

1. Eligibility of Dogs A current vaccination certificate (in the case of puppy classes either the first, second or third vaccination), will be required to be viewed by the Instructor at the commencement of the course. Any dog that is sick or injured will not be worked with unless written advice is received from a qualified Vet indicating that it is safe to train the dog. A dog that has bitten another dog or person, or that shows undue aggression or unusual behaviour, must immediately be reported to the Instructor.

2. Enrolment and Payment A non-refundable deposit of \$50 is required to enrol and secure your place in a class. A confirmation letter/email detailing your class information will be forwarded to you once the class has been finalised. The balance of course fees is payable at the first lesson. Payment can be made by cheque, cash or internet banking direct deposit.

3. Cancellations A minimum of three (3) working days' notice prior to the class commencement date is required if you do not wish to undertake the course enabling your deposit to be transferred to the next available class. Failure to give notice within three (3) working days of the class commencement date will result in a \$50 cancellation fee. D.O.G.S. of Vic Pty Ltd reserves the right to cancel, combine or divide classes; to change the time, date or place of meeting; to change the Instructor or assignments and to make other revisions which may become necessary.

4. Refunds Once a course has commenced, no refunds are made for lessons that are missed and are non-transferrable to any other program or services. However, if notice is given of non-attendance beforehand, we will attempt to find a place in a subsequent class, should there be a vacancy for the lesson/s that was missed.

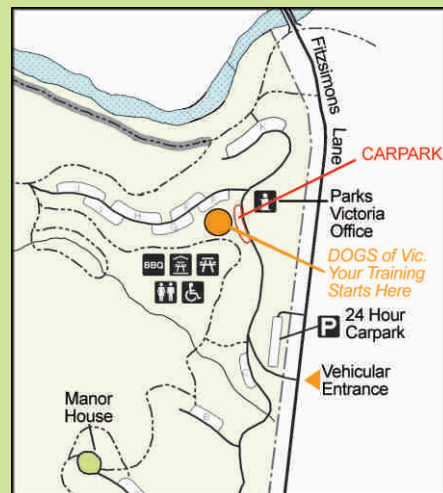
5. Unforeseen Circumstances If you are unable to attend a class/course due to unforeseen circumstances (eg. illness, dog injury), you may transfer to another class/course, provided that a vacancy exists. D.O.G.S. of Vic Pty Ltd must approve this transfer.

6. General The quality of results you achieve will depend directly on the work you put in. As such, D.O.G.S. of Vic Pty Ltd does not guarantee success. D.O.G.S. of Vic Pty Ltd exercises care in all training procedures, however, we are not liable for any injury or damage to your dog or persons attending sessions. Whilst all care is taken during training, if any dog or any person damages any property or causes injury, D.O.G.S. of Vic Pty Ltd is not liable for any costs arising out of such damage. Responsibility lies with the owner of the dog or persons responsible. For the avoidance of doubt, the exclusion and/or limitation of liability contained in clause 6 extends to and protects D.O.G.S. of Vic Pty Ltd's Officers, Employees and Instructors.

7. Privacy D.O.G.S. of Vic Pty Ltd is bound by the Privacy Amendment (Private Sector) Act 2000. All personal information obtained will be appropriately collected, stored, used, disclosed, transferred and destroyed in accordance with the National Privacy Principles.

westerfolds park, templestowe

Melways Map 33 Ref: G2 Enter via Fitzsimons Lane vehicular entrance and drive to first carpark located on the left, opposite the Park Office.



albert park lake

Melways Map 2K Ref: G4 & E5 Enter via Clarendon Street & Albert Road entrance to Aughtie Drive and drive to car park located in front of the Carousel Restaurant.



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your training starts here

The Dog Obedience Graduation School of Victoria (D.O.G.S. of Vic.), offers a variety of training programs to suit all ages of handlers and all pedigreed and cross breed dogs.

The following programs are available:

- Puppy Playgroup Course
- Basic Obedience Course
- Intermediate & Advanced Training
- Private Lessons
- Walk & Train
- Board & Train

D.O.G.S. of Vic. operate group courses and private lessons at two Parks Victoria locations (refer to maps on back). Classes are available on both Saturdays and Sundays (excluding long week-ends) and run for 1 hour.



puppy playgroup

For those new additions to the household, D.O.G.S. of Vic offer a 6 week Puppy Course. Puppy Playgroup is an important step in achieving a manageable and well adjusted adult dog.

This course is available to all ages of handlers with puppies being at least 10 weeks of age.

Topics include: teaching your puppy to walk on lead and "first steps" to guide your puppy into learning the sit, drop, stand and recall exercises. Classes also include dealing with traffic distractions, the critical stages of a puppy's development, house training, individual puppy problems and lots more.

Puppy Playgroup Graduates receive a 10% discount on the Basic Obedience Course.

basic obedience

This fun 12 week course teaches the owner/handler how to control the dog on lead and enables the dog to be responsive to voice commands. This course is suitable for all breeds of dogs over 5 months of age. Topics covered include: understanding dog behaviour, communicating with your dog, socialising the dog, food refusal/eating on command, heel on lead, sit, drop, stand, stay and recall on command. Individual behaviour problems are also covered and commonly include: nuisance barking, hole digging, jumping on people, etc. You will also enjoy trail walks where techniques learnt will be "put to the test" under the guidance of an Instructor. Course notes are distributed at the end of each lesson.



intermediate & advanced training

Intermediate and Advanced Training (including Basic Agility Training) is available for those wanting to further their basic obedience training.



private lessons

If your schedule does not allow you to complete one of our courses, we also offer individual private lessons at a mutually convenient time, either at your home or at our training grounds.

walk & train sessions

If your busy lifestyle doesn't leave you enough time to train and walk your dog - then we'll do it for you. One of our instructors will collect your dog from home for a one hour walk and obedience training session.

board & train

Going away on business or a holiday? Give your dog an "obedience work-out" whilst they enjoy their stay at our family owned and operated dog kennel.



registration form

TO ENROL in courses complete this registration form and return together with payment of deposit (\$50.00) by cheque or internet banking to:

D.O.G.S. of Vic.

PO Box 79,
Kerrimuir 3129

All enquiries to:

Phone: 03 9898 2100

Fax: 03 9890 7297

Bank Details:

BSB: 063 236

Account: 1014 8471

Name: D.O.G.S. of Vic P/L

Bank: Commonwealth

*Details of deposit must include SURNAME on this registration form

Select a class:

- Puppy Playgroup
- Basic Obedience

Select a location:

- Albert Park
- Westerfolds Park

Name: _____

Address: _____
_____ p/code: _____

Ph (H): _____ (W): _____

Mobile: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

Name of Dog: _____ Male/Female

Breed of Dog: _____

Age: _____ Neutered/Spayed: Yes/No

How did you hear about D.O.G.S. of Vic.? _____

What problem/s are you having with your dog? *(brief description)*

Preferred Training Day *(please select one)* Saturday Sunday

Preferred Training Time (number in order of preference 1-4)

- 9.00am - 10.00am
- 10.15am - 11.15am
- 11.30am - 12.30pm
- 1.00pm - 2.00pm

Times are then finalised based on class majority and details will be confirmed in a letter or email to you.

DEPOSITS PAID ARE NON REFUNDABLE