



## About our Internship Program

The Call Of The Wild Internship Program is designed for committed individuals who are interested in learning about dog behavior and training with positive reinforcement. Our goal is to have the program be beneficial to both you and Call of the Wild. This program is an unpaid position.

The first step in being considered for the program is to complete the application form and submit it to Call Of The Wild with your resume. Please call the office to confirm your class observation dates.

### What we expect

- Interns must be punctual and reliable.
- If you have a dog, you must be in a training program with him. (Not necessarily at COTW, but program must be compatible with our methods.)
- Must audit SuperPuppy and Basic Obedience classes and submit observation forms for each week's class.

In addition, you may request internship hours in our daycare area. After you are certified as trained by the daycare manager, you can ask to be listed as a substitute for regular daycare staff (you will be paid for these hours.)

After we have a chance to evaluate your performance, you may be asked to participate in daily training under the strict guidance of our trainers.

### What you can expect

- Our trainers will be available to hear your feedback and answer your questions.
- If you are late or don't show up, you will be dropped from the program.
- If you want to work in daycare, we will give your application first consideration.

## Recommended Reading List

You can start working on your internship program today. Jennifer recommends reading the following books.

- **Dogs**, by Raymond Coppinger
- **The Third Way Booklet**, by Chris Bach
- **Genetics and the Social Behavior of the Dog**, by Scott & Fuller
- **The Culture Clash**, by Jean Donaldson
- **Don't Shoot the Dog**, by Karen Pryor

These titles can all be found on the [www.dogwise.com](http://www.dogwise.com) website.