

MASSACHUSETTS 2018 4-H DOG CAMP

Friday, May 11th - Sunday, May 13th

At Cape Cod Sea Camps, 3057 Main St., Brewster Massachusetts

Eligibility

This camp is open to enrolled 4-H dog project members (ages 8 - 18 as of 1/1/2018). Members must have their 4-H leader's permission to participate. A place for your leader's signature appears on the registration form. One dog per participant - second dog allowed only with your leader's permission. Members may attend without a dog. No dogs in season. Members may choose to stay at camp or attend only on Saturday. Cloverbud members (ages 5 - 7 as of 1/1/2018) may attend as a day camper only on Saturday. Cloverbuds must be accompanied by an adult. Camperships are available for hardship reasons- contact your leader or local 4-H office for more information.

Arrival & Departure Times

Arrive between 5:00 pm and 7:00 pm on Friday, May 11th. Check-in details to follow. Please have your evening meal before you arrive. Pizza will be served at the Friday evening orientation and get acquainted gathering. Check in for those attending, as day campers will be at 8:30 am at the art center on Saturday. Release time for day campers is Saturday at 5:00 pm. Release time for full time campers is Sunday morning at 11:00 am. Parents are encouraged to arrive at 10:00 am so they may attend the awards program. Due to Sea Camp rules, families will not be allowed to drive into the cabin area. But they will be allowed to drop off close by. There will be a shuttle service for anyone with mobility issues.

✿ **Camper's bags, crates, sleeping bags, etc. should be tagged with the camper's name for easy identification.**

Housing & Meals

Members and their dogs will be housed in camp cabins. Cabins will be assigned by club, age and gender. ***Dogs must be crated in a hard crate- no soft sided crates will be allowed.*** Dogs are NOT permitted in beds at all due to camp rules. All meals will be provided for campers, chaperones and registered adults. All participants must provide their own food and dishes for their dog. It is suggested that you bring water from home for your dog. *If you have a food allergy or special diet, please make note on your registration form.* **Sheets are provided, but bring pillow and blankets or sleeping bag for yourself.**

Member Health

A completed and signed health form must accompany your registration. You may send a copy of the health form that you completed when you enrolled in 4-H this year. Health forms are located on the 4-H web site (mass4h.org). On the 4-H site, click on forms and applications and then on member forms. Health forms must include information related to any prescribed medications. 4-H members are prohibited from smoking, drinking alcoholic beverages, or using controlled substances.

Dog Health

Proof of current rabies vaccination is required for all member and adult dogs. A copy (no originals) of dog rabies vaccination certificate must be sent with your registration. DHPL or DA2PPI, Lyme and Kennel Cough vaccinations are recommended, but not required. If your dog is exhibiting any coughing, respiratory symptoms or diarrhea, don't bring them.



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What to bring for you

- ☘ Casual clothes, warm clothes, rain gear, extra shoes and socks. (plan to dress in layers)
- ☘ Personal care items, towels for you and your dog
- ☘ Sleeping bag or blankets and pillow. (bed, sheets & mattress are provided)
- ☘ Mosquito and Tick repellent
- ☘ Flashlight

What not to bring

- ☘ Radios, Electronic games, ipads etc, Jewelry & other valuables

Cell phones must be turned off during workshops & demonstrations

What to bring for your dog

- ☘ Crate and blanket to cover crate (Crates must be stackable and of appropriate size)
NO CLOTH/SOFT-SIDED CRATES
- ☘ Plastic bags for cleaning up after your dog
- ☘ Food, water, dishes, treats (lots of treats if doing agility, tricks, etc.)
- ☘ Grooming equipment (dogs should arrive clean - there are no dog bathing facilities)
- ☘ Showmanship & obedience equipment (collars, leashes, etc. Buckle collar if doing agility)
- ☘ Tick repellent
- ☘ First aid supplies for your dog
- ☘ Towel for your dog in case of rain
- ☘ Bed for your dog inside his crate and dog's favorite toy to go in the crate

Community Service

We will be making tug toys and dog toys for local shelters. Bring old jeans, tshirt or tennis balls

Recycle for Dogs

Help other dog project members (and the environment) by bringing your gently used dog-related equipment that you no longer use. Your discards may be just what another 4-H'er needs! All items must be clean and in usable condition, do not bring worn out leashes, collars or dog toys. .

New this year!

A raffle will be held to help raise funds so we can keep the cost of dog camp low. Each camper is asked to bring a new item for this raffle. Raffle tickets will be available for purchase during the check-in on Friday and during meals on Saturday. Tickets are 1 for \$1.00, 6 for \$5.00, and 12 for \$10.00. Winners will be drawn Saturday evening.

Chaperone & Adults

One adult chaperone must attend for every 5 youth campers. 4-H clubs must provide adequate chaperones. All adults staying at camp must have a CORI check. Due to space limitations, the number of adults may be limited. Preference will be given to adults who are also conducting workshops and to planning committee members. **All adults will be assigned to help with workshops, at meals, or with other camp tasks.**

Fees

Camp fee covers housing, workshops and all meals and snacks.

4-H members.....	\$80
Chaperones.....	\$70
Committee members & adults conducting workshops.....	\$50
Day campers (Saturday only).....	\$20
Adult accompanying Cloverbud (day).....	\$20

There will be a late registration fee of \$10 for registrations postmarked after April 16th

Many county 4-H advisory councils provide financial assistance for 4-H events. Contact your 4-H leader or your local 4-H Extension Educator to see if you are eligible to receive a campership/scholarship. Do this BY APRIL 15, 2018

CAMP SCHEDULE

Friday, May 11

5:00 - 7:00 pm	Arrival & Check-in at the Art Center_____
7:30 pm-8:30	Orientation for Campers & Pizza, celebrating The Year of The Dog
9:00 pm	Ice Breaker fun event
9:30 pm	Walk dogs & return to cabins
10:30 pm	Lights Out

Saturday, May 12

7:00 am	Wake up for members & dogs
8:00 am	Breakfast
8:30 am	Day camper & Cloverbud Check-in
9:00 am – 12:00 pm	Morning Workshops
12:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 - 2:00 pm	Group Demonstration
2:00 - 4:30 pm	Afternoon Workshops
4:30 – 5:00 pm	Free time with your dog
5:00 pm	Supper
6:30 - 9:30 pm	Evening program, Crafts, Campfire & Snacks
9:30 pm	Walk dogs & return to cabins
10:30 pm	Lights Out

Sunday, May 13

7:00 am	Wake up for members & dogs
8:00 am	Breakfast
9:00 - 10:00 am	Packing & Cabin cleaning
10:00 am	Parents arrive & Awards program
11:00 am	Departure

DIRECTIONS TO CAPE COD SEACAMP

Sea Camp is located on Cape Cod at 3057 Main St., Brewster, Massachusetts. Cross the Sagamore Bridge or Bourne Bridge and continue on Route 6E to Exit # 11 Harwich. Follow rte. 137 N and Millstone Rd. to Main St.

WORKSHOPS

BEGINNER AGILITY 4-H Leader, Sandy Armstrong will help members and their dogs improve their agility skills on a wide variety of obstacles. All work will be on a leash.

INTERMEDIATE AGILITY Learn to work with your dog on a higher level. 4-H Leader, Cathy Acampora will share training tips with members who have done agility before and are ready to work off leash.

ADVANCED AGILITY Tighten your agility skills for competition. Learn to use distance and discrimination. For members who are ready to compete. Dog must be in control off leash Taught by Cheryl Acampora.

BEGINNER OBEDIENCE If you are new to showing dogs, 4-H alumni McKinley Magni and 4-H alumni will introduce you and your dog to what is expected in the obedience ring.

INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED OBEDIENCE McKinley Magni and 4-H alumni will share tips and techniques to help you prepare for a higher level of obedience competition.

ASK A VET Dr. Johnson, D.V.M. will answer any questions you have on veterinary medicine and the health of your dog.

BANDAGING Jenna Tanenbaum will teach you proper techniques. Mellow dogs are welcome to attend with you for 'hands-on' practice.

BE SAFE / BE PREPARED 4-H volunteer, McKinley Magni discuss how you and your dog can safely enjoy the out of doors basic first aid, and what to bring for simple medical situations.

CHIROPRACTICS FOR CANINES Dr. Tranberg, D.V.M will discuss and demonstrate chiropractic treatments and how they may benefit your dog

AGILITY JUMPS Construct an agility jump from plastic pipe. Learn how to measure, cut, and fit the pieces together to create a jump you can take home.

AGILITY TAGS LEADS Volunteer Terry Gardiner will help you make a Para cord agility tag

CAMP CUPS Create your own dog camp beverage container. All materials will be supplied for this take home project. Taught by Terry Gardiner.

CAMP TEE SHIRTS Create your own camp tee shirt to take home. All materials will be provided. Be sure to indicate your size on the registration form.

TOTE BAG This neat recycling project will transform empty grain bags into a useful tote bag. This no-sew project will give participants a tote bag to take home. Taught by Terry Gardiner

CANINE GOOD CITIZEN TEST and CGCA Is your dog ready to pass this test? Carol Ann LeBlanc, 4-H volunteer and CGC evaluator will direct you and your dog through a variety of test situations. A qualifying score makes you eligible for the Canine Good Citizen award.

DOG CLUB JUNIOR LEADERS Experienced youth leaders, Brooke Usowicz and Ashley Hoyt will share ideas on how to effectively contribute to the success of your club and the 4-H program.

FREESTYLE 4-H volunteer, Cathy Acampora will help you and your dog learn freestyle skills. Using positive training (bring lots of soft tiny treats treats), practice spins, weaves, and healing to music.

GROOMING ABC's Professional groomer and a 4-H volunteer, Andrea Bibler will teach you how to keep your dog looking good from head to tail.

SHOWMANSHIP 4-H alumni, Kaylee Anagnos and Shelby Morawic will help you and your dog prepare for a

successful show season.

BUCKET SEATS Recycle a five-gallon bucket into a handy storage seat.

TEST YOUR K9 IQ Quiz bowl and other games are a fun way to learn. Cindy McQueston and Rita LaPointe will update your dog knowledge and use the buzzer boards.

TRICKS 4-H volunteer, Cathy Acampora will help you and your dog learn tricks for AKC and fun tricks that will wow your friends. Carol Donnelly- AKC tricks evaluator will be on hand to test your tricks for your titles.

TREE OF LIFE 4-H volunteer Christine Hoyt will show you how to make this cool craft

ABC'S OF BEHAVIOR Taught by dog behaviorist Katrin Hawkins CBCC-KA, CDCB. Learn how behavior science can improve your dog training skills. Learn to observe your dog and think about behavior from his perspective. Bring your dog, tasty treats and 1-2 toys your dog loves.

READY...SET...RECALL! Whether you are struggling with the competition recall exercise, or an informal come in the yard or house, join Katrin Hawkins for a session of fun recall games! Bring: your dog, 2 toys your dog likes, lots of yummy treats your dog likes, a 15-20' leash (not a flexi or retractable leash), and a dog bowl.

READING DOG 101: Practice your skills at reading dog body language. Learn to observe and recognize behaviors and postures your dog uses to communicate. Taught by Katrin Hawkins

TARGETS FOR OBEDIENCE, AGILITY & SHOWMANSHIP: You'll learn what targeting is, why it's useful, and learn how to use a place target to teach stays, fronts and distance work, and a body target to teach a head up flashy heel position. Bring: Your dog, lots of yummy treats your dog likes, and a small mat or blanket just large enough for your dog to sit on.

4-H CLIPBOARDS CRAFT make a special clipboard to use for knowledge tests, take 4-H notes on or store your dog info. Taught by Christine Hoyt

RALLY 101 Satucket River dog club will show you how to play at Rally. Learn this fun game that is a little obedience and a little like freestyle or agility.

TEAM GAMES Join Carol Donnelly as you work on obedience and socialization skills while playing games such as musical chairs, red rover, Simon says, relay races, recall races, and much more!

CAN YOUR DOG DO THIS? Jenn Carlson and Sandy Armstrong will introduce you to some fun training games to do with your dog to make training fun!

METAL PUNCH. Kendra Garcia will show you how to make a cool craft using metal punching.

DOG PHOTOGRAPHY

A dog photography display will be open to all dog project members. Photos may be black & white or color. All photos must have been taken by the exhibitor within the last twelve months. Photos should be 5" x 7" and displayed in a page protector or zip lock bag. Photography entries are limited to two per exhibitor. Photos should be turned in on Friday at check-in or at the orientation. Photos must follow the 2018 Eastern States theme "Follow Your Instincts". Photos will be judged and will receive a ribbon award.

DOG ART

Entries must have been created by the exhibitor within the last 12 months. Exhibitors name and age as of 1/1/2017 must be on the back of the item. Entries may be a drawing or painting and done in any material (pencil, crayons, markers, watercolor, acrylic paints, etc.). All entries must be mounted or framed and not exceed 14" X 22". Artwork will be judged and will receive ribbon awards.

DOG POSTER

This display is open to all 4-H dog project members. Posters must be educational and related to some aspect of the dog industry such as health, training, or care. Posters must be turned in at check-in or orientation. Posters will be judged and receive a ribbon award.

Poster requirements:

1. Must be 14" X 22" (may be vertical or horizontal)
2. Must be made by the exhibitor within the last twelve months
3. May not include copyrighted characters
4. Must include a 4-H clover
5. Must have the exhibitors name and age (as of 1/1/2017) on the back
6. One entry per exhibitor.

REGISTRATIONS

All registrations must be submitted to your dog club leader **by April 9th**. Each registration must include:

1. Registration form with all required signatures
2. A copy of your dog's rabies certificate
3. Completed copy of your 4-H health form
4. Registration fee (checks payable to "Mass 4-H Dog Program")

ALL CAMP REGISTRATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY THE CLUB LEADER AS A PACKET. LEADERS MUST MAIL CLUB PACKETS BY APRIL 16th.

THERE WILL BE A LATE REGISTRATION FEE OF AN ADDITIONAL \$10 IF A REGISTRATION IS POSTMARKED AFTER APRIL 16, 2018

REGISTRATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IF RECEIVED AFTER APRIL 27TH

Mail Club packets to: Molly Vollmer
44 Obery St.
Plymouth, MA 02360

Camp questions only:
Phone: (774-404-7020)
Email: mvollmer@umext.umass.edu

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ADULT REGISTRATION

Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Town _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Telephone _____ Cell Number _____

Email _____

ALL Adults must have passed the 4-H volunteer application process including having cleared their CORI check.

List the 4-H office where your volunteer packet is on file: _____

All adults will be assigned to help at workshops or with other camp roles. If you have a preference for your assignments, please list them below.

Do you have any special dietary requirements? If yes, please list _____

Will you be bringing a dog? If yes, list breed _____

Are you leading a workshop? Yes _____ No _____

Name of workshop(s) you are leading. _____

All adults must submit the following as part of a club packet:

- ✓ Completed adult registration form
- ✓ Completed 4-H health form
- ✓ Copy of dogs rabies vaccination certificate (If bringing a dog)
- ✓ Registration fee (checks payable to: Mass 4-H Dog Program) \$80
- ✓ Workshop presenter fee \$50
- ✓ Adult Chaperone fee \$70
- ✓ Day Camper fee \$20
- ✓ Adult accompanying day camper \$20



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4-H Member Registration

Name _____ Birthdate ____/____/____

Mailing Address _____

Town _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email _____

Do you have any special dietary requirements? If yes, please list _____

Name of 4-H Dog Club(s) _____ Years in 4-H Dog Project _____

Call name of dog _____ Breed _____ Age _____

Check one of the following:

_____ Camper 8 - 18 years of age (Friday - Sunday) ----- Fee \$80.00

_____ Adult Chaperone (Friday-Sunday) -----Fee \$70.00

_____ Committee members and adults conducting workshops staying overFee\$50.00

_____ Day or Cloverbud Camper (under 8 years of age) Saturday only -----Fee \$20.00

_____ Name of adult accompanying Cloverbud ----- Fee \$20.00

Note- guest teachers will not be charged if just coming to teach a class.

Indicate your top 6 workshop choices(use #1 to indicate first choice, #2 to indicate second,etc- 6.)

If a workshop offered in more than one level be sure to sign up for the level you and your dog are

Period 1 class	#	Period 2	#	Period 3 class	#	Period 4 class	#
CGC		CGC		CGC		Grooming ABCs	
Tricks		Freestyle		Intermediate Agility		Advanced Agility	
4-H Clipboards		Camp Cups		Rally 101		Team Games	
Ask a Vet		Chiropractic for dogs		Targeting		Ready Set Recall	
Reading Your Dog		Abcs of Behavior		Metal Punch		Test your K9 IQ	
Beginner Showmanship		Tree of Life		Beginner Obedience		Bandaging 101	
Agility Jumps		Agility Jumps		Bucket Seats		Dog Club Junior Leader	
Camp t Shirts		Be Safe Be Prepared		Can your Dog Do This		Adv. Obedience	
Beginner Agility		Camp Tee Shirts		Tote Bags		Bucket Seats	
Agility Tag leads		Beginner Agility		Adv. Showmanship			

Check all that apply:

Will you be bringing a poster? _____ Yes _____ No

Will you be entering a photo? _____ Yes _____ No

Will you be entering artwork? _____ Yes _____ No

I have read the rules of this 4-H activity and agree to abide with them. I will participate in all scheduled activities. I realize that I am responsible for the care of my dog and my dog will be on leash or crated at all times.

4-H Member's signature _____

I certify that the above youth is an enrolled 4-H dog project member and is recommended to participate at this camp. This member is able to properly control his/her dog in new and highly distracting situations.

Leader's Signature _____

I have read the rules and give permission for the above named youth to participate at the MA Dog Camp on May 11-13, 2018. In case of a medical emergency, I hereby give my consent for necessary medical treatment as prescribed by an attending physician. I realize if it becomes necessary for him/her to be dismissed from camp for improper behavior, that I am responsible for his/her transportation home.

Signature of parent/guardian _____

Home phone _____ **Cell phone** _____

**All camper registrations along with the following
must be submitted to the club leader PRIOR TO April 9
Leaders must mail all club entries by the April 16 due date.
There will be a LATE REGISTRATION FEE of \$10 if registration is postmarked
after April 16
Contact your local advisory council before April 1st if you need financial
Assistance.**

INCLUDE:

- ✓ Completed Registration Form
- ✓ Member health form
- ✓ Copy of your dog's rabies vaccination certificate.
- ✓ Registration fee - Check payable to "Mass. 4-H Dog Program."

Remember to bring an old pair of jeans or t-shirt for the tug toys community service and an item for the camp raffle

**Leaders must mail club packets by April 16 to:
Molly Vollmer, 44 Obery St, Plymouth, MA 02360**