

The PWDCNC Presents
Portuguese Water Dog Grooming Workshop
Saturday, February 27, 2010
9am – 3pm

Sign up for a **working slot** with your dog and learn how to groom your dog so he/she will look like a Portuguese Water Dog. This is a hands-on workshop so you will be grooming your own dog!

Sign up for an **audit slot** and watch the other dogs being groomed. Maybe you would like to educate your groomer as to what a Portuguese Water Dog should look like. Maybe you could use some bathing, brushing or nail clipping tips. Want to learn how to prevent, or get rid of, mats before you bring your dog to the groomer to reduce what you are charged or prevent your dog from being shaved down? Perhaps you want to learn to trim your dog between groomings so you can see their eyes! Maybe you already know how to groom your dog and just need a refresher.

The Workshop will be given by Denise Gilbert, a PWDCNC member. Denise is not a professional groomer but has been grooming Portuguese Water Dogs in her spare time for the last 5 years. She was so frustrated with the poor cuts her own Portuguese Water Dog was getting she learned how to groom and subsequently began grooming other club members' dogs.

The Workshop will cover pet retriever clips only – no lion cuts, no show cuts. Working and Audit slots are available. The number of slots is limited to insure personalized attention - so please register early! Only those with working slots should bring their dog. Limit one dog per person. All working entrants should have grooming equipment (see registration form for equipment needed). If you do not have the necessary equipment, and cannot borrow it, we have some that can be used on a first-come first-served basis. All working entrants will receive a free grooming-related gift. Lunch will be served.

Location: Happiness Kennels, 5815 Mission Rd, Sunol CA 94025

Fees: \$40/person for Working slot, \$20/person for Audit slot
Add \$15/person for each additional person to cover lunch.
Juniors must be accompanied by an adult

Photo: Please submit 2 recent photos of your dog, side view and face view, to assist Denise in identifying grooming issues. Mail with registration form or email to denisegilb@att.net

PWDCNC members only. To register send check payable to PWDCNC, completed Registration Form and photos to Denise Gilbert, 5 Woodfern, Portola Valley, CA 94028

PWDCNC Portuguese Water Dog Grooming Workshop Registration Form

Name _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Working Slot ___ or Audit Slot___ Lunch Request: Vegetarian___ Non-Vegetarian___

Dog's Call Name _____ Dog's Age _____

Curly Coat _____ or Wavy Coat _____ Dog is groomed how often? _____

Do you currently groom your own dog? _____

Current Groomer _____

Price (or Range) typically paid (optional) _____

Issues you have with the way your dog is currently groomed:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

What do you hope to get out of this seminar?

Working Slots Only

Please indicate if your dog has any aggression issues or anxiety around other dogs or lots of people. _____

Does your dog have any food allergies or restrictions on what treats they can have? _____

Equipment – check all equipment that you can bring

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| <input type="checkbox"/> grooming table, arm and grooming noose | <input type="checkbox"/> straight scissors |
| <input type="checkbox"/> clippers | <input type="checkbox"/> curved scissors (not required) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> #40 blade | <input type="checkbox"/> finishing shears (helpful, but not required) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ¾" blade comb | <input type="checkbox"/> Greyhound-style comb |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1" blade comb | <input type="checkbox"/> crate for dog (helpful) |

Questions? Call or email Denise Gilbert at 650-529-0206; denisegilb@att.net

Fees (Lunch included)	Price	Total
Working Slot (one person, one dog)	\$40.00	\$ _____
Audit Slot (one person, no dogs)	\$20.00	\$ _____
Each Additional Person (juniors included)	@\$15.00	\$ _____
TOTAL (make check payable to PWDCNC)		\$ _____

WAIVER

Please read and sign the following statement to indicate your acceptance of responsibility:

I understand that I am participating in this workshop at my own risk and by signing this waiver I assume all liability. I agree that I will not hold PWDCNC or Happiness Country Kennels or any of their representatives liable for any loss, damage, or injury to my dog(s), or to my property that may occur while participating in this event.

Signature (required):

Date:

(Parent Signature Required if Junior is attending)

**Don't forget to include two photos of your dog
(side-view and face-shot)**