

# ***JUSTICE (and humor) FOR ALL***

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## **February Holidays**

Two big holidays in February, Ground Hogs day and Valentines Day. I think they should combine the two. This way if the little guy came out and saw his shadow, it'd mean six more weeks of chocolate!



## **There are no stupid questions?**

One trainer, in an effort to increase participation, would offer a hundred dollar bill to anyone who asked a stupid question. The bill would be left at the front of the class in full view beckoning them to try.

The trainer always received loads of questions and to this point no one had ever asked a truly stupid one.

Upon returning from a break, the trainer notice that his bill was missing. After several tense minutes of no one owning up to removing it one participant in the back held it up in the air and said, "Here it is. Do you want it back?"

Yes, there are stupid questions.



## **Humor and Training Tip #6**

Do not stretch out your jokes. The longer you make the setup the funnier the punch line has to be to get a laugh. George Burns put it best, "Make the beginning quick, the end quick and put the two of them as close together as possible." KISS: "Keep It Short & Sweet."

## Humor Tip #5

The most powerful humor pokes fun at one's self. People that take themselves lightly are perceived as being very confident in who they are and what they do. Remember, you can take yourself lightly and your work seriously. "He who laughs, lasts!"

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## We let these people drive?

(From actual insurance reports)

The guy was all over the road. I had to swerve a number of times before I hit him.

I pulled away from the side of the road, glanced at my mother-in-law, and headed for the embankment.

My car was legally parked as it backed into the other vehicle.

I was on my way to the doctor with rear end trouble when my universal joint gave out causing the accident.

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