

Advanced Tracking Club of WA Inc.

Introduction to Tracking



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SUNDAY APRIL 7th 9.00am

Advanced Tracking Club of WA Inc. (ATC) welcomes and extends an invitation for this season, to those people who have an interest in Tracking, with their dog that has had no previous experience in the sport of Tracking. After the Induction regular early Saturday morning training commences dependent on weather. The training area used by Advanced Tracking Club of WA is known as "Mariginiup" and parts of Melaleuca, located off Neeves Road between Bullsbrook and Joondalup. Training for the Tracking season runs every Saturday morning from April to September and begins promptly from 7am. Tracking is an 'All Weather Winter Sport' come rain, shine or cold there is training.

Details required in your EOI "Expression of Interest" a brief overview stating:

Your name in full & Mobile number, (*must be over 18 years of age.*)

- your dogs breed.
- Dogs age, any temperament issues, people friendly?
- Previous and current training experience you have or are currently doing with your dog.
- Your goals in tracking – be it pleasure or competition.
- One dog, one person.

ATC's annual Introduction to Tracking can accept up to a maximum of 20 dogs.

Cost for attendance at the Introduction Day is **\$20 per person**, payable on acceptance one week before attending.

Program Agenda.

SUNDAY APRIL 7th at 9.30am to 12noon

Introduction Day - to be held at "Dogs West", Lower Grounds and Meeting Room 4. Corner of Ranford and Warton Roads Canning Vale.

During this session your dog will be imprinted on human scent followed by a Question and Answer (Q & A) over refreshments. Here you will have the opportunity to satisfy your questions, and become an ATC Member *before* the Induction, which is in preparation to commence training in State Forest at Mariginiup **SATURDAY 13th April 2024**

9.30am to 10am

Registration.

10am to 10.15am

Welcome. Brief Orientation. What is my dog tracking, scent, environment, motivation, positive reinforcement, and rewards.

10.20 to 11.00am

Imprint each dog.

11.00 to 11.30

Refreshments, Q & A, ATC Membership.

11.30-12.30

Induction only for newly Registered and paid Members.

If you decide after the imprinting of all dogs, you would like to become a member of Advanced Tracking Club of WA and train this season (April to September), completion of ATC Membership Form and payment of membership fees, \$50 Single, \$75 Family Membership. plus \$50 Training Fee, is payable before the Induction, either by cash or by bank transfer. Attendance at the following Induction plus your commitment for your attendance for the first 6 consecutive weeks as a minimum is a requirement. Weekly training will commence on site at ATC's regular Tracking location (weather dependent) in the beautiful Mariginiup State Forest and Parkland, (directions will be given at induction).

Email your Expression of Interest (EOI) to dibolger@inet.net.au To avoid lost emails **Subject line: EOI TRACKING. please**

EOI WILL CLOSE SATURDAY 26th MARCH 2024

Successful applicants will be advised by email. This email will ask for further information to complete your Registration.

Information will need to be returned by email by **31st March 2024** and will include things such as

ie Vaccination Certificate, Address, contact **details etc.**