

Blinds

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How to Train a Dog to do Blind
Work (Search) Bark
arf Bark ruff grrrr
Bark

What has sharp teeth, growls at bad guys
and is man's best pet? A dog! It's really fun to train
these pets.

First you need a working sleeve, a working
stick, two blinds, a leash, a collar and someone
your dog likes to bite as a reward (it will
most likely be you). Don't forget the dog.
Next you put one blind close to where
you're working and put the other 30 or
40 yards away from the first one. Then
you will hide inside the first blind with the
sleeve and stick and have a friend that likes
and has had experience with a dog before, take
the dog to the second blind with the leash
hooked up to its collar. After that you have
your friend sit the dog at the second blind
and point the dog around the blind and
have the dog run to you. (Don't race the
dog, you could fall.) The next step is to
have the dog bark at you for at least 50
seconds and have the dog bite and take
the sleeve. Then you will have your friend
take the dog in circles between the
two blinds 3 times, but don't take the
sleeve away yet, let the dog have a few
moments of victory. Teach this to the dog
until the dog learns it and can do it smoothly.

It's really fun training a dog, and the dog
has fun too. And the dog gets some exercise
too.)



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Cameron and her dog Rokit



Cameron & Seiko



Cameron & Rokit tracking



Cameron & Rokit with helper (& her dad) Marty Leggett

