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Dog Training in and around Morris County, NJ.

**About Train That Dog**

Train That Dog NJ is a Morris County Dog Training and Behavior Consulting firm that specializes in in-home dog behavior consulting. Our goal is to help you and your dog, whether you have an unruly or untrained dog, or if you are dealing with serious behavior problems. Here at Train That Dog, we know how important it is to have a dog that is a well-mannered member of your family. Well-mannered dogs who display appropriate behavior are more easily included in family trips and outings, and dogs who display inappropriate behavior are often sequestered to back rooms, basements, and yards. Although there is no magic fix for dog behavior problems, and our goal is to show you how to communicate with and train your dog so that you and your dog have a more meaningful and enjoyable relationship.

Train That Dog will show you how to train your dog using training methods that are backed by science and research. Our goal is to reduce conflict between you and your dog by teaching your dog rules and boundaries while simultaneously teaching you how to be the leader your dog wants you to be. We focus on using rewards-based training methods so your dog willingly cooperates rather than producing an adversarial relationship.

*What is Rewards-Based Training?*

Rewards-based training methods are designed to reduce conflict and increase collaboration between pets and their people. This means humans manipulate the reward system for your dog so that you have control over interactions. Many people think this means we will bribe your dog with treats, but folks who say that do not understand rewards-based training. There are dozens of different types of rewards out there, and our goal here at Train That Dog is to show you how to teach your dog to comply with your requests, and then continue to get reliable behaviors. We will never bribe your dog, as bribery is not training!

*What if I don’t want to train with treats? / What if my dog is not food motivated?*

While we often use food in training, it is not the only reward out there. One of our goals will be to identify what your dog finds enjoyable so we have lots of alternatives to reward your dog.

*But my dog is misbehaving; I need to know how to correct his behaviors.*

This is a common question and this is exactly what I am here to help you with. Dogs that misbehave often repeat those annoying, rude, and inappropriate behaviors over and over again. As humans, we often think that our dog knows better. While your dog may know better sometimes, dogs are simple creatures – they do what works for them even if it doesn’t make sense to us. Our common sense approach to training will help you identify why your dog is misbehaving and show you how to manage your dog and create more appropriate behaviors that your dog willingly offers you.

**Services**

**Basic Training Services**

House Training

Crate Training

Puppy Manners

Adult Dog Basic Obedience

Acclimating New Dog to Home

Leadership Skills

**Addressing issues such as:**

Nipping / Mouthing

Recall / Come When Called

Sit, Down, Stay

Leash Walking

Getting Attention

**Behavior Assessment and Behavior Modification Services**

Aggression to People

Aggression to Dogs

Resource Guarding

Fears, Phobias, Anxiety

Arousal

Impulse Control

Reactivity

Cat-Chasing

Multi-dog Household Issues

Destructive Behavior

Body Handling for Grooming / Veterinary

Separation Anxiety

Train That Dog NJ Offers:

*In-home Private Training* –

Basic Training: A 1 hour one-on-one session focused on teaching you and your dog those basic skills that will help make your dog a polite member of your family. We focus on teaching your dog basic manners and showing you how to identify patterns in your dogs behaviors. The goal of these sessions is to teach you and your dog how to effectively communicate with one another, and show you how to create reliable behaviors in your dog.

Behavior Modification: A 1.5 hour one-on-one session designed to find out exactly what you need help with and how to get started. This is to identify what is going on with your dog(s), what your goals are, and to put together a plan to begin to see real changes in your dogs behavior. In this session, we work together to devise a plan of action and begin teaching your dog foundational skills and behaviors and work together on a management plan to ensure you and your family have the tools necessary to Train That Dog!

*Working Sessions in Public Settings* – A 1-hour session in a public place scheduled specifically to take training on the road. The place chosen will depend on your needs, your dog’s needs, the goal in training, and the time of year.

*In-Home Walk and Train Packages* – This package is for those of you who would like a well-mannered, polite dog but happen to have a very busy lifestyle. The first session is one where we meet at your home to discuss your goals, your needs, and your dog’s needs. After the planning session, we work together to design a training package that provides your dog with training and exercise during the day while you’re at work or away on vacation.

**Contact**

Can this be a form where they enter their name and contact information and a brief description of what they need and it gets emailed to [TrainThatDogNJ@gmail.com](mailto:TrainThatDogNJ@gmail.com)? If so, let me know and I’ll put together the form info.