

Octavia Koslowski

Dog Handler

Dedicated and compassionate Dog Handler with 1 year of experience in successfully training and handling various dog breeds for obedience, agility, and assistance. Proficient in implementing positive reinforcement techniques and understanding canine behavior and body language. Demonstrates strong commitment to providing exceptional care and creating a safe, nurturing environment for dogs. Excellent communication and interpersonal skills, with the ability to work effectively both independently and as part of a team.

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Education

Certificate in Canine Training and Management at Berkshire Canine College, MA

Aug 2018 - May 2022

Relevant Coursework: Canine Behavior and Psychology, Training Techniques and Tools, Obedience and Advanced Skills, Canine Health and Nutrition, Canine Sports and Activities, Business and Client Management, and Shelter/Rescue Dog Rehabilitation.

Links

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Skills

Obedience Training



Agility Coaching



Canine First Aid



Tracking Techniques



Behavior Modification



Scent Detection



Service Dog Instruction



Employment History

Head Dog Handler at Boston K9 Concierge, MA

Feb 2023 - Present

- Successfully trained and managed a team of 15 dog handlers, leading to a 30% increase in overall client satisfaction rates within one year.
- Implemented new dog training and handling techniques, resulting in a 40% decrease in behavioral issues among the dogs under our care.
- Coordinated and organized 10 successful dog socialization events, attracting over 250 attendees and generating a 20% increase in new clients for Boston K9 Concierge.
- Developed and executed a comprehensive employee training program, which led to a 50% reduction in staff turnover and improved overall team efficiency.

Assistant Dog Handler at Happy Paws Dog Training, MA

Aug 2022 - Jan 2023

- Successfully assisted in training over 150 dogs in basic obedience and advanced skills, resulting in a 95% success rate for dogs passing their final evaluations at Happy Paws Dog Training, MA.
- Managed and maintained detailed records of each dog's progress, ensuring accurate tracking of their development and helping to create tailored training plans for over 200 individual clients.
- Played an instrumental role in expanding the company's group class offerings by 50%, leading to a 30% increase in overall client enrollment and revenue generation for Happy Paws Dog Training, MA.
- Organized and coordinated a successful community outreach event that attracted over 100 attendees, raising awareness about responsible pet ownership and promoting Happy Paws Dog Training's services to potential new clients.

Certificates

Certified Professional Dog Trainer (CPDT)

Mar 2022

International Association of Canine Professionals (IACP)

Certified Dog Handler

Sep 2020