

# Waiver of Liability and Informed Consent

## COVID-19 Waiver

I attest that to the best of my knowledge, I do not have COVID-19 at the time of attending this class or event, and understand the risks of unknowing exposure to this and other illnesses by or to myself, my family, other participants, and third parties. I have not been tested and found positive; am not waiting for test results; and do not have symptoms. I agree that I will not knowingly expose others to any illness I may have or be at risk to have. I will follow all Canine Companion Training Academy facility rules and requirements to reduce any exposure and possibility of contracting or spreading the virus. I will also fully cooperate with and follow any City, County or Province guidelines that have jurisdiction in the area in which the class or event is taking place. If any of the above should change during the completion of the class session that is the subject of this consent, I will inform Canine Companion Training Academy and proceed in light of the new information. I agree that I am attending this class or event entirely at my own risk and assume all risk and full responsibility for my own health, well being, and safety during this class or event. I fully agree that Canine Companion Training Academy, the owner, Laurie McLaughlin, the assistants and volunteers are in no way liable for any present or future COVID-19 exposure incurred at any time by any person, in attendance or not in attendance, during or after this class or event. I hereby waive and release Canine Companion Training Academy, the owner, Laurie McLaughlin, the assistants and volunteers from any and all liability for damages or personal injury to me, my dogs or my property.

Further, I hereby indemnify and hold harmless Canine Companion Training Academy, the owner, Laurie McLaughlin, the assistants and volunteers from any and all claims by or liability to any third party arising out of my participation in any Canine Companion Training Academy class or event. Any liability to anyone for any incident involving myself, the location, or those pets or actions of other participants and spectators will be my sole responsibility and I assume all financial liability and will also assume all and any financial costs associated with my actions.

- I understand that attendance of a dog training program is not without risk to myself, members of my family, guests who may attend, or my dog, which even when handled with the greatest of care may be difficult to control and may be the cause of injury. I further understand that it is solely my responsibility to vaccinate and/or treat my dog for any contagious or infectious illness.

- **I hereby waive and release Canine Companion - or any persons acting on behalf of Canine Companion from any and all liability of any nature, for injury or damage which I or my dog may suffer, including specifically, but without limitations, any injury or damage resulting from the actions of any dog.**
  
- **I also agree to indemnify and to hold harmless Canine Companion - or any persons acting on behalf of Canine Companion from any and all claims from myself or any member of my family. I hereby acknowledge that there is no guarantee for services rendered and that there are no refunds.**