



Guardian's Name:	Dog's Name:		
Home Phone:	Breed:		
Cell Phone	Age:	Sex:	
Work Phone:	Spay/Neutered?	Yes	No
Address:	Veterinarian Clinic:		
City/State/Zip:	Doctor:		
Email Address:	Vet Phone:		
Class:	<input type="checkbox"/> Puppy Charm School \$150 <input type="checkbox"/> Puppy Skills \$150 <input type="checkbox"/> Life Skills \$150 <input type="checkbox"/> Life Skills Plus \$150 <input type="checkbox"/> Reactive Rover \$175 <input type="checkbox"/> Scaredy Dog \$175 <input type="checkbox"/> Workshop:		

Start Date: _____ Time: _____ Alternate Class: _____

CLASSES: Dogs must arrive to class on a leash. You will need a six-foot leash for class; retractable ("flexi") leashes and chain leashes are not permitted. Chain, prong/pinch collars and electronic collars are not permitted. Appropriate alternatives may be available for purchase at class. Bring at least 2- 3 cups of a variety of soft treats cut into pea size pieces to class. Please "potty" your dog and clean it up before entering the building. Classes run one-hour per week for six consecutive weeks unless otherwise posted. Workshops vary.

PAYMENT: Payment is due prior to the start of training. Classes are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Payment in full or a minimum deposit of \$50 is recommended to guarantee a place in class for you. If the class is full before we receive your payment, we will notify you immediately. No refunds will be given after seven (7) days prior to the commencement of class. You may transfer to another class with permission. Walk-in students are accepted at start of class if open spots remain.

REMOVAL FROM TRAINING: Trainer may, at their sole discretion, refuse entry to a pet which is not healthy, is aggressive, highly reactive, or does not seem suitable for the services provided. Trainer, at their sole discretion, may remove a pet from class if a hazard or threat of any nature to any other animal or person is present. No refund will be given, but client will receive credit for a one-hour private training consultation.

HEALTH: all dogs and pups must have a wellness check by a licensed veterinarian prior to the start of class, have a clear fecal exam and be current on appropriate shots. **Only healthy dogs attend class. If your dog shows signs of illness, please attend class without your dog!**

WAIVER: Guardian/Handler must be at least 18 years of age. Children are welcome, but must be supervised by a parent or legal guardian at all times. Guardian assumes all risks of child attendance and participation. I hereby apply for enrollment in dog training classes through Pawsitive Steps Dog Training. As a condition of enrollment, I agree and certify:

- To indemnify and hold Pawsitive Steps Dog Training, LLC it's Instructors, Assistants, Contractors, Volunteers or any other person associated with Pawsitive Steps Dog Training, LLC as well as the class locations including but not limited to Bow Wow Fun Towne, The Seattle Humane Society and other public or private locations free and harmless from, and indemnify it against, and assume all risk on account of loss, damage, or injury to persons, including minors and guests, dog, animals, or property of any person at any time at any location, during the course of or as a result of training by Pawsitive Steps Dog Training, LLC and/or Gayle Ballinger.
- I accept full responsibility of my animal's actions and am aware that animals bite, scratch and jump. I accept full responsibility, including financial responsibility, for any and all damages inflicted by or upon my animal, upon myself, or upon any other person or animal, at any time, in the course of training or play/socialization time as a part of the class.
- That my dog is healthy and current on vaccinations, has recently seen a licensed Veterinarian and passed a clear fecal exam.
- I will devote a minimum of thirty minutes per day practicing out-of-class homework and obedience training with my dog.

ARBITRATION: Any controversy between the parties involving any of the terms, covenants, or conditions of this Agreement shall be submitted to arbitration in Snohomish County, Washington, on the request of any party, and shall comply with and be governed by the provisions of the American Arbitration Association. All decisions shall be final and binding. Any dispute between the parties, whether or not resulting in litigation, the party substantially prevailing shall be entitled to recover from the other party all reasonable costs, including without limitation, attorney's fees.

I have read, understand and agree to the above.

Signature _____ Date _____

Please check here if you **do not** want to receive our informative newsletter, otherwise you will automatically be subscribed.

Please mail completed form to: Pawsitive Steps Dog Training 23129 13th PL W Bothell, WA 98021

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Class Location: BowWow Fun Towne
18021 - 61st Ave NE
Kenmore, WA 98021
(425) 481-6825

Please note this phone may not be answered after 7 PM

Parking: Clients arriving for classes are asked to park in the lot behind BowWow Fun Towne. This lot is part of the complex facing Bothell Way; you may enter between the little grocery store and BWFT.

Driving Directions:

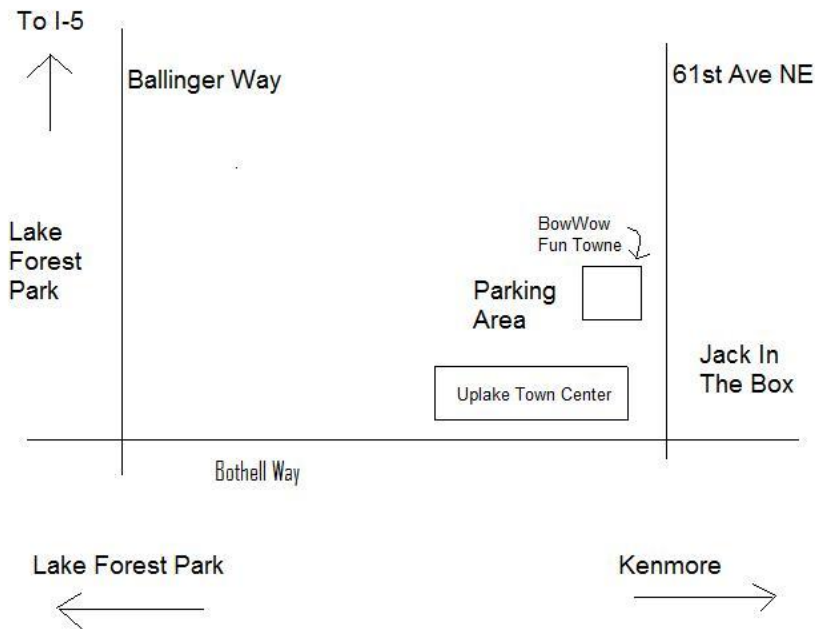
From I-5 North or South:

Exit #177 Edmonds/Lake Forest Park
Go East on 205th St/Ballinger Way (Hwy 522)
Turn Left (Northeast) on Bothell Way
Turn Left on 61st Ave NE

Turn Left before BowWow Fun Towne into the Uplake Towne Center Parking area and park behind BWFT building.

From Bothell/Kenmore:

Go South/West on Hwy 522/Bothell Way
Turn Right into the Uplake Towne Center Parking area and **park behind BWFT building.**



THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING TO TAKE PAWSITIVE STEPS TO ENJOY YOUR DOG!

Designed to build the relationship with your dog in a fun, friendly, family-oriented environment, we offer classes ranging from young puppy socialization and play to puppy and adult dog manners and obedience. We also offer specialty classes for dogs that are overwhelmed in the environment of a typical dog class. Our class curriculum is based on positive reinforcement, animal learning theory and practical applications that adults and children alike can perform with confidence.

Puppy Charm School (up to 16 weeks of age) - socialization, housetraining, bite inhibition, problem prevention and solutions and more!

Puppy Skills (16 weeks - 8 months) - The perfect place to start for slightly older puppies and the next step after Puppy Charm School. Your dog learns manners and obedience skills plus problem solving and prevention and more. Includes the AKC S.T.A.R. Puppy Award!

Life Skills (8 months and older) - Perfect for dogs young and old alike, beginners as well as dogs with some training. Curriculum focuses on basic manners and obedience skills. Great as a refresher course, Life Skills is excellent for recently adopted dogs, and includes problem solving, prevention and more.

Life Skills Plus - An intermediate to advanced class, working at your dog's ability level, this class will challenge you and your dog while transitioning obedience skills to off-leash and out-of-sight success. Pre-requisite: Puppy Skills, Life Skills or instructor's permission.

Reactive Rover (all ages) - Does your dog bark, lunge, snarl, whine, growl or just "go crazy" when he sees another dog on leash? Reactive Rover sets you and your dog up to succeed while you learn together, with the support of other people in the same situation, so that your dog can learn to relax in the presence of other dogs.

Scaredy Dog (all ages) - Does your dog tremble and hide or exhibit fears towards people, dogs, noises or objects? This class focuses on increasing your dog's confidence while changing your dog's emotional response to things he is afraid of. You will learn how to recognize the signals of fear and respond appropriately and confidently.

Not sure what class is right for you and your dog? Give us a call today at (206) 799-0521 or visit us online at www.PawsitiveStepsSeattle.com.

Class size is limited so that each dog/handler team receives personal attention and time; therefore we request that you return one signed copy of the enclosed Training Agreement with payment in full or a minimum \$50 deposit to reserve your place in class. **Please write in the start date and time of your desired class and alternate (second choice) class on the agreement so we know what class you are signing up for.** If the class you desire is full at the time your payment is received, we will notify you immediately. Otherwise, we'll see you in class! **If you are unable to return the form prior to class starting, you may show up at the scheduled class time as there may be room available for you.**

The first night of class will be very chaotic. This is very **normal**. Please do your best to relax and know that each week the dogs do calm down - they're just excited to be in school and reminding us of why they are. You will need to bring an obscene amount (2-3 cups) of small, pea size, soft delectable treats (cheese, boiled chicken, Natural Balance Dog Food Roll, hot dogs, etc.) and reward your dog for every moment of good behavior they offer you. **Dogs attend all classes**, but owners may leave their dog at home on the first night (orientation) of class, if you feel your dog will prevent you from focusing on the materials.



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Is your dog ready for class? If you aren't sure your dog is ready for a group class, or you've been turned away from another school, PLEASE CALL US!!! We'd be happy to discuss with you all your options and answer your questions. A phone interview or private home consultation may be arranged if you think your dog isn't ready for school yet. Rarely have we turned down or encountered a dog who was not ready for group classes, especially after applying behavior modification at home. Also, our small class size is beneficial for dogs who react out of fear.

Equipment Required: Dogs must arrive to class on leash. Retractable ("Flexi") leashes and chain leashes are not allowed. The type of collar your dog will need depends upon you and your dog; choke chains, prong collars and electric collars are not permitted and we would be glad to discuss with you why we do not allow pinch collars or choke chains in class. **We recommend Dolans' Dog Doodad's Wonder Walkers for most dogs and will have them available for sale at class along with Gentle Leader head halters. We will be happy to assist you in fitting your dog in the correct collar or equipment and allow you to "test drive" it for the class period.**

In case of inclement weather please call 206-799-0521 to see if class is cancelled due to unsafe road conditions. Messages will be posted as early as possible and at least 2 hours in advance of class. In case of cancellation, class will resume the following week where it left off.

Holidays Classes are not held on or near major holidays (New Years, Easter, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, and Christmas) and reminders are made during class the previous week. There is no class the week between Christmas and New Years. Other closures are made by announcement and email.

Shots and Health all dogs in Life Skills are required to have standard DHLPP immunizations, a fecal exam and wellness check. Dogs over six (6) months are required to have current Rabies vaccination. Puppies will be in various stages of immunization as they may be as young as 7 weeks of age. All puppies must have at least one round of puppy shots, a clear fecal exam and a wellness check by a veterinarian prior to coming to class. **At any time, if your dog or puppy is ill, lethargic, running a fever (at or above 103F), has diarrhea or vomiting, please do not bring him/her to class; contact your veterinarian or local animal hospital.**

If you have any questions at any time, please give us a ring at 206-799-0521 or email at info@PawsitiveStepsSeattle.com. To pre-register for class, please return the agreement form, along with a \$25 deposit to the address at the bottom of this page.

We look forward to seeing you in class!!!

Warmly,

Gayle Ballinger, CPDT-KA
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