

Home *for the* Holidays

Sunday, December 7 • 10 am-3 pm



Irvine Animal Care Center

The Irvine Animal Care Center will host a pet adoption event just in time for the holidays. Join us for great vendors and pictures with Santa Claus. Also, in addition to the Shelter pets, local rescue groups will be bringing pets available for adoption. Give a homeless pet the best present...a new family and home!

► HACIENDA HILLS DOG OBEDIENCE

The Thurners from the Hacienda Hills Dog Obedience Club have been working with the City of Irvine for 30 years providing fun and helpful classes for dogs and their humans. Through their effective methods, thousands of Irvine families have turned their unruly canines into more enjoyable, reliable members of their family. All breeds are welcomed. More info: 714-532-DOGS or www.DogServicesUnlimited.com. Handlers ages 9+.

Beginner Obedience Training

Puppy Kindergarten: Start your puppy out on the right paw! Socialization and basic commands will be covered. Stop behavior problems (house-soiling, chewing, jumping on people, etc.) before they get out of hand. First meeting held WITHOUT puppies. Supply fee \$8. For puppies ages 2-5 months.

#67754 Tu 7:30pm-8:30pm Jan 27-Mar 3 NCP \$65

Beginning Dog Obedience: For all breeds of dogs over 5 months. Intro to commands (heel, sit, stay, come, stand and down). Working towards long-distance control and beginning off-leash work. Includes discussions on bad habits (chewing, biting, etc). Trophies & certificates at graduation. First meeting to be held WITHOUT dogs. Inst: Hacienda Staff. Insurance fee \$8. Junior handlers age 10+ welcome with adult.

#67755 W 7:45pm-8:45pm Jan 7-Feb 25 UCP \$76
#67756 Tu 6:30pm-7:30pm Jan 27-Mar 17 NCP \$76

In-Home Obedience Training: Convenient, private lessons tailored to your needs (behavior problems, basic or advanced commands, off-leash control, etc.) Time arranged to fit your busy schedule: daytime, evenings or weekends. Register and pay through Irvine Community Services Department and then call 714-532-3647 to schedule your lessons. Can be scheduled to start at any time throughout the session.

#67757 Jan In-home lessons (3,1-hour sessions) arranged w/instructor \$230
#67758 Feb In-home lessons (3,1-hour sessions) arranged w/instructor \$230
#67759 Mar In-home lessons (3,1-hour sessions) arranged w/instructor \$230

Previous Obedience Training

Obedience Refresher/Drill Workshop: For dogs that have been through a basic obedience course but need continued practice to help them remember who's in charge! Intensive drill on all novice obedience exercises. Bring dog with training equipment to all meetings. Meets in Costa Mesa at TeWinkle Memorial Park, on Junipero Dr. just north of Arlington. Inst: Hacienda Hills. Handlers ages 9+.

#67761 Tu 7:30pm-8:30pm Jan 27-Feb 24 TWP \$60

► MORE CHOICES!

Canine Games Agility Course

Fun, exercise, and challenging activities await your dog, including a variety of jumps, tunnels, A-Frame, weave-poles, teeter-totter and dog walk. Some on-leash obedience is recommended. First meeting held without dogs. Please bring vaccination record. Register early; space is limited. Inst: Hacienda Hills Dog Obedience. Supply fee \$25 (for agility equipment maintenance, insurance & awards). *No class 1/19, 2/9, 2/16.

#67821 M 6pm-7pm Jan 12-Mar 2* MVHS \$76
#67822 M 7pm-8pm Jan 12-Mar 2* MVHS \$76

Flyball Fun For Dogs

This fun sport for energetic, ball loving dogs, teaches jumping over a series of hurdles to retrieve a ball from a spring-loaded box. Prior obedience training strongly recommended. No dogs at first meeting, which will be held inside the Neighborhood Community Center, 1845 Park Ave, Costa Mesa. Subsequent meetings held at TeWinkle Park in Costa Mesa, near tennis courts. Inst: Hacienda Hills. Supply fee \$5. For dogs 8 mos + and handlers ages 18+.

#67760 W 7:30pm-8:30pm Jan 21-Mar 11 TWP \$76

Frisbee Dogs

Calling all Frisbee dogs! Want to learn the fun sport of Dog-Frisbee Toss 'n Fetch from an avid Dog-Disc competitor, David Procida? Now you can! Includes instruction on Frisbee throwing techniques, how to get your dog motivated to catch a disc AND bring it back to you, plus an introduction to teaching your dog freestyle moves. Bring current vaccination records and insurance fee of \$5. Frisbee included.

#67762 Su 1:30pm-4:30pm Feb 8 TWP \$44

Lend a Paw: Pet Therapy Training

Do you love your dog and want to share him or her with others? This rewarding way to volunteer with your dog is designed to get a team prepared to visit nursing homes, community centers, and hospitals. All dogs must have completed a Novice Obedience class, be at least one year old, have current vaccinations, including rabies, and license. This class can lead you to a full therapy-dog certification. Held at Hurless Barton Park, Yorba Linda. Directions: 714-961-7181. Inst: Bright & Beautiful Therapy Dogs, Inc. More info: www.dogwoodacademy.com. Ages 18+.

#66039 Sa 9:30am-10:30am Jan 10-Feb 14 Hurless Barton Park \$65