

# Testing for Group Managers

## HANDS ON TESTING:

- 50 M&Gs
- DEMO - Gate Wait 15x15x1
- DEMO - 6 Words
- DEMO - Reach each dog in a 15 dog group, drawing it to you & engaging/relational, while maintaining safety
- DEMO - Choke Out
- DEMO - Fight Protocol
- DEMO - Pushing a dog with energy/Spatial Pressure

## VERBAL

- EXPLAIN - Cues, Markers, Rewards, and Humane Corrections (Define and DEMO = watch a 6 words session)
- EXPLAIN - Window of learning/Timing (Fill in a blank version of it)
- EXPLAIN - Burning a Cue
- EXPLAIN - Scale of Learning
- EXPLAIN - Rules of the Playground (In Observation, watch out for "Attention Demanding vs. Requesting." THIS is an EASY mistake to make and leads to all sorts of problems. GMs need to be watching for this and calling it out when they see it.)
- QUIZ - Breed Qualities
- QUIZ - Barking Document
- EXPLAIN - Layers of Stress & Layers of Stress we Influence
- EXPLAIN - Types of Drive
- EXPLAIN - Marking/Why we don't allow it
- EXPLAIN - Tail Chart
- EXPLAIN - Winning with Dogs (Leading, Attending, and Managing)
- EXPLAIN - Requesting attention vs. Demanding attention (Watch - what dogs do GLs and GMs withhold affection from and when is it returned?)
- EXPLAIN - Behavior Chains
- EXPLAIN & DEMO - Surveillance tracker

## NOTICE

- GM Values, notices, and handles barking
- Tracking & Aware of all dogs (building) - Leave a dog in

## VIDEO

- Turning pressure on & off
- Managing vs. Leading groups
- Tracking & Aware of all dogs (group)

- Trust vs. Fear based relationship with dogs (Obedience vs. Relational)
- Big Trick bag of Skills
- Observe? or Intervene?

## **CULTURE/Relating to others**

- EXPLAIN - Purpose & Values
- EXPLAIN - Safe Space
- Good coach of dogs & people/GL Surv review & Feedback
- Feedback Loops
- Inclusive/Relational with coworkers
- Bridge building
- Asks for help
- Seeks Clarity
- Gives/Takes Feedback well
- EXPLAIN - Willing/Able

## **Outlook/Self-Management**

- Likes learning/Always a student/Continuing Ed
- Patient/Calm under pressure
- See goodness & progress in all dogs/optimistic
- Decisive/Confident/Mentally Tough
- Smile every day
- Reliable
- Commitment to Care/Whatever it takes