

**Camp Maranatha
PSD Scent Work Trials
August 21 and 22, 2021**



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

Hosted by



Trial Location:

Camp Maranatha

19780 W Camp Dr M1.5 Horseshoe Lake Rd

Big Lake AK 99652

<https://akcamp.org> Driving directions on Page 6

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Target Odor Test (TOT) Birch, Anise and Clove

Trial Classes Offered: Buildings, Exteriors, Speed, Distance, and Containers

Levels Offered: Novice, Advanced, Excellent

Divisions Offered: FEO, Standard and Metallic

Trial Judges: Pete and Lisa Summers,

TOT judges, Jean Thomas and Valerie Rappleyea

Entries are limited and accepted on a first received basis until classes fill.

Each day is a separate trial. If you pay online you will be charged for each day separately.

2 ways to enter:

Enter and Pay online at www.performancescentdogs.com

OR: Mail entry form with check to:

Adrienne Levine

PSD Trial Secretary

10208 Thimbleberry Dr

Anchorage, AK 99515

Checks are made payable to Valley K9 Sports (VK9S)

Entry open date: July 1, 2021 8AM
Entry close date: July 31, 2021 or when classes fill
Day of Show entries are not allowed.

Performance Scent Dogs is a registry and certifying organization for the dog sport of scent detection. **Register** your dog online, at www.performancescentdogs.com or by mail - \$30.00 payable to Performance Scent Dogs along with the name, breed, date of birth of the dog, and your information (name, address, phone number, email) **Performance Scent Dogs, Inc., PO Box 401026, Cambridge, MA, 02140**. The \$30.00 registration cost is for the lifetime of the dog. **PSD registers dogs, not handlers.**

Pick and choose what classes are right for your dog Earn legs toward titles* Competitor feedback encouraged *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
Turn any search, at anytime, into training by asking the judge the location of the hide
Come and have FUN with your dog!



TOT will begin at 8:00AM

First dog on the line at 9:00 AM

Trial Committee: Valley K9 Sports
Trial Chair: Terry Schell Wright, Willow, Alaska
Trial Host: Valley K9 Sports
Trial Secretary: Adrienne Levine, Anchorage, AK
Volunteer Coordinator: Terry Schell Wright, Wasilla AK
Please direct your trial questions to Adrienne Levine at adrnlev@gci.net
We are on Facebook at: Performance Scent Dogs of Alaska and Valley K9 Sports

The PSD Rulebook can be found at www.performancescentdogs.com **Please be sure to review it before entering and trialing**

Trial will take place both indoors and outdoors. Be prepared for any weather condition.
Please do not contact or visit the camp. They are a private business and have engagements all summer long.

Venue Rules and Parking: Vehicle crating is required as there is no indoor crating. Pop up tents OK. This is a no-smoking establishment. The trial committee reserves the right to remove any individual for any reason from the premises. Dogs must be kept on leash, crated or safely confined at the vehicle at all times (unless on a search that is approved to be leash optional). **Volunteers will be available from 7:30 AM to direct you to the parking area. If you are signing up for the TOT, please arrive on time for the 8AM start.**

COVID 19 PROTOCOLS ARE IN EFFECT AS FOLLOWS:

1. Masks are optional outdoors. For the comfort and safety of all please practice social distancing outside. Masks will be required indoors during searches
2. Please email pre signed liability waiver/ COVID 19 statement for all participants, family members and volunteers to adrnlev@gci.net. A liability waiver is mandatory for all persons on site. One waiver for both days is acceptable.
3. Qualifying ribbon will be handed out as you exit your successful search.
4. Placement and title ribbons will be awarded after the last run.

Campgrounds, Facility Bathrooms, Hospitality: Bathrooms available in the gym building. Lite Snacks water and coffee can be purchased at the snack bar in the gym building when not in use. WOOHOO!!! **The camp personnel will have a fresh lunch meal available for all to purchase for \$10.00.** It will consist of soup, sandwich, chips, water and a dessert of some kind. With advance notice they will prepare special request meals. I.E gluten free, vegetarian etc. There is a dining room and a picnic area to eat at with our friends. The camp has requested a headcount, so please email if you are interested in lunching to adrnlev@gci.net.

Accessibility Parking lot attendants will be available to direct you to the parking area from 7:30AM. Handicap accessible parking and DINO (Dogs in need of space or in heat) will be available. Please let us know in advance, if you will need special parking arrangements, so we can reserve enough spaces. Access to search areas will be outside on gravel paths and uneven ground.

RV Parking: 4 RV SITES W ELECTRICITY ONLY ARE AVAILABLE. To reserve a spot contact John at 907-892-6697 for information. You will be directed to RV parking upon arrival.

Volunteers will help our Trial run smoothly. At the trial we will need traffic, gate stewards, timers, and score runners. Email volunteer coordinator Terry Wright at akkterry@gmail.com. Photographers will be onsite.

Designated Charity: We have picked MOJO'S HOPE(www.mojoshope.org/)as our charity. We will have a donation container available. Mojo's Hope exists to provide a safe, healthy & compassionate environment along with humane & quality care-taking for companion animals with special needs.

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 tags on collars while searching.** All dogs must be leashed at all time, except during an off-leash search. "Flexileads are acceptable on trial grounds unless you are found to not be paying attention to spatial needs of other dog teams. You must remain vigilant so all teams may have a pleasant experience.

Dogs In Need of Space (DINOS) are welcome. If handlers would like to take advantage of a separate parking area for dogs in need of space or dogs in heat, volunteers will guide you there. Please walk dogs at a distance at 10Ft. Volunteers will be onsite to help escort participants to and from the search area. All persons should be sensitive and respectful to all dog's spatial needs. A red bandana is preferred to differentiate dogs in need of extra space. Please provide your own.

Handler running multiple dogs A handler can run multiple dogs in a TOT. At this trial, a handler may participate in only one qualifying search per class. An alternate handler may run the 2nd dog, to earn qualifying searches in that level. One person can run one dog per level or run each dog in separate levels.

Who can compete? 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. Dogs with disabilities are welcome. Please review the rules for proper steps to enter dogs with disabilities. As always, please pick up after your dog.

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 title from a different scent detection organization (i.e. Nose Work), 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. Please include a copy of your test results when entering the trial.

Do I have to compete in every class? Pick as many or few classes as you like for your dog to play in.

If I successfully title in one class, must I stay in that class level until all 5 classes are finished at that level? When successfully completing one class title, you may move up to the next class level. You are not required to complete all classes first. For example, you finish title requirements in Buildings but not in Exterior. You may move up to Advanced Buildings while continuing to compete in Novice Exterior.

The sign-up sheet for move-ups will be available on Saturday for those who complete a class and wish to move up. This must be requested no later than the end of the trial on Saturday. This will allow us time to adjust the teams in the computer and on run orders.

Awards: Ribbons will be awarded for Q's in all classes to those that qualify. Rosette placement ribbons will be awarded for 1st-3rd place in Novice, Advanced and Excellent classes, Levels, Perfect Day and Rising Star ribbons will be awarded. Metallic placement ribbons will be awarded for dogs competing in metallic divisions.

Notice to Participants:

- **Participants are responsible for complete, accurate and legible information on their entry forms.**
- **Participants are responsible for delivering the signed Release of Liability/COVID form. You may use one form for both days.**
- **It is expressly understood that participants alone are responsible for behavior of their dogs, children or guests. Any participant whose dogs, children or guests repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Trial Committee, be asked to leave the trial site. In such cases, no refund on any entry will be made.**
- **Please be courteous and pick up after your dog. If you don't pick up after your dog, you may be asked to leave the trial site. In such cases, no refund on any entry will be made.**
- **All dogs must be on leash at all times except when allowable at the search site.**
- **Participants are responsible for being in the staging area when it is their turn to run.**
- **All entries must be accompanied by entry fees to be valid. A declined payment or returned check does not constitute a valid entry. There will be a \$50.00 fee for any returned check or payment.**

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 Application



| TARGET ODOR TEST TOT \$12 per test | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|------------|------|------|------------|------|------|------------|------------------|------|
| ODOR | Birch \$15 | 8/21 | 8/22 | ANISE \$15 | 8/21 | 8/22 | CLOVE \$15 | 8/21 | 8/22 |
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| | | | | | | | | TOTAL TOT | \$ |

| August 21, 2021 Classes Offered:\$20 per class. Choose a level and a division | | | | | | | |
|---|----------|----------|----------|--------|----------|-------------------|---------|
| Entry | Division | | | Level | | | |
| | FEO | Standard | Metallic | Novice | Advanced | Excellent | |
| Distance | | | | | | | \$20.00 |
| Speed | | | | | | | \$20.00 |
| Exterior | | | | | | | \$20.00 |
| Containers | | | | | | | \$20.00 |
| Building | | | | | | | \$20.00 |
| | | | | | | TOTAL 8/21 | \$ |

| August 22, 2021 Classes Offered:\$20 per class. Choose a level and a division | | | | | | | |
|---|----------|----------|----------|--------|----------|-------------------|---------|
| Entry | Division | | | Level | | | |
| | FEO | Standard | Metallic | Novice | Advanced | Excellent | |
| Distance | | | | | | | \$20.00 |
| Speed | | | | | | | \$20.00 |
| Exterior | | | | | | | \$20.00 |
| Containers | | | | | | | \$20.00 |
| Building | | | | | | | \$20.00 |
| | | | | | | TOTAL 8/22 | \$ |
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| OWNER /HANDLER NAME | | | |
| ADDRESS | | | |
| CITY | | STATE/ZIP | |
| PHONE # | | EMAIL ADDRESS | |
| DOG NAME | | | |
| DOG BREED | | | |
| PSD REGISTRATION # | | | |
| EMERG CONTACT NAME | | PHONE # | |

Entries must be received or postmarked by 6:00 pm AST by July 31, 2021.

Mail registration to:

PSD Trial Secretary—Adrienne Levine
 10208 Thimbleberry Dr
 Anchorage, AK 99515

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NO REFUNDS WILL BE ISSUED AFTER THE CLOSING DATE AND TIME



Release of Liability and COVID 19 Statement

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. and Valley K9 Sports, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, event secretary and the owner and/or lesser of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned 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 aforementioned 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 there from, 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 Valley K9 Sports 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.

COVID-19 Statement Add on

I pledge to promote my own safety as well as that of the exhibitors, judges, volunteers, Camp Maranatha owners, employees, and assistants, Valley K9 Sports, Performance Scent Dogs, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, event secretary and that I have read, understand, and agree to follow the rules and procedures listed below.

To the best of my knowledge, I do not have COVID-19

I have not been exposed to COVID-19 within the last 3 weeks

I have had no symptoms (fever, cough, etc.) for the past 2 weeks

Should I feel ill before the trial or should I find I have been exposed to the virus I will contact the trial secretary ASAP.

I agree:

To wear a face covering in the interior searches and practice social distancing outside.

To hand wash/sanitize frequently. I understand if I am not in compliance with these guidelines and refuse to comply, I will be asked to leave and any entry fees forfeited.

I am entering this trial of my own volition and am responsible for my own health. Camp Maranatha owners, employees, and assistants, Valley K9 Sports, Performance Scent Dogs, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, event secretary are in no way liable for any present or future COVID-19 infection incurred by any person in attendance or not in attendance, before, during, or after above stated event.

The COVID-19 virus situation is continually changing, and I understand these guidelines may be changed. I understand that to complete my entry, my signature is REQUIRED, verifying agreement with this document.

Name: _____ Date(s) Circle: 8/21/21 8/22/21

Signature: _____

Driving Instructions from Anchorage

1. Parks Highway north to Big Lake Turnoff
2. Left on Big Lake Road (drive approx. 3 miles)
3. Right on Beaver Lake Road (drive approx. 1 mile. Near Yamaha dealer)
4. Left on West Lakes Blvd (drive approx. 3.5 miles)
5. Right on **2nd** Horseshoe Lake Road (drive approx. 2 miles)
6. Left at Camp Road(1/4 mile) stay to the right at the Y

Valley vets-- VCA Far Country 907 746 7297 Mon-Sat 7am-7pm

2701 N Liahona Drive, Palmer, AK, 99645

Emergency Vet Palmer Ak- 24 hours

Tier 1 Vets 24 hours Friday-Sunday 907-745-8437

6623 E Blue Lupine Dr, Palmer, AK 99645

Emergency Vet Anchorage- 24 hours

Midnight Sun Animal Hospital 907 562 – 8384

2545 E Tudor Rd, Anchorage, AK 99507

Pet Emergency Treatment Inc. 907-274-5636

2320 E Dowling Rd, Anchorage, AK 99507

Dog Friendly Hotels-

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

There are several hotels and B & B's that accept pets.

| DOG FRIENDLY LODGING | |
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| Pioneer Motel & Apartments (DOGS) 124 W Arctic Palmer, AK 99645 907 745 3425 www.thepionermotel.com | Alaska Garden Gate B&B 950 S Trunk Rd Palmer, AK 99645 907 746 2333 |
| Grand View Inn & Suites 2900 E Parks Hwy Wasilla, AK 99654 907 352 1700 | Alaskan View Motel 2650 E Parks Hwy Wasilla, AK 99654 907 376 6787 www.alaskanviewmotel.com |
| Hatcher Pass Bed & Breakfast (DOGS) 9000 N Palmer Fishhook Rd Palmer, AK 99645 907 745 6788 | Lewis Charters Lodge 6700 E Finger Lake View Dr Palmer, AK 99645 907 229 8839 www.lewischarters.com |
| Best Western Lake Lucille Inn 1300 w Lake Lucille Dr Wasilla, AK 99654 907 373 1776 | Alaska Creekside Cabins P.O. Box 4356 Palmer, AK 99645 907 746 4356 www.alaskacreeksidecabins.com |
| Cozy Lake Front Chalet Killarney Dr Palmer, AK 99645 907 746 2556 | Sirius Ranch (has 3 rooms) 6151 East Upper Court Rd Wasilla, AK 99645 www.siriusranch.com |