



Welcome

Welcome to KRRs Training. This is a positive reinforcement training course and I hope you will both enjoy your time with us and also gain a better bond with your dog.

Training offers dogs mentally stimulating and rewarding challenges that they need to possess to progress in life. 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 – there is a bin provided on the premises.
- 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.
- For safety reasons dogs will not be permitted on the equipment whilst wearing harnesses.
- Please do not use the equipment without the supervision of our instructors.
- Age restrictions for the dogs apply, please see page 7

Useful commands and their meaning

Wait - Use this command when you leave your dog, walk away, then later, call him to come to you.

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

Your Training Team

Natasha-Anne Davies - Head Trainer



Booking Form

I wish to book on the	Obedience – Bronze		Obedience – Silver	
	Obedience – Gold		Hoopers	
	Agility – Beginners		Agility	
	Puppy Foundation Agility		Foundation Agility	
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 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

Name	
Address	
Contact No	
Dogs Name	

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

I understand that in line with GDPR Regulations KRRs will store my information for 6 years after the end of our relationship, after which time the information will be erased/destroyed confidentially. All data collected will be securely stored & only used to enable KRRs to provide the best possible service.

Signed:	Date:
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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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AND BEHAVIOUR**



Attending Classes

What to bring to training with you:

(Puppy Foundation & Foundation Agility Classes please see separate list on page 7)

Yourself and your dog!

A tit-bit bag 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 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, Slip Leads, Head Collars and Harnesses

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.

Head collars and harnesses are also an aid we will not allow in classes due to the equipment it could be caught on.

Puppy Foundation Agility & Foundation Agility

If you are after doing agility but your dog is still under the 9month age restriction this could be the answer to your prayers! Your dog will learn the groundwork and foundation skills needed for agility, desensitisation to some of the scary looking equipment and the feel of certain equipment under foot, body awareness and collar games.

You will need to bring with you:

- 2 toys – preferably tuggable
 - Solid Collar and suitable lead (no extendables, bungee or slip leads)
 - Clicker (if you are after clicker training)
 - Treats – 2 varieties, 1 of higher value than the other.
- All of the above is available to purchase from KRRs



Beginners Agility, Agility and Competition Agility

- You will need to bring with you :
 - 2 toys - preferably tuggable
 - Solid Collar and suitable lead (no extendables, bungee or slip leads)
 - Clicker (if you are after clicker training)
 - Treats – 2 varieties, 1 of higher value than the other
 - Touch Pad given to you in Foundation classes
 - Competition Agility Attendees to bring a pad and pen
 - All of the above is available to purchase from KRRs

Hoopers

Due to its “no physical impact” design Hoopers is a great alternative way into and out of Agility – Puppies can enjoy Hoopers before they are old enough to jump whilst still learning to follow direction from the owners and older dogs can retire out of Agility and continue on in Hoopers.

You can watch Ella doing Hoopers on our website,
go to: www.krrstraining.com/video-gallery



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Entry Routes to KRRs Agility

