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ARL to Offer Dog Training Classes in Dedham

Classes will begin April 6

The Animal Rescue League of Boston (ARL) is pleased to announce that beginning April 6, 2019, the organization will begin offering dog training courses at its Dedham Animal Care and Adoption Center, located at 55 Anna's Place in Dedham, MA.

Basic courses and semi-private lessons are currently open for enrollment; intermediate and advanced will also be offered as the program expands.

Puppy Kindergarten is open to puppies between 8-20-weeks-old and focuses on socialization and introducing basic commands. Good Manners is for dogs 5 months or older and focuses on basic commands, leash-walking and other important skills. The cost for these six-week courses is \$225, while a one-hour semi-private session is \$125.

There is a discounted rate for dogs adopted from ARL.

Training is essential for any young dog, and these courses are designed in such a fashion to teach a puppy, through positive reinforcement, how to grow up to be well-adjusted, socialized and well-behaved adults.

At the conclusion of each dog training course, dogs will receive a signed certificate of completion. Owners and their canine companion will benefit from the opportunity to strengthen

their bond through interactive group training activities. Owners will feel more confident about their pet and have a deeper understanding of how to encourage good behavior.

For detailed course descriptions and to register, log onto arlboston.org/services/dogtraining.

ABOUT THE ANIMAL RESCUE LEAGUE OF BOSTON:

The Animal Rescue League of Boston (ARL) is an unwavering champion for animals in need, committed to keeping them safe and healthy in habitats and homes. Founded in 1899, ARL provides high quality veterinary care, adoption, and rescue services; while also confronting the root causes of animal cruelty and neglect through innovative community programs, police investigations, and public advocacy. In 2017, ARL served more than 18,000 animals throughout Massachusetts. ARL is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization. We receive no government grants or public funding and rely solely on the generosity of individuals to support programs and services that help animals in need.

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