Pawlished Packages: Residency Programs

Residency Programs are also referred to as "Board and Trains", "Study Abroad", or "Boot Camp" for your dog. It is a stay within a training facility where your dog is completely immersed into training, living side by side with other trainees. The biggest "pros" to Residency Programs are that dogs are trained by professionals, trainers have constant access to the dogs to use them in lessons and applicable training moments, training is short and sweet, and owners still get one-on-one time to learn the ins and outs of handling their dogs. Residency Programs set dogs up for success, because of the training style. Dogs learn best when they have multiple, short, well-timed sessions a day instead of one, long training session. These short sessions give them the ability to work on a very specific concept, decompress to understand and retain that concept, and then move forward to the next. Pawlished boasts some of the shortest packages in the tri-state, with stays as short as 3 days. Check out our programs below!

Level 1: Walking Dog, Leash Skills

Costs: \$500.00 Days in Training: 3

Go Home Lessons Included at Pawlished: 1 Follow Up Lessons Included at Pawlished: 1

Follow Up Lessons Included at Place of Your Choice: 1

Commands Included: Kennel, No, Okay, Leash Manners (NO: Pulling, Jumping, Criss-Crossing,

Barking, Lunging, or Growling), Heel, Auto-Sit, & Sit Items Included: Training Collars, Leash, and NylaBone

Level 2: Nice Dog, On-Leash, Basic Obedience

Costs: \$900.00 Days in Training: 4

Go Home Lessons Included at Pawlished: 1 Follow Up Lessons Included at Pawlished: 2

Follow Up Lessons Included at Place of Your Choice: 1

Group Class Included: 1

Commands Included: No, Okay, Leash Manners (NO: Pulling, Jumping, Criss-Crossing, Barking, Lunging, or Growling), Heel, Auto-Sit, Sit at the Side, Down at the Side, Sit & Heel from Down, Come

Items Included: Training Collars, Leash, and NylaBone

Level 3: Balanced Dog, On-Leash, Advanced Obedience

Costs: \$1,800.00 Days in Training: 8

Go Home Lessons Included at Pawlished: 2 Follow Up Lessons Included at Pawlished: 2

Follow Up Lessons Included at Place of Your Choice: 2

Group Classes Included: 2

Commands Included: No, Okay, Leash Manners (NO: Pulling, Jumping, Criss-Crossing, Barking, Lunging, or Growling), Heel, Auto-Sit, Sit at the Side, Down at the Side, Sit & Heel from Down,

Come, Sit & Down from Front, Sit & Down in Motion, Drop It, and Stand

Items Included: Training Collars, Leash, and NylaBone

Level 4: Pawlished Dog, Advanced Off-Leash Obedience

Costs: \$3,000.00 Days in Training: 16

Go Home Lessons Included at Pawlished: 4 Follow Up Lessons Included at Pawlished: 2

Follow Up Lessons Included at Place of Your Choice: 3

Group Classes Included: 3

Commands Included: No, Okay, Leash Manners (NO: Pulling, Jumping, Criss-Crossing, Barking, Lunging, or Growling), Heel, Auto-Sit, Sit at the Side, Down at the Side, Sit & Heel from Down,

Come, Sit & Down from Front, Sit & Down in Motion, Drop It, Stand, and Place Items Included: Training Collars, Electric Collar, Leash, NylaBone, and Placemat

Level 5: Freed Dog, On-Leash, Basic Obedience & Behavior Modification for Reactivity

Costs: \$1,300.00 Days in Training: 6

Go Home Lessons Included at Pawlished: 1 Follow Up Lessons Included at Pawlished: 2

Follow Up Lessons Included at Place of Your Choice: 1

Group Class Included: 2

Commands Included: No, Okay, Leash Manners (NO: Pulling, Jumping, Criss-Crossing, Barking, Lunging, or Growling), Heel, Auto-Sit, Sit at the Side, Down at the Side, Sit & Heel from Down, Come

Items Included: Training Collars, Leash, and NylaBone

What is Behavior Modification: Behavior modification means that your dog is currently displaying a behavior that we find inappropriate. This behavior is usually an instinct/reflex/learned behavior. In order for your dog to choose a different behavior, we need to "re-wire" their

response to something new. For example, your dog's reaction to a passing dog on leash may be to pull, lunge, snarl, growl, snap, bark, etc. Instead, we would like for your dog to pass by politely while holding a heel, seemingly disinterested in the other dog. We are modifying their current reaction to a more appropriate reaction. The foundation to all behavior modification training is solid obedience. That's why it is the first thing we teach your dog. If they cannot hold a sit command in an empty room, how could we expect them to do it when their trigger is nearby? During your dog's stay, we will spend countless hours drilling commands until they are fool proof. Then we will apply those commands to situations that normally would have "triggered" your dog into a reaction.

Residency Program Information and FAQs

Drop off for Residency Programs are scheduled between 7am and 9am on Tuesdays.

Be sure your dog has eaten breakfast and had the chance to relieve themselves before entering Pawlished for drop off.

Pick up appointments (also referred to as Go Home Appointments) are scheduled for Thursday or Friday (depending on selected programs) from 10am-7pm.

All appointment times are first come, first serve.

Dogs must be dropped off with updated vaccination records and pre-portioned meals.

Dogs can also have bones, toys, and blankets packed for their stay. Bedding will be removed from kennels if the dog rips or shreds their given items.

Owners receive updates throughout the day about their dog's progress via Bonjoro App and/or text message.

All dogs receive a minimum of 6 bathroom breaks and 6 training sessions per day.

Length of training sessions depends on the dogs ability to learn, focus, and retain. Each session's length will vary based on the dog.

Dogs also receive a minimum of 2 longer walks (up to 3 miles) daily. Walks can be done in a group walk (with other residency training dogs and/or clients visiting for private lessons or follow up lessons), please specify if you would like your dog's walk done independently.

Booking Obligations

All agreements must be signed, and vaccines must be approved before drop off. Upon booking, you will be emailed an invoice for a 50% non-refundable deposit, securing your dog's spot.

The remaining balance is due by pick up.