# Performance Scent Dogs Trial – March Madness Scent Trial Sunday March 11, 2018

**Premium List** 





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Hosted by

# **FIT-N-TRIM**

Trial Location: At the Adams Mall

108 Newburyport Turnpike (Route 1) Rowley, MA 01969

Doors open: 7:30 am; Judges briefing: 8:00 am; First dog on the line: 8:15 am . Advanced & Excellent will start once all of Novice is complete Trial will take place indoors only.

> Target Odor Test: Birch, Anise and Clove Trial Classes Offered: Buildings, Speed, Distance (2), and Containers (2) Levels Offered: Novice, Advanced, Excellent Divisions Offered: FEO, Standard and Metallic

TOT and Class Entry Fees: \$13 each (TOT), \$18 each (Classes)

Trial Judges: Rosemary Decie, Judy Pollard

Run Order:

All of Novice – Containers/Distance, Speed/Distance, Buildings/Containers Then Advanced/Excellent - Containers/Distance, Speed/Distance, Buildings/Containers

#### Entry open date: February 5, 2018 Entry close date: March 3, 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 for \$20 each

**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 a=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<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> place. Ribbons will be awarded for Q's in all classes, including TOT's, including title ribbons and medals. Please let us know if you think you may be up for a title.

Fees: TOTs and Classes: \$13 each (TOT), \$18 each (Classes)

**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 **FIT-N-Trim**. Entries are on a first-received basis and <u>must be received by Friday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018.</u> Please note that if you enter online and are mailing a check, it must be received no later than 7 days after you process your entry or before trial close date whichever comes first.

Trial Secretary

Ellen Dana (Ellen Dana@Gmail.com)

Please make checks payable to FIT-N-TRIM and Mail to: 103 Haverhill Street, Rowley, MA 01969 \*\*\*Do not make checks payable to PSD\*\*\*

**Collars** Any collar is allowed on the grounds except 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. <u>No tags</u> on collars while searching. All dogs must be leashed at all times, except during an off-leash search. **No Flexi-Leashes allowed.** 

**Crating** Climate controlled limited indoor crating is available at this location site!!! Please bring your own crate and a waterproof tarp to place under it.

**Parking** Sufficient 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. Please park in front of the building instead of out back. We want to leave this area open for competitors.

**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. Lunch will be provided to those that volunteer.

**Food** Lunch will be provided to those that volunteer. There are several close by places to buy lunch for pick up or delivery. They are less than a five-minute drive away.

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

Accessibility No stairs or steps for entry.

**Dogs In Need of Space** The site has plenty of parking and places to walk dogs at a distance of 10 feet or more. There is a single entrance and exit for interior searches that could be congested. Please note there is a single entry/exit door for all dogs that is all glass so you can see who is coming and going. Dogs in need of space or sensitive to other dogs in the vicinity may not be comfortable at this trial. Volunteers will be onsite to help escort participants to and from the search area. Red bandanas are not required-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. A second or third dog can run FEO.

24h Emergency VetBulger Veterinary Hospital247 Ckickering Rd,North Andover,MA978-682-9905

**Dog Friendly Hotel** We have made no arrangements with any hotel. Hotels below are listed as Dog Friendly.

Motel 6 (12 Miles) 65 Newbury Street (rt 1 North) Danvers MA 01923 978-774-8045

Best Western (11 miles) 50 Dayton Street Danvers, MA 01923 978-777-1700

Hampton Inn (13 Miles) 106 Bank Road (I-495 exit 49) Haverhill, MA 01832 978-374-7755

### Performance Scent Dogs Sanctioned Trial Hosted by FIT-N-Trim March 11, 2018

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Owner							
Handler							
Address							
City			State		Zip		
Email							
Phone							
Emergency							
Contact							
Dogs Call							
Name							
Breed				Sex			
PSD Regist	ration #						

Target Odor Tests (TOT)								
Odor		Birch (\$13)		Anise (\$13)		Clove (\$13)		
Entry								
						TOT x\$13		

# Trial Classes Offered (choose a level and a division)

		Division			Level				
Entry	FEO	Standard	Metallic	Novice	Advanced	Excellent			
				(\$18 ea)	(\$18 ea)	(\$18 ea)			
Buildings									
Distance (1)									
Distance (2)									
Containers (1)									
Containers (2)									
Speed									
Entry must be received by March 3, 2018 – One entry per dog. Total Entry									
Please mail to: Karen Gorman, Fit-N-Trim, 103 Haverhill Fees:x									
Street, Rowley, MA _01969 \$18=									
Checks to: F	IT-N-TF	RIM							

**Division Information**:

**FEO** = For Exhibition Only **Standard** = Competing for your title

Metallic = Already received title and competing for Metallic Awards



#### **RELEASE FORM**

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 FIT-N-TRIM Dog Sport Training, 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 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. and FIT-N-Trim Dog Sport Training 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.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_