

PREMIUM LIST
Pacific NW Scent Work Club
Holiday Trials



Saturday, Sunday, Monday December 14,15,16, 2024

Event 2024739307, 2024739308, 2024739309

Trial Hours 7 am to 6 pm each day

Entries Open Monday, November 11, 2024, 8:00 AM PT

Entries Close Date Monday, December 2, 2024, 8:00 pm PT

Or when entry limit is reached, whichever occurs first.

Saturday & Sunday, Unlimited Entry

*All Elements and All levels including Handler Disc, but **NO DETECTIVE***

Monday Entry Limited to 200, First Received Method

*All Odor Elements, All Levels **PLUS DETECTIVE**, but **NO Handler Disc**.*

Event Location

Delashmutt Arena Complex, Yamhill County Fairgrounds

2070 Lafayette Av McMinnville OR 97128

Trials to be held Indoors/Outdoors

Directions to site from I-5 Drive to Salem and take exit 253 (Hwy 22 W) and go toward Salem. Take ramp to right toward OR-99E-BR/Willamette University/City Center. Stay to right onto 12th St. and turn left on Center St. and continue west and move into left lanes to follow signs for HWY 99W Ocean Beaches. Go 9.6 miles and take ramp for Rickreall then left off exit onto N Pacific Hwy W (OR99W) toward Amity. Go approximately 18 miles and turn right onto SW Baker St (OR99W-N) about 3.5 mi, then right onto Lafayette Av. Fairgrounds entrance on right about half a mile. As you go up the hill, the big Red building on left is the Delashmutt Arena, unloading and parking is to the left behind the building. *Note: this is the easiest and usually quickest route but there are many ways to get to McMinnville.*

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 30 minutes before the scheduled start time each day.**

Mailed Transfers and E-mail transfers must include both owner and dog name, specific class entered and the change to be accepted until **six pm on Wednesday December 11, 2024.**

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

Event Secretary

Phyllis Dinsmore, c/o MDG Event Services

6237 Arbordale Dr SE, Salem, OR 97317

Please make checks payable to MDG Event Services



**AMERICAN
KENNEL CLUB**

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

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(971) 239-5518

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TRIAL COMMITTEE

Judi James, Susan Smith, Phyllis Dinsmore, Nancy Royse, Nicole Wright
Donna Morgan-Murray Jenny Barbee

VETERINARIAN - EMERGENCY

Emergency Veterinary Clinic of Tualatin
8250 SW Tonka St , Tualatin OR
(503) 691-7922

From Fairgrounds, turn Right on Lafayette Ave, Right on OR-99W, Left on OR18/Newberg Dundee Bypass, Left on OR-219/S St Paul Hwy, Right on S Springbrook Rd, Right on OR 99W/Portland Rd, Right on SW Sherwood Tualatin Rd, Right on SW Boones Ferry Rd, Left on Warm Springs St, Left on Tonka, Turn right and keep right to get onto road.

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 – Yamhill County

LOCAL HOSPITAL Emergency Services: Willamette Valley Medical Center
2700 SE Stratus Av McMinnville OR 97128

From Fairgrounds turn Left on Lafayette Av continue onto NE Johnson then, turn Left on NE 34d St, Continue onto NE Three Mile Lane, Merge onto OR 18 E/NE Three Mile Lane, Turn right onto SE Norton Lane, Hospital on your left.



JUDGES & ASSIGNMENTS AFTER LOAD BALANCING				
Tracy Hill – Richland WA #106627 Victoria Lovejoy - W. Richland, WA #102401 Donna Morgan Murray – Woodinville WA #103409		Carla Slabaugh – Wenatchee WA #115581 Valerie Rappleyea – Wasilla AK #102442 Nicole Wright - Hubbard OR #106650		
<i>Italic: Permit Judge</i>		Saturday December 14, 2024	Sunday December 15, 2024	Monday December 16, 2024
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		unlimited	unlimited	200
Container				
Novice A&B		Valerie Rappleyea	Carla Slabaugh	Nicole Wright
Advanced		Valerie Rappleyea	Carla Slabaugh	Nicole Wright
Excellent		Valerie Rappleyea	Valerie Rappleyea	Nicole Wright
Master		Valerie Rappleyea	Valerie Rappleyea	Nicole Wright
Interior				
Novice A&B		Carla Slabaugh	Vicky Lovejoy	Valerie Rappleyea
Advanced		Donna Morgan Murray	Vicky Lovejoy	Valerie Rappleyea
Excellent		Nicole Wright	Vicky Lovejoy	Valerie Rappleyea
Master		Donna Morgan Murray	Nicole Wright	Valerie Rappleyea
Exterior				
Novice A&B		Vicky Lovejoy	Carla Slabaugh	Vicky Lovejoy
Advanced		Vicky Lovejoy	Carla Slabaugh	Vicky Lovejoy
Excellent		Tracy Hill	Donna Morgan Murray	Vicky Lovejoy
Master		Tracy Hill	Donna Morgan Murray	Vicky Lovejoy
Buried				
Novice A&B		Carla Slabaugh	Tracy Hill	Donna Morgan Murray
Advanced		Carla Slabaugh	Tracy Hill	Donna Morgan Murray
Excellent		Tracy Hill	Nicole Wright	Donna Morgan Murray
Master		Nicole Wright	Tracy Hill	Donna Morgan Murray
Detective		Not offered	Not offered	Tracy Hill
Handler Discrimination				
Novice A&B		Vicky Lovejoy	Valerie Rappleyea	Not offered
Advanced		Vicky Lovejoy	Valerie Rappleyea	Not offered
Excellent		Vicky Lovejoy	Valerie Rappleyea	Not offered
Master		Vicky Lovejoy	Valerie Rappleyea	Not offered
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.				
Photography by KL Pet Prints KL Pet Prints will be on site taking photos of dogs at this event. These photos will be available for purchase following the trial at KL Pet Prints (zenfolio.com). If you have a specific class you would like her to capture for you, email her in advance at klpetprints@frontier.com				
There will be no Videographer on site. Exhibitors may with Judge's permission have someone video their own search(s) on their personal phone or camera for their own use. No other individuals will be allowed to photograph or video searches at this event. See Regulations for AKC Scent Work Chapter 3, Section 14.				

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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 \$30

Detective (Monday Only) \$55

Mail entry forms and fees to:

Phyllis Dinsmore, Trial Secretary c/o MDG Event Services

6237 Arbordale Dr SE, Salem, OR 97317

Please make checks payable to the **MDG Event Services**

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 *MDG Event Services* **NO ADDITIONAL FEE FOR ELECTRONIC ENTRY**

enter online <https://form.jotform.com/Rainspring/scent-work-entry-form-Yamhill>

Unlimited Entry Saturday & Sunday

Entries received prior to the opening date of Monday, November 11, 2024 8:00 AM PT or after Close Date Monday, December 2, 2024 8 PM PT will be rejected

LIMITED ENTRY MONDAY TRIAL ONLY, First Received Method

Entries received prior to the opening date of November 11, 2024 8:00 AM PT will be rejected

CLOSING DATE FOR MONDAY TRIAL is December 2, 2024 8 PM PT or when entry limit is reached, whichever comes first. *If entry limit is reached prior to December 2, no Monday entry may be withdrawn for refund unless there is a wait listed entry to replace it.*

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



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.

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 event, but may not run in Novice Interior twice in the same event.* **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.

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 (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).

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SEARCH AREA AND RING CONDITIONS

Search Area Conditions. Searches may be indoors, on matted, carpeted, tiled or dirt 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. *Times 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.*

REAL TIME CHECKIN & Updates *We use Agility Gate to manage the check in process. Be sure to download the purple app to your phone before the event. Event code will be listed in the judging program.*

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

Staging Area will be in your vehicles throughout this event. There will be a designated area inside Delashmutt Arena where check-in and list of each day's search areas, as well as the secretary table for posting of running order, results, and ribbons. Public restrooms will also be in this area. Lunch, snacks, and bottled water also in this area. Preliminary Results will be posted and ribbons available for pick up. There is no indoor crating at this event.

Dog exercise Area – will be designated grass areas. Dogs must remain on leash at all times and handlers must give other dogs at least SIX feet of space between each other. No parking except in official parking lots. **NO Flexi-leads** on the grounds unless handler opts to use in a search area.

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.

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



Event Results Preliminary results are posted as soon as we enter results. You may pick up your ribbons based on preliminary results when available. We enter results from the actual judges score sheets and Phyllis rarely makes an error.

BUT they are **preliminary results** and may change after the judge reviews each and every one of them. Often that doesn't happen until after everyone is gone for the day. If you think there is an error, please let the information desk know and we'll follow up on it with the judge when we can. If no one is there, just grab a transfer form and leave us a note that includes your name, dog name, element

and class, and armband number.

DO NOT track down the judge to ask about a result change while judging is in progress.

DO NOT HARASS OR DISTURB THE SECRETARY. Each interruption adds about 10 minutes to the delay in posting results.

Doing either of those things may result in a trial committee hearing for unsportsmanlike conduct prejudicial to the sport.

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 **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. *Note there are different rosettes for completing an HD level title as well as a Master or Excellent level title.*

High in Trial (HIT) Teams earning High in Trial in each level will receive a HIT rosette. 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.

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.

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR

More events hosted by Us, all subject to AKC approval

April 26-27, 2025 Cowlitz County Fairgrounds, Longview Washington

Clumber Spaniel Club of America is hosting limited all breed **SCENT WORK**. MDG Event Services is the event secretary

June 14-15, 2025 Cowlitz County Fairgrounds, Longview Washington

Greater Clark County Kennel Club is hosting a performance weekend that will include Junior Showcase, Obedience, Rally, Farm Dog, Temperament Test, Fetch, FAST Cat, and **SCENT WORK** MDG Event Services is the event secretary

July 26,27,28, 2025 Oregon State Fairgrounds, Salem, Oregon by PNW Scent Work Club

Scent Work at a great site, plenty of shade, air conditioning for crate area, Lunch on site, and great judges and searches! Unlimited entry, on site RV parking (electric only) – not fancy, but convenient.

December 13, 14, 15, 2025 Yamhill County Fairgrounds, McMinnville by PNW Scent Work Club

We had so much fun last year, we're doing it again.

VOLUNTEERS

It takes all of us to make an event run smoothly and make it a pleasant day for everyone. So please volunteer to help when you can. We do our best to build the schedule to allow down time for everyone, and your help to direct exhibitors, aid in set up or tear down of search areas, and even helping set out stuff for lunch is much appreciated and needed. If you have a friend or family member who rides along and can time a class or two that's a big bonus for all.

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.

Now do I sign up? Submit an online volunteer application: <https://form.jotform.com/Rainspring/SW-volunteer-request> or check yes when asked on entry form. No experience necessary, we gladly train. Our Chief Steward will be in touch with you to find the best spot for you to help us!

LODGING NEAR THE SITE

HOTELS

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

Best Western McMinnville Inn 2035 SW Hwy 99W, McMinnville, OR 97128 503-472-4900

Red Lion Inn & Suites 2535 NE Cumulus Avenue, McMinnville, OR 97128 503-472-1500

McMinnville Inn 381 NE Hwy 99W, McMinnville, OR 97128 503-472-5187

Motel 6 2065 SW Hwy 99W, McMinnville, OR 97128 503-472-9493

Comfort Inn & Suites 2520 SE Stratus Ave, McMinnville, OR 97128 503 472-1700

Yamhill County Fairgrounds RV Parking Dry camping with electricity \$100, for Friday, Saturday, Sunday. No refund for days not used. Reservation is subject to space availability on a first come, first parked basis. Parking is in the gravel lot behind the barns and outdoor rodeo arena. No water or sewage hook-ups. There is a dump station about 1.5 miles from the fairgrounds. The Shower House will be open for your use and there are a couple of frost free taps on the grounds if you need to fill with potable water.



Reserve now: <https://form.jotform.com/Rainspring/RV-Parking-Reservation>

ATTENTION EXHIBITORS: By signing your entry form, you agree to abide by the Rules & Regulations of the American Kennel Club. This includes, & is not limited to, any & all expectations set forth by these Hotels.

DO NOT LEAVE DOGS UNATTENDED AT ANY TIME

Lunch on the Grounds each day

Join us for light, hot lunch prepared by club hosts Nothing fancy just hot soup and salad with cookies and some fruit	
<i>Saturday will be Creamy Tomato Rice Soup</i> <i>Sunday will be Chicken Corn Chowder</i> <i>Monday will be Hearty Chicken Noodle</i> <i>Ice Tea & Water too</i>	Feel free to bring Christmas cookies and treats to share with your SW friends.
\$12/person each day if ordered by closing date. \$17/person each day if ordered before 12/11 You'll find a spot on the entry form to pre-pay	

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