

IMPROVE YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH YOUR DOG...

(...and have fun at the same time!)



One-to-one Agility Lessons - For Beginners up to Grade 5

Individual agility lessons are beneficial for anyone who wants to...

- practice or train in a different environment.
- improve on their skills generally
- focus on particular weaknesses - such as individual equipment issues, recall starts, obstacle discrimination, particular sequences, etc.
- start agility without the distraction of other dogs

When?	Trainer	Cost
By individual arrangement	Amanda or Ian	£10 per 30 minutes per handler, <i>(two handlers may share an hour @ £10 each if required)</i>

Group Agility Courses:

These are 6-week courses for a maximum of 6 dogs in each class (minimum 4) and are split as follows:

- **Beginners** Handlers or dogs new to agility and/or not yet able to do all standard equipment
- **Improvers** Dogs trained and eligible for KC competition level 1 or 2 (or equivalent)
- **Experienced** Dogs currently competing at KC grade 3 or above (or equivalent)

Class	Trainer	When?
Improvers	Amanda	By individual arrangement
Beginners	Ian or Amanda	Saturday 10:00 - 11:00 am - starting 11th October 2008
Experienced	Ian	Saturday 11:15 - 12:15 am - starting 11th October 2008

Cost: All group classes are charged at £30 for a 6-week course, and must be paid in advance.

Venue: All agility training is at our own fully fenced, safe and secure, rural premises near Silverstone

Pre-Vaccination Puppy Visits.

Aimed at the first time dog owner, the pre-vaccination puppy visit is designed to get the best start possible before your puppy has cleared all vaccinations. We can advise on all aspects of puppy care and training, and address any worries you may have. Home visits are usually 1½ hours but longer visits are available on request.

General Pet Dog Training Issues:

Individual consultations to help with basic training problems, such as pulling on the lead, waits and recalls, jumping up, chasing, stealing food, etc...

Cost: £25 per hour

Behavioural Problems:

One to one consultations, at your home if necessary to help solve problems, such as separation anxiety, phobias (e.g. fireworks, travel), obsessive and/or destructive behaviour. I only accept referrals from the owner's vet before a consultation as it is important medical problems are ruled out first before a consultation takes place.

Amanda Cable, BA (hons), DipCABT. Qualified COAPE Affiliate. In 2005 Amanda passed the Advanced Diploma in Companion Animal Behaviour and Training and has been training dogs for agility and working trials for many years.

Ian Watts, ACAI (Agility Club Approved Instructor - since 1999) has 5 years experience as an agility judge, selected and managed the BSD World Championship GB squad from 2003 to 2005 (winning both team and individual titles for GB in 2005), and is an agility commentator at Crufts, Discover Dogs, and the KC International Agility Festival. Ian is also a professional business trainer, with over 15 years experience developing various skills and knowledge.

We both have over 10 years experience in competitive agility with our own dogs both here and abroad, so we have first hand experience of up to date handling techniques and training methods. We also have a registered PAT dog ourselves (Pets As Therapy) and have trained dogs for film work, working trials, the KC Good Citizen Scheme, and the breed ring. As occasional BSD breeders, we also know the importance of responsible breeding and have experience of raising litters and early puppy socialisation & training.

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