



The greatest gift you can give a dog is the freedom to think

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 - Uncover foolproof strategies for hotspots, interactive containment zones, and leash-free problem-solving.
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 - Tame those uninvited snuggles with clear exercises to reinforce respectful behavior.
- 5. The Name Game 2.0: Unlocking Your Dog's Inner Genius**
 - Master the art of intellectual engagement with easy hacks to level up cognitive training.
- 6. Troubleshooting Meltdowns: Your Emergency Toolkit**
 - Overcome boundary breaches, emotional outbursts, and training fatigue with these game-changing strategies.
- 7. What Does Success Look Like? Watch for These Milestones**
 - Identify key victories, from flawless self-corrections to calm behavior in chaotic situations.
- 8. Small Wins, Big Rewards: How to Celebrate Your Dog's Successes**

- Discover the magic of acknowledging the little achievements that pave the way for long-term growth.

9. Refinement Mastery: Stay the Course and Watch the Magic Happen

- Why Week 4 is all about reinforcing the basics—and setting the stage for breakthroughs ahead.

10. The Trust Factor: Building a Bond Beyond Boundaries

- Explore how Week 4 strengthens not just your dog's training, but your partnership for life.

Chapter 22: Stage 2 Week 5 – Sock Secrets, Boundary Breakthroughs, and Your Dog's Hidden Genius(pg.264)

1. The Week Your Dog Proves They're Smarter Than You Think

- Dive into Week 5's game plan to test boundaries and unlock your dog's problem-solving prowess.

2. Boundary of the Day: Will Your Dog Pass the Ultimate Respect Test?

- Set the stage for independence with a single high-stakes boundary challenge. Can they handle it?

3. The Sock Game: The Weirdly Fun Exercise That Builds Genius Dogs

- Discover how a simple sock can turn your dog into a cooperative, problem-solving wizard.

4. How to Win the Boundary Battle Without Saying a Word

- Learn silent strategies to reinforce boundaries while letting your dog think for themselves.

5. “Drop It!”: Getting Your Dog to Release the Sock Without a Fight

- Master this essential skill with foolproof techniques to avoid tug-of-war disasters.

6. Is Your Dog Smarter Than Your Neighbor’s? Let the Sock Game Decide!

- Turn training into playful competition and watch your pup shine.

7. Troubleshooting Training Fails: Why It’s Not Your Dog’s Fault

- Stop blaming your pup—find out how small tweaks can fix common boundary and retrieval issues.

8. Journaling Your Dog’s Genius: What to Record and Why It Matters

- Learn how to track progress like a pro and spot the subtle signs of success.

9. The Victory Checklist: Is Your Dog Ready for Stage 2 Glory?

- Use these milestones to confirm your dog’s boundary respect, retrieval skills, and emotional regulation.

10. From Boundaries to Brilliance: The Sock Game’s Big Reveal

- See how a playful game is shaping your dog into a confident, independent thinker.

11. The Trust Test: Building a Bond That Lasts Beyond Training

- Discover why Week 5 is a pivotal step in creating a lifelong partnership with your dog.

Chapter 23: Stage 2 Week 6 – The Boundary Blitz That Changes Everything(pg.271)

- 1. The Game-Changing Week You Can't Afford to Skip**
 - Find out why Week 6 is the ultimate test of your dog's independence and cognitive growth.
- 2. Last Week's Homework: Did You Pass the Confidence Check?**
 - Discover if your dog's progress with boundaries, personal space, and the Sock Game hits the mark—or needs a reboot.
- 3. Boundary of the Day: The One-Day Challenge That'll Blow Your Mind**
 - Set your dog up for success (or a surprising lesson) with this high-stakes boundary drill.
- 4. The Sock Game Evolution: Is Your Dog Ready for the Pro League?**
 - Transform a simple game into a brain-boosting workout your pup will love.
- 5. Disaster-Proof Your Training: Fix These Common Boundary Fails**
 - From overexcited sock chasers to boundary breaches, tackle the toughest challenges like a pro.
- 6. Winning Signs: How to Spot a Self-Regulation Superstar**
 - Celebrate the breakthrough behaviors that prove your dog is mastering emotional control and cognitive skills.
- 7. Boundary of the Day Secrets: What Your Dog's Reactions Say About Their Progress**

- Decode your dog’s hesitations, self-corrections, and emotional state to fine-tune their training.
- 8. Ready to Celebrate? The Small Wins That Signal Big Progress**
- Learn why those tiny victories—like a calm pause or a perfect “drop it”—are everything.
- 9. Homework That Works: Make Week 6 Count**
- Level up with assignments that challenge your dog’s focus, independence, and respect for boundaries.
- 10. The Trust Factor: How Week 6 Builds a Bond You’ll Treasure Forever**
- Discover how consistency and targeted challenges strengthen the ultimate partnership with your dog.

Chapter 24: Stage 2 Week 7 – Your Dog Becomes the Ultimate Laundry Sidekick

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- 1. Turn Chores into Cheer: Teach Your Dog to Help with Laundry!**
 - Discover how this genius task blends cognitive skills with real-life practicality.
- 2. Last Week’s Homework—Did Your Dog Pass the Boundary Test?**
 - Uncover surprising patterns in your dog’s behavior and why they might love testing your patience.
- 3. The Laundry Helper Revolution: Why Your Dog Will Love This Game**
 - Learn how this fun and functional exercise transforms training into teamwork.

4. From Sock Hoarder to Super Retriever: Step-by-Step Guide

- Master the art of teaching your dog to fetch, carry, and drop like a pro.

5. Unstoppable Boundary Breaker? Here's How to Shut It Down Fast

- Get insider tricks to eliminate stubborn hotspot or personal space violations for good.

6. Stuck on “Drop It”? Your Secret Weapon to Solve Release Problems

- Break the cycle of tug-of-war and teach smooth object handovers without the hassle.

7. Why the Laundry Helper is the Ultimate Brain Workout

- Explore how this activity builds confidence, sharpens problem-solving, and creates harmony at home.

8. Boundary Mastery or Hotspot Chaos? Find Out if Your Dog's Winning Week 7

- Track progress in boundary respect, emotional regulation, and practical skills like a pro trainer.

9. From Household Hassle to Harmony: Why Week 7 Changes Everything

- Learn how blending boundaries with practical tasks accelerates your dog's journey to becoming the ideal companion.

10. Practical Skills = Endless Potential: How Laundry Leads to a Smarter Dog

- Imagine the possibilities when your dog masters practical tasks—this is just the beginning!
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Chapter 25: Week 8 – The Food Test That Will Blow Your Mind(pg.285)

- 1. Why Week 8 is the Ultimate Gut Check for Your Dog's Training**
 - Learn how this week's exercises expose your dog's impulse control—or lack thereof—in real-life situations.
- 2. Did You Pass Week 7's Homework? Or Did Your Dog Take Over?**
 - Uncover the truth about your dog's boundary respect, personal space awareness, and cognitive growth.
- 3. The Food Test: Can Your Dog Resist the Ultimate Temptation?**
 - Put your pup to the test with a jaw-dropping experiment that turns ordinary walks into training gold.
- 4. Caught in the Act? Here's How to Handle Food Grabs Like a Pro**
 - Discover expert tips to tackle food snatchers and reinforce ironclad impulse control.
- 5. The Secret Weapon for Bulletproof Boundary Reinforcement**
 - Master the art of permanent boundaries and learn how to keep emotional hotspots under control.
- 6. Laundry Helper 2.0: Turning Fetch Games Into Genius Moves**
 - Elevate your dog's problem-solving skills with retrieval games that boost focus and confidence.
- 7. What Does Success Smell Like? (Hint: It's Not That Dropped Treat)**

- Recognize the subtle signs your dog is mastering impulse control and emotional regulation.
- 8. Food Test Fails? Don't Panic—Fix It Fast With These Hacks**
- From overwhelming distractions to disengaged pups, here's how to troubleshoot common test-day disasters.
- 9. Week 8 Wins: Why Small Victories Are Your Dog's Biggest Flex**
- Celebrate every hesitation, self-correction, and boundary success as proof your dog is nailing it.
- 10. Next Stop: The Real World, Armed With Rockstar Impulse Control**
- Get ready to take your training to the streets, where your dog's new skills shine.

Chapter 26: Week 9 – The Ultimate Brain Game Challenge(pg.292)

- 1. The Food Test Aftermath: Did Your Dog Pass or Plot Revenge?**
 - Find out if your dog is secretly a genius or just really good at stealing snacks when you're not looking.
- 2. The Game That Will Blow Your Dog's Mind (And Yours): Hide and Fetch**
 - Introduce your dog to a game so engaging, they'll forget about the squirrels outside.
- 3. Impulse Control Drama: Stop the Food Frenzy for Good**
 - Discover why Week 9 is your last stand against temptation tantrums.

- 4. Are You the Problem? How to Make Hide and Fetch Actually Work**
 - Learn the subtle mistakes you might be making and how to fix them before your dog gets frustrated.
- 5. The Secret to “Drop It” Without a Tug-of-War Battle**
 - Finally, a way to teach your dog to let go without turning it into a WWE match.
- 6. Boundary Breakdowns? Here’s Your Step-by-Step Comeback Plan**
 - Rescue your training from meltdown mode with these foolproof strategies.
- 7. Personal Space Police: Keep Your Dog from Invading Your Bubble**
 - Say goodbye to the uninvited snuggle attacks with these simple yet effective exercises.
- 8. Ready for the Next Level? Spot These Signs of Canine Genius**
 - Check if your dog is ready to move from boundary basics to advanced problem-solving.
- 9. Is Hide and Fetch the New Wordle? Why Dogs Love This Brain Workout**
 - The surprising reason this game keeps dogs mentally sharp and emotionally balanced.
- 10. Celebrate the Wins: Small Victories That Mean Big Things**
 - Learn how to recognize and reward the moments that build long-term success.
- 11. The Road Ahead: What Week 9 Means for Your Dog’s Future**
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- **Latent Learning:** Learning that happens without immediate results but shows up later when needed.
- **Trigger:** What sets your dog off—and how to manage it.
- **Reinforcement:** How to reward the behaviors you actually want.
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