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COURTEOUS CANINE, Inc.
Dog School and Doggie Gym!

May 2007 Newsletter

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1. Open House Event



Courteous Canine, Inc. Fun Day Fund Raiser Event!

[W w w . C o u r t e o u s C a n i n e . c o m](http://www.CourteousCanine.com)

- ◆ Nutrition Seminars by Canine Caviar
- ◆ Separate Big & Little Dog Play Groups
- ◆ Run Thrus & Demos For:
AGILITY ! RALLY O ! DISK DOG !
- ◆ Paw & Tail Painting
- ◆ Talent Show
- ◆ Raffle Drawings
- ◆ Local Pet Product or Service Vendors
AND MUCH MORE!!!!

May 13th, 10am -4pm
For more information or vendor
registration: 813-949-1465 or
info@courteouscanine.com

Proceeds will go towards leg
surgery for rescue kitty Pedro.



2. Student of the Month

Over last year or two, Katlyn, who is now 9, has developed a love of animals, especially dogs! This time last year Katlyn starting asking for a puppy. As most children do, she promised that she would take care of it and her parents were skeptical. From the moment Katlyn set eyes on Teddy, she fell in love with him and starting praying for him in addition to pleading with mom and dad. Katlyn prevailed, and Teddy joined our family last Easter. Katlyn has been ever so diligent in taking him out, feeding him, playing with him and taking outstanding care of “her baby” as she calls him. She really does all of the work that goes with a puppy including cleaning up after him!

Katlyn asked what she could do beyond the puppy class she attended at PetSmart to better train Teddy since she wants to take such good care of him. We discussed that private lessons may be a good idea, but that they were very expensive. She wanted to know if her allowance would cover it, and when she learned it wouldn't she put puppy lessons on the very top of her Christmas wish list. She said she wanted the lessons more than all of the cool toys and electronics on her list.

When she got the classes from Santa Christmas morning, we were afraid she might be disappointed since it was not something she could play with right away. Our fears were put to rest when she saw the certificate and said that it was just what she wanted and she wanted to know if she could call the number right away to schedule her class. Fortunate for Ann, we convinced her that Christmas morning may not be a good time to call!

Needless to say, the classes have been a great experience for both Katlyn and Teddy and her passion for dogs remains as strong as it was a year ago- which a long time for a 9 year old!



3. Flip That Chow

Jean Donaldson, World Renowned Dog Trainer has launched a new website:
www.obeybuffy.org

Before



After



The website is a take-off on the HGTV show “Flip That House.” Jean takes chows, fosters them, and completes a make-over (health, behavior, hair-do) then adopts them out to stupendous homes. Jean feels, chows often get a raw deal in shelters and subsequently has founded her program “Flip That Chow” to help the noble Chow Chow.

If you are interested in adopting a chow you can apply for one at the website. Jean has inspired me to “flip a Papillion” I am currently looking for a pap in need to “flip.” God bless Jean Donaldson for the huge

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difference she has made for dogs. Her books have educated professional trainers and dog owners world-wide. All of us can only hope to make a fraction of the difference in that Jean has made and continues to make.

4. Loving Forever Home Wanted

A breeder in Citrus County brought this little girl into Humanitarians of Florida clinic to have her put down because they couldn't use her anymore for breeding. She is 12 years old but seems to be in pretty good shape. Her eyes don't even seem to have any cataracts. Dr. Dumas (the vet on staff) refused to put her down. Her teeth were awful and he pulled all but one of them so her little tongue will probably hang out the side of her mouth to some degree. She is so sweet and hasn't had a chance at any kind of a decent life. We were told she has lived her whole life in a cage. She has had a rabies vaccination and is heartworm negative.

<http://YorkieFriendsRescue.com>



Notes: If you are looking for a unique, beautiful, and gifted little lady to share your life you quite possibly can end your search right here. Teakwood is a 6 month old "blue" Doberman Pinscher. She just weighs 35 pounds right now. She has a little growing yet to do but will not be a real large dog when she is all grown up. Since she is still a puppy she is active and is still working on the housebreaking. She is friendly with people, other dogs, and does fine with cats. Teakwood also LOVES to play in the water. Because she is active she would be best in an adult home or one with older children as she could knock little children down (even though she wouldn't intend to hurt them). Teakwood is spayed, up to date on vaccinations, heartworm negative, microchipped, and

ready to move right into her new forever home. If you are interested in Teakwood please fill out an adoption application at www.roomforonemore.net and for additional questions please call Lisa at 352-341-2222 (and leave a message).

5. New Products For Pets

If your dog gulps his food, here is a new product idea for you:



Welcome to brake-fast.net!



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- ⊗ Helps reduce the risk of [Gastric Dilatation-Volvulus \(GDV or 'Bloat'\)](#)
 - ⊗ [Slower eating](#) makes an animal feel more full and reduces instances of 're-eating'
 - ⊗ Veterinarian tested and recommended
 - ⊗ Works with kibble or canned food
 - ⊗ Elegant, no-tip shape
 - ⊗ Durable, dishwasher safe plastic
 - ⊗ 5-cup Medium size ([Large & Small coming in June 2007](#))
- <http://www.brake-fast.net/>

If you own a bully breed, blind or elderly dog and have a pool this product is a must. This pool alarm lets you know if your dog has fallen in the pool. A potential life-saver!



Pet Immersion Alarm

Safety Turtle® is a family of **Wireless Alert** products designed to enhance security in the home and in the workplace. All Safety Turtle products satisfy the high performance, reliability and operational simplicity requirements of discriminating safety equipment users

<http://www.safetysafety.com/PetOwner.html>



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