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Buckeye DockDogs Practice and Let's Try DockDogs! at Forever Friends
Members' Training and Free Introductory Session on June 14, 2008

GRAFTON, OH -- On June 14, 2008 from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Buckeye DockDogs will hold a free Dock Jumping Practice for members and a *Let's Try DockDogs!* introductory session for anyone interested in the sport at Forever Friends Pet Care Center, 36469 Rt. 303, in Grafton, OH (on State Route 303, 1/4 mile west of State Route 83). Forever Friends will also bathe and towel dry participating pups on a first come first serve basis for \$15 per dog.

From 11: 00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon, members can get themselves and their dogs in shape for this summer's competitions. Those new to the sport can see how it's done during the Members Only Practice, and introduce their dog to Dock Jumping during the *Let's Try DockDogs!* session from 12:00 Noon to 2:00 p.m. Members will show how to encourage a dog to jump through coaching and enthusiasm. Anyone participating should bring fresh water, towels, crate, and a favorite floating toy; no retractable leashes or bitches in heat.

Jumping, flying, splashing fun, Buckeye DockDogs is open to any dog that likes water—regardless of breed, size, shape, or ability. The summer schedule of Buckeye Dockdog events includes demonstrations and competitions throughout Northeast Ohio:

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| July 18-20, 2008 | Chagrin Valley Hunter Jumper Classic Horse Show
Cleveland Metroparks Polo Field, Moreland Hills, OH |
| August 16-17, 2008 | Annual Canine Fun Days and Greyhound Reunion
Cleveland Metroparks Polo Field, Moreland Hills, OH |
| September 6, 2008 | Third Annual Dog Swim/Party at Avon Lake Municipal Pool
Presented by Love-A-Stray Animal Rescue
Avon Lake, OH 44012 |

Forever Friends Pet Care Center provides premier lodging and recreation in a park-like setting. The resort and spa features overnight boarding, day care, a pet hospital, pet grooming, training classes, pet massage and therapeutic swimming, among a variety of other activities and services. For information, call (440) 926-3231 or visit <http://www.foreverfriendspet.com>.

Formed January 2007, Buckeye DockDogs is the the Ohio affiliate chapter of DockDogs® of Medina, Ohio, the independent governing and sanctioning body for regional, national and international dock jumping performance sports. For more information, visit www.buckeyedockdogs.com.

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