



## For The Love of Dog; Can we please stop poisoning them?

I always wanted to be a dog trainer, as a young girl I was the pied piper of the neighborhood with all of the dogs following me everywhere. Why? I stole meat from my fridge and fed it to the dogs. I got in a lot of trouble, but it seemed worth it to have all of that adoration on a daily basis.

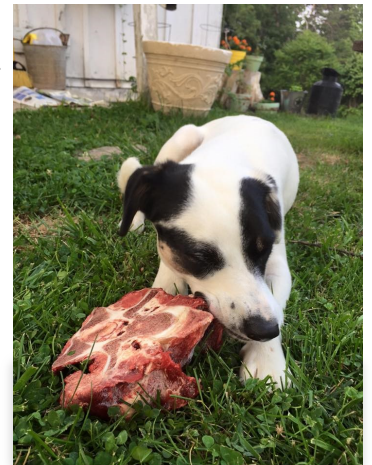
I no longer have to steal meat but as my instinct as a small child told me; dogs need real meat! When did we become a nation that believes a dog should eat only dead food? What?! No scraps, no meat, nary a crumb of real live food!

This has been my experience as a dog trainer. I love to train dogs, but training can only take place if the dog is both emotionally and physically healthy. We are feeding our dogs dead food in the form of processed kibble and most canned foods. If we stop to think a little about it, how horrible it must be to eat the same tasteless meal twice a day our entire lives. We would never subject ourselves to that. In fact, most of us take great pleasure in eating yet we feel it is okay to deny our dogs the same pleasure. I have seen some people get quite irate if their dog begs for their delicious food. Have you ever started to salivate at the smell of fresh baked bread? I bet you walked right into that bakery and bought some for yourself. But nope . . . . . Not for the dog.

I could go on and on and I actually have a new series that I am teaching with my good friend Annmarie Johnne. I have become very passionate on the subject and know in my heart that we can forever alter our dogs health and behavior, for better or worse depending on the choices we make for them.

I truly believe that we all want the best for our dogs. We love them. I also believe that we have been misled on many levels regarding how and what to provide for their health and well-being. The answers are out there. I have done the work for you and look forward to sharing my knowledge far and wide.

Look for our new series *Love for Dogs and All That That Entails* on our class schedule at <http://www.allthingspawssible.com/class-schedule/>



“One cannot think well,  
love well, sleep well, if one  
has not dined well.”  
- Virginia Wolfe





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We have changed the following statement in our Liability Waiver from "I also agree to provide proof of immunizations of this dog stating that it has been immunized against distemper, hepatitis, leptospirosis, canine parvovirus, and rabies." to "All Things Pawssible does not require yearly vaccinations and we will accept naturally reared puppies. We do not require the Bordatella vaccine and ask should you choose to give this vaccine that you keep your dog out of our facility for two weeks to avoid shedding the virus on/near other dogs. We do ask that you agree to provide proof of immunizations or exemption/titer of this dog stating that he/she has been immunized against rabies.

### New Drop-In Classes in October

**Talk Flirty To Me:** This one hour fun session will show you the miracle of your voice when used to motivate your dog. We will practice fun games and leash work that you will be able to use anytime your dog needs to focus on you.

**Sniff It:** Sniff it teaches your dog some great scenting games that can be used anytime to redirect unwanted behavior, or simply provide mental stimulation on a rainy day. We will teach them to pick up the scent of their favorite treat and then go on a mighty hunt to find it!



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