# PUPPY BOOT CAMP

Develop a confident, CALM, focused dog. Alleviate your "puppy" frustration. Exercise your puppy's brain and body.

Length: 2 months Min Age: 9 weeks Max age: 5 months



# **GOALS:**

- Give puppies a solid, confident outlook on life that can only be achieved through socialization to new people, places, and dogs. (Because who wants a dog who is scared to be away from home, scared to meet people, aggressive to dogs...?! No one!)
- Teach puppies how to be **CALM** in the midst of distractions like people and dogs. (We focus on turning your puppy into a calm adult citizen, so he isn't a terror whether at home, in his crate, or in public.)
- Alleviate some of the "new puppy owner frustrations" by assisting with puppy problems like mouthing, chewing, potty & crate training, obedience, listening skills, etc. (And let's face it...everyone would love some help with their puppy.)
- Give puppy parents a way to exercise their puppy's brain and body in a beneficial manner while they are at work, so they can come home to a calm house. (Yay!!)

## **PROGRAM INCLUDES:**

- SOCIALIZING to people, dogs, and new environments!!
  - Socialization will be done in a controlled environment, so you can be sure your puppy is learning good manners and how to calmly greet and play with others.
  - Habituation to novel surfaces and things, to help your pup be more confident through life.
- TRAINING for your PUPPY with a professional trainer
  - 2 days of training & day-lodging each week (8-9 days per month) w/ daily chew toys & treats.
  - Skills taught include: Name recognition, come, sit-stay, place-stay, drop-it, & no jumping or mouthing. Crate training, potty training\*, and chew-toy training will also be tackled.
  - Individual and group training included to teach your dog to be able to listen when around others.

#### TRAINING for YOU

• Private lessons at the start, middle, and end of the program, so that you can continue the dog's learning at home. (Consistency is key!)

### Total Cost per 2 Month Program: \$1600

<sup>\*\*</sup>For more information, please contact training@dogwoodslodge.com or call 515-986-7387 and ask for the trainer.

<sup>\*</sup>We cannot guarantee that the puppy will transfer the potty training to the home setting. We have hard floors and very set potty schedules. The dogs help teach each other through modeling and scents. At home, the environment is very different.

# PUPPY BOOT CAMP extras

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### **INCLUDED BONUSES:**

- Unlimited Email and phone support for the first year of the puppies life!
- Free admission to a Basic Obedience class for practice
- Informational handouts
- Daily report cards

### **OPTIONS:**

#### **☆**V.I.P. Upgrade:

- Grooming Habituation Program (Normal cost: \$450)
- Lifetime email & phone support (Immeasurable!)
- Private lesson support, as needed\* (Irreplacable!)
- Unlimited classes for life of dog (awesome for distraction work or as a refresher)
- Pupcamp 2 days/week during the program (Normal cost: \$540)

Valued at over \$3000! Cost w/ Program: \$1250

### **Ongoing Ed:**

• Keep your dog entertained and engaged, while keeping his skills sharp. Continue your dog's "dayschooling" 2 days/week. Pay for only 1 month at a time!

Cost per month: \$700

Or purchase 2 months for \$1300 (\$100 off)

<sup>\*</sup>Applies to all normal dog problems that are addressed in the program (such as listening skills, obedience, mouthing, jumping, etc.). It doesn't apply to unique problems like aggression or mental illness.