



### **CHECKLIST FOR CGC READINESS:**

1. Dog can walk on a loose leash for 30 yards without training aids such as front attach or no-pull harness, head collar, correction collar. (About 1/3 of a football field). Distance includes right and left turns and pausing when handler stops.
2. Dog stands or sits still while collar/leash/harness is put on.
3. Dog waits at doorways on a verbal cue without leash/collar prompt.
4. Dog can sit or stand still when people or other dogs approach within 10'.
5. Dog will look at handler when requested with one cue.
6. Dog does not bark at other dogs or people or can be quieted easily with a verbal cue.
7. Dog is able to sit still while another dog passes or sits nearby.
8. Dog will come directly to handler when called-not run toward and pass by-without food or toy prompts.
9. Dog does not dodge or become defensive in any way when touched and handled by a stranger.
10. Dog exhibits some form of friendly body language when engaging with a stranger. This can be a relaxed face, open mouth, soft tail or body wag. This would be something to demonstrate that the dog is not fearful nor guarding.