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The Skill Set & Mechanics

- Learn how to carry out a consent test.
- Learn how to choose appropriate behaviors to teach your learner.
- Learn how to introduce and use an olfactory cue.
- Learn how to use D.O.E. to increase speed of acquisition of different behaviors.
- Refine your knowledge of luring, targeting and shaping.
- Learn how to use "Touch" to teach new tricks (behaviors)

The Behaviors:

- Figure 8 (Weave around legs in shape of figure 8)
- Take a Bow
- Go Round (Move away from handler, go round object/ person/ animal & return to handler)

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The Science & Knowledge

- Understand why we should carry out consent tests
- Understand Emotional Contagion
- Increase your knowledge of canine communication and social behavior
- Learn about distance increasing signals, including an overview of aggressive behaviors
- Understand distance decreasing signals
- Understand the use of *No Reward Markers* and why you should or shouldn't use them.
- Understand the term Negative Reinforcement
- Clarify your understanding of The Four Quadrants of Operant Conditioning
- Understand Respondent Conditioning & how to use this learning process to engender happy learners
- Understand different applications of both Operant and Respondent Learning

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