

Upcoming Class at Companion Dog Training Club
3440 Torrey Road
Flint, MI 48507

Companion Dog Training Club of Flint would like to help you and your dog learn new skills, improve old skills and have a lot of fun. Training with your dog will help build a stronger bond between you and your dog. Please look at this class and testing opportunity we have planned. You will need to bring your dog, some yummy treats and be prepared to have fun. If you would like more information and to register, please contact Tammy Bartz at dodgermom@comcast.net. **Class is limited to 10 participants so preregistration is required! Therapy Dog Test on March 31st will be limited to 8 dogs.**

Introduction to AKC Canine Good Citizen, AKC Trick Dog and Therapy Dog
This class meets for 2 sessions for a total of \$40.00
Fridays, March 10 and 17 at 2 p.m.

Canine Good Citizen test is designed to reward dogs who have good manners at home and in the community. The Canine Good Citizen Program is a two-part program that stresses responsible pet ownership for owners and basic good manners for dogs. All dogs who pass the 10-step CGC test may receive a certificate from the American Kennel Club.

Trick dog training has become one of the most exciting new areas in dog training today. Teaching tricks is a wonderful way to form a closer, more communicative bond with your dog. And an amazing side benefit is the more you teach your dog the quicker they learn because your teaching skills improve as does your dog's ability to understand the training game and learn most efficiently. Trick training is likely to result in better health (as many tricks help build muscle tone and stamina), increased flexibility, balance and concentration, as well as a boost in your dog's confidence in him or herself and you. At the same time each new behavior you teach provides you with yet another useful way to channel your dog's energy into something positive.

So you think your dog would like to become a Therapy Dog Does he seek out people to pet him? Does she love to go places? Is he calm and obedient?.....Maybe he would like to be a Therapy Dog

In this class, we will introduce you to all the exercises of the Canine Good Citizen test and a variety of tricks for a Novice Trick Title. You will be given the tools to help you and your dog be successful. For those interested, we will review and practice skills needed for therapy dog work. Come learn about what makes a good therapy team and the skills you and your dog need to have to get started. A Therapy Dog Evaluator will give you input on your pet's suitability

Therapy Dog Testing for Therapy Dogs International
Friday, March 31 at 2p.m.

You will have a chance to take the therapy dog test for \$10

Canine Good Citizen and AKC Trick Dog Testing
Friday, March 31 4:00p.m.-7:00 p.m.

You will have a chance to take the Canine Good Citizen and AKC Trick Dog tests (Each test will be \$15 or 2 for \$25.