

Training

The training with my dogs is based up to:

- Recognize the characteristics of our dog,
- Analysis of these characteristics, associated structure possibilities,
- Promotion of desired characteristics,
- Block unwanted characteristics.

I rely on scientifically recognized learning ways of animals and over years a thought out concept in the basic structure. With over 30 years experience in the dog training I saw many things, practiced myself, which did not lead to actually desired success. In the 80's no dog goes joyfully and attentively nearly beside his handler, the most only correctly. Like so often, the people knew it at that time not better. In this time some handler thought about, how to teach a dog to show the work joyfully. That was the time, where many dogs joyfully and attentively, but partly performed their work much incorrect. By refinement of training and extension of the knowledge conditions today again some few good handlers are in the situation to train their dogs in such a way, that looks very gladly. My full respect. These handlers do not only have simply a good dog, or have the "right hand" for these things, they operate this sport already for a very long time. This professionals don't have their knowledge from books or from videos. They have their abilities by thinking about it very intensively, asking or looking to other "professionals", in order then, under their guidance understand themselves, to even practice. Also me this knowing and being able are not into the lap to please. It is rather a product of many pieces of advice, discussions for hours in several clubs, last-finite trying out and the realizations resulting from it. I won also setbacks to accept to have, but finally again experiences. If within the training, or also on examinations, determined dogs shows unwanted behaviours, I foresee that mostly already; and legend it then also. Many handlers ask me then: "Why did you know that?" or "Why did you saw that already again?" The answer is simple: "experience in these things!" Now I could think for myself: "It never minds what problems other handlers have." That is not however my kind, because finally some very good people helped me, and I mentioned, like already, even also from others learned. That will also still like that be hopefully also in the future, because IPO sport and its teach wares will always develop themselves further. Today, also scientific findings from behavioural research are included in the training. Those, which are not ready to take part in this development remain on the distance. Also for those persons are examples enough existing. Correctly good IPO sport is nowadays high classic sport, very time-intensively, requires teamwork and it works primarily with the head of the handlers. Prick collars and E-Collars are not always the perfect solution. Rather problem recognition, initial consideration and a due portion knowledge. From these considerations, I am ready to pass my knowledge and my experience on in **theory and practice**.