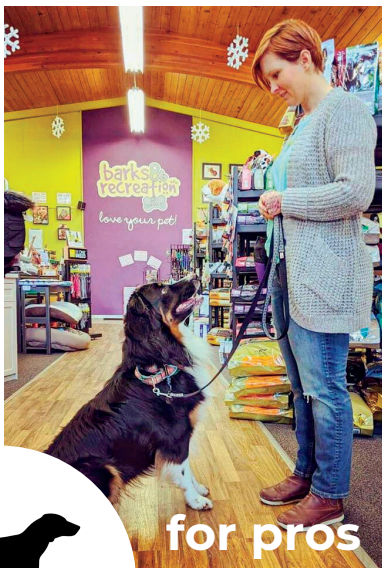


# Family Dog Mediation<sup>®</sup> EDUCATION CENTER

→ *beyond dog training*



for families



for pros



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Family Dog Mediation<sup>®</sup>

bringing dogs & people together again

"If you want a dog to listen to you, learn to become someone worth listening to". *Kim Brophy*



## BRINGING US ALL *back to life...*

**Family Dog Mediation**<sup>®</sup> is the *evolution of dog training*. It's a cutting edge model of canine behavior that recognizes the inseparable relationship between animals & humans, & addresses the profound roles that we play in our dog's behavior as we face certain challenges living in inter-species families in the 21st century. What's been missing in the dog conversation is what lies at the heart of most of our canine conflict- **misunderstanding**. We haven't found the answers we're seeking, because we've been asking the wrong kinds of questions - such as HOW to train our dogs to be "good".

### "WHY?" BEFORE "HOW?"

While the world debates HOW to train dogs to behave, FDMs ask WHY first. An understanding of **applied ethology** - how captivity & modern conditions interrupt our dogs' natural behavior and welfare - is the *game-changing* piece of the puzzle that has been missing from the pet dog world. This interdisciplinary approach to behavior as a *product* of welfare reveals the **scientific reasons & practical solutions** for the challenges we're experiencing with our dogs.

### WELFARE FIRST

Family Dog Mediators respect the **responsibility** that dog pros have to get to the heart of what a dog's "behavior problems" reflect. They understand that just because we *can* change a dog's behavior, it doesn't mean we always *should*. FDMs recognize that the burden is *first on us* to provide for our dogs' best welfare, *before we ask them* to follow our directions.



**The Family Dog Mediation**<sup>®</sup> **Education Center** provides invaluable courses & references for those families & professionals who are unwilling to compromise their ethics & integrity when it comes to the dogs in their lives. Join the thousands around the world who've already discovered the life-changing experience that awaits. CEUs available!



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*one step at a time...*



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