

What does your dog eat? _____

Describe your dog's sleeping arrangements _____

Is your dog allowed inside? If yes when and how often? If no, why? _____

What is the best thing about your dog? _____

What is the one thing you would like to change about your dog? _____

About Training

The training we use at The Canine Obedience Club of Townsville Inc. is reward based. This means that we will be looking for and rewarding good behaviours so as to increase them and ignoring unwanted behaviours in order to eliminate them. Please tick the following statements with which you AGREE. Be honest- we really need to know how you feel about it **now**. You might change your mind later.

Reward based training is specifically what I want Reward based training is new to me but it sounds interesting

I am a little worried about using food to train my dog I want my dog to work for me not for food

I don't really care what method I use so long as it works I believe dogs should be punished for bad behaviour

My dog is strong/wilful and can't be controlled without a check chain.

Other _____

I have had : good / bad / no (please circle) experience with traditional (check chain) training methods.

What do you hope to achieve with your dog at training? _____

What would you like to have achieved a year from now? _____

In the table below please use ticks ✓ to rate your dog's current abilities.

Good = obeys at least 70% of the time Poor = obeys less than 70% of the time

Skills	Good in All Situations	Good at Home	Poor in Any Situation	Can't Do
Responds to name by looking at you				
Walks nicely on a loose lead				
Comes when called				
Sits on cue				
Sits politely to be greeted				
Goes down on cue				
Allows you to handle him/her for grooming				
Knows to "leave it" and or "take it"				
Will stay/wait until released				
Knows how to do some tricks (e.g. .roll over, shake hands etc.				

Does your dog have any problems with the following? Please tick all that apply.

Behaviour	Major Concern	Minor Concern	Not a Concern
Barking			
Aggression			
Shyness			
Pulling on lead			
Digging			
Jumping up			
House training			
Begging/Stealing			
Chewing			

Thank you for taking the time to fill out this extensive form. The more we know about you and your dog the better equipped we will be to help you. Feel free to attach an additional page if you wish to tell us more information.