HOMEWORK



WEEK 5

Exercise	When/where/how to practice	Done?
Recall - around other dogs	 Recall on lead / training line when they can see other dogs in the distance Can you set up walks with a friend or buddy up with another class attendee to practice walking with another dog and practice recalls away from each other (really important for pups through adolescence to have contact with other young dogs or older friendly dogs) Attend social walks 	
Loose lead walking - always start by bringing your dog into position using lured circle	 On lead on a walk for a few meters increasing the distance slowly Increasing number of steps between rewards Adding in changes of direction such as moving together between obstacles 	
Hand touch - travelling to touch your hand	 On lead on a walk When needing to move them away from something Putting head through harness Through gates, doors, when they have got out of the car Onto the scales at the vets <u>Tag game</u> 	
<u>Positions</u> – stand	 Sit to stand position Reward longer stationary stand Introduce handling equipment from homework 3 – while in stand position 	
Wait – adding distance, don't forget 'ok go' release cue	 Wait, lean away with your body weight shifting back- return to your dog and reward Wait, move one foot behind you so not actually moving away from your dog - return and reward Wait, take one step back, then step back towards your dog again - reward Wait, take 2 steps away and then step back to your dog - reward Finish all waits with 'ok go' release cue - roll treat away. Try to get several rewards to your dog before releasing them Put really easy 'waits' in amongst the more tricky ones 	

