
ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON Monday, MARCH 6, 2023 at 8:00 AM Central Standard Time at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed. Hand-delivered entries will be accepted.

ENTRIES CLOSE ON Friday, APRIL 07, 2023 at 6:00 PM Central Daylight Time after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows. Envelopes / transactions containing entries for more than the ten (10) dog maximum and/or entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.



PREMIUM LIST

Timber Ridge Obedience Club of Central Wisconsin
American Kennel Club Licensed Club #5629



**Novice through Master
Container and Interior Scent Work Trials**

Saturday, April 22, 2023

Trial 1 Event # 2023562917; **Trial 2** Event # 2023562918

Sunday, April 23, 2023

Trial 1 Event # 2023562919; **Trial 2** Event # 2023562920

LOCATION:

Boys & Girls Club of Portage County
2401 Cedar Drive, Plover, WI 54467
To be held Indoors

ENTRY LIMITS: 8 judging hours per judge per day

TRIAL HOURS: 7:30 AM – 5:30 PM

NOTICE: An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where people are present. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and death. By attending these events, you voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to COVID-19. Further, by entering our trial you agree to adhere to the safety measures we have in place.



AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

CERTIFICATION

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina DiNardo,
Secretary

OFFICERS OF TIMBER RIDGE OBEDIENCE CLUB OF CENTRAL WISCONSIN	
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EVENT COMMITTEE
Rose Gottung, Lisa Huber, Joyce MacKay, Jocelyn Reid, Sherry Salzman-Scott, <i>and members of the Timber Ridge Obedience Club of Central Wisconsin</i>

JUDGES	
BONNIE GUTZWILER <i>Judge # 102527 Yorkville, IL</i>	ROBIN TAYLOR <i>Judge # 102483 Spring Grove, IL</i>

CLASSES OFFERED – SATURDAY & SUNDAY
Interior Novice A & B Interior Advanced Interior Excellent Interior Master
Container Novice A & B Container Advanced Container Excellent Container Master

JUDGING ASSIGNMENTS AND CLASS JUDGING ORDER	
BONNIE GUTZWILER Judge # 102527 Yorkville, IL	ROBIN TAYLOR Judge # 102483 Spring Grove, IL
<u>Saturday</u> Container Excellent Container Master Interior Excellent Interior Master	<u>Saturday</u> Interior Novice A & B Interior Advanced Container Novice A & B Container Advanced
<u>Sunday</u> Interior Excellent Interior Master Container Excellent Container Master	<u>Sunday</u> Container Novice A & B Container Advanced Interior Novice A & B Interior Advanced

MOVE UPS AND TRANSFERS

Class MOVE UPS or TRANSFERS prior to Saturday trials will be accepted until 7:30 AM CDT on April 20, 2023. Class MOVE UPS or TRANSFERS from Saturday to Sunday classes will be accepted until close of trials on Saturday, April 22, 2023.

****SATURDAY ONLY** SAME DAY class MOVE UPS are allowed between ALL LEVELS of INTERIORS, and from CONTAINER EXCELLENT to CONTAINER MASTER – and/or – CONTAINER NOVICE to CONTAINER ADVANCED, ONLY.**

****SUNDAY ONLY** SAME DAY class MOVE UPS are allowed between ALL LEVELS of CONTAINERS, and from INTERIOR EXCELLENT to INTERIOR MASTER – and/or – INTERIOR NOVICE to INTERIOR ADVANCED, ONLY.**

DOGS ELIBIBLE TO ENTER

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: 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.

ENTRY FEES

	Adults	Juniors [†]
First Entry* per dog per day	\$25	\$12.50
Each Additional Entry* of same dog on same day	\$20	\$10

*an Entry is defined as a single run by a single dog in a single class. Entry fees include a \$3.50 per run AKC recording fee.

[†]To qualify for Juniors Entry Fees, the Exhibitor must be an AKC-registered Junior Handler, 18 yrs old or younger on the day of the trials, and enter their Junior Handler number on entry form.

Mail entry forms with fees to:

Timber Ridge Obedience Club of Central Wisconsin
c/o Rose Gottung, Event Secretary
423 E Campus Dr, Wausau, WI 54401

Please make check / money order payable to **TROCCW**.

No entries will be accepted by phone, email, or fax. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to the event secretary, Rose Gottung at email address: rosesbeagles10@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.

Checks returned for insufficient funds will invalidate the entry; acceptance of such an entry will only be made if the full fees, including a \$25 collection fee, are paid via certified check, money order, or cash, and received prior to the closing date.

Entry receipts and final confirmations will be sent by email to exhibitors who include email addresses on their entry forms. TROCCW is not responsible for non-delivery of emails due to delivery errors or spam blockers, and no further efforts will be made. Entries that do not include exhibitor email addresses will receive only final confirmations by USPS mail after closing.

WAIT LIST INFORMATION

TROCCW is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of **50 entries per trial** will be placed on the club's wait list.

All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Event Secretary prior to **CLOSING on Friday, April 7, 2023 at 6 PM CDT**.

No entries may be withdrawn with a refund after closing on April 7, 2023 at 6 PM Central Time. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. Any wait listed entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial will receive a full refund or have their entry fee check shredded at the exhibitor's preference.

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Qualifying Scores and Placements in each class will be awarded the following:

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

Teams achieving a New Title will be awarded the following:

New Element Title	Rosette
New Level Title	Rosette
New Elite Element Title	Rosette
New Elite Level Title	Rosette

The following Special Awards will not be awarded at these trials:

High in Trial	Not offered
High Combined Division	Not offered

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the *Regulations for AKC Scent Work*, by downloading them here:

<http://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/RSW001.pdf>

SEARCH AREAS AND CONDITIONS

Search Areas may be of any shape, and will be the size(s) required in the *Regulations for AKC Scent Work*. **Search Area Conditions for these trials** will be indoors, on matted, carpeted, or tiled surfaces. Search areas are accessed via long outdoor concrete/black top walkways from parking lots, interior hallways on tiled/vinyl/carpeted flooring and use of stairwells with tiled/vinyl/carpeted/concrete flooring.

ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

Trial Site. 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.

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 in the designated warm-up area."

Indoor Crating space will not be available. All crating must be done from your vehicle. **TROCCW** and the **Boys & Girls Club of Portage County** will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.

ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without a refund of entry fees 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.

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 (if offered). No one outside the search area may assist the handler or disclose the location of the hide.

Concessions. Food will not be available for purchase at the trial site. You are welcome to bring a bag lunch to eat in your vehicle. Also, many restaurants are located near the trial site in Plover, WI.

STAGING AREAS, HANDLER'S BRIEFING, AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

Staging Areas will be out of view of search area(s). Staging areas will include indoor and outdoor, warm-up and waiting areas, and may include the Event Secretary's table for check-ins and posting of running order and results.

At the judges' discretion a **Handler's Briefing** may be held prior to the start of the judging day or before a class begins, after the hide(s) have been set and after the Demo Dog has run. During the Handler's Briefing the judge will explain if there is an off-leash option, and as allowed per *Regulations*, the number of hides, maximum height of hides and maximum time for the search. NO DOGS may be present during the Handler's Briefing.

A **warm-up area** will be designated by the event committee. One labeled 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.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

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, their children, and themselves. Any exhibitor whose dog(s), children or self creates an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engages 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.

Timber Ridge Obedience Club of Central Wisconsin (aka. TROCCW), the Boys & Girls Club of Portage County, the American Kennel Club and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, or spectators, or to any of their dogs or property and, further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. TROCCW and the American 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 TROCCW, the Boys & Girls Club of Portage County, the American Kennel Club or any official thereof.

Exhibitors and spectators will be required to complete and sign a **Building Use Waiver and Release** form prior to entering the Boys & Girls Club of Portage County, Plover location, and to abide by the Rules and Regulations for building use as set by the Boys & Girls Club of Portage County.

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 while on the trial grounds. Retractable leashes may not be used 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 off-leash search option may be offered at the discretion of the judge, only if the search area is completely enclosed.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS (CONTINUED)

REFUNDS

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 Event Committee. Dogs pulled after closing because of injury or other medical condition are not eligible for a refund unless written notification is accompanied by a letter from a licensed veterinarian, or the withdrawn entry is filled with a waitlisted entry.

Bitches in season will be refunded the full entry fee only if written notification is received by the Event Secretary no less than 30 minutes prior to the start of the first class of the day of the trial.

RINGSIDE

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.

EXHIBITOR CHECK-IN & BRIEFING: Exhibitors will be notified by email once the time and location for check-in and briefing is determined. At check-in you will receive a sticker indicating your armband number to wear during the competition.

Exhibitors MUST check-in EACH day they are entered.

Claims will be arbitrated as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

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.

LODGING

The following area hotel and campground options accept well-behaved people with their well-behaved pets. Exhibitors must contact lodging choices directly and identify themselves as having dogs. **Be sure to verify the pet policy and associated fees with your lodging choice when you make your reservation.** Wherever you choose to stay, ***please be a responsible dog owner, a considerate guest, and clean up after your dog(s).***

Hotels

La Quinta, 4917 Main St., Stevens Point, WI 54481, Tel: (715) 344-1900
Econo Lodge Inn & Suites, 5110 Main St, Stevens Point, WI, 54481,
Tel: (715) 341-5110

Holiday Inn Express & Suites-Stevens Point, 1100 Amber Ave, Stevens Point, WI 54482, Tel: (715) 344-0000

Days Inn & Suites, 159 N Division St, Stevens Point, WI 54481, Tel: (715) 254-8685

Country Inn, 301 Division St. Stevens Point, WI 54481, Tel: (715) 345-7000

Baymont Inn, 247 Division St N, Stevens Point, Wisconsin 54481,
Tel: (715) 341-8888

Cobblestone Hotel & Suites, 1117 Centerpoint Dr, Stevens Point, WI 54481, Tel: (715) 343-0522

Hampton Inn Plover-Stevens Point, 3090 Village Park Dr, Plover, WI 54467, Tel: (715) 295-9900

AmericInn, 1501 American Dr, Plover, WI 54467, Tel: (715) 254-8418

RV / Motorhome Camping (within 20 minute drive of trial site)

RVs and motor homes may NOT be parked overnight in the lot adjacent to the Boys & Girls Club-Plover or the Woyak Sports Complex parking lot adjacent to the Boys & Girls Club-Plover. Other area campgrounds may be open depending on weather at the time of the trials.

Rivers Edge Campground, 3226 Campsite Dr, Stevens Point, WI 54482,
Tel: (715) 344-8058

Wild West Campground & Corral, 9495 Hwy 54, Amherst, WI 54406,
Tel: (715) 824-5112

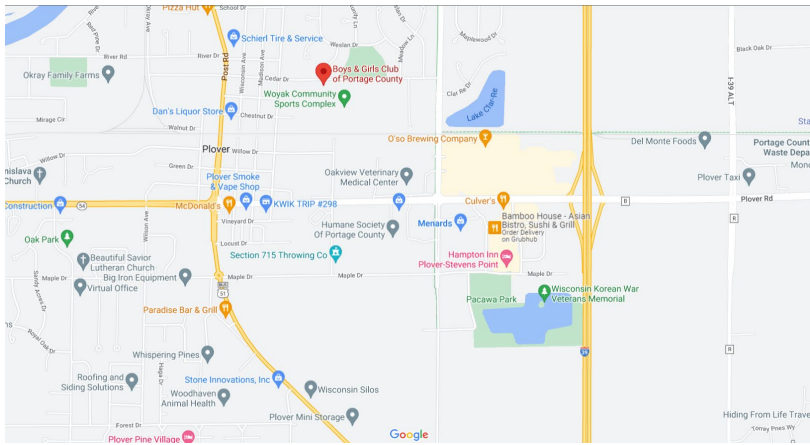
Many beautiful parks offer camping options in Portage County, Wisconsin. These parks are described in the Portage County Parks Department website: <https://www.co.portage.wi.us/department/parks>, or you may call or email the Parks Department to discuss options, opening dates and rates. Tel: (715) 346-1433, email: parks@co.portage.wi.us.

**Be sure to contact the Campgrounds directly to determine opening dates.

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

From all directions: Make your way to I-39/US-51. Follow I-39/US-51 toward Plover, Wisconsin; Take exit 153 and go West on Plover Rd/I-39 ALT; Follow Plover Rd/I-39 ALT to Hoover Ave; Head North on Hoover Ave to Cedar Dr. Go West on Cedar Dr and follow to the Boys & Girls Club, 2401 Cedar Dr, Plover, WI 54467.

MAP



VETERINARIAN 24/7

PAW Health Network – 24 hour Animal Care Center

1440 I-39 Frontage Rd, Kronenwetter, WI 54455 (30.1 miles)

Tel: (715) 693-6934

Driving Directions from Boys & Girls Club, Plover:

Head East on Cedar Dr to Hoover Dr; Go South on Hoover Dr to Plover Rd/I-39 ALT; Head East on Plover Rd/I-39 ALT then Go North on I-39 N/US-51 N; Follow I-39 N/US-51 N to Maple Ridge Rd in Kronenwetter; Take exit 181 and head East on Maple Ridge Rd to I-39 Frontage Rd; Go North on I-39 Frontage Rd to PAW Health Network - 24 Hour Animal Care Center.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/Ambulance/Police – Portage County: 911

HOSPITAL for humans – Aspirus Plover Hospital

5409 Vern Holmes Drive, Stevens Point, WI 54467 (4.1 miles)

Tel: (715) 344-1600

Driving Directions to HOSPITAL from Boys & Girls Club, Plover:

Head East on Cedar Dr to Hoover Drive; Go North on Hoover Ave to McDill Ave; Head East on McDill Ave to Business Park Dr; Go North on Business Park Dr to Vern Holmes Dr; Head West on Vern Holmes Dr to Aspirus Plover Hospital.

AKC OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM



Send completed entries w/ payment to:
 Timber Ridge Obedience Club of Central Wisconsin
 c/o Rose Gottung, Event Secretary
 423 E Campus Dr, Wausau, WI 54401

	Container	Interior
Saturday, April 22, 2023		
Trial 1 Event #2023562917	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A / B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Master	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A / B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Master
Trial 2 Event #2023562918	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A / B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Master	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A / B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Master
Sunday, April 23, 2023		
Trial 1 Event #2023562919	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A / B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Master	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A / B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Master
Trial 2 Event #2023562920	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A / B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Master	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A / B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Master
<i>**If entering Novice, please circle A or B**</i>		

Adult Entry Fees: \$25 First entry and \$20 each Additional entry of same dog on same day
Junior Entry Fees: \$12.50 First entry and \$10 each Additional entry of same dog on same day

Saturday: 1st entry \$ ___ + (# additional entries: ___ x \$ ___) = \$ ___
Sunday: 1st entry \$ ___ + (# additional entries: ___ x \$ ___) = \$ ___

Total Due =

\$ _____

Make check / money order payable to TROCCW
 A \$25 collection fee will be added to all returned checks

AKC Registered Name		Registration Number
Call Name	Date of Birth	<input type="checkbox"/> AKC/PAL/ILP/CP <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign
Breed	Sex	
Breeder	Variety	
Sire		
Dam		
Owner		
Owner's Address		
City	State	Zip
Telephone	Email	
Handler's Name (if different from owner):		Junior Handler # (if applicable):

Fields marked in blue are REQUIRED. Fields marked in gray must be completed if the information is known.

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 desired to be entered. Dog may enter two different levels within each element, at each trial. Dogs entering the Advanced, Excellent, or Master classes must have earned the prerequisite title, as stipulated by the AKC Scent Work Regulations. Dogs may enter either the Novice A class or Novice B class, but not both. **Exhibitors must read the Agreement and sign below. No entry form will be processed without your signature.** AKC Scent Work Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site: www.akc.org.

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry.

SIGN HERE: X _____

Entries without a signature will not be processed.

Phone #: _____ **Email:** _____

In case of Emergency:

Emergency Contact Name: _____ **Phone #:** _____