



# Suburban Dog Training Club of Eastern Montgomery County, Inc.

Established 1969 - Incorporated 1978

## MANNERS AND MORE

**Location:** 1011 E. Willow Grove Ave., Wyndmoor, PA 19038  
**Time:** Tuesdays 7-8 pm or Thursdays 8:15-9:15 pm  
**FEE:** \$125 for 8 sessions (\$100 if enrolled before the end of the Beginner class)

This class is a continuation of basic obedience and Canine Good Citizen training, for graduates of the SDTC Beginner classes. It is an ongoing class of 8 sessions which you may start at any time. If at any time a handler feels ready to take the CGC test, they may ask to be tested. **The \$15 fee for the CGC test is free for those who paid for this class.**

**Be sure to read the instructions on the reverse side before arriving at the first class.**

**Directions from Germantown Avenue:** Take E. Willow Grove Avenue approximately one mile to building set well back on left just before the firehouse.

**Directions from Route 309:** Take Mt. Airy Exit to south on Easton Road. Turn right on Cheltenham Avenue. Turn left on E. Willow Grove Ave. (2nd traffic signal). Building is set well back on right just after the firehouse.

Building is at the back of the parking lot behind the fence. Enter through firehouse driveway and park on gravel lot. Door is at right end of building.

Please fill out the bottom section, tear off, and mail it with a check for \$125\* payable to SDTC

*\*The cost is \$100 if you've taken the Beginner class and enroll before the end of your Beginner class*

**Mail to: Barbara Williams, 4019 Crescent Ave., Lafayette Hill, PA 19444**

If you have any questions, call Barbara Williams at 610-941-6394

For CGC info or testing call Marylou Ryan at 215-836-9173

*After completing the 8 sessions, you will be eligible to apply for club membership*



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Owner \_\_\_\_\_ Handler \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: Home (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Prefer  Tues.  Thurs. When can you start \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's Breed \_\_\_\_\_  Male  Female Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's Name \_\_\_\_\_ SDTC Beginners Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

I (we) hereby agree and attest that any dogs that I (we) bring to classes or to participate in other club activities will have a current rabies inoculation in full compliance with all laws applicable to rabies inoculations.

I (we) acknowledge that I (we) have received a copy of the Rules for Suburban Dog Training Club Handlers ("People Commands") governing the conduct of owners and handlers while attending classes or participating in other club activities and agree to comply with said rules and regulations as stated therein and as may be amended and revised from time to time.

I (we) agree to hold Suburban Dog Training Club, Inc., its members, directors, officers, agents, employees, instructors, and volunteers harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of my (our) dog(s) while in or upon the premises or grounds used for classes or other club activities or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claims, and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss of my (our) dog(s) by disappearance, theft, death, or otherwise.

I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) attendance at classes or participation in other club activities.

Your signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

- Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult.
- Unacceptable equipment: chain leash, short leash, cat leash, clothesline, collar with tags attached. All collars except training collar must be removed.
- Before coming to class, your dog should be well groomed with his nails clipped.
- Dogs that are ill or in season are not permitted in class—attend without dog and continue working at home.
- Your dog must be on leash and under control at all times, indoors and out. Dogs must not visit with other dogs coming, leaving, or during class.
- Do not feed your dog before class. Handlers must clean up after their dogs. Clean-up equipment is available indoors. A bucket and bags are supplied outside. Exercise area is in the vicinity of the bucket - do not let your dog use any other part of the grounds.
- Due to insurance regulations and for safety, all handlers must wear sneakers or shoes with rubber soles. No high heels, sandals, leather soles, bare feet or foot gear determined by the instructor to be inappropriate will be permitted.
- Suburban Dog Training Club, Inc. reserves the right to excuse any dog or handler who is a danger to the class.

A **certificate from your vet** is mandatory and must say that your dog is in good health, is free of worms and parasites and has had all the necessary vaccines.

Due to zoning requirements, all dogs 13 weeks and older training at our facility must have a valid **Pennsylvania dog license** and a current **rabies vaccine certificate**. Please bring photocopied proof of both with you on the first night of class.

**If you forget any of this information you and your dog may not participate in the class.**



# Student / Dog Profile

This form must be returned with your application and check

Background information is essential in understanding each dog/handler team.  
It enables us to provide complete overall instruction for each class.

Owner \_\_\_\_\_ Handler (if different from owner) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Breed \_\_\_\_\_

Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Neutered?  Yes  No Age of dog when acquired \_\_\_\_\_

Is handler under age 16?  Yes\*  No

\*Handlers under the age of 16 may train at the instructor's discretion and an adult must be present during each class

Does handler have any medical problems or physical limitations we should be aware of?  Yes  No

Is dog on any medication?  Yes  No What for? \_\_\_\_\_

1. List all household members:

No. of adults \_\_\_\_\_ No. of children / ages \_\_\_\_\_

No. of other pets \_\_\_\_\_ Pet types / ages \_\_\_\_\_

2. Dog was acquired from:  Commercial Breeder  Hobby Show Breeder  Pet store

Rescue/SPCA  Other \_\_\_\_\_

3. Are you a previous dog owner (within the past 10 years)?  Yes  No

What did you like **best** about them? \_\_\_\_\_

What did you like **least** about them? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Have you attended an obedience class before?  Yes  No

Where / When \_\_\_\_\_

What did you like / dislike most about the class? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

5. What do you want to accomplish in this class? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

6. List commands your dog will obey now \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

7. Why did you choose this breed? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

8. In a typical day, percentage of time dog is: Inside \_\_\_\_\_% Outside \_\_\_\_\_% Without humans \_\_\_\_\_%

9. Do you currently use the training method of crating your dog?  Yes  No

10. Do you have a fenced in backyard?  Yes  No If yes,  Electric  Traditional fence

11. What is your primary method of exercise with your dog? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

12. Check all words that describe your dog:  Shy  Fearful  Bites  Growls  Chews

Non-Housebroken  Pushy  Destructive  Calm  Obedient  Excessive barker

Jumps  Excessive energy  Aggressive with people  Aggressive with other dogs

Other \_\_\_\_\_