

## Welcome to Camera Science

### Dear Arnold,

One of the goals of these newsletters is to feature the work of OTHER photographers as well as my own. The others are not necessarily shooting for profit. But, in many cases they are shooting subjects with which they are familiar and they want to get the best shots. How does one do that? They practice and learn from their results. The story is always the same: Keep Shooting!

Case in point is Janet Bates of *Guaranteed Dog Training*. Janet's 35 years of experience have made her a very competent trainer. But, she has also developed an expertise in photographing dogs. Check it out. And, if your dog needs training call her at (209) 462-2633.



"The other thing that people like is if the puppy is looking at the camera, so I found out what noises to make that get their eyes on me and their ears up. And a tilt of the head always makes a darling picture."

### Janet Sez:

"I've been taking pictures of the beautiful dogs at my dog classes for years now.

It seems what people want is a portrait type picture of their puppy, like a school picture. I have learned how to get the dog to hold still long enough to get their picture."

"Sometimes it still looks good if the puppy is looking slightly to one side or the other side of the camera."



"The real trick is to get more than one dog to look at the camera all at the same time!. My definition of a really good picture is one that it is in focus and you can see the eyes very clearly, like you were actually THERE."



I am proud that in my photo/video business I work with RESPECT toward my clients sense of creativity as well as my own. No one has a patent on the practice of media. No one has the right to act as a Prima Donna. We ALL are here to learn. Even Ansel Adams himself rejected the notion that he was an "expert". Ideally, we all apply ourselves to learning and perfecting technique in our own designated areas of interest. If I can help you with yours please call or email.

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