



Covid-19 Update as of August 13/20 – RE-OPENING OF CASSANDRA'S CANINES INC.

Thank you all for your continued support, positive energy and patience! I have been very proud of the online learning and successes that have been achieved with my students. Online learning will remain to be an important tool in how we navigate moving forward, but I think it's time...

I am excited to announce the following re-opening phases for live classes! We will take this one step at a time with safety and comfort level for all being the priority. Please read the new safety and class protocols carefully. They will be strictly adhered to. There may also be adjustments to these as I feel necessary as we move forward.

Let's start to have some fun with our dogs in our 'new normal'.

Phase 1 EFFECTIVE JUNE 5/20

Private lessons for behavior, obedience coaching, RallyFrEe, Musical Freestyle, fitness/conditioning.

– Indoor or Outdoor at Cassandra's discretion.

Bronze/Silver/Gold classes – Limited to 2-4 students.

– Indoor or Outdoor at Cassandra's discretion.

Phase 2 EFFECTIVE JUNE 19/20

Addition of private Agility lessons and small Musical Freestyle and Fitness classes. (2-4 students). Each fitness student will have their own circuit and equipment for the class. *Please see safety protocols below for agility.

Phase 3 TBA EFFECIVE July 6/20

Addition of small semi-private Agility classes (2 students).

Phase 4 Effective August 13/20

Private and all regular classes running with 2-4 people.

*Each phase will be released based on the success of the previous phase, government recommendations and fluctuating Covid circumstances. Anyone who has symptoms of any kind will be asked to stay home and encouraged to get tested. Anyone who thinks they may have come in contact with Covid or has a household member who has come in to contact with Covid is asked to stay home and self-quarantine for 2 weeks.

*As per regular policy, there will be no refunds for classes. Missed classes due to Covid may be made-up in future classes OR training may be completed online.

Safety, cleaning protocols and class procedures.

- Masks are mandatory for all students and instructors, for both indoor and outside exercises.
- Safe social distancing (minimum of 6 ft) measures will be in place at all times on the property.
- Good air flow will be obtained in the training buildings with open doors and windows (doors will be gated for safety), plus the use of overhead and floor fans.
- A sanitizing station will be placed outside each training building and students are required to mask up and sanitize their hands before entry. Additional sanitizing stations will be placed inside the building and students are required to sanitize their hands before exiting the class.
- Separate entry and exit doors will be in effect for group classes.
- Classes and lessons will be spaced apart to allow for cleaning and disinfecting of surfaces and equipment.
- Students are to bring their own supplies (crates, treats, kongs, water, bowl, leashes, training collars, clickers,). There will be no borrowing of items for use in class, this includes the use of Cassandra's crates. Students may bring their own 'place' safety lines for attachment to the wall. All Cassandra's safety lines are cleaned and sprayed with disinfectant between classes. Cassandra and all instructors will use their own leash if they need to handle your dog for any reason.
- Street shoes must be removed and clean indoor shoes used for the indoor training areas.
- Agility equipment: Cassandra will re-set all bars and position all necessary equipment.
- Students in fitness classes will use equipment assigned to them in their own fitness circuit.
- Students are asked to arrive 10 minutes early in order to allow for extra time following the social distancing measures. Students will enter one at a time.

PAYMENT for all lessons and equipment will be via PayPal on website or etransfer. NO cash or cheques at any time. Equipment must be purchased before your training date. No purchases during class time.

No family members or spectators at this time.

THANK YOU

