

Lab Talk

New Website Resources

I am supposed to be retired! I think I need to go back to work to get a little rest. Seriously, things are beginning to come together at Alderwood and a big reason is the hours we are putting in to make it happen. There is a new website (www.labradorlive.com) that we are creating that is an informational place for people who love Labrador Retrievers. Included is a Discussion Forum, a Blog, lots of information related to Labs and also many pictures of our Labs taken in a natural setting. We think you will like it! Don't forget to check out the "[Lab Cartoon of the Day](#)"

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A Busy Spring Season at Alderwood

There will be three new litters this spring at Alderwood. Amber, Maggie and Molly are all expecting. The sire of all three is Doc, he is really becoming a great dog! You can see some up to date [pics on the website](#). We are expecting all litters to be a mixture of colors. We should start having pups the middle of March and finish the first part of April. That makes the pups ready to go home the last of May into the middle of June, exciting times, first time we have ever had so many at one time.

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Here's Lookin At Ya!

Newsletter Spotlight

**March—April
Three Litters in 3
Weeks, Yikes!**

Training Your Labrador



Pretty Molly

One of the areas that we get lots of inquiry about is training. Consider for a minute, your puppy will grow into a big, robust playful dog. Your Lab will be a puppy for 2-3 years and after six months those "cute" little things he did as a pup turns him into an obnoxious hound. Labs are very intelligent and easy to be trained. People who own Labs may be a little more hard headed but they really need to know what makes their Lab tick.

We have designed a Blog, basically that's a place where you can read someone's statement and comment to it. Our Blog is called Lab Talk and [it can be found by clicking here](#). We will explain how we are training our new 3 pups (now about 16 weeks old) and perhaps you might like to follow along. Please comment on the progress you are making so others may be encouraged also.

One of the fun things we are doing at Alderwood is learning about obedience competition, Labs are great at that! They excel in many areas and were voted most popular breed again this year (continuous since 1991), but it all has to start with basic training. Won't you join us?

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