

DRIVE DEVELOPMENT FOR COMPETITIVE DOG SPORTS

Build Drive While Maintaining Accuracy and Precision!

All Sports, All Breeds, All Levels!

Dates:

March 12 & 13, 2016

9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Fascination Ranch

35600 Singleton Road
Calimesa, California

40 acres of old fashioned rustic charm nestled in the quiet canyons of Calimesa, where all the animals that live there have been rescued from one place or another... right off the I-10. 50 miles west of Palm Springs.



Tami McLeod Seminar - Photo by Abi Post

Tami McLeod

Is a 20 year veteran of competitive dog sports, with over 100 working dog titles! She has titled 4 dogs to the IPO/SchH3 level. In addition to Regional Placements, Tami has competed on the National level. She also enjoys national recognition as one of Leerburg's best online instructors! See her at Leerburg.com

Only 15 Working Spots:

\$240 for Sat. & Sun. combo

Auditing Spots:

\$75.00 per day or \$100 for weekend.

***Price includes continental breakfast and lunch for all plus tented seating for working dogs**

Quote from Janice Gunn about Tami:

"I attended a Tami McLeod seminar on Drive Building and Motivation last year and was very happy I made the trip. Tami is an excellent speaker and instructor. She kept me totally engaged the entire weekend. She was able to encourage dogs that had little or no play or prey drive and bring out some excitement they didn't know they had! **These skills are not only important for IPO but also for AKC Obedience.** Tami helped the mixture of obedience, IPO, and agility attendees bring out the best in their dogs and learn new skills to apply to their everyday training."

Workshop Topics Include:

Overview of Event Markers: Clicker and Verbal Markers.

Drives Defined: Descriptions, Assessment, and Building.

Empowering Play Techniques: Targeting, Countering, Reinitiating Play.

Thinking vs Reactionary State of Mind: The Dichotomy of Food and Play/Prey Drive.

Transitioning from Low Arousal to High Arousal Drive States Seamlessly and Maintaining Accuracy.

Drive Cues: Tactile Stimulus Games. **Four Stages of Removing Reinforcers:** From Lure to Off the Field/Ring.

Field/Ring Work: Conditioning in the "Happy Place". **Teaching positive association of the ring/field!**

Day 2: Moving into more advanced exercises and how these concepts can be applied.

What sets Tami apart is her diversity in having successfully trained, handled, and/or titled a multitude of

breeds; Malinois, Shepherds, Toy Breeds, Terriers, Border Collies, and Dobermans to name a few. Tami has over 100 working dog titles and trained 4 dogs to the IPO/SchH 3Level. She has competed in over 7 National Championship Working Dog Trials and was a World Team member representing the United States in Germany for the FCI IPO World Championship. Tami was also a Law Enforcement Officer for the Metro Nashville Police Dept. Skilled in the application of Operant Condition learning theory, she focuses on clear communication between dog and handler with an innovative training approach incorporating a reward based system. Her thoughtful proofing emphasizes maintaining a thinking dog while creating difficulty.

Her motivational, balanced approach focuses on precision work to eliminate unwanted conflict.

Please refer to Tami's website www.absolutek9solutions for full bio and a list of all of her achievements.

Lodging and Camping:

Yucaipa Regional Park, 7 mi (909) 790-3127

Calimesa Inn Motel, 2 mi (909) 795-2536

Motel 6 Colton Ave. Redlands, 12 miles
(909) 793-2001



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