

Bullseye Performance

Master Agility Performance with Success

Richard Ford M.Sc. (Psychology)

Shaping Canine Behavior – The Foundation of Training

Friday Night Lecture: Shaping Canine Behavior: The Foundation of Training

Saturday and Sunday Workshops

- Defining and Shaping Agility Behavior, Shaping Obstacle Performance
- Proofing Obstacle Performance, Adding Movement
- Defining Agility Turns, Agility Handling and Shaping Turns
- Using Distance in Agility, Adding Distance through Shaping

The Thinking Dog – Training for Success

Friday Night Lecture: The Thinking Dog – Training for Success

Saturday and Sunday Workshops

- Developing Communication with Your Dog and Communicating Handling Queues in Dog Agility
- Controlling Focus and Attention of your Dog and Working with Handler and Obstacle Focus on Course
- Understanding the Handler and Dog Connection Required for Performance, Staying Connected with Your Dog While Training
- Understanding Natural and Trained Handling Queues and the Value of Consistency
- Dealing with Team Handling Challenges on Course

Canine Cognitive Health: Relationship – Behavior – Performance

Friday Night Lecture: Canine Cognitive Health: Relationship – Behavior - Performance

Saturday and Sunday Workshops

- Managing your Environment in Order to Develop Trust and Confidence in Your Dog
- Knowing Your Dog and Training at Their Threshold of Capability
- Manipulating Stress and Excitement; Pushing the Edge of Success
- Building Speed, Accuracy, Drive and Persistence in Training and Performance
- Training for Success in Performance by Practicing Performance in Training
- Making Training more like Performance
- Creating a System of Your Own; More than just a Handling System
- Preparing Yourself and Your Dog for Performance

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Introductory MAP with Success Requirements:

This Introductory program is designed to provide the training and performance skills necessary for all ongoing training in the MAP with Success program. It is designed such that skills taught each weekend are cumulative in nature, including material in the Friday lectures. It is required that you complete each of the three weekend sessions in the Introductory MAP program (or equivalent in private sessions) in order to participate in the ongoing training sessions. It is possible to take the first session alone, or the first 2 sessions in sequence only, but in order to be fair to participants in the program, it is not possible to skip a weekend and go straight to subsequent weekend sessions. It is possible to make up some components in private sessions where necessary for some circumstances, or at a subsequent offering of this program. Please contact Richard Ford directly to discuss any such requirements, or requests.

- Three required weekends; each weekend includes:
 - Lecture Friday Evening, Introduces topics for the following working sessions
 - Saturday And Sunday working sessions
 - Morning and afternoon sessions each day with a break for lunch
 - Each Session will begin with a discussion (no dogs) followed by a working session with dogs
- Current timetable is setup for 6 – 8 dogs per working session
- Maximum of 10 dogs per session (times will be extended to handle more dogs)
- Video analysis during workshops and for training in between weekends will be included for those signed up for the full three weekend program.

Prices for Weekend Sessions:

- \$600 – Working spot and lecture for three required weekends combined
- \$225 – Working session and lecture per weekend, for first or first 2 weekends
- \$330 – Auditing spot for three weekends (Includes Friday evening lectures)
- \$125 – Auditing spots per weekend (Includes Friday evening lecture)

Lecture Only Information (for those not participating in the working sessions)

- 3 Friday Evening Lectures
 - Shaping Canine Behavior – The Foundation of Training
 - The Thinking Dog – Training for Success
 - Canine Cognitive Health: Relationship – Behavior – Performance

Prices and payment options for lectures only:

- \$30 per lecture (payments may be made prior to lecture)
- \$75 for all three lectures (payable prior to first lecture)

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MAP with Success Introduction Signup Form (Include with Payment)

Owner/Handler's Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Dog's Name: _____ Breed: _____

Dog's Height: _____ Dog's Weight: _____ Dog's Age: _____

Handler Agility Level: _____ Dog's Agility Level: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

- Working spot \$600 – 3 Full weekend Workshops, including Friday lectures
\$200 deposit required
- Working spot \$225 – First weekend, including Friday lecture
- Auditing spot \$330 – 3 Full weekend Workshops, including Friday lectures
\$110 deposit required
- Auditing spot \$125 – First weekend, including Friday lecture
- \$75 Lecture Series Only

Note: Payment for the second Workshop weekend is due during the First Workshop; Payment for the third workshop weekend is due at the second workshop weekend.

Private Sessions

- 30 minute private (\$40) and 1 hour (\$75) private or semi-private sessions
- 4:30 – 6:00 PM Saturday and Sunday (following workshops).
- 1:00 – 4:00 PM Friday
- Open to everyone
- First priority given to working session participants and auditors
- Contact Richard Ford directly to schedule private sessions

Payment Information

- Cheques/Money Orders payable to Bullseye Performance
- Mailing Address: 5416 Dominion Street, Burnaby BC, V5G 1E2

Other Information

- Contact richard@bullseyeperform.com for more information
- Dates subject to change due to weather, or other unforeseen circumstances
- Location for Lectures and Workshops: To Be Determined