



**YANKEE GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB
PUPPY KINDERGARTEN WILL:**

- Give advice on correct socialization and training techniques.
- Offer help with puppy behavioral problems.
- Let you know about spaying, neutering, breeding, showing, etc.
- Describe grooming, health care, safety, tattooing, etc.
- Explain how to communicate effectively with your puppy.
- Notify you about the Golden Retriever breed in general, the Golden Retriever Clubs, events, etc.
- Show you how to teach your pup to be a retriever.

ALL THIS AND MORE!

This is a unique opportunity for you and your puppy to meet, train, and interact with other Golden Retriever puppies and their owners, under supervision of experienced and knowledgeable Yankee Golden Retriever Club members. All breeds and mixed breeds are welcome, with preference given to Golden Retrievers.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The first class is a lecture/demonstration. *Do not bring your puppy.* Notebook and pen will be helpful.

You need a buckle collar—3/8"-5/8" wide—leather or nylon webbing. The leash must be 6' in length—3/8" to 5/8" wide—with *small snap*—either leather or nylon/cotton webbing. Please do not use a retractable leash or choke collar.

Dogs must be exercised in the grassy area across the driveway from the training center. You must clean up after your puppy, both inside and outside. Supplies are provided.

The floor is covered with rubber matting to prevent slipping, but low heeled shoes are a necessity. Because you will be working with a small puppy, you will find yourself on or close to the floor a good part of the time. Washable, casual clothing is recommended.

We encourage **all** family members to attend. Your family and puppy will benefit if all receive the same information and training instructions. Children who *want* to come are welcome, and are often the best trainers, but please don't *make* children come.

If your puppy is not feeling up to par on class night, please leave him or her at home, but you should attend to keep up with class material.

If the weather is bad, training classes will not be held. If you are unsure, call 774-249-1956 on class day for information. A make up class will be scheduled.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS

From Route 495, take the Rt 111 exit 28 to Boxboro/Harvard. Coming from the south, at the end of the ramp go straight across Rt 111 at the traffic light directly into the driveway for 1526 Mass Ave. Coming from the north, turn right at the end of the ramp, cross over 495, and turn right at the traffic signal into the driveway for 1526 Mass Ave.

From Rt 2 west, after the Concord rotary, take the left exit onto Rt 111, follow across Rt 27 and continue to the traffic light at Rt 111 and 495. Turn left at the light into the driveway for 1526 Mass Ave.

Please park in the area in front of the house or along the side of the driveway, not in front of the barn/training center, which is reserved for the homeowners' use.

ALL PUPPIES MUST BE UP TO DATE ON IMMUNIZATIONS—INCLUDING KENNEL COUGH. A VETERINARIAN'S STATEMENT VERIFYING INOCULATIONS MUST BE BROUGHT TO THE FIRST CLASS. IMMUNIZATION PROGRAM NEED NOT BE COMPLETED.

**YGRC PUPPY KINDERGARTEN
ENROLLMENT APPLICATION**

CLASS BEGINS _____
Owner's name _____
Address _____
Telephone _____ E-mail _____
Puppy's Registered Name _____ ZIP _____
Puppy's Call Name _____
Puppy's Date of Birth _____ Puppy's Sex _____
Puppy's Sire _____
Puppy's Dam _____
Name of Puppy's Breeder _____
Person Referring You to Puppy Kindergarten _____
Training Experience _____

PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED
Make checks payable to: Yankee Golden Retriever Club—\$130.00

Send applications to:
Christie Marchesseault
Puppy Kindergarten
524 Brigham Street
Marlborough, MA 01752

I understand that my participation in these classes is at my own risk, and I will not hold Yankee Golden Retriever Club or the Canine Learning Center or the Parsons family or the training staff responsible for any injury to myself, my family, or my dog.

Signature _____
Date _____

Club Use Only

PAID _____ CONFIRMATION _____ VET. CERT. _____

Pre-registration required. Payment must accompany application. Confirmation of your registration acceptance and driving directions will be mailed. Course fee is \$130.00. A \$25.00 fee will be charged for any returned checks.



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Puppy Kindergarten
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**PUPPY KINDERGARTEN
EDUCATION/TRAINING CLASSES FOR
GOLDEN RETRIEVER PUPPIES AND OWNERS**

Other breeds and mixed breeds welcome as space is available. Email for more information.

THURSDAY EVENINGS 7:00 PM
First week without puppies

SIX WEEK COURSE COURSE FEE: \$130.00
(A \$25.00 fee will be charged for returned checks.)

ENROLLMENT REQUIREMENTS
Puppies—8 weeks to 5 months
Preference given to Golden Retrievers

All puppies must be on an immunization program and have had kennel cough vaccine.

LOCATION
Canine Learning Center
1526 Massachusetts Ave. (Rt. 111)
Boxborough, MA

NEXT SESSION BEGINS

INFORMATION AND APPLICATIONS

Puppy Kindergarten
(Doreene Marchesseault) 508-485-4919
774-249-1956
(Christie Marchesseault) 860-634-7443
suncrestgoldens@yahoo.com

The brain of a puppy is fully developed at seven weeks of age. They are capable of learning, but must be handled carefully and instructed properly. Puppy Kindergarten is the answer to teaching your puppy correctly from the beginning.

Classes are designed for the very young puppy, and will help you to successfully socialize, raise, and train your new Golden Retriever puppy.

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