

Two Day Handling Seminar with Brittany Schaezler

Swift Dogs Agility, San Antonio, TX

Saturday 2/25-Sunday 2/26

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Novice Foundation and Handling

- Creating motivation for a remote reward to encourage forward drive
 - Teaching independent 180s and 270s
 - The basics of the pushthrough
 - Perfecting fast and efficient wraps
- Lead out Pivots—why you should use them and how to do it correctly
 - Front cross footwork and position **as time allows**

Sunday, 2/26

Advanced Handling

- Acceleration and Deceleration—the most underutilized tools in agility
 - Basic serpentine handling for faster more efficient lines
 - Threadle/reverse flow pivot footwork and handling
 - Course analysis – where to cross, which way to turn

This is a handling seminar. Obstacle training will not be addressed, although questions will be answered as time allows.

Brittany Schaezler began training in agility over 10 years ago with her first Sheltie, Shiner. Since then, she's relocated several times across two states, and been able to continue evolving as a trainer and handler. Brittany has been competing at the AKC Nationals since 2007, and made the Finals in 2009 and the Challenger Round in 2010 with her Sheltie, Trip. She has also attended the AKC World Team Tryouts with Trip since 2009. She follows the Greg Derrett system of handling.

For more information or to sign up, please contact Rene Fitch, rfitchecs@yahoo.com.