

## **Thursday July 16**

### **10:00am-12:00 *Mastering Coat Preparation for Effortless Grooming* ~ Jennie Smith, NCMG**

Elevate your grooming skills with this in-depth lecture focused on the crucial steps for proper coat preparation! In this session, we'll explore the best practices for preparing any coat for grooming, ensuring a smoother and more efficient process. Learn how to effectively use *Force Air Dryers* and *Stand Dryers* to achieve optimal results, along with grooming products designed to make your job easier and more effective.

Key takeaways will include: How to use air dryers to lift, separate, and dry the coat for easier grooming, Techniques for prepping different coat types to reduce tangles and mats, Choosing the right products to enhance coat texture and manageability, and Tips for removing excess moisture and ensuring a flawless finish. This lecture is perfect for groomers of all levels looking to streamline their grooming process and achieve professional results with well-prepped coats.

### **10:00am-4:00pm *Pet CPR Certification* ~ Malinda Malone**

Learn over 50 skills to help be prepared in the event of a pet emergency. Your instructors, Master Pet Tech Instructor Malinda Malone is a pet professional and former first responder. Every student receives a Pet Saver Handbook and 2 year certificate. Learn Skills That Could Save Your Pets Life! This hands on class includes: Basic Restraint & Muzzling • What is Normal For Your Cat or Dog • How To Identify An Emergency • Rescue Breathing & CPR for Dogs & Cats • What is Shock? • Choking Issues • Splinting & Bandaging • Insect & Snake Bites • Hypothermia & Heat Stroke

### **10:00am-2:00pm *Hair & Skin 101 \*Certificate* ~ Dr. Cliff Faver**

Learn the Science, the Techniques, and Product Types to successfully put the "why" in what you do. A must for groomers, bathers and office personnel in the grooming shop and veterinary clinic alike.

- 1) Understanding Hair and Skin: learn the basic anatomy and function of the skin and hair. A critical foundation for this class and everything a groomer or bather does. This will explain a lot of the science about how nutrition, sebum, and basic anatomy work so you can understand the "why of what you do.
- 2) Understanding the Different Hair Types: Understanding the difference in coat types and the products that need to be used for maximum results. In this class, you will learn the needs of the different coat types so you can make better decisions in the products you use.
- 3) Understanding the Common Things That Go Wrong: Understanding of the things that lead to skin issues. Always wonder why these skin conditions occur and reoccur? Does technique play a factor? Could I have caused that issue? When the client or veterinary accused me of cause the issue, is that true?
- 4) The Science To Follow In Treating Skin Issues: Learn methods, techniques, and types of products to fix the skin problems when they occur. Learn principles that will lead to success when treating skin issues. Learn How to grow hair back on those shaved-down dogs. Learn why steroids, antibiotics, and the typical therapies for skin don't always work.

### **1:00pm-4:00pm *Addressing Your Issues + Optional Hands-On* ~ Jennie Smith, NCMG**

*Addressing Your Issues* is a focused, skill-building session designed to help you fine-tune the details that matter most in your everyday salon grooms.

In this interactive class, Jennie Smith will work with students to identify and improve common challenges in both hand scissoring and clipper work. Whether you struggle with balance, finish, flow, transitions, or efficiency, Jennie will break down techniques and offer practical adjustments you can immediately take back to the salon.

#### ***Hands-On Upgrade Available:***

Participants who choose the Hands-On option may bring their own pre-prepped dog and tools to groom under Jennie's expert, one-on-one guidance. This is a unique opportunity to receive personalized feedback from Jennie while working through the specific issues you encounter in your daily grooming routine. Perfect for groomers looking to sharpen their skills, gain confidence, and turn frustration into finesse.

### 3:00pm-7:00pm *Advanced Hair & Skin \*Certificate* ~ **Dr. Cliff Faver**

This is the advanced course for those who have already attended the Hair and Skin 101 course. In this course, we will take the concepts learned in the first course to a deeper level of understanding. We will cover more of the science, talk about different techniques and misunderstood info on products, and address how to approach skin issues logically for successful outcomes. It is a great class to expand your knowledge and serve your client base better, and it will set you apart from your competition.

### 4:30pm-7:00pm *Teddy Bear Asian Fusion + Optional Hands-On* ~ **Helen Schaefer**

Discover how to adapt Asian Fusion styling techniques to create balanced, expressive, and client-friendly doodle groomings. Helen Schaefer will cover shaping, proportions, and creative finishing techniques that elevate doodle styles while remaining practical and efficient for everyday salon work. Whether you're new to Asian Fusion or looking to refine your finish, you'll leave with techniques you can confidently use behind the table.

**Hands-On Upgrade Available:** For those looking to take this class a step further, a limited Hands-On Upgrade is available.

Participants selecting this option may bring their own pre-prepped dog and tools to groom and work directly with Helen under her expert guidance. This hands-on experience allows groomers to apply the techniques discussed in class to real-world doodle coats, receive personalized feedback, and troubleshoot common styling challenges encountered in everyday salon groomings.

### 4:30pm-5:30pm *Cover Your Booty - Safety First for Groomers & Business Owners* ~ **Denise Heroux**

In grooming, safety is everything—one slip, one bite, or one missed policy can cost far more than you think. This seminar dives into the real-world safety practices every salon needs: safe handling and restraint techniques, using equipment properly, preventing accidents on the table and in the tub, and creating a safe environment for both pets and staff. We'll also cover the business side of safety with waivers, incident reports, intake forms, and policies that protect you when things go wrong. Whether you're behind the grooming table or running the salon, you'll leave with practical tools and systems that keep pets safe, groomers protected, and your business covered—because safety isn't optional, it's the foundation.

### 6:00pm-7:00pm *Professional Under Pressure: Navigating Client Conflict Without Fear* ~ **Denise Heroux**

For many groomers, nothing sparks more anxiety than an upset client. Confrontations at the counter, difficult conversations, and the sting of a negative review are some of the biggest fears in our industry. Professional Under Pressure takes the fear out of these moments by teaching you how to handle them with confidence, professionalism, and tact. You'll learn how to respond when emotions run high, how to protect your reputation both online and in person, and how to turn client complaints into opportunities for trust and growth. Walk away with the clarity and confidence to face client conflict head-on—without fear, without panic, and without losing your cool.

### 7:30pm-9:00pm *Handstripping Demo Preview* ~ **Amy Lynn Hendren**

Curious about hand stripping but unsure where to start—or how to improve your results? This demo introduces the core principles behind effective hand stripping, including grip mechanics, coat readiness, and maintaining coat quality. Amy will demonstrate techniques while explaining common mistakes and how to avoid them.

Perfect for groomers looking for clarity and confidence, this session offers a *sneak peek* into the full "Get a Grip" class happening later this weekend.

### 7:30pm-9:00pm *Corrective Grooming* ~ **Christine Trovato**

Creating Balance & Illusion in Real Dogs. Not every dog has perfect structure – but every dog can look polished with the right grooming techniques. This seminar focuses on corrective grooming for common structural challenges, teaching groomers how to use coat, line placement, and visual balance to improve a dog's overall appearance without compromising comfort or safety. Attendees will learn how to address issues such as bow-legged fronts, east-west feet, elbows turned out, roached top lines, and lack of chest using practical, repeatable techniques. Emphasis is placed on working with real pet dogs, understanding coat limitations, and knowing how far correction can – and should – go. This class is ideal for groomers who want to move beyond "just a haircut" and gain confidence in making imperfect structure look intentional, balanced, and professional.

## 7:30pm-9:00pm *Equipment Maintenance* ~ **Mindy Dinwiddie**

Your tools are an investment—and how you care for them directly impacts your speed, results, and long-term success. This class focuses on proper maintenance of grooming tools and equipment, helping groomers understand how to keep their tools performing at their best and lasting longer.

Mindy covers everyday care, common maintenance mistakes, and how to recognize when tools need servicing versus replacement. Attendees will gain practical knowledge they can immediately apply to reduce downtime, improve efficiency, and protect their investment in equipment.

Ideal for groomers at any stage who want to work smarter, extend the life of their tools, and maintain consistent grooming results.

## **Friday July 17**

### 8:00am-10:30am *Masterclass with Mindy: Demonstration + Optional Hands-On* ~ **Mindy Dinwiddie**

**Program Description:** This Master Class is designed to help you refine the details that elevate a good groom into a great one. In this interactive, skill-building session, Mindy Dinwiddie will guide students through common challenges seen in everyday salon grooms, with an emphasis on clean execution and thoughtful finishing.

This class dives into both hand scissoring and clipper work, addressing issues such as balance, structure, flow, transitions, and overall polish. Mindy will break down techniques, demonstrate practical adjustments, and offer expert insight to help you work more efficiently while achieving stronger, more consistent results—skills you can immediately apply back in the salon.

**Hands-On Upgrade Available:** For those looking to take this class a step further, a limited Hands-On Upgrade is available. Participants selecting this option may bring their pre-prepped dog and tools to work directly with Mindy under her expert guidance. This hands-on experience allows groomers to apply the techniques discussed in class to real-world and receive personalized feedback, to troubleshoot common styling challenges encountered in everyday salon grooms.

### 8:00am-10:00am *Mastering the Grind: Surviving the Mental Toll of Business Ownership* ~ **Denise Heroux**

Owning a grooming business comes with relentless pressure—constant decisions, unexpected setbacks, and the weight of being the one everyone relies on. Mastering the Grind is about grit and resilience: surviving the toughest seasons of ownership without breaking under the weight.

Hour 1: Mastering Stress & Decision Fatigue - Learn how to stay sharp when your brain feels maxed out—managing pressure, prioritizing decisions, and protecting your focus.

Hour 2: Mastering Emotional Recovery - Setbacks are part of business. This session shows you how to process tough hits, rebuild your confidence, and keep moving forward when things get heavy.

### 8:00am-12:00pm *Salon Safety \*Certificate* ~ **Linda Easton**

Learn the newest strategies, methods and tools to keep pets and groomers safe. This course discusses salon safety, safe handling, safe restraint techniques, tools and techniques. Current research is introduced concerning skin, safe clipper lengths, care of double coats, cleaning ears, and emptying anal glands. We will discuss safe bathing and drying techniques. Also safe grooming styles, dangers of shaving double coated breeds, and safe handling of matted dogs to prevent injury. We will talk about Sanitation and Disinfecting in the salon for cleanliness and preventing the spread of disease or skin problems, including Post Clipping Furunculosis. In this day of rapid news, have the tools to respond proactively when there is negative news about groomers. Know what to do when there is an accident in YOUR salon! Includes guidelines for pictures and incident reports.

### 10:30am-11:30am *Who's The Boss Around Here?* ~ **Denise Heroux**

Too many grooming business owners reach a point where it feels like the employees are in charge instead of them—dictating schedules, bending rules, and pushing boundaries. This seminar is designed for owners who feel like they're walking on eggshells in their own salon. We'll cover how to re-establish authority without being a tyrant, create policies that stick, and hold staff accountable without constant conflict. You'll learn how to shift the dynamic back where it belongs—with you leading confidently and your team respecting the structure you've set. Walk away with the tools to stop being "managed" by your staff and start running your business on your terms.

### 1:30pm-3:00pm *5 Steps to Shape, Style & Symmetry in Every Groom* ~ **Linda Easton**

Creating style makes every groom pop and have more fun grooming every day. Learn how to do this with attachments and scissors! Learn to add shape and style to your groom. Good angles make the groom. Learn a bit about anatomy to add shape, to make dogs look taller and up on their toes. Dogs will look "happier." Adding shape to every groom will set you apart from other groomers! Learn to give shape even in shorter grooms! Use snap on clipper attachments to help create great shape regardless of your scissoring skills!

Linda uses tips and techniques she learned when showing all breeds of dogs to help judges notice the dogs in the ring!

### 2:00pm-4:30pm *Don't Poodle My Doodle + Optional Hands-On* ~ **Melissa Jepson**

Doodles of all sorts, shapes, and sizes are here to stay. Their popularity often makes them a bread and butter niche but they can come with difficulties to style. In this class we're going to go over what works best for different coat types often seen, typical styling that many doodle owners wish for, and how to perfect that head style that has become so common and synonymous with doodles.

**Hands-On Upgrade Available:** For those looking to take this class a step further, a limited Hands-On Upgrade is available. Participants selecting this option may bring their pre-prepped dog and tools to work directly with Melissa under her expert guidance. This hands-on experience allows groomers to apply the techniques discussed in class to real-world doodle coats, receive personalized feedback, and troubleshoot common styling challenges encountered in everyday salon grooms.

### 2:00pm-3:30pm *The Many Faces of JRG* ~ **Jess Rona**

Learn Jess's signature blueprint to achieve an adorable face on any coat type. Ever wonder why some dogs look old and sad? This course will take the guesswork out so you don't wonder what the best way to shape the ears is, how to balance the chin or how much length to take off.

Grooming the whole face of a dog can feel overwhelming, so Jess developed an easy to follow step-by-step blueprint that breaks the process down into clear simple concepts so you can create a gorgeous youthful expression on any face type.

Jess will cover:

Blow dry techniques to help set your shape

What tools to use

Scissor & body positioning

How to develop your eye to see the shape of the face

### 3:30pm-6:00pm *Ouch That Hurts* ~ **Michelle Price**

In this class you will learn the importance of proper body mechanics through good ergonomic practices, proper use of tools and a basic scientific understanding of how your joints, muscles, tendons and ligaments work. We will dig deep into the top 5 workman's comp claims in the grooming industry. We will thoroughly examine the injury, review its causes, and outline effective mitigation strategies. We will also present a variety of stretching and strengthening exercises that you can start that day to improve posture, strength, and flexibility. If you've been in pain, tired, burned out from hurting all the time, this class is for you!

### 4:00pm-6:00pm *Recognizing Potential Medical Issues With Pets* ~ **Malinda Malone**

In the class groomers will learn how to recognize potential medical issues in the pets they are grooming. Knowing what to look for, being able to recognize issues, checking the pets entire body to find new or existing issues. The groomer will also learn how to do a full body check for new problems. Finding new issues can help save that pet's life. Join us to learn this life saving information.

### 5:00pm-6:00pm *Rekindling Your Passion for Grooming* ~ **Chris Anthony**

Burnout can sneak its way into any career, but it can stay out of our grooming salons!! In today's class, we'll learn how to spot the creep of burnout before it settles in, impacting our business and personal lives. We'll learn some simple techniques to take home and combat this menace. Worried that it might be too late and you're in burnout's nasty clutches? Never fear! We've got your back and will help you rekindle your joy in grooming again!

## Saturday July 18

### 8:00am-11:00am *Everyday Asian Fusion + Optional Hands-On* ~ **Melissa Jepson**

Asian styling is definitely having its time in the spotlight in the grooming industry, but often it can be difficult getting clients to try the style because of its exaggerated characteristics. Where is the practicality? In this class we will build a bridge between the more extravagant styles and a more functional, day-to-day look. You'll learn how to identify a good candidate, how to convince your clients to try it, how to build a simple template that fits your needs, and how to start incorporating facets of this darling technique more into your daily operations.

**Hands-On Upgrade Available:** For those looking to take this class a step further, a limited Hands-On Upgrade is available. Participants selecting this option may bring their pre-prepped dog and tools to work directly with Melissa under her expert guidance. This hands-on experience allows groomers to apply the techniques discussed in class to real-world and receive personalized feedback, to troubleshoot common styling challenges encountered in everyday salon grooms. ***This upgrade includes a small introductory toolkit sponsored by Precision Sharp!***

### 8:00am-10:30am *Sorry, I Need to Call In Sick Today* ~ **Michelle Price**

Are your groomers tired, sore, grumpy, call out sick? This class will help you get them back on track with wellness and movement, so your business remains healthy positive and injury free. We will take a deep dive into the top 5 workmen's comp claims that could be costing your business a ton! How are your groomers acquiring these injuries and how business owners can help with proper body mechanics training and proper use of ergonomic tools. We will also investigate the wellness components of your business. Guidance on daily workplace practices will be provided for groomers. We will also be looking at how you can create safe work areas through daily or weekly assessment of your space. Looking at what can cause such things as slip and falls, are your table heights proper while grooming, are your dogs safe? What techniques and instruction can reduce insurance claims. We will also be exploring insurance definitions. What should your policy have and what do all those terms mean? (we will not be looking at individual policies). This class will help you build a business of success and positivity.

### 8:00am-12:00pm *Bathing & Brushing Boot Camp* \*Certificate ~ **Linda Easton**

Bathers are the first step to a great groom. A good bather is worth your weight in gold. Learn tips and tricks to make you the best! In this class we discuss the bath, drying, brushing, handling, products and tools while stressing safety for bathers and pets. Dog skin is not like ours, so we will learn about canine skin and how and how it is unique. Learn how to use products and tools to protect the skin and keep it healthy. Bathing prep isn't what it used to be. Get your tub and products ready then get started! Learn handling tips to greet dogs and evaluate their temperament before you begin to keep you both safe and happy!

Understand shampoo, conditioners, and special therapies. Learn about dilutions, applicators, frothing and furunculosis. Learn about special applications for short hair, long-hair, tangles and mats, greasy pets, dirty pets, skunked pets, dry skin, itchy skin and more!

Let the dryer make your work easier and know which dryer is the right one for the job! The better you dry, the less you brush and the better the final groom will be! Brushing is an art. We discuss line brushing, fluff drying, detangling and simple de-matting. There are many brushes and combs available. Know which brush is right for each job. Also included is nail trimming and grinding, eyes, ear cleaning, and anal glands.

Handling is discussed throughout this class. Gentle handling helps you and pets. We talk about handling difficult pets and recognizing dangerous pets. Keeping you safe means you enjoy what you do. Keeping pets safe means they enjoy the groomer!

### 11:00am-12:00pm *Back To Basics!* ~ **Chris Anthony**

When the difference between shiny new tech and basic tools can seem to change in the blink of an eye, what are basics anyway? In today's class we'll go over some "basic" equipment that we take for granted, some that should be basic but somehow isn't, why knowing actual lengths matter, how to train your artistic grooming eye, intro to ergonomics, shears and more. This "everything but the bath" class can help newer groomers turn from anxious to awesome and carry on with confidence and a better understanding of our most used tools and tricks.

### 11:30am-2:00pm *The Corded Poodle + Optional Hands On* ~ **Meagan Townsend**

After Meagan Townsend brought her stunning corded poodle to Rocky Mountain Groom Expo last year, the interest was overwhelming—leading to this highly requested demonstration.

Get hands-on experience with the art of cording poodles! In this interactive class, you'll explore the history of corded poodles and learn the techniques for achieving and maintaining stunning cords. From soaking and washing to splitting and styling, we'll cover it all. Discover problem-solving strategies for common challenges, and learn how to adapt cording techniques for show, maintenance, or a salon setting. The class will culminate with a hands-on practice session with live dogs, where you'll get to try splitting cords and experience the unique texture and pressure required. Join us for a comprehensive and immersive learning experience!

**Hands-On Upgrade Available:** Take Your Cording to the Next Level! Limited spots available for participants with a dog already in cords (any breed). Bring your clean, dry dog and get personalized guidance from Meagan. We'll focus on real-life problem areas and splitting techniques, helping you overcome challenges and achieve stunning cords. Please note: dogs should be clean and dry prior to the lab. If needed, contact us in advance to arrange for washing and drying assistance. Join us for expert-led hands-on help and take your cording skills to new heights!

### 2:30pm-5:00pm *Airbrush Techniques & Color Theory + Optional Hands-On* ~ **Christine Trovato**

Join experienced Creative Groomer Christine Trovato as she shares the airbrush techniques and color theory skills she's used while competing on some of the biggest creative grooming stages in the country.

This class breaks down the fundamentals of airbrush control, paint application, blending, shading, and color selection, giving you the confidence to incorporate airbrushing into your everyday salon creative grooms—or take the next step into Extreme Creative. Christine will explain how color theory influences impact, contrast, and visual flow, helping you create cleaner, more intentional designs.

**Hands-On Upgrade Available:** For those looking to take this class a step further, a limited Hands-On Upgrade is available. Participants selecting this option will receive hands-on practice using airbrush tools and supplies provided by Christine—no dog required. This experience allows groomers to apply techniques in real time, experiment with color and airflow, and receive personalized guidance in a low-pressure learning environment. Perfect for groomers ready to explore creative expression, refine technical skills, and expand their creative grooming toolbox.

### 2:30pm-4:30pm *Case Studies: Secrets To Success* ~ **Dr. Cliff Faver**

Frustrated with the poor results of all your clients' pets that have skin problems or loss of hair. Learn the tips, tricks, and secrets that your fellow groomers have used to treat multiple different skin and hair issues successfully. You will learn the science, techniques, and products (actual recipes) that have led to their success. This information has been life-changing for many groomers and the pets under their care

### 3:00pm-9:00pm *Pet CPR Certification* ~ **Malinda Malone**

Learn over 50 skills to help be prepared in the event of a pet emergency. Your instructors, Master Pet Tech Instructor Malinda Malone is a pet professional and former first responder. Every student receives a Pet Saver Handbook and 2 year certificate. Learn Skills That Could Save Your Pets Life! This hands on class includes: Basic Restraint & Muzzling • What is Normal For Your Cat or Dog • How To Identify An Emergency • Rescue Breathing & CPR for Dogs & Cats • What is Shock? • Choking Issues • Splinting & Bandaging • Insect & Snake Bites • Hypothermia & Heat Stroke

### 5:00pm-6:00pm *Providing Excellent Customer Service Without Being A Doormat* ~ **Chris Anthony**

Customer service has come a long way, as has customer expectations. We want to please our customers, but how to do this without letting them walk all over us? Is it even possible? An even better question might be how would this even be accomplished while maintaining a polite professional demeanor? We'll learn how to determine when to go that extra mile and when to stand firm. In this class, we'll talk about how to cultivate the customers we want and help the customers we have appreciate us without succumbing to telling them Exactly what we think.

## Sunday July 19

### 8:00am-10:00am *De-matting Demystified* ~ **Linda Easton**

Matted dogs... shave it, trim it or brush it out? There are special techniques that give you choices in this lucrative niche! How to "wash away the tangles" and pain-free brushing. Learn tips to leave some hair on the most matted dogs. Science tells us how important it is to leave some hair on every dog. You never need to "strip" a dog again! Use your high velocity dryer and a brush to remove mats. What tools help you and which ones make your job more difficult? Customer education is a big part of preventing mats in the future. Linda will share ideas to educate customers and scripts you can use to encourage regular grooming.

### 8:00am-11:00am *Caring for the Challenging Dog* ~ **Melissa Jepson**

There are many terrific handling classes out there, but instead of focusing on the dog, this class is going to focus on you, the groomer. How can you set yourself up for success before you even step foot to that grooming table with the dog on it? What are the steps you need to take to ease your stress of difficult clients and work together to have a positive session? This class is going to completely change the way you approach your problem customers and give you the tools you need to turn frustration into victory!

### 8:00am-10:30am *Get A Grip; Hand Stripping Terriers + Optional Hands-On* ~ **Amy Lynn Hendren**

Hand stripping can feel intimidating—but with the right foundation, it becomes a precise and rewarding skill. *Get A Grip – Hand Stripping the Terrier* is a comprehensive class designed to build confidence, improve technique, and deepen your understanding of proper hand stripping for terrier coats.

In this session, Amy will break down the core principles of effective hand stripping, including correct grip mechanics, identifying coat readiness, maintaining coat quality, and working efficiently without causing damage or discomfort. Through live demonstration, Amy will walk you through proper technique while highlighting common mistakes and how to avoid them.

This class expands beyond the introductory preview and provides a deeper dive into the "why" behind the techniques, helping groomers better understand coat behavior and long-term results. Whether you are new to hand stripping or looking to refine your approach, you'll leave with clearer knowledge and practical skills you can immediately apply.

**Hands-On Upgrade Available:** For those looking to take this class a step further, a limited Hands-On Upgrade is available. Participants selecting this option will work directly with Amy under her expert guidance, practicing hand stripping techniques in real time with your own pre-prepped dog and tools. This hands-on experience allows groomers to reinforce proper grip, timing, and technique while receiving personalized feedback in a supportive learning environment. **This upgrade also includes a small introductory toolkit sponsored by Fame Pet Products and All For Groomers.** Perfect for groomers seeking clarity, confidence, and control when working with terrier coats.

### 10:30am-11:30am *Training & Mentoring New Groomers* ~ **Myke Ross & Linda Easton**

Our industry needs quality education! Are you thinking about opening a grooming school? Are you an experienced groomer looking for ways to mentor new groomers in our fabulous industry? Learn what options you have to teach new groomers, from Internships, advanced training and mentoring to a state licensed school. Find the option that might work for you! Hands-on training is so important for grooming students. Linda and Myke both have state approved grooming schools. They will outline the requirements for opening a school, including contracts, enrollment, curriculums, and graduation requirements. We will also discuss instructor qualifications and training. Bring your questions! Myke Ross, ICMG is the Director, owner of San Diego Grooming Academy, California, and Linda Easton, ICMG owns Canine Concepts Academy in Salem, Oregon.

1:30pm-3:30pm *If Not Now - When?* ~ **Michelle Price**

Have you struggled with setting goals. Goals including personal, business, professional, wellness? This class will guide you through a process of collaboration and teamwork to help you create a plan for yourself through visual, auditory and kinesthetic activities. We will work together to brainstorm visions by creating vision boards based on the prior categories. Manifesting your goals can help set your brain into a positive flow, and remarkable thinking if you have direction. You will leave with a vision board you will create, internalize and be proud to set yourself up for success. What are you waiting for?

- Material provided by instructor
- Additional \$20 material fee to be paid to instructor at time of class

1:30pm-3:30pm *Grooming By the Numbers* ~ **Melissa Jepson**

Do you struggle with getting lost in your haircuts sometimes? Remember painting by numbers? Now we have grooming by numbers! Join Melissa as she shows you how to pinpoint important areas on the dog so you can connect the dots to creating haircuts you love!

