

# FUN DOG EXERCISES WITH THE

# **K9FITbone**

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#### ALL FOUR LEGS ON K9FITBONE

- · Start with your dog's front or hind limbs on the K9FITbone.
- Use treats and lure the dog's nose while simultaneously stepping towards your dog to encourage lateral movement.
- Advance to encouraging your dog to step all the way around the bone with either hind limb or front limb.





#### FRONT LEGS ON K9FITBONE

- Use a treat to encourage the dog to put front feet on the K9FITbone.
- Practice holding the position for recommended duration.
- Encourage with voice and treats to make the exercise fun.

# WORK IT

- 1. USE A TREAT TO ENCOURAGE THE DOG TO PUT DOGS FRONT FEET ON THE K9FITBONE 2. PRACTICE HOLDING THE POSITION FOR RECOMMENDED DURATION.
  - 3. ENCOURAGE WITH VOICE AND TREATS TO MAKE THE EXERCISE FUN.
- 4. START WITH 3X A WEEK: 3-5 REPS PER SET: 5-10 SECONDS CHANGE LEVEL OF AIR TO MAKE EASIER OR HARDER. ADD DURATION AND REPS AS FITNESS LEVEL INCREASES.

### SIT TO STAND

- Start with the dog's front legs on the K9FITbone. Use the "Sit"
  Command. The dog's hind end should sit on the floor with front limbs on the bone.
- Lure the dog up to a stand with voice command "Up" and reward with a treat. Ensure the front limbs remain on the K9FITbone. Repeat.
- Progress by encouraging your dog to stand completely on the K9FITbone with all four feet. If your dog is above 55 lbs consider 2 bones or Giant K9FITbone for proper form.





# **POWER PAWS - BACK LIMBS**

- Use a treat to encourage the dog to put back feet on the K9FITbone.
- Practice holding the position for the recommended duration.
- Hind limb awareness is a challenge for some dogs so you may need to lift the back legs to start to show positioning. Reward placement.

If any questions contact us at info@fitpawsusa.com

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