

Duckhill Kennels Train-the-Trainer Class

Two days of class-room lecture, well supported with video presentations and field demos



Day 1

We start with a short video of the Queen working her gundogs.

Then we cover the history and development of British shooting along with the role of the essential element, trained gundogs. Then the growth and development of retriever field trials in England and America with attention to the details of the effects on breeding selection of retrievers.

Students will gain an excellent perspective on the pleasure to be had from having a calm gundog with good manners.



Day 2

Evolution and Domestication of the dog

The current animal training revolution

Innate behaviors of the dog

Operant Conditioning

The Five Critical Gundog Behaviors

The critical aspects of the trainer

Positive training program for Gundogs

Blind retrieves and directional signals

How to hunt your gundog



To Reserve a place, call or email:

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Upcoming class dates:

- Jan 10,11/2020
- Feb 7,8/2020
- Mar 6,7/2020
- Apr 24,25/2020
- May 22,23/2020
- Jun 5,6/2020
- Jul 10,11/2020
- Sep 25,26/2020
- Oct 9,10/2020
- Nov 6,7/2020
- Dec 4,5/2020