



## Pet Behavior Help Resources

The Humane Society of Western Montana offers a free behavior helpline. For additional resources we recommend consulting the following books, websites, and trainers.

### Books:

- **Cautious Canine, Feisty Fido, I'll Be Home Soon!, Way To Go, Leader of the Pack, and Feeling Outnumbered.**
- **Fastidious Feline, and Starting from Scratch**  
By Patricia McConnell PhD  
These can be purchased both at our shelter and on Patricia McConnell's website  
<http://www.patriciamcconnell.com/>.
- **Mine! A Practical Guide To Resource Guarding in Dogs, Dogs are From Neptune, and The Culture Clash.**  
By Jean Donaldson  
All can be purchased on [www.amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com) or [www.dogwise.com](http://www.dogwise.com)

### Websites:

- [www.clickertraining.com](http://www.clickertraining.com) has all the tools, books, and videos to learn about clicker training.
- [www.siriuspup.com](http://www.siriuspup.com) has over a dozen articles available for print on a variety of animal behavior issues.
- [www.ddfl.org](http://www.ddfl.org) has printable handouts for both cat and dog behavior issues.
- [www.humanesociety.org](http://www.humanesociety.org) offers a variety of helpful tips on behavior issues.
- [www.tufts.edu/vet/behavior](http://www.tufts.edu/vet/behavior) for information on causes and solutions for behavior issues.
- [www.dogwise.com](http://www.dogwise.com) has training books and products for sale.
- [www.premier.com](http://www.premier.com) offers humane training tools and interactive toys for sale.
- [www.certifiedanimalbehaviorist.com](http://www.certifiedanimalbehaviorist.com) for a list of certified behaviorists.

**Humane Society Of Western Montana** offers group training classes.

Mariah Scheskie, CPDT-KA (Certified Pet Dog Trainer- Knowledge Assessed)

- (406) 549-3934
- <http://www.myhswm.org/services/dogTraining.htm>
- [outreach@myhswm.org](mailto:outreach@myhswm.org)

### Trainers and classes:

- All Dogs Training offers private lessons, behavior modification, and boarding.  
Sarah Gibson, CPDT-KA
  - (406) 327-7996
  - [www.mtdogranch.com](http://www.mtdogranch.com)

- [sarah@alldogstraining.biz](mailto:sarah@alldogstraining.biz)
- GoFetch! located at **517 S. Higgins** in Missoula, MT 59801 and the hours are: *Mon-Sat 11-5 pm*
  - Sarah Spencer Hall, CPDT-KA
  - Offer a variety of training classes including agility classes
  - [www.gofetchdog.com](http://www.gofetchdog.com) or by calling (406)728-BARK
- Integrated Animal Solutions offers private lessons, and behavior modification.  
Teresa Loya, CPDT-KA
  - (406)531-4201
  - <http://www.inanimalsolutions.com>
  - [tlctrainer@gmail.com](mailto:tlctrainer@gmail.com)
- PetSmart offers group classes and private lessons.
  - (406) 549-9188
- Potential Unleashed offers obedience, tracking; puppy raising; clicker training; in home private training; pre - agility training.
  - Inge Goetz-Cordova, CPDT-KA
  - (406) 529-1574
  - [inge@goetz-cordova.com](mailto:inge@goetz-cordova.com)
- Riverbend Agility Dogs offers private lessons, and group agility classes.  
Jackie Loeser, CPDT-KA
  - <http://www.blackdog.cc>

**Additional Resources:**

- Association of Pet Dog Trainers website <http://www.apdt.com> can help you find certified dog trainers in your area.
- For helpful information from certified animal behaviorists [www.tufts.edu/vet/behavior](http://www.tufts.edu/vet/behavior)

*For questions or additional information contact the Behavior Help Line at (406)549-9295 or email [behavior@myhswm.org](mailto:behavior@myhswm.org)*