

## **No-Fail Coming When Called**

Distributed with permission from Jean Donaldson.

Do ten of each step, then move on to the next. The key to a recall is a great pay-off every time.

## Sequence:

- 1. Cue (novel word or sound)
- 2. Prompt (happy talk, bend over, back away)
- 3. Dog comes
- 4. Reward *use very high value*, something that is never given at other times

## Checklist

Leash	Prompt or No	Distance	Location	Distractions	Did 10
Off leash	Prompting as needed after cue	10 feet	At home or in yard	None	
Off leash	Prompting as needed after cue	Maximu m	At home or in yard	None	
Off leash	Cue only	Random	At home or in yard	Dog is not expecting it	
On leash	Prompting as needed after cue	6 feet	On walk	Whatever is around	
Off leash	Prompting as needed after cue	6-10 feet	Off-leash area	Low as possible	
Off leash	Prompting as needed after cue	Maximu m	Off-leash area	Low as possible	
Off leash	Prompting as needed after cue	3 – 6 feet	Off-leash area	Dogs present	
Off leash	Prompting as needed after cue	10 feet	Off-leash area	Dogs present	
Off leash	Prompting as needed after cue	20+ feet	Off-leash area	Dogs present	
Off leash	Cue only	20+ feet	Off-leash area	Dogs present	