



Hello and thank you for booking with Fundog Gundog! I'm looking forward to seeing you all soon, and wanted to let you know some details of the class.

Directions and Parking - Horton

We are training at a private location, just off the B3078. The entrance is just past the Horton Inn on the right hand side coming from Wimborne, or just before the Horton Inn on the left hand side if you are coming from Cranborne- postcode BH21 7HW, house number 2.



Please drive in the tarmacked driveway, there is parking in front of the house. Please do not go in the driveway with the wooden gate as they have 7 dogs you will disturb!



Google maps ref: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/1KRj3wpdcwtxHYhE8>

What3Words ref: [///salsa.shears.meanwhile](https://www.what3words.com/salsa.shears.meanwhile)

If you have any problems finding the location, please call me on 01258 840012.

Please keep your dog on a lead unless directed otherwise by me.



Training

Training techniques follow a force-free, reward-based ethic. Please remember that when we teach something the rate of rewarding (ie food) is high- you will need WAY more food than you think! You may wish to adjust your dog's breakfast, or bring some with you (bearing in mind kibble is not very exciting in the big wide world, so mix it with some high-value stuff!) On that note...

Treats- the tastier, the better. Think about a range- dog pate, chicken, cheese, hot dogs. Cut up into small bite sizes, and some larger sizes that can be seen on grass (larger pieces of chicken and cheese work well). **Think about 5x the normal amount you'd use.** And then add a bit more in, just in case! This is not the time to be stingy!

Items to bring

Here's a list of items to bring along (don't worry if you don't have some items!)

Harness if you have one- if not, then please bring a flat collar and lead (no slip leads please).

A longline lead- up to 10 metres (again, if you have one)

A clicker

Treats, treats and more treats! Better to take some home than run out mid-session...

A couple of toys your dog enjoys- tug toy, ball etc

A good sense of humour and desire to have fun with your dog!