



Pet Training Resources

*All of us at Gunnison Valley Animal Welfare League (GVAWL) wish you the best experience for you and your new pet. To help you find a trainer that meets you and your pets' needs, we are providing the following list of trainers. This list is not recommendations of one trainer over the other or a guarantee of success, however, it is strictly provided as a list of resources for you.

In the Gunnison area:

Benedicte Henrotte, ABCDT Honor Graduate, Paw-Z-Tivly Trained

(970) 707-8123 (home), (603) 359-0978 (cell), Benedicte.E.Henrotte@gmail.com

In-home, private training only, \$65/hr., including follow-up emails for each session and educational material. Travel fees may apply. Available also through Face Time, text, or call.

Benedicte has over 16 years of experience working with all breeds and emphasizes "listen" to the dog first by watching body language, so that training can be tailored to the dog's triggers. Mild and moderate reactivity/aggression and resource guarding modification. Certified Force/Pain Free Positive Reinforcement Trainer. Certified Bite Prevention Educator. Focusing on canine body communication to tailor training to each dog's needs. Using games and nose-work to relieve stress. Training should Always be Fun for You and your Dog!

Leslie Moore CDT, Moore Good Dogs

(970) 275-0454, mooregooddogs21@gmail.com

Puppy classes, private lessons, and group classes. Evaluation \$125, Private lessons \$75 each in Gunnison and \$85 in Crested Butte.

Leslie teaches Positive Reinforcement and Reward based group classes and private lessons. She is also a pet sitter. Dog training classes are offered for Basic Manners, Tricks and Clicks, and Confidence Building for Timid Dogs. Contact Leslie about classes offered. **Discounts are available for GVAWL adopters.**

Jenni Pfafman CBATI-KSA, CCUI, CSAT, CPDT-KA, KPA-CTP, Elevated Dog Training

(775) 240-3602, jenni@elevateddogtraining.com, www.elevateddogtraing.com

Behavior Consults are \$150 for a 75-minute consultation.

Separation Anxiety Assessments \$175 for a 90-minute consultation/assessment

Private sessions are \$100 per session or \$360 for a package of four (currently all conducted virtually with some rare exceptions) **GVAWL fosters/adopters receive 10% off these services.**

Online, on-demand courses. **GVAWL fosters/adopters receive 50% off the online/on-demand courses.**

Jenni has specialized training in working with aggression cases. She does not use coercion or punishment in training. Jenni is also one of the founders of a non-profit organization, HART (Humane Alliance of Rescue Trainers) www.rescuetrainers.org. HART connects animal rescues to credentialed, professional trainers that use humane, positive reinforcement-based training methods.

Outside of Gunnison:

Doug and Elizabeth Simpson, Tenderfoot Training LLC

(720) 442-0707, <https://tenderfoottraining.com>

\$80 Video Training Course. Discount available if you adopt from GVAWL. Contact them for the discount code.

They also offer - Remote training, in person training, and phone consultation.

Tenderfoot Training is a relationship training method based on love, trust, and respect. They don't use food or harsh devices in their training. They believe in making a connection through body language, touch, tones, energy, and intention, where other methods only work if you have food or your device handy. Learning to read a dog, and respond in an appropriate manner, in a timely moment, facilitates great communication and connection. We have three simple drills that can change everything in a very short time.

Free Online Resources

fearfreehappyhomes.com

Great resource for training videos.

<https://www.bebitesmart.org/>

Good resources and videos for children on how to read a dog's body language.

<https://boulderhumane.org/how-to-choose-an-animal-trainer/>

Information sheet on how to choose an animal trainer.

<https://boulderhumane.org/one-on-one-consultations/>

One on one training consultation with Boulder Humane Society. This can be done virtually.

