

D Tails Monthly Ruff November 2016

NEWSLETTER



Don't forget to turn your clocks back this weekend!

Happy Thanksgiving from all of us at D Tails. We hope you have a wonderful day with family and friends. D Tails will be closed on Thursday, November 24 and Friday, November 25, 2016.

Upcoming Classes

Monday

Indoor Dog Park is Back! 6:00-7:00 PM, \$7.00 No reservation is needed, just drop by and play!
Drop-in Obedience, 7:00-8:00 PM.

Tuesday

Handling, 6:00-7:00 PM, November 8 and 15. Please see calendar on our website for individual instructors.

Advanced Obedience, 7:00-8:00 PM, November 8.

Beginner Obedience, 7:00-8:00 PM, ***New Class*** begins on November 15. You still have time to register for this class. Call D Tails or register online at www.dtails.biz

Wednesday

Beginner Obedience, 6:00-7:00 PM.

Thursday

Beginner Obedience, 6:00-7:00 PM. No class on November 24.

Please remember to thank a veteran on Friday, November 11. We greatly appreciate your sacrifices and service to keeping our country safe.



Congratulations to Channel! Channel became a dad of seven puppies on October 29. Below is a picture of mom, Pumpkin, and the pups. She had two females and five males. How exciting! Channel also has a very busy show schedule this month, so wish him luck!



We will have more puppy pictures as they become available. Check Facebook for updates!

Puppy Up 2016 was a success! Over \$30,000 raised for shared oncology research! Here are some pictures of the event.



November is Pet Cancer Awareness Month. Learn the early warning signs by clicking on the link below.

<http://www.puppyup.org/canine-cancer/early-warning-signs/>

Hikes with your Dog

November is the perfect month to take your dog out for a hike. The summer heat has cooled, and the harsh winter has not begun. There are many fun places along the Shoreline to hike with your pup. My new favorite place is the Timberlands, off Route 80 in Guilford. Timberlands is a nature preserve that has about 600 acres of trails. I discovered it this summer and have taken all my dogs there at different times. I have never come across many other people or dogs! Beware of the multitude of chipmunks if you have a prey-driven dog though! Because Timberlands is a preserve, dogs are required to be on leash and you must leave the preserve as you found it. The different trails are easily marked and are in decent shape. There are three lakes, a pond, and a stream. Unfortunately, with our drought, they are extremely low and the stream is dry now. Click the links for more information.

<http://www.visitguilfordct.com/todo/timberlands/>

<http://www.ci.guilford.ct.us/pdf/conservation%20-%20Timberland%20Trail%20%20March%2019%202014.pdf>

November is also a great month to take advantage of Connecticut's numerous state parks. The crowds are gone and so are the entrance fees! Get your dogs out now before winter sets in!

Beginning November 7, D Tails is bringing back Indoor Dog Park. From 6:00-7:00 PM every Monday, you can bring your dog to enjoy supervised play time! It will keep your dog engaged and exercised all winter long! No reservations required!

Marcy taking a break on a rock at Timberlands and enjoying a treat after her long hike.

