

### **Business Lessons We've Learned From Dogs**

- 1) Always greet customers with excitement and enthusiasm, even when you just saw them three minutes ago. They never grow tired of thinking they're the most important thing in your life.
  - 2) Don't confuse your tail with a goal worth chasing.
  - 3) Sleep as many hours a day as possible, but always be ready to play when the chance arrives.
  - 4) Don't be afraid to get dirty; in fact, relish it.
  - 5) When the big folks are feasting, if you know how to work things, you'll be able to feast, too.
  - 6) Barking a lot is annoying, so don't do it often. That way, when you do bark, people spring to attention.
  - 7) Don't bark at the mailman. He's been known to have a dog treat in his pocket.
  - 8) The more you show that you don't need a leash, the less you'll have to wear it. Conversely, if you're always tugging on your leash, you'll always have to wear it.
  - 9) The joy is in digging the hole, not in hiding the bone. But it's also reassuring to know there are a few bones hidden.
  - 10) Biting someone never leads to anything good.
  - 11) Continuously learning new tricks keeps you young.
  - 12) Fool your masters into thinking they are in charge.
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