

STAR CANINE TRAINING PROUDLY PRESENTS



Laura Romanik

3 Obedience & Rally Workshops

Saturday, October 3 & Sunday, October 4, 2026

Join us for a weekend of focused obedience and rally training with Laura Romanik.

Optional private lessons with Laura are also available Friday, October 2. Working and audit spots available!

CLICK HERE TO REGISTER →

www.starcaninetraining.com/seminar-registration

WORKSHOP #1

Saturday • 8:30 AM – Noon

- Building engagement as an integral element into every skill
- Stretching heeling from a few steps to a full heeling pattern or rally course while maintaining attention, commitment, and enthusiasm
- Teaching a dog to accept a judge's exam with confidence for timid dogs and control for easily excited dogs, and everything in between

Appropriate for: dogs preparing for Obedience Beginner Novice or Novice, Rally, or any dog needing better engagement, heeling motivation, or control in the presence of a judge.

WORKSHOP #2

Saturday • 1:00 – 4:30 PM

- Teaching or improving the crispness of response to the drop on recall without startling or intimidating the dog
- Using Laura's Jump Angle Game to prepare a dog to go out and back over the high jump no matter where the dumbbell lands (dog does NOT need to retrieve to play)
- Teaching or improving the broad jump exercise

Appropriate for: dogs preparing for Obedience Open. Dogs need off-leash control in the presence of other dogs for this workshop.

WORKSHOP #3

Sunday • 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM (one-hour lunch break)

- Ring Readiness — making the transition from training to showing
- Developing strong, fluent skills that will hold up under the stress and distractions of trials
- Missing links: parts of a ring performance that aren't scored but are important to success
- Preparing the dog to perform happily at a trial without any reinforcement until the run is over

Appropriate for: dogs preparing to trial at any level in Obedience or Rally.

All workshops limited to 10 working teams — unlimited auditors — full pricing on the back

TRAINING IN ACTION





About Laura Romanik

Laura has been an avid enthusiast, exhibitor, and instructor of competitive Obedience and Rally for 38 years. She has had a great deal of success in both rings, earning OTCHs, UDXs, and national rankings. Her students have earned titles from beginner through advanced levels, including both Obedience Trial Championships and Rally Championships. She continually works to refine and improve her training and teaching methods. From 2013 to 2015 she spent a total of nine weeks learning from world-renowned animal trainer and operant conditioning expert Bob Bailey to learn how to further maximize her effectiveness with positive reinforcement and minimize the need for traditional corrections.

Laura's Personal Achievements

- Titles on 7 Shelties, a Beagle, and a Weimaraner
- 3 OTCH Shelties
- The first-ever OTCH Beagle

- 2009 National Obedience Dog of the Year (most OTCH points, any breed)
- Multiple tournament placements — AKC NOC & AKC Classic
- 6,812 OTCH points and 501 UDX legs across 5 dogs

However, Laura considers the relationship forged through training between a human and a beloved canine to be the biggest accomplishment of all.

WORKING SPOT PRICING · LIMITED TO 10 PER WORKSHOP

Two Full Days

Workshops #1, #2 & #3

\$375

One Full Day

Workshops #1 & #2 on Sat, OR Workshop #3 on Sun

\$220

Half Day

Workshop #1 on Sat, OR Workshop #2 on Sat

\$125

AUDITING SPOT PRICING · UNLIMITED SPOTS

Two Full Days

Workshops #1, #2 & #3

\$150

One Full Day

Workshops #1 & #2 on Sat, OR Workshop #3 on Sun

\$75

Half Day

Workshop #1 on Sat, OR Workshop #2 on Sat

\$40

PRIVATE LESSONS WITH LAURA

Friday, October 2, between 10 AM and 4 PM. Email StarCanineTraining@gmail.com to reserve a private lesson time with Laura.

45 MINUTES

\$120

1 HOUR

\$150

REGISTRATION

Sign up online using the following link: www.starcaninetraining.com/seminar-registration

Working spots are limited to 10 per workshop. Your working spot will not be reserved until full payment has been received. If a workshop you want is full, you will have the option of being placed on a wait list. No refunds after Friday, September 25 unless your spot can be filled with someone from the wait list.

Spots fill quickly — register early to reserve your place.