

# Performance Scent Dogs Trial in Greenville, SC



**Saturday & Sunday,  
July 13 & 14, 2019  
Premium List**



## **DOG DAYS OF SUMMER TRIAL**

Hosted by

**The Puppy Nanny**

And

**K-9 Capabilities Nosework Training**

Trial Location:

**Golden Strip Career Center  
1120 East Butler Rd.  
Greenville, SC 29607**

**Trial Judges: Rosana Dropkin (Lead Judge) & Sandy Farrey**

**TARGET ODOR TESTS:** Birch, Anise & Clove both days

**CLASSES & LEVELS OFFERED:**

**Sat Novice:** Buildings, Containers, Distance, Exteriors, Speed

**Sat Advanced:** Buildings, Exteriors

**Sun Novice:** Buildings, Containers, Distance, Exteriors, Speed

**Sun Advanced:** Distance, Speed

**DIVISIONS OFFERED:** FEO, Standard and Metallic

**ENTRY FEES: TOT: \$15 ~ Classes: \$20 ~ Day of Trial if not filled: TOT \$20 / Classes \$25**

***We will only be accepting online entries for this trial. You can pay with a credit card or choose the "Pay Later" option and mail a check.***

**Trail secretary; Sue Conklin - [puppynanny@bellsouth.net](mailto:puppynanny@bellsouth.net)**

Please email the trial secretary if you have any questions about this trial.

***PLEASE be sure to read your final confirmation email from Trial Secretary that you will receive about a week before the trial, with running order details and site specific information including what time to arrive.***

**Crating:** There is indoor crating at this site. Space may not be suitable for reactive dogs.

**Entry open date: Wed. June 12, 2019, 7am EST**  
**Entry close date: Wed. July 3, 2019** or when classes fill  
Entries are limited and accepted on a first received basis until classes fill.

**Doors open:** 8:00am; Judges briefing: 8:30am; First dog on the line: 9:00am  
Trial will take place indoors and outdoors

**Day of Show** entries accepted if runs are still available

**All entries will be made on line at [www.performancescentdogs.com](http://www.performancescentdogs.com)**

Entries are on a first-received basis and must be received by Wed. July 3, 2019

*By registering for this trial, you agree to the Release of Liability Waiver at the end of this document.*

**Volunteers** will help our trial run smoothly. We need Timers, Gate Stewards, Score Runners, and others. No Experience Required! No need to give up a day-volunteers get to run first in their class if needed. Thanks in advance for your help!

**Scott Bedenbaugh of Pix2go will be on hand to take professional videos of searches.**

#### **CANCELLATIONS / MOVE UPS / CHANGES:**

- Cancellations received on or before Wed July 3, 2019, full refund
- Cancellations received on or after Wed July 3, 2019, there is **NO** refund, including no-shows
- If you earn a title in the entered class before this trial, please contact me no later than Wednesday, July 3, 2019 in writing via email for move ups, changes or refunds. After that date, no changes or refunds will be made.
- Next-day move ups for those who qualify at this trial from Novice to Advanced or Advanced to Excellent in the same class will be allowed, but must be submitted before 5pm on Saturday to the Trial Secretary

**Performance Scent Dogs** is a national scent work non-profit organization dedicated to growing the sport of scent detection. Permission has been granted by Performance Scent Dogs, Inc. for the holding of this Scent Work Event under PSD Rules and Regulations.

**The PSD Rulebook can be found at [www.performancescentdogs.com](http://www.performancescentdogs.com)**

*Please review it before entering and trialing.*

#### **FUN FACTS ABOUT PSD**

- \*Pick and choose what classes are right for your dog
- \* Videotaping allowed \* Earn legs toward titles \* Competitor feedback encouraged
- \* Watch and root for other competitors \* Enter more than one dog
- \* Turn any search at any time into training by asking the judge the location of the hide
- \* Spend time with your dog in a welcoming atmosphere
- » *Spread the word about what an amazing activity scent work is for all kinds of dogs* «

#### **Come and have FUN with your dog!**

**Who can compete in a trial?** Any and all dogs that are 10 months or older, on the day of the trial or the Target Odor Test (TOT), are eligible to compete. All dogs must have their current Rabies vaccination and other vaccinations recommended by your veterinarian.

**Do I Need to Register with PSD?** PSD registers dogs not people. A \$30 registration fee is good for the lifetime of the dog and can be done instantly on-line.

**How do I register my dogs with PSD?** Please visit [www.performancescentdogs.com](http://www.performancescentdogs.com) or mail your \$30.00 registration fee (per dog) payable to Performance Scent Dogs. Please include your information (Name, Address, Email, Phone) as well as your dog's information (Name, Breed, date of dog birth).

**Performance Scent Dogs, Inc. PO Box 401026  
Cambridge, MA 02140**

**How many dogs can I enter?** : A handler can run multiple dogs in TOTs at any trial/match. At this trial, each handler can run one dog in each class including duplicate classes. 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> dogs in the same class can run FEO.

**What if I don't pass the TOT? You** can still play!! Dogs must pass a Target Odor Test (TOT) for Birch in order to compete in the Novice level of the Standard Division, and pass a TOT for Anise and for Clove to compete in the Advanced level. However, if you do not pass you are still allowed to enter the trial as FEO (For Exhibition Only) for the day.

**My dog has a Nose Work title from a different organization, do I have to pass a TOT?** If you already have passed an odor test in another scent work organization, you do not have to take the TOT. Dogs with a NW3, SDDA Excellent or UKC Level 5 title may skip the Novice level and start PSD at the Advanced level. *Please send a copy of your test results to [info@performancescentdogs.com](mailto:info@performancescentdogs.com) in order to register.*

**Can I watch other competitors?** Yes you can watch, either after you run or you can watch a different level compete.

**Can my friend videotape my searches?** Yes! And you may post them anywhere you like.

**How do I enter this trial?** All entries must be made on the PSD website. Entries are on a first-received basis. Entries close on July 3, 2019. After entering online you may choose to mail a check instead of paying online by credit card by choosing "Pay Later". Please note that each day is considered a separate trial. To enter both days you will have to click on the link for the individual dates and enter each day separately. If paying by credit card instead of check, you will be charged for each day in a separate transaction.

**Please note-** If paying by mail, your check must be received no later than 7 days after your online entry or before trial close date, whichever comes first, in order to hold your spot in the trial.

*Please make checks payable to The Puppy Nanny and mail to:*

**The Puppy Nanny 113 E College St. Simpsonville, SC 29681**

*There will be a \$25 fee for returned checks. Do not make checks payable to PSD.*

**Awards:** Rosette placement ribbons will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> place as well as new titles. Ribbons will be awarded for Q's in all classes, including TOTs.

We are excited to offer special recognition for those dogs displaying consistency and stamina over the course of a single trial day. We will be offering the coveted **Iron Nose Award** each day to dogs that qualify in all 5 classes! The Iron Nose is awarded to any dog that can Q in each class offered at any level or mix of levels. (TOTs and FEO runs are not counted toward qualifications for Iron Nose awards).

**Collars:** Any collar is allowed on the grounds except electronic or scent spraying collars. Only a flat, or martingale collar or leashes attached to a dead ring or harness are permitted to be used during a search. No hanging tags on collars (may be on harnesses) while searching. All dogs must be leashed at all times, except during an off-leash search.

**Crating:** There is indoor crating at this site. Space may not be suitable for reactive dogs.

**Parking:** Parking is in a blacktop parking lot in front of the main building. There is very limited shade, so please bring shade cloths, fans and other items to keep your dogs cool and comfortable if you plan on crating your dog in your car. Please watch for cones or signs indicating an area is off limits for parking. We will have a separate area for those wishing to run their vehicles or generators.

**RVs:** There is space for a limited number of RVs to park during the trial day at this site. If you plan to arrive in an RV, please contact Sue Conklin immediately to see if there is still room and to discuss logistics. No overnight RV parking at the trial site.

**Spectators** are invited to come and watch a PSD trial or a match providing there is room for spectators at any given search area. A competitor may request that there be no spectators present.

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**Donations:** A gift basket/gift bag will be raffled off to raise funds for Lucky Pup Rescue. Please support this fund raiser by purchasing a raffle ticket or making monetary contributions in cash or check.

**Food:** There are several dining options in the area- The Lazy Chicken, Arby's, Chin Chin Chinese and Quick Trip are all less than 1 mile.

**Facility:** Golden Strip Career Center is a technical school. Searches will be indoors and outdoors. Please be respectful of this wonderful facility and pick up after your dog.

**Smoking:** There is NO SMOKING at this school, including e-cigarettes.

**Bathroom:** There are bathrooms in the building near the crating room

**Dogs In Need of Space:** The parking area is large and there is plenty of room to spread out. A red bandana is strongly recommended for reactive and dogs in need of space but **please give all dogs space**. Please remember a red bandana indicates the dog may need space from other dogs or people. Volunteers will be onsite to help escort participants to and from the search areas.

## **24h Emergency Vet;**

Animal Emergency Clinic

393 Woods Lake Rd, Greenville · (864) 232-1878

## **Dog Friendly Hotels;**

We have made no arrangements with any hotel. Please contact the hotel directly to confirm their policy.

**Days Inn Simpsonville** (864) 963-7701

45 Ray East Talley Court, Simpsonville, SC 29680

**Quality Inn Simpsonville-Greenville** (864) 963-2777

3755 Grandview Drive, Simpsonville, SC 29680,

**Motel 6 Greenville – Simpsonville** (864) 962-8484

3706 Grandview Drive, Simpsonville, SC 29680,

**La Quinta by Wyndham Greenville Haywood**

65 West Orchard Park Drive Greenville, South Carolina 29615 (864)-233-8018

## **Release of Liability Waiver**

I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of entering this Performance Scent Dogs sanctioned trial, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of Performance Scent Dogs, Inc. in effect at the time of this event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the rulebook dated March 2016 for this event, and further agree to be bound by this liability waiver for all dogs in my care at this event, entered or not.

I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard (dog or human aggressive) to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all Performance Scent Dogs, Inc. Rules and Regulations and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause, which the club shall deem sufficient.

I (we) agree to hold Performance Scent Dogs, Inc., The Puppy Nanny, K9 Capabilities, Golden Strip Career Center, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the afore-mentioned parties harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the afore mentioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog. Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other persons.

## **Waiver of Rights to Privacy, Publicity & Personality**

In consideration of this entry, I hereby grant to Performance Scent Dogs, Inc., The Puppy Nanny, K9 Capabilities, and Golden Strip Career Center, all rights and permissions to use or appropriate my dog and my name, biography, likeness, photograph or other indicia of identity for broadcast, telecast, transmission or distribution in any format or media known now or in the future.