PREMIUM LIST Pacific NW Scent Work Club

Summer Fun Trials



Saturday, Sunday, Monday July 30, 31, August 1, 2022

Event 2022739307, 2022739308, 2022739309, 2022739310
Trial Hours 7 am to 6 pm each day
See inside for description of classes offered and entry limits

Event Location

Columbia Hall & Hart of the Garden, Oregon State Fairgrounds 2310 – 17th St NE Salem, OR 97301 Trials to be held Indoors/Outdoors

Trial Site. It is not appropriate to scout the trial location prior to the trial date.

CLASS TRANSFERS

Transfers to move up must be received no later than 30 minutes after last run each day for the next day. **Transfers to correct** errors in your entry(s) will be accepted no later than the 30 minutes before the scheduled start time each day.

Mailed Transfers and E-mail transfers will be accepted until six pm on Wednesday July 27, 2022.

Transfers must be in writing on Transfer forms available at Secretary's desk during the trial and online at www.mydoggym.com/events and www.AKC.org

ENTRY METHOD: First Received Limited Entry

Opening date Friday, July 1, 2022, 8:00 AM PDT Closing Date Tuesday, July 19, 2022 8:00 pm PDT

Entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and returned to the sender. Entries will be accepted until the close date or **when entry limit reached** whichever occurs first.

A wait list of 10 per trial will be established to replace entries scratched prior to the event date in accordance with AKC Scent Work Rules Chapter 3, Section 17

Event Secretary

Phyllis Dinsmore, c/o My Dogs Gym 6237 Arbordale Dr SE, Salem, OR 97317 Please make checks payable to **My Dogs Gym**





CERTIFICATION

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina DiNardo, Secretary

DIRECTIONS From Interstate 5 either direction, take Exit 256 (Market St). Turn West off the exit (toward McDonalds), Continue to 17th Street and turn left unto 17th. Cross Sunnyview Rd (traffic light) and fairgrounds is on your right. Turn right into the Red Gate. The building on the left is Columbia Hall. Go past Columbia Hall to the parking lot on the left. You may set up inside the building from the East doors facing the parking lot.

Officers of the Pacific NW Scent Work Club

TRIAL CHAIRPERSON	TRIAL SECRETARY
Judi James 6237 Arbordale Dr SE Salem, OR 97317 <u>rainspring.mdg@gmail.com</u> (971) 239-5518	Phyllis Dinsmore c/o My Dogs Gym & TC 6237 Arbordale Dr SE, Salem, OR 97317 mamadevildog@yahoo.com (503) 930-1103

TRIAL COMMITTEE

Judi James, Susan Smith, Phyllis Dinsmore, Nancy Royse, Donna Morgan Murray

EVENT COMMITTEES

Chief Ring Steward: Nancy Royse Score Table: Phyllis Dinsmore

DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all dogs SIX (6) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP), an AKC Canine Partners listing number or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate. Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete.

Dogs with physical challenges Dogs with physical challenges (including amputees) are eligible to participate provided that, in the opinion of the judge, they display no signs of physical discomfort and can safely complete the search. Dogs with bandages, sutures, or visible wounds are not eligible. Deaf dogs and blind dogs are allowed to enter. Dogs that are both deaf and blind are able to participate so long as the handler is in control of the dog at all times, the dog can complete the requirements of the class, and the dog does not appear to be under undue stress in the opinion of the judge. (Chapter 2, Section 3 of the Scent Work Regulations).

VETERINARIAN - EMERGENCY

Salem Veterinary Emergency Clinic 3215 Market St NE, Salem, OR 97301 503-588-8082

From the Red Gate of Fairgrounds: From parking lot turn left unto 17th St. At second light, Turn left unto Market St. The Clinic is on the left behind Dutch Brothers and Nancy Jo's. If you reach the freeway entrance you've gone too far *Approximate drive time 10 minutes (1 mile)*

Exhibitors should follow their own veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Call 911 Fire / Ambulance / Police – Marion County / Keizer Police & Fire

LOCAL HOSPITAL Emergency Services: Salem Hospital 890 Oak St SE, Salem, Oregon 97301

From the Red Gate of Fairgrounds: From parking lot turn Left onto 17th St NE. Continue on 17th St. NE until it dead ends at Mission Street. Turn right unto Mission St and follow signs to Emergency Services.

Salem Hospital Convenient Care 1002 Bellevue St NE, Salem, OR 97301

From the Red Gate of Fairgrounds: From parking lot turn Left 17th St NE. Continue on 17th St. NE until it dead ends at Mission Street. Turn right unto Mission St, stay in right lane and take Off-ramp right onto OR-99 Bus toward City Center/Willamette U. Stay straight to go onto 13th St, Make a U-turn onto OR-99E Bus/OR 22 (.6 mi) to the Convenient Care Clinic.

JUDGES & ASSIGNMENTS

Donna Morgan-Murray #103409 – Woodinville, WA *Hallie McMullen #102416 – Nampa, ID

*Dr. John Strassner #102707, Gilroy, CA

Mary E Clarose #22867, Keaau, HI
Steve Detata #102725, Rancho Santa Margarita, CA
*Victoria Lovejoy #102401 – Orting, WA

* expert judge	Saturday #1	Saturday #2	Sunday	Monday
	2022739307	2022739308	2022739309	2022739310
	200 run limit	250 run limit	250 run limit	unlimited
Container				
Novice A&B	M Clarose	H McMullen	S Detata	Not Offered
Advanced	M Clarose	H McMullen	S Detata	Not Offered
Excellent	Not Offered	H McMullen	S Detata	V Lovejoy
Master	Not Offered	H McMullen	S Detata	V Lovejoy
Interior				
Novice A&B	D Morgan Murray	M Clarose	H McMullen	Not Offered
Advanced	D Morgan Murray	M Clarose	H McMullen	Not Offered
Excellent	Not Offered	S Detata	V Lovejoy	J Strassner
Master	Not Offered	S Detata	V Lovejoy	J Strassner
Exterior				
Novice A&B	J Strassner	H McMullen	M Clarose	Not Offered
Advanced	J Strassner	H McMullen	M Clarose	Not Offered
Excellent	Not Offered	V Lovejoy	H McMullen	D Morgan Murray
Master	Not Offered	V Lovejoy	H McMullen	D Morgan Murray
Buried				
Novice A&B	D Morgan Murray	V Lovejoy	M Clarose	Not Offered
Advanced	D Morgan Murray	V Lovejoy	M Clarose	Not Offered
Excellent	Not Offered	V Lovejoy	J Strassner	S Detata
Master	Not Offered	V Lovejoy	J Strassner	S Detata
Detective	Not Offered	S Detata	J Strassner	H McMullin
Handler Discriminati	ion			
Novice A&B	J Strassner	S Detata	D Morgan Murray	Not Offered
Advanced	J Strassner	S Detata	D Morgan Murray	Not Offered
Excellent	Not Offered	S Detata	D Morgan Murray	H McMullin
Master	Not Offered	S Detata	D Morgan Murray	H McMullin

TENTATIVE RUN ORDER

Trial 1 & Trial 2 Nov/Advanced will run concurrently for each element/level to extent possible

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Saturday	Sunday	Monday		
Detective Exterior/Interior Nov, Adv, Exc, Mas	Detective Exterior/Interior Nov, Adv, Exc, Mas	Detective Container/Buried Excellent/Master		
Break	Break	Handler Discrimination Exc/Mas		
Handler Discrimination - All levels Container/Buried Nov, Adv, Exc, Mas	Handler Discrimination - All levels Container/Buried Nov, Adv, Exc, Mas	Exterior/Interior Excellent/Master		

Judging assignments may be adjusted to allow load balancing after the close of entries. Any assignment change will be noted in the judging program and provided to all competitors

We will use Agilitygate app for checkin and on demand update of run order. More details will be posted in the judging program. But go to your phone's store and download the purple Agilitygate app

ENTRY FEES

An entry is defined as a single run by a single dog in a single class. Entry fee includes a \$3.50 per run AKC recording fee.

Fee for each entry \$27 except

Detective Class \$50

Mail entry forms and fees to:

Phyllis Dinsmore, Trial Secretary c/o My Dogs Gym 6237 Arbordale Dr SE, Salem, OR 97317 Please make checks payable to the **My Dogs Gym**

No entries will be accepted by phone, fax, or electronic means except as detailed below. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Trial Secretary Phyllis Dinsmore at mamadevildog@yahoo.com. No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance. ALL checks received will be deposited and must clear to be considered a valid entry.

Electronic entry forms will be accepted with payment by credit card (Debit too!) Your card statement will show a charge to *My Dogs Gym*

Or enter online https://form.jotform.com/Rainspring/july-2022-pnw-sw-club-entry-form
This form will NOT be active until July 1, 2022, 8:00 AM PT
or after Close Date July 19, 2022, 8:00 pm PT
or when entry limit is reached whichever is first.

Returned Checks/Declined Transactions Trial Secretary will add a \$25 service charge for any returned check or declined credit card transaction. Subsequent returned checks from the same exhibitor may result in being placed on a CASH ONLY basis.

Illegible entries will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks and declined credit card transactions do not constitute a valid entry and the Trial Secretary will add a \$25.00 collection fee to the amount of such entries. **ALL checks received will be deposited and must clear to be considered a valid entry.**

REFUNDS

No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee. **Dogs pulled after closing** because of injury or other medical condition are not eligible for a refund.

Bitches in season will be refunded the full entry fee less a \$5 per trial processing fee. Notification in writing must be given to the trial secretary no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class of the day of each trial. Refunds will be mailed after completion of the trial.



A note about fees from the Pacific NW Scent Work Club The first trials in the Pacific NW were more than five years ago. We know so much more about the effort and space required for a quality all breed and all element scent work trial than back then, but the fees have stayed the same. Just as everything else is going up since the pandemic, it's time to raise fees for our scent work trials or start offering less. So yes, it's going to cost a bit more for our events. But because we have, we are able to offer a more convenient and comfortable staging area for everyone and well qualified friendly judges. Thank you for your continued support of our events.

CLASSIFICATIONS

Novice A Classes are open to dogs who have not completed any title for that particular element, who have not completed a comparable title with another organization, and whose handlers are neither Scent Work judges, nor have ever worked as professional detection dog handlers.

Novice B Classes are open to all dogs.

Advanced Classes are open to dogs who have achieved the Novice title for that particular element.

Excellent Classes are open to dogs who have achieved the Advanced title for that particular element.

Master Classes are open to dogs that have achieved the Excellent title for that particular element.

Detective class is open to dogs who have achieved a Master title in any Odor Element.

Handler Discrimination classes are titling classes in which the targeted scent is that of the handlers themselves. Handlers are required to provide their own scented articles in a plastic bag. For the Novice class, one cotton glove or cotton sock, for Advanced, Excellent, and Master, cotton balls or cotton swabs. Three qualifying scores are required to earn titles in each class. Handlers may utilize any method to scent their article except by applying oils used for Odor elements. Suggestions include rubbing the article on the handler's body or storing the item in dirty laundry.

Dogs may enter up to **two (2) difficulty levels in each element**, in each trial. Dogs may only enter a class once in each event. A class is defined as a particular difficulty level within a particular element, *For example, a dog may run in both Novice B and Advanced Interior in the same trial, but may not run in Novice Interior twice in the same trial.* **Dogs may only enter classes** for which they are eligible according to the above guidelines. Dogs that have previously earned the same or higher level AKC Scent Work titles may also enter lower level classes.

SEARCH AREA AND RING CONDITIONS

Search Area Conditions. Searches may be indoors, on matted, carpeted, or tiled surfaces, or outdoors on grass, gravel, earth, concrete, or asphalt surfaces. This facility is ADA accessible throughout.

Search Area Sizes Refer to the Scentwork Regulations for search area sizes and other requirements. Search areas may be of any shape and of the size specified in the Regulations for each class.

Exhibitors MUST check-in for each trial in which they are entered. Time listed are approximate and may change after entries close or on the day of trial. Check schedule included with your entry confirmation to be sure.

STAGING AREA, HANDLER'S BRIEFING, AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

Staging Area will be in the climate controlled Columbia Hall including check-in, warm-up and waiting area, as well as the secretary table for posting of running order, results, and ribbons. Public restrooms will also be in this area. Crating space will be available on first come first claimed basis; gear may be left inside overnight. Please be considerate of other exhibitors and make economical use of the available space. Reactive or noisy dogs may be asked to stage from their vehicles.

Dog exercise Area – will be designated grass areas east of Columbia Hall. Dogs must remain on leash at all times and handlers must practice social distance of at least 6 feet between humans. No parking except in the asphalt lot east of Columbia Hall without permission of event chair. **Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s).** Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Event Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show grounds.

A **Handlers Briefing** will be conducted onsite by the judge as you enter the search area. There will be a group briefing prior to the start of each day's judging and will include a walkthrough of the area.

Warm-up Area One labelled container per target odor being used in the trial on that day will be placed in the warm-up area. This will allow handler-dog teams to prepare themselves for the search prior to their run. Each team should limit their warm-up to two minutes or less so that others may be able to use the warm-up area as well. The warm-up area is not for training or relieving of the dog. (Chapter 5, Section 34 of the Scent Work Regulations).

Trial Site. It is not appropriate to scout the trial location prior to the trial date. Many search locations are real-life environments and such visits may risk the host losing the opportunity to use the location in the future. (Chapter 3, Section 15 of the Scent Work Regulations).

Possession of Odors and Training. Chapter 5, Section 35 of the Scent Work Regulations state "No person other than those engaged in the administration of a trial shall be in possession of any target odor when on the trial grounds. There shall be no training on the grounds of the AKC Scent Work trial, other than the designated warm-up area".

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

All prizes and ribbons must be claimed day of the show. None will be mailed or otherwise distributed.

Placement ribbons will be awarded in each class as follows:

First Place	Blue
Second Place	Red
Third Place	Yellow
Fourth Place	White
Qualifying Score	Dark Green
A special qualifying ribbon will be awarded each te	

A **New Element Title rosette** will be awarded to teams finishing an Element title.

A **New Level Title rosette** will be awarded to teams finishing a Level title.

High in Trial (HIT) Teams earning High in Trial in each level will receive a HIT rosette. (Offered at all events)

Only teams who participate in all elements in the same difficulty level offered (Container, Interior, Exterior, and Buried), and qualify in each element, are eligible to win **High in Trial**. One HIT winner is chosen for **each level**; there is not a separate HIT for the Novice A and Novice B sections. The HIT is determined by adding each team's faults across the elements.

<u>High Combined Division Trial (HCD)</u> Teams earning High Combined Division in each level will receive a HIT rosette. (Offered Saturday & Sunday only)

<u>High Combined Division Trial (HCD)</u> Teams earning High Combined Division in each level will receive a HCD rosette. (Offered Saturday & Sunday only.) Teams who participate in all elements including Handler Discrimination in the same difficulty level offered (Container, Interior, Exterior, Buried, and Handler Discrimination), and qualify in each element, are eligible to win the HCD award. One HCD winner is chosen for **each level**; there is not a separate HCD for the Novice A and Novice B sections. The HCD is determined by adding each team's faults across the elements.

Ties If there is a tie based on faults for any award, then each team's times across the elements will be summed and the faster-finishing team wins.

SPECIAL HIGH COMBINED AWARD Teams competing in Detective and at least three Master level elements may earn a Special High Combined in Trial award by qualifying in all elements entered. Team with the least faults and most Qualifying scores each day will earn this award. If there is a tie it will be broken by each team's times across the elements will be summed Then divided by the number of Q's. Team with the shortest average time per Q wins. **Offered Sunday & Monday**

LODGING NEAR THE SITE

HOTELS

Rates and pet information are subject to change. Please confirm details when making reservations.



La Quinta Inn & Suite, 890 Hawthorne Ave SE, Salem, OR · (503) 391-7000 Days Inn Black Bear, 1600 Motor Ct NE, Salem, OR (503) 581-1559 Motel 6, 3195 Portland Rd NE, Salem, OR 97301 (503) 371-8024 Best Western Mill Creek 3125 Ryan Dr SE, Salem, OR 97301 (503) 585-3332

RV Campground: HeeHee Illahee RV Resort, 4751 Astoria St NE, Salem, OR 97305 503-463-6641

DO NOT LEAVE DOGS UNATTENDED AT ANY TIME

VOLUNTEERS

A successful trial depends on the help of its volunteers.

Please let us know if you would like to help in any of the following areas.

Job Descriptions

Note: many volunteer positions require walking, standing and bending. *May be sit down jobs.

Chief Steward – organizes, trains, deploys volunteers throughout event. May also work the gate or score table.

Element Set up – Ensures all setup is complete for assigned Element, at the Judges direction, including line of site, start lines, boundary marking. *Friday afternoon, Saturday afternoon, Sunday afternoon*

Clean up – Site preparation for the next day, removal and loading of all trial gear at Trial(s) completion.

- *Timer Timing competitor runs. Timer may not time a class in which he or she is exhibiting.
- *Gate Steward Managing flow for the trial element area, assisting competitors positioning pre-search.
- *Judges Steward Bring competitors to the start line, remind them of the time limit and leash options for the search. Cleanup between competitors may be required, including sweeping, vacuuming, or returning spilled sand to the container, and mopping slopped water.

HD Hide Steward (includes Hot Box Steward) must wear latex or nitrile gloves when handling odor containers/boxes, etc. to prevent contamination Handles and places hides for handler scented item at the Judge's direction.

Score Runner - carries score sheets from search areas to Score Table throughout the trial.

*Registration – Check in of arriving Competitors and Volunteers. Assistance at Score Table with verification of score sheet completion before data entry.

Volunteer Application						
Experience Level	Days Available	Availability				
		-				
	☐ Friday set-up	☐ Morning				
☐ Very Experienced	□ Saturday	☐ Afternoon				
☐ Some Experience	□ Sunday	☐ All Day				
☐ I want to Learn	☐ Monday					
	☐ Monday teardown	Exhibiting? 🗆 Yes 🗆 No				
Don't worry – we train		More than 1 Dog?				
		☐ Yes ☐ No				
Email	•	Cell Phone				
		4				
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	Experience Level Very Experienced Some Experience I want to Learn Don't worry – we train Email Ge/Gate Stewards & Timers \$ with Chief Steward and help for	Experience Level Days Available Friday set-up Saturday Some Experience I want to Learn Don't worry – we train Days Available Friday set-up Saturday Monday Sunday Monday				

Send completed application to Trial Secretary at address listed elsewhere in the premium list Or submit an online volunteer applicn https://form.jotform.com/Rainspring/scent-work-volunteer-request

Questions? Contact Chief Steward Nancy Royse, EM: nancymroyse@gmail.com