

## Biography for Todd Agnew

Todd has been training field bred spaniels since 1997. He participates in spaniel field trials and hunt tests in both the United States and Canada, guides hunters for wild gamebirds, and is a professional dog trainer that firmly believes in the value of exposing hunting dogs to wild gamebirds. "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 their owners that have won and placed in spaniel field trials and passed spaniel hunt tests.

### **LOOKING FOR A DOG?**

Todd develops and sells started and finished English Springer spaniels for upland hunting out of Craney Hill Kennel & Guide Service in Mitchell, Georgia. He also has young field trial prospects in development throughout the year.



## **Windrift English Springer Spaniels**

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



**Windrift English Springer Spaniels  
Located in Cochranton, PA  
Presents:**

**A Three-Day Spaniel Training  
Seminar Conducted by Todd  
Agnew of Craney Hill Kennel**

**May 19-21, 2017**

**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
- Friday dinner at a local restaurant with question & answer session (meal not included)
- Tureen dinner Saturday with question & answer session
- Cost - \$450.00 per person with dog (**limit 12**)
- Cost - \$50.00 per person per day for observers
- Contact Christine Lavier with questions

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**NOTE:** Private consultations are available before the seminar. The consultations are for 1/2 day and are \$250.00 per session. They must be scheduled in advance and contact Todd Agnew of Craney Hill Kennel directly to schedule. Todd's telephone number is 706.607.2314.

## 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: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Seminar Choice:

May 19-21, 2017 with dog

May 19, 2017 observer

May 20, 2017 observer

May 21, 2017 observer

( ) I will bring a food dish to the Tureen Dinner on Saturday

Please return this portion with payment to the address below. Please make checks payable to: Christine Lavier

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