

## SILVER STATE KENNEL CLUB

(licensed by the American Kennel Club)

# **AKC SCENT WORK TRIALS**

Saturday June 15, 2024 Sunday June 16, 2024

### **PREMIUM LIST**



# **4H PAHRUMP/UNR EXTENSION**

1651 East Calvada Blvd Pahrump, Nevada 89048 To be held Indoors/Outdoors

Trial Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Set-up and Check-in times wile betermined after closing

Entries Open: Friday, April 26, 2024 at 9:00 a.m. PST

Entries accepted online or by U.S. Mail to the Trial Secretary's address on a <u>FIRST</u> received basis no earlier than the above date and time.

Entries Closing: Friday May 24, 2024 at 5:00 p.m. PST

Entries must be received online or through the U.S. Mail to the Trial Secretary's address no later than the above date and time. Entries cannot be accepted, canceled, altered or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows.

\*\*We will wait list the first 30 extra entries\*\*

# TWO TRIALS ON SATURDAY, TWO TRIALS ON SUNDAY

# SATURDAY June 15, 2024

Trial #1 – Event # 2024018327 – Entry Limits: 168 combined Novice runs.

Odor classes included: Container, Interior, Exterior, Buried

Trial #2 – Event # 2024018328 – Entry Limits: 80 combined Advanced runs.

Odor classes included: Container, Interior, Exterior, Buried

# **SUNDAY June 16, 2024**

Trial #1 – Event # 2024018329 - Entry Limits: 160 combined Novice runs.

Odor classes included: Container, Interior, Exterior, Buried

Trial #2 – Event # 2024018330 – Entry Limits: 88 combined Advanced runs.

Odor classes included: Container, Interior, Exterior, Buried



#### CERTIFICATION

#### OFFICERS OF THE SILVER STATE KENNEL CLUB

President	Ginger Austin
Vice President	Susie Osburn
Secretary	Connie Kling
Treasurer	Toni Young

TRIAL CHAIRPERSON	TRIAL SECRETARY
Gina Agrellas	Nicole Griffin
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#### **EVENT COMMITTEE**

Gina Agrellas, Nicole Griffin, Kristi Kaminsky, Connie Kling, Ginger Austin and Designated members of Silver State Kennel Club

JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS				
<b>SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 2024</b>	SUNDAY JUNE 16, 2024	JUDGE		
Novice Containers	Novice Containers	Aleks Woodroffe #107961		
Novice Interiors	Novice Interiors	Scottsdale, AZ		
Advanced Exterior	Advanced Exterior			
Advanced Buried	Advanced Buried			
Novice Exterior	Novice Exterior	Denise McClure #108303		
Novice Buried	Novice Buried	The Woodlands, TX		
Advanced Containers	Advanced Containers			
Advanced Interiors	Advanced Interiors			

#### **DONATIONS**

The trial is at a 4H club that has dog classes for kids with their dogs. Many of these dogs are rescues and the club has limited resources for purchasing needed training items. We will be accepting donations for the 4H club of leashes (all lengths), collars, harnesses, bowls, clickers, bait/treat bags. There will be donation bins at the trial site both days.

#### SAFETY, BEHAVIOR, AND LIABILITY

The safety of the dog is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all searches safely.

It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. The Silver State Kennel Club and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children.

The Silver State Kennel Club reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against the Silver State Kennel Club or any official thereof.

**Collars, Leashes and Harnesses.** During searches, dogs must wear a properly fitted collar or harness approved by the judge. A wearable camera such as a Go Pro may be mounted to the dog's harness, if desired. Leashes may be of any length and/or retractable. The leash should be made of plain, pliable material.

**All dogs must be on leash** at all times, and retractable leashes may not be used when on trial grounds (except during judged searches). Dogs must enter and exit the search area with the leash attached to the collar or harness, including when waiting in the search area before and after the search. An offleash option may be offered at the discretion of the judge, only if the area is completely enclosed.

**Judges are not required** to wait for dogs. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at the search area when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility to provide service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

**Exhibitors are responsible** for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Event Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show grounds.

Dogs must not be allowed to urinate on any manmade item or landscaping at this venue. Any exhibitor failing this requirement will be excused without benefit of refund if the Event Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement.

### **VETRINARIAN SERVICES**

Jam Veterinary Services, 2200 East Calvada Blvd, Suite E, Pahrump, NV 89048 (725) 377-3534

#### **EMERGENCY SERVICES**

Fire/Ambulance/Police - Nye County - Call 911

Local Hospital: Desert View Hospital, 360 S. Lola Lane, Pahrump, NV 89048

#### PET FRIENDLY ACCOMODATIONS

Saddle West Hotel & Casino & RV Park Best Western Pahrump Oasis Holiday Inn Express & Suites Pahrump

K7 Bed and Breakfast

#### **DOG ELIGIBLE TO ENTER**

This trial is open to all dogs SIX (6) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP), an AKC Canine Partners listing number or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate. Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete.

#### **CONDITION OF THE DOG**

**Condition of the Dog.** Dogs with physical challenges (including amputees) are eligible to participate provided that, in the opinion of the judge, they display no signs of physical discomfort and can safely complete the search. Dogs with bandages, sutures, or visible wounds are not eligible. Deaf dogs and blind dogs are allowed to enter. Dogs that are both deaf and blind are able to participate so long as the handler is in control of the dog at all times, the dog can complete the requirements of the class, and the dog does not appear to be under undue stress in the opinion of the judge.

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations." Additionally, Competitors should have copies of their dogs vaccination records, including proof of rabies vaccination just in case proof of compliance with local or state health requirements is required.

#### ENTRY FEES PER DOG INCLUDES A \$3.50 AKC RECORDING FEE

#### **ENTRIES RECEIVED BEFORE OPENING DATE WILL BE RETURNED – NO EXCEPTIONS!**

Each entry\*

Novice and Advanced: \$25.00 per class (This entry will also include a servicing fee by a third-party vendor (PayPal) for all online entries)

# \*\*an entry is defined as a single run by a single dog, in a single class\*\*

#### **ENTRY FEES**

No entries will be accepted by phone, fax, or hand delivery. All entries will be accepted by U.S. Mail or online through the link provided on the entry form. Inquiries may be directed to Nicole Griffin at LVSWTrial@gmail.com. No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

**Illegible entries** will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and the Trial Secretary will add a \$25.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

**No entry fee** will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee. **Dogs pulled after closing because of injury or other medical condition are not eligible for a refund.** 

Bitches in season will be refunded the full entry fee. Notification in writing must be given to the trial secretary no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class of the day of the trial.

#### **WAIT LIST**

Silver State Kennel Club is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of 30 entries per day will be placed on the club's wait list. All entries, including waitlisted entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to May 24, 2024. No entries may be withdrawn with a refund after closing on May 24, 2024. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a waitlisted entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. Any waitlisted entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial will receive a full refund.

#### **MOVE UPS**

Day to Day move ups must be submitted to the Trial Secretary within 30 minutes of the last run of the day.

#### **RIBBONS & PLACEMENT**

Placement ribbons will be awarded in each class as follows:

First Place	Blue
Second Place	Red
Third Place	Yellow
Fourth Place	White
Qualifying Score	Dark Green

New Title Ribbons will be available to teams finishing a title at these trials.

#### High in Trial

High in Trial Ribbons will be offered at these trials. Only teams who participate and qualify, in the same difficulty level of all elements offered for that level (Container, Interior, Exterior, and Buried) are eligible for High in Trial.

#### STAGING AREA, HANDLER'S BRIEFING, AND WARM UP AREA

**Staging Area** will be out of view of search area(s). Staging area will include crating, warm-up and waiting area, as well as the secretary table for check-ins and posting of running order and results.

The **Handler's Briefing** will take place in view of the search area prior to the start of each class, after the hide(s) have been set and after the Demo Dog has run. In the Handler's Briefing the judge will explain if there's an off-leash option, number of hides, maximum height of hides and maximum time for the search. NO DOGS are to be present during the Handler's Briefing.

A warm-up area the club shall designate a warm-up area. One labelled container per target odor being used in the trial on that day will be placed in the warm-up area. This will allow handler-dog teams to prepare themselves for the search prior to their run. Each team should limit their warm-up to two minutes or less so that others may be able to use the warm-up area as well. Clubs may also place blank containers.

It is not appropriate to scout the trial location prior to the trial date. Many search locations are real-life environments, and such visits may risk the host losing the opportunity to use the location in the future.

#### SEARCH AREA AND RING CONDITIONS

Search areas may be of any shape, and of the size specified in the Regulations for each class. **Search Area Conditions**. Searches may be indoors, on matted, carpeted, or tiled surfaces, or outdoors on grass, gravel, earth, concrete, or asphalt surfaces.

**Possession of Odors and Training.** Chapter 5. Section 35 of the Scent Work Regulations state "No person other than those engaged in the administration of a trial shall be in possession of any target odor when on the trial grounds. There shall be no training on the grounds of the AKC Scent Work trial, other than the designated warm-up area".

**Spectator Area.** Spectators are encouraged. Any person not handling a dog in the current class, or any person who has already completed their run in the class may choose to watch the search from the spectator area. Handlers may not watch other exhibitors from their class prior to their run except in the case of Handler Discrimination classes. No one outside the search area may assist the handler or disclose the location of the hide.

Crating space will not be available.

CLAIMS WILL BE ARBITRATED AS SET FORTH ON THE OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORM FOR THIS EVENT.

### **DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE**

From Las Vegas (via NV-160 W and Pahrump Valley Highway)

- Take NV-160 W/Blue Diamond Road for 21.2 miles
- NV-160 W turns into Pahrump Valley Highway continue on this road for 30.1 miles
- Turn left onto East Calvada Boulevard N destination will be on the left (0.9 miles)

From Las Vegas (via US-95 N)

- Take US-95 N out of Las Vegas to NV-160 E
- Turn left on NV-160 E towards Parhump for 27.8 miles
- Turn right onto South Dandelion Street and continue for 0.9 miles
- Turn right onto East Calvada Boulevard destination is on your left

From Reno (via US-95 S)

- Take US-95 ALT S to US-95 S in Mineral County
- Continue on US-95 S to Nye County (signs for Hawthorne/Tonopah/Las Vegas)
- Turn right on NV-160 E towards Pahrump for 27.8 miles
- Turn right onto South Dandelion Street and continue for 0.9 miles
- Turn right onto East Calvada Boulevard destination is on your left



# **OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM**

Submit to:



Container

Interior

Online entry: https://form.jotform.com/240960148520149

US Mail: Nicole Griffin, Trial Secretary 180 West Highland Drive Henderson, NV 89015

**Handler Discrimination** 

**Buried** 

Sat. Trial #1	☐ Novice A	☐ Novice A	☐ Novice A	☐ Novice	Α
6/15/24	☐ Novice B	☐ Novice B	☐ Novice B	☐ Novice	В
Sat. Trial #2	□Advanced	□Advanced	□Advanced	□Advanc	ed
6/15/24					
Sun. Trial #1	☐ Novice A	☐ Novice A	☐ Novice A	☐ Novice	A
6/16/24	☐ Novice B	☐ Novice B	☐ Novice B	☐ Novice	В
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**Exterior** 

Fields highlighted in blue and with asterisk are REQUIRED. Failure to complete these fields may result in your entry being returned. Fields highlighted in gray must be completed if the information is known.

\*\*\*You MUST read the Agreement and sign at the bottom. NO form will be processed without your signature!\*\*\*

©Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website, www.akc.org

#### **AGREEMENT**

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. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision 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) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents 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 aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, 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 of 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 person. I (we) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us). I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN THIS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

### **INSTRUCTIONS**

Please check the box for each class you want to enter. Dogs may enter two different levels within each element, at each trial. Dogs entering the Advanced, Excellent, or Master classes must have earned the required title, as stipulated in the AKC Scent Work Regulations. Dogs may enter either the Novice "A" class or the Novice "B" class—not both. Novice "A" classes are open to dogs who have not completed any title for that particular element, who have not completed a comparable title with another organization and whose handlers are neither Scent Work judges nor professional detection dog handles.

SIGNATURE of owner of his agent duly authorized to make this entry.		
SIGN HERE		
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Phone Number:		
E-Mail:		
In case of emergency – Name:	Phone Number:	