

## Biography for Todd Agnew

Todd has been training field bred spaniels since 1997. He has participated in spaniel field trials and hunt tests in both the United States and Canada, guided hunters for wild game birds, and is a professional dog trainer that firmly believes in the value of exposing hunting dogs to wild game-birds. "If a dog can produce the wild bird that the fox, coyote, weasel and hawk missed, then they would be of a caliber that any hunter would be proud to own."

Todd has won and placed in numerous spaniel field trials. More importantly, he has developed numerous dogs and educated their owners that have won and placed in spaniel field trials and passed spaniel hunt tests.



## **Craney Hill Kennel**

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**Find 'Em,  
Flush 'Em &  
Fetch 'Em**



**Craney Hill Kennel  
Located in Mitchell, GA  
Presents:**

**A Three Day Working  
Spaniel Training Seminar**

**Conducted by Todd Agnew**

**February 16-18, 2024**

**A Proven Method for Owners to  
Maximize the Hunt in Their Dog**

**Develop Your Relationship With  
Your Dog Without Force!**

## Course Topics/ Details

### Topics Covered

- Characteristics true of all dogs
- Importance of dog training consistencies
- Pros, Cons and concepts of electronic collar training
- Shape your dog's behavior from the start
- Importance of, and danger of socialization
- Developing puppy games
- Proper introduction to game
- Proper introduction to the gun
- A lifetime of foundation
- Training your dog to a finished level
- Use of live birds throughout the seminar
- Participants apply concepts to their dog's level
- **Prepare your dog for next hunting season!**
- **Pass your next hunt test!**
- **Develop dogs that are not trial-wise!**

### Details

- Coffee at 7:30 AM daily
- Seminar starts at 8:00 AM daily
- Seminar ends at 5:00 PM daily
- Lunch will be served each day
- Cost - \$600.00 per person with dog (**limit 12**)
- Cost - \$300.00 per person for observers
- Contact Christina Power-Agnew with questions at 815.685.8034



### TRAINING PHILOSOPHY

Our training philosophy is based on several levels of training that leverage the dog's physiological/psychological make-up to get the results we need.

#### **We are shaping behavior from the first day!**

At a very young age, we introduce the dog to birds and the gun. After this proper introduction, we begin collar conditioning and formal obedience in the yard and in the field. After adding patterning (proper use of the wind) and advanced training (steady-to-wing-and-shot), we end up with a finished dog that your friends will be honored to hunt over.

To have a finished dog, there are three primary phases of the dog's training:

1. Puppy shaping, games and boundaries
2. Formal obedience and expectations
3. Patterning and advanced training

Let us show you how **YOU** can work with your dog to create:

1. A bold and confident student
2. A dog that hunts in control
3. A dog that responds the first time



Enclosed is my check to reserve my spot. My contact information is as follows:

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

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

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

( ) February 16-18, 2024 with dog (\$600)

( ) February 16-18, 2024 observer (\$300)

Return this portion and make checks out to:

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