
ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON **SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 2018 AT 6:00 AM (PT)** 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.**

ENTRIES CLOSE ON **WEDNESDAY, MAY 30, 2018 AT 6:00 PM (PT)** 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 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.

All times listed in this premium refer to Pacific Time

PREMIUM LIST



Southwest Obedience Club of Los Angeles

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)



All Novice, Advanced and Excellent Elements Trial

June 16, 2018

Event # 2018031705

Arthur Lee Johnson Memorial Park

1200 W 170th St, Gardena, CA 90247

ENTRY LIMITS

Unlimited

To be held Indoors/Outdoors

Trial Hours:

Saturday – 8:00 am to 5:00 pm

Set-up and Novice Check-in 8:00 am – Adv/Exc Check-in TBD

Handler's Briefing at 8:30 am, first dog to follow

Judges:

Judith Peterson – Fullerton, CA

Penelope Scott-Fox – Altadena, CA

Ramona Audette – Downey, CA

Suzanne LeRoy – Palmdale, CA



**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 THE SOUTHWEST OBEDIENCE CLUB OF LOS ANGELES

President..... Judith Brecka
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John Zappe 3126 Arlotte Avenue Long Beach, CA 90808 562-537-4147 arrowjax@gmail.com	Lori Brison 5301 Degas Ave Temple City, CA 91780 626-824-0435 msptrials@gmail.com

EVENT COMMITTEE

John Zappe, Jeanne Oshiro, Arun Casuba and all members of the Southwest Obedience Club

JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

Judith K Peterson Fullerton, CA Container Novice, Advanced, Excellent	Penelope Scott-Fox Altadena, CA Exterior- Nov, Adv, Exc Buried - Exc
Ramona Audette Downey, CA Interior Novice, Advanced, Excellent	Suzanne LeRoy Palmdale, CA Buried Novice, Advanced

DOGS 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. Wherever the word "dog" is used in these regulations it includes both sexes.

Dogs with physical challenges (including amputees) are eligible to participate provided that, in the opinion of the judge, the dog displays no sign of physical discomfort and can safely complete the search. Deaf and blind dogs are allowed to enter. Females in season may not participate, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from an injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance may not participate. No dog shall compete if it is sutured, bandaged, or has any visible wounds.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Scent Work Trials by downloading them from the American Kennel Club website.

ENTRY FEES PER DAY

**(includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee)
\$25 first run/\$20 additional runs, same dog**

Mail entry forms and fees payable to:

**Lori Brison
5301 Degas Ave
Temple City, CA 91780**

No entries will be accepted by phone, email, fax, or hand delivery. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Lori Brison at mspatrials@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 eligible for a 50 % refund. Owner must provide a note from their veterinarian no later than one day before the trial.

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.

CLASSES OFFERED & JUDGING TIMES

Container Novice A/B	Container Advanced	Container Excellent
Exterior Novice A/B	Exterior Advanced	Exterior Excellent
Interior Novice A/B	Interior Advanced	Interior Excellent
Buried Novice/A/B	Buried Advanced	Buried Excellent

Briefing will be at 8:30am, judging to immediately follow

Please send all pre-show move-ups by 6pm, Monday, June 11, 2018. The AKC requires move-ups to be in writing and you may send an email for a move-up to the trial secretary at mspatrials@gmail.com with your name, your dog's call name, the name & date of the trial and what class you want the dog to be moved.

SEARCH AREA AND RING CONDITIONS

Search areas may be of any shape, and of the size specified in the Regulations for each class. Searches may be indoors, on matted, carpeted, or tiled surfaces, or outdoors on grass, gravel, earth, concrete, or asphalt surfaces. Trial will take place rain or shine.

Search Area	Novice A/B	Advanced	Excellent
Container	250-400 sq. ft.	400-600 sq. ft.	600-800 sq. ft.
Exterior	200-400 sq. ft.	400-800 sq. ft.	800-1500 sq. ft.
Interior	100-200 sq. ft.	200-400 sq. ft.	2 areas;400-800 sq. ft. total
Buried	150-200 sq. ft.	150-200 sq. ft.	200-300 sq. ft.

SITE INFORMATION

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** will be available consisting of ONE marked container of each odor being tested at the trial and may also consist of blanks containers. The warm-up area is to be used exclusively for warming up the handler-dog team prior their run. The warm-up area is not for training or relieving of the dog.

Possession of Odors and Training. Chapter 5. Section 26 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. Spectators who intentionally or unintentionally give aid to a team may be ask to leave the area by the judge. Spectators are forbidden to discuss details of the search with handlers who have not run.

Crating. You will be crating from or around your car. Please bring everything that will make you and your dog comfortable. Makes Scents Productions, Southwest Obedience Club of Los Angeles, and Arthur Johnson Memorial Park will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site. THERE WILL NOT BE OVERNIGHT SECURITY AT THIS EVENT. LEAVE THINGS AT YOUR OWN RISK.

It is NOT appropriate to visit 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.

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Placement ribbons will be awarded in each class as follows:

<i>First Place</i>	<i>Blue</i>
<i>Second Place</i>	<i>Red</i>
<i>Third Place</i>	<i>Yellow</i>
<i>Fourth Place</i>	<i>White</i>
<i>Qualifying Score</i>	<i>Dark Green</i>

A New Title rosette will be awarded to all dog and handler teams finishing a title.

High in Trial

Novice, Advanced and Excellent High in Trial rosettes will be offered at this trial:

Only teams who participate in the same difficulty level in all elements offered (Container, Interior, Exterior, and Buried), and qualify in each are eligible to win **High in Trial**. There is no separate High In Trial for the Novice A and Novice B sections; they are combined.

The High in Trial is determined by adding the team's faults across the elements. If there is a tie based on faults, then the team's times across the elements will be summed and the faster-finishing team will win.

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 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 American 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 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 the American 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. Nothing may be hanging from the dog's collar or harness, except that 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 off-leash 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.

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

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

Please do not arrive until the set-up times posted. Exhibitors must check-in prior to the briefing. You will receive your armband and class running orders at check-in. Set up and Novice Check-in at 8:00am. Handler briefing at 8:30am. Adv/Exc Check-in TBD.

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.

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

Arthur Lee Johnson Memorial Park

1200 W 170th St, Gardena, CA 90247

From the North or South: 405 to Normandie Avenue, then north on Normandie to 170th St. Right (east) on 170th St to Arthur Johnson Park

From the East: 91 West to end of freeway which becomes Artesia Blvd. Turn right at Vermont Avenue (first light) to 170th St. Left turn on 170th St to Arthur Johnson Park

From downtown Los Angeles/Pasadena: South on 110 freeway to Artesia Blvd (west). Turn right at Vermont Ave Turn right at Vermont Avenue (first light) to 170th St. Left turn on 170th St to Arthur Johnson Park

VETERINARIAN

Bay Cities Pet Hospital & Emergency

20447 Hawthorne Blvd, Torrance

(310)-371-6508

Directions: Head west on W 170th St toward S Raymond Ave, Turn left onto Normandie Ave, Turn right onto W 182nd St, Turn left onto Van Ness Ave, Turn right onto Del Amo Blvd, turn left onto Hawthorne Blvd, destination will be on the right.

The above is information only and not a recommendation of said business.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/ Ambulance/Police- 911

Gardena Memorial Hospital

1145 W Redondo Beach Blvd, Gardena, CA 90247

(1.6 miles away)

The above is information only and not a recommendation of said business.

PET FRIENDLY HOTEL INFORMATION

Motel 6 Gardena 14605 Crenshaw Blvd Gardena, CA 90249 310-675-2133 Use AKC discount code	Carson Plaza Hotel 111 W Albertoni St, Gardena, CA 90248 (310) 329-0651	Holiday Inn Los Angeles Gateway 19800 S Vermont Ave, Torrance, CA 90502 (310) 781-9100
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NO OVERNIGHT PARKING ALLOWED AT THIS SITE

"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, clubs should include any specific local or state health requirements; for example, proof of rabies vaccination.

AKC Official Entry Form



Mail entry form and fees payable to:
Lori Brison
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Temple City, CA 91780

	Container	Interior	Exterior	Buried
Saturday 6/16/18	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A
	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice B	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice B	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice B	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice B
	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced
	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent

Entry fees: \$25 first run/\$20 additional runs, same dog

of classes entered: _____

\$ _____
Total due

Trial Secretary will add a \$25.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

AKC Registered Name		Registration Number	
		<input type="checkbox"/> AKC/PAL/ILP/CP <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign	
Call name	Date of birth	Sex	
Breed		Variety	
Breeder			
Sire			
Dam			
Owner			
Owner's Address			
City		State	Zip
Telephone	Email		
Handler 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.

*****Be sure to read the Agreement and sign on the reverse. No form will be processed without your signature!*****

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

Entering Novice A or B: The Novice A class is for beginners. The Novice B class is for dogs who have earned a title in that element (in AKC or in another organization), and for handlers who have worked as professional detection dog handlers. The exhibitor is responsible for entering the dog in the correct class(es). Failure to do so will result in the cancellation of qualifying scores.

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

SIGN HERE

X: _____

Phone #: _____

Email: _____

In case of Emergency – Name: _____ **Phone #:** _____