



# Cave Canis Dog Training

*Growing the Bond Between Dog and Owner*

Spring 2009

## Upcoming Events

### Monday April 27th

From 7PM-9PM

Canine Good Citizen Test at  
All Creatures Veterinary Hospital  
20 Commercial St, Salem MA

Pre-registration is required, check  
or cash for \$20.

The test consists of 10 skills  
needed by all well-mannered dogs.  
All of the exercises are done on a  
leash.

**Test 1:** Accepting a friendly  
stranger

**Test 2:** Sitting politely for petting

**Test 3:** Appearance and grooming

**Test 4:** Out for a walk (walking on  
a loose lead)

**Test 5:** Walking through a crowd

**Test 6:** Sit and down on command  
and Staying in place

**Test 7:** Coming when called

**Test 8:** Reaction to another dog

**Test 9:** Reaction to distraction

**Test 10:** Supervised separation

For more information about the test  
please go to

[http://www.akc.org/events/cgc/training\\_testing.cfm](http://www.akc.org/events/cgc/training_testing.cfm)



Enjoy Spring Time!

## Spring Dog



**Name:** Pete

**Breed:** Olde English Bulldogge

**Age:** 1 year

**Hobbies:** Play with his friends and  
chew on a stick

**Achievements:** Puppy K., Basic  
O., Advanced O.

*"Pete learned so much from Kata  
from basic obedience commands  
to fancy tricks like rolling over. If I  
tell him it's time for class or  
mention Kata, Pete starts to  
wiggle."  
Amy H.*

If you would like to see your dog in  
our Newsletter, please [send us](#) a  
picture, with their hobbies and  
achievements; and a little note  
about him/her.

We will pick 'Dog of the Year' out of  
'Season Dogs' and the winner will  
receive a prize!

## News About Us

**Kata** has become a Canine Good  
Citizen Evaluator, which means we  
are now able to  
prepare dogs  
and owners for  
the Canine  
Good Citizen  
Test!



[Cave Canis Dog Training](#)

## Upcoming Classes

Puppy Kindergarten  
Basic Obedience  
Advanced Obedience

Starts in June!

All classes are held at  
All Creatures Veterinary Hospital.  
20 Commercial St, Salem MA

Classes meet for an hour once a  
week for six weeks at a cost of  
\$155. If you would like to repeat a  
class, it costs \$100. Repeat clients  
must fill out a registration form.  
Please send the check to 34 Menlo  
Ave, Lynn MA 01905 by a week  
before first class.

To reserve a spot, full payment is  
due in advance.

To register, please [contact us](#) at or  
call 617-240-7675

## Training Tip of the Season

Many ticks infest dogs when they  
run through the woods or fields.

When you find a tick, use tweezers  
to pick up the body and pull slowly  
and gently. Try and pick it out,  
otherwise you may need to take  
your pet to the vet. Ticks can carry  
Lyme disease and Rocky Mountain  
Spotted Fever, so you should wash  
your hands thoroughly with soap  
after handling a tick.

To dispose of the tick, drop it into  
alcohol to kill it, and then dispose  
of it.