



**The Nashville Dog Training Club presents
"Balance Point"
An Obedience Seminar with
Linda Koutsky
December 4 and 5, 2010
at the NDTC Building**

Location: Nashville Dog Training Club building, 413 Allied Drive, Nashville, TN
(Directions and hotel information will be sent with your confirmation.)

Cost: \$175 Working Slots (limited to 24 slots)
\$ 90 Audit Slots (no limit)
\$ 50 Audit Slots for one day

Fee includes lunch both days, snacks and drinks. Juice, coffee and pastries will be available in the mornings.

Contact Bruce Oppenheimer for more information at vp@nashvilledog.org or (615)322-6232, or go to www.nashvilledog.org to learn more about the Nashville Dog Training Club.

This **working seminar** will include the following topics:

- Using a balanced approach to close the gap between training and performance – how to improve ring carryover
- Games to develop drive, speed and attitude
- The proper use of food: how to use it and not abuse it
- Rewarding "effort" vs. rewarding "behavior" – a new twist on reinforcement training
- Creative Compulsion: a game based method used to build attitude and WANT to work while correcting any error that may occur
- Hands On! How to physically help your dog to be right
- Body Awareness: teaching the dog how to use its body for accurate fronts, finishes, heelwork
- Attention: from puppy work to finished competitive product
- Speed: how to get it and keep it
- The truth about stays: putting responsibility on the dog instead of pressure
- Flashsessions: highly productive motivational sessions that anyone can do
- Problem solving in Novice, Open and Utility



Linda is the author of the popular "Front and Finish" column Balance Point. She has won over 50 High In Trial and High Combined awards. She has earned multiple AKC 200 scores. Linda has over 15 years experience teaching competition obedience to students with dogs from all the AKC groups. Her students have earned HITs, HCs, and have been nationally ranked in their respective breed standings.

Seminar Hours: Saturday, 9 a.m. until 5 p.m.; Sunday, 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Registration: Linda Koutsky Seminar	
Your name:	Amount enclosed \$
Address:	
Phone:	Email:
Working slot <input type="checkbox"/> Audit slot <input type="checkbox"/> NDTC Teacher/Assistant	
If auditing one day, which day?	
Special requests for seminar or special accommodations needed:	
Make checks payable to NDTC and mail to Bruce Oppenheimer, 3616 Chalmette Court, Nashville, TN 37215.	

*Contact Bruce for information on discounted fees for NDTC teachers and assistants.