

# TAKING THE LEAD

Pet-Friendly Dog Training

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## Thank you for your enquiry about our dog training club

Taking the Lead is a private club and is Kennel Club listed. We operate at three venues: Headley Village Hall KT18 6LD, Beare Green Village Hall RH5 4RN and South Holmwood Scout Hut RH5 4LY. Classes available include a Puppy Foundation Course, Beginner/Puppy Obedience and Intermediate/Adult Obedience. Enclosed are details of lessons and charges, a registration form, and general information that you need to know before bringing your dog to a class.

### If you would like to book your dog into a class

Please complete the registration form (marking which classes you are interested in) and send it, together with full payment, to: Miss Ruth Dunning, 4 Croft Avenue, Dorking, Surrey RH4 1LN. Please make cheques payable to Ruth Dunning. Your cheque will not be paid in until you actually start your classes. Once we receive your form, we will contact you by phone to confirm your registration and give you a start date. **Please note, if you miss any lessons during your eight week course they cannot be carried over.**

Our method of teaching is motivational, with toys and treats, training your dog to 'want to learn'.

### General Information:

- \* Make sure that your dog has been to the toilet before coming to a class
- \* Please bring your dog's vaccination certificate with you on your first visit
- \* Please do not feed your dog his meal too close before attending a class
- \* Bring with you a good supply of special treats for your dog e.g. small cubes of cheese, pieces of cooked sausage or cooked chicken. This will make a percentage of your dog/puppy daily food intake and will be gradually lessened as the weeks go by and your dog/puppy is achieving each exercise.
- \* If your dog has a special toy, bring it along
- \* Choke chains are not permitted

**Continuity is important to gain the maximum benefit from classes**