks Farm, Rawcliffe Road, St Michaels PR3 0UH.

Payment can be made in cash or by cheques made payable to Natasha A Davies. Due to high demand we require a £20 non-refundable deposit in order to secure your place on the course. Deposits can be paid via Paypal using the email address at the bottom of the page; we do ask however that you use the Family and Friends option. The remaining £20 is to be paid in full before commencement of the first class.

Bronze and Silver Course - £40/8 week course    Gold Course - £30/8 week course  
For next start dates please check our website [www.krrstraining.com/services](http://www.krrstraining.com/services)

Yours sincerely

Natasha-Anne Davies



## Welcome

Welcome to KRRs Training. You have taken a very responsible step by enrolling your dog on this positive reinforcement training course and I hope you will both enjoy your time with us and also gain a better understanding of your dog.

Booking a dog onto a training program at any stage in their life really does help them on the right path to being a well-mannered dog, who will be welcomed by friends, family and society in general. Training offers dogs mentally stimulating and rewarding challenges that they need to possess to progress in like. This course is just another important step into challenging your dog into releasing its often hidden potential.

We are KRRs and we are going to help guide you and your dog week by week to reach that potential

We have very few rules in the club, but we do ask that these rules, which are extremely important to the smooth running of the club, be strictly adhered to:

- Please always bring poo bags and be prepared to clean up.
- Dogs must always wear an appropriate ID tag. This is not just a rule of KRRs but also a legal requirement, which if ignored could cost you up to £5000 – Surely it's worth the paying for the tag rather than the fine!
- Please do not feed your dog prior to class and exercise him / her before entering the premises.
- Please always bring good quality tit-bits for your dog as we do a great deal of food training. We recommend Hot-Dog sausages, cheese, liver etc. Dried biscuits are not good enough.
- All dogs must be on lead and held by the owner unless under instruction.
- Children are very welcome under strict parental control and must, remain seated, unless asked to join in. They are not to approach other people's dogs' within the premises or run about the hall whilst classes are in progress.
- Under no circumstances should the dog be subjected to negative reinforcement, if our trainers witness or see evidence of any such training method, you will be asked to leave. This includes the use check/choke chains
- Only dogs' of good sound temperament are accepted into group classes in a confined area. This ruling is imposed for the safety of other dog owners' and their dog/dogs.
- If you are unable to attend please call the number at the bottom of the page giving us your name, your dogs name and the classes you will miss. We will then forward on a homework sheet in order to keep you up to date
- There must be a minimum of 1 handler per dog

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### Useful commands and their meaning

**Watch** – Use this command to keep the dogs attention on us. This can be developed to avoid distraction or regain control over the dog if something/someone else has caught his attention.

**Stay** - Use this command when you are to leave your dog, walk away, and require him/her to remain in the exact spot until you return to him and tell him is task is complete.

**Wait** - Use this command when you leave your dog, walk away, then later, call him to come to you. Also use when asking your dog to remain in the car until you request him to come out, etc.

**Come** - Use this command at all times when you wish your dog to come to you immediately

**Close** - We use this command when we wish the dogs to walk nicely by our side. The left hand side of the body is considered the working side, but you may choose which side you wish your dog to work on, as long as you are consistent.

You can follow our success stories, updates and advice tips on Facebook (search KRRs Training) and on our website ([www.krrstraining.com](http://www.krrstraining.com)). Should you require further help or advise please use the contact details at the bottom of this letter to get in touch.

We hope you enjoy your time with us, and that you and your dog will benefit from the course.

Your Training Team

Natasha-Anne Davies - Head Trainer



## Food Training

All dogs respond to food training and if the owner is prepared to offer the correct incentive they will be amazed by the response the dog will offer.

It is very important to follow the following advice: 1. A dog will only respond to food training if it is slightly hungry therefore, do not feed the dog immediately before attending training. 2. A dog will only respond if the reward is high value feeding. Think of it like this: if the training treat has no higher value than the dogs regular food/meals, why work hard to get fed now when you can be lazy and still get the food later anyway. We wouldn't go to work to be paid if we could get paid for sitting at home!

Pet dog owners can be lazy but they must be made to realise that they will only get out what they put in.

Something tasty such as cheese, liver, heart, sausage or chicken is definitely preferable. Hot-Dog sausages sprinkled with a little Garlic are a great favourite with most dogs. They are cheap and do not require much preparation. You may also want to try liver cake :

### **LIVER CAKE RECIPE INGREDIENTS**

- 1 lb. Self-raising flour
- 1 lb. Liver
- 2 Eggs
- 2 teaspoons of Garlic Powder
- 1 cup of milk Water to mix

Put the liver, eggs and garlic through a blender until smooth. Gradually add the flour and milk, and then top up with water until you have a sponge-like consistency.

Put the mixture into a flat baking tray and place in a pre-heated oven at 200 degrees. Cook until no liquid remains when tested with a needle or fork (roughly 30-60 minutes), depending on the depth of the tray.

Cool it off, before cutting into cubes, bagging it up and freezing it in separate packages. You should have enough titbits to last you for weeks.



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### Booking Form

I wish to book on the	Obedience – Puppy		Obedience – Bronze	
	Obedience – Silver		Obedience – Gold	
	Agility – Beginners		Agility	
	Hoopers - Beginners		Hoopers	
Starting Date				

Name	
Address	
Contact Number	
Email Address	

Dogs Name	
Date of Birth	
Breed	
Rescue?	
Medical Problems / Dietary Requirements	

Where did you hear about us?

What is your aim from training?

Acknowledgement of terms signed and returned? Yes / No

You will receive an email / phone call to confirm your place your chosen course

Please return your completed form to [krrstraining@gmail.com](mailto:krrstraining@gmail.com) or to the postal address on page 2 of this pack



## Acknowledgement

Please complete and sign the below document to confirm you have read and understood the following documents:

The Welcome Letter

Food Training

Attending Classes

<b>Name</b>	
<b>Address</b>	
<b>Contact No</b>	
<b>Dogs Name</b>	

*I have read and understood the above documents. My dog is of sound temperament and I am aware I must be responsible for my action, my dogs actions and my children (if applicable) at all times within the training sessions.*

*I will not use force or negative reinforcement to train my dog and understand the Trainers views and rulings on this matter*

<b>Signed:</b>	<b>Date:</b>
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## **Attending Classes – Puppy and Bronze**

### ***What to bring to training with you:***

Yourself and your dog!

A tit-bit is a must. When tit-bits are put in plastic bags, deposited in a pocket, it will take a fair length of time to fish one out ...by which time the dog has lost interest. As you will discover through the course, timing is essential. Small bun-bags or treat bags can be used for tit bits.

Poo-bags. It is the responsibility of the owner to clean up any “fouling” that may occur on the premises. Please don’t be embarrassed, we all have dogs and have all been and will be in the same situation at some point. It will help if the dogs are not fed immediately prior to attending class and that they are exercised before coming to the class. Should a dog foul in the premises please do not leave the bag for the Trainers to dispose of.

### ***What you should wear:***

Please do not wear fancy clothes or clothes you are particularly attached to! Clothes may become slightly dirty and from previous experience dogs can get excited and jump up.

Flat shoes are a must. You must be steady on your feet should you decide to go in the opposite direction.

### ***Choke Chains and Slip Leads***

At KRRs Training we do not promote choke chains and slip leads in classes. Should you choose to use them out of training that is your choice. However, we politely request you have alternatives for class.



## **Attending Classes - Silver**

### ***What to bring to training with you:***

Yourself and your dog!

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Please bring with you a paper plate/bowl of dog food on weeks 2 and 7. This needs to be food that is enticing to the dogs. **If anybody's dog has special dietary requirements please let the instructor know the week before as the dogs will be able to eat the food at the end of the class!**

Grooming comb/brush. Part of the course involves you, as the owner, and the instructor going over the dog.

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Flat shoes are a must. You must be steady on your feet should your dog decide to go in the opposite direction.

As there will be some bending down involved we recommend trousers for the ladies.

### ***Choke Chains and Slip Leads***

At KRRs Training we do not promote choke chains and slip leads in classes. Should you choose to use them out of training that is your choice. However, we politely request you have alternatives for class.

Our Trainers only use these aids in emergency situations.

Head collars are also an aid we try not to use in classes. If you feel your dog needs a head collar then please ensure that it is fitted correctly and is not too tight. In hot weather dogs need sufficient slackness to allow for panting, however, this slackness can provide opportunity for the dog to slip the collar. With that in mind we do prefer good old fashioned collar and lead!

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## **Attending Classes - Gold**

### ***What to bring to training with you:***

Yourself and your dog!

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Please bring your dogs bed with you to each class.

### ***What you should wear:***

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