



**The Police K9 Training
Seminar-Civilian Sessions
Hosted by NPCA**

El Conquistador Tucson

10000 North Oracle Road, Tucson AZ 85704

August 22, 2025

National Police Canine Association

Civilian Session

Tucson, Arizona

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Registration Form:

(Please Print or Type as certificate will be produced from information)

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip code: _____

Home: (____) _____ - _____ Cell: (____) _____ - _____

Email: _____ Phone # For Text Messages: _____

Employer: _____

Work Phone: _____

Cost: Seminar Fee - **\$125.00** (all classes) or **\$50.00** per class

Early Registration: Thursday August 21, 2025 -3 pm to 5 pm

Friday Morning late registration-7am

Classes & Instructors:

Training to Prevent False Alerts—Cord Overson-Sgt. Las Vegas PD

Training and Maintaining a Passive Alert—Ryan Sumner-Cpt. Lenexa Police Dept.

Animal Behavior-Kevin Holohan

Human Remains-Kevin Holohan

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Guest Rooms	Single Rate	Double Rate	Triple Rate	Quad Rate
Traditional Guest Rooms	\$123	\$123		

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Booking

Link: <https://www.hilton.com/en/book/reservation/deeplink/?ctyhocn=TUSHTHH&groupCode=NPC817&arrivaldate=2025-08-17&departuredate=2025-08-22&cid=OM,WW,HILTONLINK,EN,DirectLink&fromId=HILTONLINKDIRECT>

Send Registrations to: Katy Farnsworth PO Box 538 Waddell Arizona 85355

Make checks or money orders payable to **N.P.C.A.** for the Seminar, and Membership fees

Check out www.npcatraining.com for more information on the seminar. For membership and payments visit www.npca.net.

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You will experience amazing Classes and Instructors.

Cord Overson: Sergeant Cord Overson is a police officer employed with the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department since 1998. He transferred to full time K9 in 2004 and has been working and training police dogs ever since. In 2017 Cord promoted to Sergeant. Cord and the K9 Training Squad are responsible for all K9 Training at LVMPD including selection and training of new dogs/handlers as well as maintenance training and troubleshooting for certified K9 teams.

Ryan Sumner: Captain Ryan Sumner served as a canine handler at the Lenexa Police Department in Kansas from 2007 to 2022, working with three dual-purpose police dogs. He was also NPCA NC Regional Director from 2012 to 2023 and is an NPCA-certified trainer, instructor, and certifying official. Since 2010, he has supervised the Lenexa Canine Unit and assisted other supervisors, gaining practical experience in training and leadership. Ryan is eager to share his professional insights and lessons learned.

Kevin Holohan: Kevin brings over 19 years of experience as an explosive detection canine handler with the New York State Police, where he managed three patrol and explosive detection canines. He has served as both a canine instructor and examiner across all training disciplines, including human remains detection, and played a key role in developing selection standards for future handlers. Additionally, he has facilitated workshops alongside external instructors to advance the organization's training methodologies. After retiring from the State Police, Kevin transitioned to academia as a professor in the Canine Training and Management degree program at the State University of New York at Cobleskill (SUNY Cobleskill).