

Agility Seminars With Loretta Mueller

Council Bluffs, Iowa

April 19-22, 2018

Loretta Mueller has been involved in agility since 2003 with her first rescue dog Ace. Since then she has been involved in a variety of dog training activities including USBCHA herding, competitive obedience, rally obedience, and service dog training. She has achieved 5 ADCH's, with Gator achieving his ADCH at the age of 2 ½. Loretta has been in all three USDAA finals, Grand Prix, Steeplechase, and Team, since 2009, and in 2013 she was crowned the 22-inch Grand Prix Champion with Lynn at the Regional in Kansas City. Loretta was the coach of the 2016 WAO Agility team which won Gold in England, and she will be the 2017 WAO Agility team coach. Loretta won both the Weave Pole Challenge and Small Dog Agility at the Purina Incredible Dog Challenge in 2015.

Loretta has the ability to work with all different breeds of dogs. She believes there is never a "one size fits all" method and is very good at working with each dog and handler as an individual team to help them succeed. One of her specialties is building drive in dogs that otherwise might be a challenge, using positive methods. She believes it isn't just about the handling of the courses, but the entire picture that makes a great agility team! To learn more about Loretta go to <http://fulltiltagility.com/>

This group of seminars offers a "buffet" type of experience; you can pick and choose what you want to participate in. The more you participate, the cheaper each option is. The first seminar is on Thursday night and is called "Handling at a Distance using Body Pressure and Verbals" Loretta will work with you on handling strategies to minimize YOUR yardage so you can handle in a more relaxed and confident manner. This will be limited to 8 handler/dog teams, and dogs should be working at the open level. Novice/Open Handling will be on Friday, beginning with small sequences that will become progressively harder as the day progresses. Novice/Open will be for dogs that are getting ready to show, or dogs currently showing that need to work on some handling skills. Saturday will be for dogs working at the Excellent/Masters level or by instructor's permission, and Sunday will again be half a day of Fancy Crosses and half a day of International Handling. You can participate in Friday, Saturday, or Sunday for \$160 per day. Participating in any two or three days of Friday/Saturday/Sunday is \$150 per day. If you participate in Friday, Saturday, and/or Sunday, the Thursday night seminar is only \$85 (with dog), otherwise it is \$95. Auditing the Thursday night seminar is \$40 if you are participating in another day (\$50 if not auditing or participating in anything else), and auditing any of the other days is just \$50 if you are participating on any other day, \$65 if not. Just ask about what combo you're interested in and I will tell you how much it will be. You can participate in Thursday night, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday for just \$500. Friday/Saturday/Sunday seminars are limited to 12 working teams. The working spots will go fast in all of these seminars, so don't delay! Lunch will be provided Fri/Sat/Sun, and I will fix some pizza for you on Thursday night.

Loretta Mueller Agility Seminars

Name: _____ Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail Address: _____

Breed of Dog: _____ Dog's Name: _____ Indicate day(s), Fri/Sat/Sun (limited to 12): _____

Distance (Thurs 5:00-9 PM), this one will go quick, e-mail for availability before you send your check: _____

Audit only, please indicate day: _____

Return form with camp fee to: Gerianne Darnell, 11092 240th St, Council Bluffs, IA 51503. If you have a question just E-mail Gerianne at geriannedarnell@aol.com Checks must accompany your reservation and will be cashed on 4/1/2018. Your check is a commitment to attend. If you find you can not attend, contact Gerianne to see if there is a waiting list.