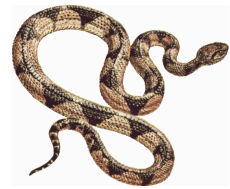


**SNAKE AVOIDANCE CLINIC**  
**With Dr. Bud Calderwood DVM**  
**Saturday, May 18, 2013 starting at 8:00 a.m.**  
**is Snake Proofing?**



**What**

Dogs are trained to associate the smell, sound and site of a snake with a negative reinforcement. Dr. Calderwood fits the dog with an e-collar to provide negative re-enforcement. The strength of the correction is calibrated for each dog and is somewhat stiff, so expect your dog to react accordingly. Bear in mind, this training could be LIFE SAVING. The snakes used in this clinic have been rendered safe by removing their fangs and taping their mouths shut. The clinic consists of a small course where various venomous snakes are arranged in several situations. The dog's handler is instructed to lead the dog through the course on a leash. Dr. Calderwood's expertise in canine and reptile behavior allows him to apply the right correction exactly at the right moment for each snake encounter. He has gained this insight through years of experience with many hundreds of dogs. The dog is then lead back through the course to gauge its reaction to subsequent snake encounters. This training is used to allow your dog to associate the sound and smell of a snake with danger and train them to avoid the situation. In our "neck of the woods" this is a very important training that may save your dog's life.

**Cost:** \$50 for first dog in family, \$40 for any other dogs in that family  
\$35 to re-check a previously tested dog. Please make checks payable to ECVC.

**Requirements:** This is a community service and **ALL BREEDS** of dogs are welcome. Dogs must be leash-trained, over 6 months old and weigh at least 20 pounds. If you have a dog that is less than 20 lbs., but over 6 months of age, you may be granted a waiver, but will need to call first for special instructions from Dr. Calderwood. Priority will be given to pre-paid entrants and to members of the ECVC. Day of event entries may be taken as space is available. It is advised to pre-register as a schedule will be made and sent to all participants.

**Location:** **THIS IS PRIVATE PROPERTY.** Entrance to "Hammock Bay Bay Club" Located in the panhandle of FL approximately 2 hours west of Tallahassee and just north of Destin.

**Directions:** **From Interstate 10:** Take Exit # 85 - US 331 south towards Freeport. Continue to follow US-331 S/FL-83 south for 14.3 miles. Turn RIGHT onto SR-20 west. Follow SR-20 west for 1.2 miles. Turn LEFT onto East Bay Loop Rd/CR- 83A for approx. 4.6 miles. Turn left into entrance that states on sign "Hammock Bay Bay Club." There is a gravel pit on the right directly across from this entrance. Go through the wooden gate and you are there.  
**Coming from Fort Walton Beach or Destin:** Take the Mid-Bay Bridge (SR-293N) and exit onto SR-20 east and turn right. Go 15.2 miles; turn right onto West Bay Loop Rd/CR-83A. Go 4 miles and turn right into entrance that states on sign "Hammock Bay Bay Club." There is a gravel pit on the left directly across from this entrance. Go through the wooden gate and you are there.  
**Coming from Sandestin or East:** Take Highway 98 to US Highway 331 North. Go 9.7 miles; turn left onto SR-20 west for 1.2 miles. Turn LEFT onto East Bay Loop Rd/CR- 83A for approx. 4.6 miles. Turn left into entrance that states on sign "Hammock Bay Bay Club." There is a gravel pit on the right directly across from this entrance. Go through the wooden gate and you are there.

**To Register:** Please fill out entry form below and send it with a check made payable to ECVC to the following address:

Sue Towne  
356 Whitfield Road  
Freeport, FL 32439

**Questions:** Please send any questions to: [suetowne@cox.net](mailto:suetowne@cox.net)  
Or call Sue Towne at 850-585-6892

Owners Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Canine's Name (\$50 for first or \$35 for recheck) 1. \_\_\_\_\_ re-check? Y/N

Additional Canine(s) (\$40/additional dog): 2. \_\_\_\_\_ re-check? Y/N

For additional canines, please note on back 3. \_\_\_\_\_ re-check? Y/N

Total: # of Canines \_\_\_\_\_ Total Cost: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Agreement:**

I (we) agree to hold the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim, and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog.

Signature of Owner \_\_\_\_\_