What to Bring to Dog Works! Class:

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PLEASE REMEMBER TO ALWAYS BRING YOUR CLICKER THAT YOU RECEIVE YOUR FIRST DAY OF CLASS!

Obedience/Rally:

- *6' flat webbing leash-1" wide. (For very small dogs, this can be narrower.)
- *Good collar-preferably 1" wide flat webbing collar depending on size of dog. Please do not bring a collar that your pup can slip out of. Again, narrower for little dogs. NO Choke collars; NO Prong collars. (Haltis and Martingales are great.)



- *Great treats-that really motivate your dog. <u>Bring enough to last the entire class</u>. Make sure you feed a little less at dinner to make up for the extra food. Please bring small, <u>soft</u> treats that do not fall apart but are super easy to chew.
- *TOY! Please bring your puppy's favorite toy for rewarding.
- *Water dish-You can store your dish here in a cubby, if you'd like, for the duration of class.
- *Weather appropriate clothes-It is nice to work outside whenever possible!
- *Soft-soled shoes that will be dry for upstairs floor. PLEASE NO BOOTS UPSTAIRS!

Puppy:

Same as above.

Fit & Focused:

Same as above.

Consults:

Same as above.

Fitness:

Same as above plus:

**Dogs Nails MUST BE TRIMMED!! WHY????-Gym Floor care; care of inflatable equipment; and, most importantly, for your dog's balance, form, and coordination-proprioception! Make a lifetime habit of keeping nails trimmed!

Agility:

Same as Obedience- Harnesses are fine but must not inhibit movement.

Human running/tennis shoes for an active hour.

Bring the treats.

Dog's absolute favorite toy for doggy party after each dog's turn.

Please bring warm clothes in case of weather.

Reminders:

- *For the first day of each "level 1" class, & for Consults, please leave your pups in the car for the first 20 minutes or so as we will work on "human" training!
- *Please make sure your dog relieves him/herself in the <u>front area</u> immediately BEFORE class. Dogs may not relieve themselves in the working yard! Please alert me immediately in case of an accident.
- *Please arrive a little early so you can warm up your dog outside so his/her muscles are loose and ready for our workout. 5 minutes should suffice.

THANK YOU! Questions?

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