



STEPS TO SUCCESS

Canine Training for Home and Performance

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Directions—from US 131, exit 49a (M-89/Plainwell), east approx. 1.8 miles. North/left side of road; next to the First Community Federal Credit Union.

## Spring 2018 Pet Obedience Classes

You must preregister /prepay and we suggest you enroll early--Class size limited

### Tuesday, May 1, 2018

**--5:30 P.M. First Step/Puppy Step-- Instructor Lori Saucedo**—Puppies and dogs may be separated. Covers all of the basic commands—sit, down, stay, walk nicely on leash, emphasis on recall (come when called). Includes info on dog body language, pack leadership, and how to develop these into training tools. Handouts/work sheets every week. **\$90/6 wks, 1 hr sessions (orientation --first night--no dogs)**

**--6:45 P.M. Fun Steps-- Instructor Lori Saucedo**—Build on the basic obedience skills your dog learned in the First Step (beginning obedience) class. Fun maneuvers, jumping, and tricks to increase your dog's training. **\$90/6 wks, 1 hr sessions. Bring your dog the first night.**

Send checks payable to: **All The Best Dogs**

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**\*\* Please sign back of form\*\***

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Vet \_\_\_\_\_ Shot Dates \_\_\_\_\_ Dog's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Specify Class(es) & Time(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

**Lori Saucedo** - Lori began her training career at the age of 5 when she inherited a Pekinese that no one else in her family could touch. Feeding, cleaning and walking the dog was her responsibility from day one. After much trial and error (and a few bites) she turned that ferocious little monster into a loveable lap dog anyone could touch.

From there, she moved on to her true love; horses. By the age of 12 she was training other people's horses for them. After years of teaching western pleasure and English riding lessons, she returned to her dogs. Her first show dogs were Bichon Frise's; she owned and showed some of the first dogs of the breed in Michigan. Along with the Bichons, she owned a black lab who was her faithful companion for 14 years.

Upon the loss of her lab, she turned to a large breed, the Bull Mastiff. She loved the floppy lips and big, wrinkly heads! Her female, Makalia, went from a gangly puppy to U-CDX BRS Makalia Key CDX, receiving scores in the 190's.

While Lori was showing Makalia, her children had a growing desire for dogs of their own. With children wanting to show, Lori turned to instructing Junior handling. Many of her students grew from Pee Wees to full-fledged Junior Handlers, showing and winning in AKC/UKC Open classes. Around the same time, she became 4-H dog show leader and continued teaching juniors for the next 15 years.

During this time, she joined the Kalamazoo Dog Training Club, becoming one of the instructors for the Puppy, Beginning, CGC, and competitive obedience classes. She has also taught classes at the Kalamazoo Kennel Club.

Lori has shown her own as well as other people's dogs in conformation, including handling other people's dogs to UKC championships and points in the AKC conformation ring.

She has been a professional groomer in her own salon for 18 years, grooming dogs for both show and pet owners.

### Release and Hold Harmless Training Agreement

In consideration of my enrollment and participation in the obedience classes/lessons conducted by All The Best Dogs, LLC, I/we hereby agree to assume all liability for any personal injury, property damage and injury, or damage to other dogs which may be caused by the dog which I bring to class.

I/we further agree to indemnify and hold harmless All The Best Dogs, LLC, Elly Burke, Mary Law, Lori Saucedo and any assistants against any claim asserted against them for all damages, including – but not limited to – personal injuries and property damages sustained by any person if such injury was caused by me or the dog I bring to class.

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Date \_\_\_\_\_

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