# HUNTSVILLE OBEDIENCE TRAINING CLUB Presents

# Matthew Twitty Healing Your Heeling And Open & Utility

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Matthew Twitty is the owner and operator of Start to Finish Dog Training in Sebring, Fl. Since 1999, Matt has been showing his dogs in competitive dog sports (Flyball, Agility, Herding and Rally) as well as doing in-home behavioral lessons. However, his main focus has been on competitive obedience training. Matt truly lives up to his motto, "Life is Stressful – Training your dog shouldn't be!"



#### **Career Accomplishments:**

- Two Obedience Trial Champions before the age of 30
- Over 30 High in Trials and High Combined awards on 4 different dogs
- Two Florida State DOCOF High in Trials (2002/2010) and coached the DOCOF 1st place Team in 2010
- A perfect 200 score
- ASSA National High in Trial 2012
- #4 Sheltie in the Country for 2012 & #8 for 2013

## SATURDAY

Matt will present his step-by-step approach to active and engaged heeling. He will cover non-verbal attention pieces, cues, turns, position handling, drills, mechanics, tricks for heeling, and proofs.

## SUNDAY

Matt will show everyone his step-by-step approach to teaching all of the pieces needed for Open and Utility, while keeping a happy, motivated dog in the process!