



# **BASIC CANINE COMMUNICATION & BODY LANGUAGE**

## **WORKSHOP FOR DOG OWNERS**

Sunday, February 12<sup>th</sup> from 2-4pm

The Dog Ranch Inc  
6361 Fourth Line Road  
North Gower, Ontario  
K0A 2T0

OVPDC Members : \$5

Non Members :\$20

INSTRUCTOR: Jessica O'Neill, Animal Behaviour Consultant  
Forever Friends Dog Training School  
[www.foreverfriendsdogtraining.net](http://www.foreverfriendsdogtraining.net)

### **Introductions**

- CANINE / HUMAN ROLES

### **Reward vs, Punishment**

- What are rewards?
- Competing Motivations
- Traditional Training methods vs. Positive Reinforcement

### **Reactive /Hyperactive/ Stress**

- Aggression or arousal?
- Triggers
- Effects - Physical, Mental & Emotional
- Setting an example- leading the way to calm

### **Canine Communication**

- Mind, Body, Soul (Think it, Do it, Feel it)
- Claiming space
- Confrontation
- Neutral Body postures

For more information about the instructor, Jessica O'Neill, please visit her web site,  
[www.petbehaviour.net](http://www.petbehaviour.net).

**PLEASE RSVP BY FEBRUARY 3<sup>RD</sup>, 2012 to Gail at [bravepoint@live.com](mailto:bravepoint@live.com).**

**DO NOT BRING YOUR DOGS!**