

The Ottawa Valley Golden Retriever Club
proudly presents

Bridget Carlsen Motivational Obedience Seminars

October 4, 5 & 6, 2013

at The Training Hall, Carp (Ottawa), ON

www.thetraininghall.com

Bridget has been training dogs for over 30 years. She has put 52 titles from obedience, field, and agility on 7 Golden Retrievers, and a Norwich Terrier. Her accomplishments include 6 OTCH's, 9420 lifetime OTCH points, 168 High in Trials, 218 High Combined, and multiple perfect 200's in both Open & Utility. She has the first and only Obedience Trial Championship (OTCH) on a Norwich Terrier, "Hemi". Bridget and her Golden Retriever "Soupy" won an individual placement at the prestigious CRUFTS Dog Show in England while representing the USA. She is also an accomplished field trainer putting Master Hunter (MH) titles on five dogs.



Bridget's training style is very innovative. She is creative and thoughtful, continually developing new ideas, and tailors her training to address the reason for whatever problem the dog may be experiencing. Bridget's primary goal is to develop dogs that like to work. While she values accuracy, she does not want a dog that is just "going through the motions" with no love for his work. Her dogs' animated attitude comes from her ability to play with her dogs, be sincere in her praise, and maintain a great working relationship. Check out her website: www.bridgetcarlsen.com

Friday/Saturday - Open and Utility: The Open and Utility classes contain all the interesting tasks that are fun for the dog. Yet, many dogs and handlers 'hit a wall' when training and maintaining these exercises. Bridget will teach students how to break down and teach these exercises and then provide the proofing and motivational techniques required to maintain a consistent and confident performance. **Limited to 20 working handlers.**

Sunday- Problem Solving: Bridget will assist working teams with their training problems based on the information from her questionnaire and her observations of the individual teams. The goal is to offer each team several solutions to take with them. **Limited to 15 working handlers.**

Registration Form:

Registration for the seminar is now open. Working spots will be determined by a draw to be held on Friday, April 19, 2013. Preference will be given to OVGRC Members.

Limited auditing spots available, so register early! Full payment must be mailed with all registrations.

Deadline: Friday, September 20, 2013. Refunds will be given only if there is a waiting list and no refunds will be given after the closing date.

Registration fees include lunch and refreshments.

_____ Friday, Saturday, and Sunday Working Spot (\$360)
_____ Friday and Saturday Working Spot (\$260)
_____ Sunday Working Spot (\$140)
_____ 3-day Auditor Spot (\$150)
_____ 2-day Auditor Spot (\$120) Check days: ☐ Friday ☐ Saturday ☐ Sunday
_____ 1-day Auditor Spot (\$80) Check day: ☐ Friday ☐ Saturday ☐ Sunday

Name :

Address:

City: _____ Province/State: _____ Post Code: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Dog's Call Name: _____ Breed: _____

I will not hold Bridget Carlsen or OVGRC or their members, liable for any loss, damage or injury to myself or my dog, or my property while attending this event.

Signature (required) _____

Acknowledgment of receipt of registration will be sent. Confirmation of working sport, seminar details and questionnaires for working teams will be sent separately.

Please mail registration form and payment (payable to OVGRC) to Pamela Martin, 1735 Development Road, Mountain, ON K0E 1S0. For more information, please contact Pam at 613-989-6163 (evening) or hiscoke@magma.ca.