

# TRAIN THE BAY RALLY CLASSES

## Is My Dog Ready for Rally Fundamentals? Self Test

Please answer the questions below. This is a self evaluation only so that you can assess your dog's readiness. Please do not submit it to us.

1. My dog easily goes to a straight heel position with a verbal or physical cue. This can be body motion. I know what a focused heel position looks like. Yes  No
2. My dog can focus on my hand or face when asked to. Yes  No
3. My dog is quiet and settled in a room with other dogs and does not bark Yes  No
4. My dog will orient to me when they hear their name or are cued otherwise. Yes  No
5. My dog is comfortable sitting both in front and by my side Yes  No
6. My dog can walk in heel position for 30 feet without pulling and without food in my hand. Yes  No
7. My dog will wait at a door while I go through and only come through when I give the release word. Yes  No
8. My dog will come to me with mild distractions 8 out of 10 times from a distance Of 20 feet. Yes  No
9. My dog can focus on me in class without the use of visual barriers. Yes  No
10. I am willing to do the training at home so that my dog progresses in the class. Yes  No

If you answered Yes to at least 8 of these statements, you are ready for Rally Fundamentals.