Performance Scent Dogs Trial in Spencer, MA Saturday April 14, 2018 Premium List





Hosted by

Lucky Dog Events

Trial Location:

Camp Marshall-

92 McCormick Rd, Spencer MA

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

Target Odor Test:

Birch, Anise and Clove

Trial Classes Offered:

Buildings, Exteriors, Speed, Speed 2 Distance, and Containers

Levels Offered:

Novice, Advanced and Excellent

Divisions Offered:

FEO, Standard and Metallic,

TOT \$15 each all other classes: \$20 each After April 1st all classes are \$25 each.

Trial Judges:

Liz Lynch Rose Decie

Entry open date: Feb 9, 2018

Entry close date: April 4, 2018 or when classes fill Entries are <u>limited</u> and accepted on a first received basis until classes fill. **Day of Show** entries accepted if runs are still available

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 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*Turn any search at any time into training by asking the judge the location of the hide*Enter more than one dog*

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.

What if I don't pass the TOT? You can still play!! Dogs must pass a Target Odor Test (TOT) in order to compete in the Standard Division, 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 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.

Awards: Rosette placement ribbons will be awarded for 1^{st} - 3^{rd} place. Ribbons will be awarded for Q's in all classes, including TOT's. We off an Iron Nose Award for Teams Qualifying in all

classes possible each day (excluding TOT). Perfect weekend Rosettes are awarded for dogs that Q in all 10 regular classes. Metallic dogs will be scored together.

To register your dogs: Please visit 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**

You can register for this trial online at www.performancescentdogs.com or complete this registration form and mail it to the Trial Secretary along with your payment made payable to **Lucky Dog Events**. Entries are on a first-received basis and must be received by April 4th, 2018or when trial fills.

Trial Secretary: Julieanne Bovat
Mail entries to Kim Lewis 56 Wendell Rd, New Salem, Ma 01355
luckydogevents@gmail.com
Please make checks payable to Lucky Dog Events. Do not make checks payable to PSD.

Collars No prong, choke or electric collars are allowed. Only a flat, or martingale collar or leashes attached to a dead ring or harness are permitted to be used during a search. No tags on collars while searching. All dogs must be leashed at all times, except during an off-leash search. NO FLEXI LEASHES unless you are searching.

Crating There will be no inside crating – you will need to work out of your car

Parking Large parking area. Please watch for cone or signs indicating an area is off limits for parking-it may be a search area.

Spectators are invited to come and watch a PSD trial or a match. Spectators please leave your dogs at home.

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. Thanks in advance for your help.

Food - please bring your lunch

Facility, Bathrooms and Water Climate controlled, water and toilets available on site.

Accessibility most areas there are no stairs - if judges decide to use one of the cabins there are 2 to 3 steps

Dogs In Need of Space Please keep dogs 10 feet or more from other dogs. Please remember that PSD does allow reactive dogs to play, this does not mean aggressive dogs. Dogs must be able to potentially wait in an area with other dogs and be in other situations where they are within 4 to 8 feet of other dogs and people Volunteers will be onsite to help escort participants to and from the search area. Red bandanas are not required, but are suggested PLEASE GIVE ALL DOGS SPACE.

Handler running multiple dogs: A handler can run multiple dogs in TOTs at any trial/match. At this trial, a handler may only run one dog in each class, for titling. A second or third dog can run FEO.

24h Emergency Vet

VCA Abbott Animal Hospital 21 E. Mountain Street Worcester Ma.

Phone: 508-853-3350

Changes requested after April1rd will result in a \$5 fee per change. (No charge to move up if you earn a title at a trial between April 1 and April 14) Do not assume I have received your email if you do not receive a reply.

If you enter online, you have 5 days to pay, otherwise you might lose your spot if we are full and there are others on the waiting list. Registering online without payment will not confirm a spot.

Tentative Running order - Subject to change

TOTs

Novice Containers - Novice Speed Advance Containers - Advance Speed Excellent Containers - Excellent Speed

Novice Buildings – Novice Exterior Advance Buildings – Advance Exterior Excellent Buildings – Excellent Exterior

Novice Speed 2 – Novice Distance Advance Speed 2 – Advance Distance Excellent Speed 2 - Excellent Distance

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Handler							
Address							
City			State		Zip		
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Contact							
Dogs Call							
Name							
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April 14 Target Odor Tests (TOT)						
Odor	Birch (\$15)			Clove (\$15)		
Entry						
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Trial Classes Offered (choose a level and a division)

April 14	22	Division			Level		
Entry	FEO	Standard	Metallic	Novice	Advanced	Excellent	
				(\$20 ea)	(\$20 ea)	(\$20 ea)	
Buildings							
Distance							
Speed 1							
Speed 2							
Exteriors							
Containers							
					Total # Runs	: x \$20 =	
					Total Entry Fee	es:	

Division Information:

FEO = For Exhibition Only

Standard = Competing for your title

Metallic = Already received title and competing for Metallic Awards

Entry must be received by April 4, 2018

Checks: Made out to Lucky Dog Events

Please mail to Lucky Dog Events 56 Wendell Rd, New Salem Mass 01355

Release of Liability

Release of Liability Name:
Dog's Name:
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., Lucky Dog Events, 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 a fore 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
Signature:
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Date: