

**Mayflower Portuguese Water Dog Club** is  
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## **Pro Pet Hero with Jenni Coes**

**Sunday, March 10th - 1 to 4**  
**Home Plate Farm**  
**559 Dutton Road, Sudbury, MA**



This 3 hour comprehensive pet first aid and certification class will provide you with the skills to care for your pet in an emergency. During the class you will be tested on your knowledge to earn you CPR Certification. If you pass, you will receive a certificate verifying your completion of the course and the topics you have learned. Your certification is good for 2 years and also counts as continuing education credits through these professional organizations:

International Association of Animal Behavior Consultants  
National Association of Dog Obedience Instructors  
Certification Council for Professional Dog Trainers

### **INTRODUCTION**

- The role of first aid with your pet
- Safety concerns for the provider
- Preparing a pet first aid kit

### **MONITORING YOUR PET**

- Understanding pet vital signs and how to measure them
- Recognizing normal & abnormal behaviors

### **ILLNESS**

- Vomiting and diarrhea
- Bloat
- Loss of appetite
- Lethargy
- Weakness or collapse
- Seizures
- Cold or heat exposure
- Fever
- Itchiness/scratching

### **CARDIOVASCULAR EMERGENCIES**

- Recognizing the signs of cardiopulmonary arrest
- Cat and dog CPR

### **ALLERGIC REACTIONS**

- Insect stings
- Vaccine reactions
- General allergies
- Anaphylaxis

### **RESPIRATORY EMERGENCIES**

- Choking
- Near-drowning
- Breathing problems/respiratory distress
- Rescue breathing

### **INJURIES**

- Bleeding
- Temporary wound care, infection prevention
- Lameness
- Suspected fracture or spinal injury
- Burn wounds
- Hit by car, fall from height, animal attack
- Shock
- Poisonings and envenomation

**This is a “people-only” event. Please bring stuffed animal for training.**

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