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ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON Monday, March 26, 2021 at 7:00 a.m. (CST). Entries and payments will be accepted online. See mail-in exceptions under "Entry Fees" below. All entries received before this date will be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed. No Hand Delivered entries accepted. Day of show entries will be accepted. **Early entry discount fee ends Friday April 23, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. (CST).** **ENTRIES CLOSE ON Saturday, May 1, 2021 at 7:00 a.m. (CST)** after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 3, Section 11 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.

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PREMIUM LIST

Sioux Empire Kennel Club (SEKC)

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)

May 1, 2021, Event #2021059501

May 1, 2021, Event # 2021059502

May 2, 2021, Event #2021059503

May 2, 2021, Event # 2021059504

Novice & Advanced ONLY

Container: 2 trials per day (Sat & Sun)

Interior: 2 trials per day (Sat & Sun)

Exterior: 2 trials per day (Sat & Sun)

Buried: 2 trials per day (Sat & Sun)

**Special Olympics Unify Center
800 E. I-90 Lane, Sioux Falls, SD 57104**

To be held Indoors/Outdoors

Judges: *Holly Bushard*, Moose Lake, MN (125 entries); *Jenny Martens*, Arlington, SD (125 entries)

Trial Hours:

Saturday & Sunday: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Check-in at 8:00 a.m. daily

PLEASE DO NOT ARRIVE EARLIER THAN 8:00 A.M.

Handler Briefing at 8:30 a.m., first dog to follow

We will accept **Day of Show** entries as entry limits allow and until the trial limits have been reached. Day of show entries are \$30 per run. Day of show closes at 7:00 a.m. each day.

ALERT!

COVID-19 Information

Trial Attendees (such as Competitors, Volunteers, and Judges) will be required to comply with any local, state, federal and/or CDC guidelines regarding COVID-19 that MAY be in effect on the day(s) of the trial(s). In addition, Trial Attendees will agree to follow AKC's Suggested Best Practices for the Well-Being of Dog Sport Participants as they pertain to AKC Scent Work Trials.

AKC Scent Work - Suggested Best Practices

These recommendations MAY include, but are not limited to travel restrictions, social/physical distancing, hand sanitizing and face masks/coverings. **If you are unable or unwilling to follow the guidelines, please do not enter these trials.** Additionally, judges, volunteers and other competitors may be wearing face masks/coverings. If your dog is uncomfortable or reactive to persons wearing masks, please do not enter these trials.

There will be NO indoor crating, all competitors will work from their vehicles. It will be early May and in South Dakota that means the weather could be varied. So please keep this in mind when entering and plan accordingly.

The club will run the trials in the most efficient manner possible to limit the amount of time exhibitors need to be at the trial site.

The early entry discounted fee closing date is April 23rd which is a week and a half prior to the trial. It is the intention of SEKC that if the trials need to be canceled due to COVID-19 restrictions, this will be done prior to this date. However, the club retains the right to cancel trials for extenuating circumstances after April 23rd and will advise competitors as soon as possible. If the club cancels the trials, all entry fee payments will be returned.

Other details and any additional information regarding COVID-19 procedures will be updated as we get closer to the trial dates.



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 SIOUX EMPIRE KENNEL CLUB

PresidentSuze Frenz
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 Secretary.....Cindy Bailey, PO Box 719, Sioux Falls, SD 57101
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[Sioux Empire Kennel Club](#)

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EVENT COMMITTEE

Elizabeth Droke, Morgan Andenas Weber, Mychelle Blake, Jackie Potter, Ericka Erickson, Denise Erger

CLASSES OFFERED AND JUDGES ASSIGNMENTS

SUBJECT TO CHANGE BASED ON ENTRIES, LOAD BALANCING, CHECK FINAL PROGRAM

JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

<p>Holly Bushard #102332</p> <p>Saturday, May 1, 2021 Novice/Advanced Interiors (T1/T2) Novice/Advanced Exteriors (T1/T2)</p>	<p>Jenny Martens #108013</p> <p>Saturday, May 1, 2021 Novice/Advanced Containers (T1/T2) Novice/Advanced Buried (T1/T2))</p>
<p>Holly Bushard #102332</p> <p>Sunday, May 2, 2021 Novice/Advanced Containers (T1/T2) Novice/Advanced Buried (T1/T2)</p>	<p>Jenny Martens #108013</p> <p>Sunday, May 2, 2021 Novice/Advanced Interiors (T1/T2) Novice/Advanced Exteriors (T1/T2))</p>

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

All City Pet Care/Veterinary Emergency Clinic
3508 S. Minnesota Ave. (43rd St and Minnesota at Exit 3 from I-229), Sioux Falls, SD
Weekdays 8-5, Saturday 8-noon: (605) 335-4004
After Hours Emergency Clinic: (605) 977-6200

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/Ambulance/Police- Sioux Falls, Minnehaha County: **911**
LOCAL HOSPITAL – Sanford Hospital, 1305 W 18th St, Sioux Falls, SD 57117 (~6.6 miles away)
(605)333-6688 Emergency Room Open 24 hours

CLASSES OFFERED & JUDGING TIMES

Saturday	Sunday
Container Novice A/B (T1/T2)	Container Novice A/B (T1/T2)
Interior Novice A/B (T1/T2)	Interior Novice A/B (T1/T2)
Exterior Novice A/B (T1/T2)	Exterior Novice A/B (T1/T2)
Buried Novice A/B (T1/T2)	Buried Novice A/B (T1/T2)
Container Advanced (T1/T2)	Container Advanced (T1/T2)
Interior Advanced (T1/T2)	Interior Advanced (T1/T2)
Exterior Advanced (T1/T2)	Exterior Advanced (T1/T2)
Buried Advanced (T1/T2)	Buried Advanced (T1/T2)

Handler Briefing at 8:30 am each day, first dog to follow
Check In required for each Trial – Time and Location to be announced after closing date.

MOVE UPS AND CLASS TRANSFERS

From Regulations for AKC Scent Work: Chapter 3, Section 19. Class Transfers. A move up transfer may be requested if, according to the owner's records, the handler and dog are eligible, and the dog has completed the requirements for the title after the closing date of the trial in which the advanced entry is to be made. A move-down transfer may be requested if the owner mistakenly entered the dog in a higher-level class for which it is not eligible. A lateral transfer (from section A to section B) may be requested if the owner mistakenly entered the dog in section A, and it is not eligible.

Move-ups between Saturday and Sunday trials WILL be offered. Move-ups will not be offered between trials on the same day. AKC transfer forms WILL NOT be used, but all of the REQUIRED information should be submitted to the trial secretary [via this online form](#) no later than one (1) hour after completion of the last class on Saturday for move ups to the Sunday trials. No move-ups will be allowed on Sunday morning, no exceptions. Transfers may be approved provided the class is available and the judge has not reached his/her limit.

Final trial move-ups must be made [via this online form](#) to the Trial Secretary by Monday, April 26 at 6:00 p.m. Move-ups after this time will not be honored except as listed above.

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.

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.

ENTRY* FEES

Early Entry Discounted Fee (by 5:00 pm April 23) Each entry \$25

Day of Show Entries (by 7:00 am Saturday May 1 and Sunday May 2) Each Entry.....\$30

*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.

METHOD FOR ENTRIES AND PAYMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED ONLINE FOLLOW THE LINK BELOW TO REGISTER FOR THE TRIAL:

Click here to register online: [Link for Registration](#)

No entries will be accepted by phone, email, fax, or hand delivery. No entry shall be made, and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance. ***Paper entries will be available by request. Paper entries must first receive the approval of the Trial Secretary before they will be accepted.** Inquiries may be directed to MYCHELLE BLAKE at SEKCscentworktrial@gmail.com. Paper entries are subject to an additional \$5 handling fee per envelope. 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.

Illegible entries will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor.

NSF Check/Credit Card Any check or credit card that is charged back by the bank or other financial institution may be assessed a service charge of up to \$40 per incident at the discretion of the host. Returned checks or credit card returns do not constitute a valid entry. Amounts shall be paid within 30 day of postmarked notice of the returned payment if such date follows the event date. Any unpaid fees or shortfalls must be paid prior to the start of the event, or entry is canceled without recourse.

Refund Policy: *No entries may be withdrawn with a refund after closing on May 1, 2021 at 7 a.m. 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 conditions are eligible for a full refund contingent on the Trial Secretary receiving verification of injury or illness by a qualified veterinarian no later than 24 hours before each trial starts. 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 INFORMATION

SIoux EMPIRE KENNEL CLUB is offering a WAIT LIST to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of 25 entries per day will be placed on the waitlist. The wait list period expires April 26, 2021 at noon, after which, any wait listed entry that has not moved into the trial will receive a full refund.

STAGING AREA, HANDLER'S BRIEFING, & WARM-UP INFORMATION

Staging Area will be out of view of search area(s). Staging areas may include parking, warm-up and waiting area.

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 Dog in White has run. In the Handler's Briefing the judge will explain if there is an off-leash option for interiors, number of hides, maximum height of hides and maximum time for the search. NO DOGS are to be present during the Handler's Briefing.

Competitors are reminded to maintain a **6-foot social distance from each other and trial crew.** **Warm-up area** will be available consisting of ONE marked container of each odor being tested at the trial and may also consist of blank containers. Exhibitors should limit their warm-up to (2) two minutes or less. This area is to be used exclusively for warming up for the team whose number has been called prior to their search, or for a recovery after a search. The warm-up area is NOT for training or relieving your dog.

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 will be indoors on hard flooring and outdoors on grass, cement and/or asphalt.

Search areas, potty areas, and walking paths might include uneven ground and/or 1-3 steps or changes in elevation and might be located a distance from the competitor waiting area.

Search Area Sizes will be in compliance with AKC Scent Work standards.

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.

The trial location is a large gym and meeting area.

The main parking lot is paved. Pathways to search areas may require you to navigate grass and dirt pathways, and uneven ground. There may be long walks around the Unify Center to either enter or exit a search area.

There will be NO indoor crating available, all exhibitors must plan to work from their vehicle.

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. We are requesting NO spectators attend to help keep us within COVID compliance. Exception for competitors who have a disability and require assistance to get to/from search areas. Any such spectators must check in and sign a waiver. Handlers may not watch other exhibitors from their class prior to their run. 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 asked to leave the area by the judge. Spectators are forbidden to discuss details of the search until the completion of the class.

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.

Reactivity The entrance points will be busy, and not conducive to an extremely reactive dog. We are not able to change the environment for any specific dog. Expect dogs in line for each of the search areas, in addition to dogs exiting through the staging areas.

No guns, weapons, or illegal drugs are allowed on the show site.

A **dog-relief area** will be available and described during check-in and the handler briefing. Handlers should limit where their dog/s relieve themselves to this area. A dog should not relieve themselves on anything man-made or likely to be touched by people.

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Qualifying ribbons and Placement rosettes will be awarded in each Novice A, Novice B, and Advanced classes 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 teams finishing an Element or Level title.

High in 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. One High in Trial winner is chosen per difficulty level. There will be a separate High in Trial for the Novice A and Novice B sections. 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. The High in Trial award is not recorded by the AKC. Teams winning High in Trial will earn a High in Trial Rosette.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Scent Work, by downloading them here: <http://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/RSW001.pdf>

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 Sioux Empire 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 Sioux Empire 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 Sioux Empire 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 off-leash option may be offered at the discretion of the judge, only if the area is completely enclosed.

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 Trial Committee. Dogs pulled after closing because of injury or other medical condition are only eligible for a refund if they are replaced by a team from the waitlist.

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.

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: At check-in you will receive your order number. Your order number may be different from element to element, or trial to trial. Once the time and location for check-in is determined all exhibitors will be notified by email.

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

MEDIA RELEASE AND RIGHTS OF PRIVACY WAIVER

I HEREBY GRANT to Sioux Empire Kennel Club and its affiliated companies, representatives, agents and assigns, all rights and permissions to use or appropriate his/her and their dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia of identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission or distribution in any format or media known now or in the future. FURTHER, I HEREBY RELEASE Sioux Empire Kennel Club and its affiliates, representatives, agents and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of publicity, right of personality, or any similar right.

VENDORS

There will be **no food or beverages** for sale on the trial grounds. A professional photographer will be providing photography services throughout the trial weekend. The photographer will provide information about how to order at and after the trial.

LODGING

We do not guarantee that dogs are accepted at any of these hotels. Check with motels/hotels regarding current rates and dog policy when making reservations. Some restrictions may apply.

Hotels:

Best Western Plus Ramkota, 3200 W Maple St, Sioux Falls, SD 57107	605.336.0650
La Quinta Inn & Suites, 4521 W 41st St., Sioux Falls, SD, 57106.....	605.275.4555
<i>Ask for the "Sioux Empire Kennel Club" rate at La Quinta!</i>	
Baymont Inn, 3200 S Meadow Ave., Sioux Falls, SD, 57106.....	605.362.0835
Days Inn, 3401 Gateway Blvd., Sioux Falls, SD, 57106.....	605.361.9240
My Place, 3005 S. Carolyn Ave., Sioux Falls, SD, 57106.....	605.271.9988
Quality Inn, 3216 S. Carolyn Ave, Sioux Falls, SD 57106.....	605.361.2822

Campgrounds with RV parking:

Red Barn RV Park, 47003 272nd St., Tea, SD, 57064.....	605.368.2268
WH Lyons Fairgrounds, 100 North Lyon Blvd, Sioux Falls, SD 57107.....	605.367.7178
Tower Campground, 4609 W 12th Street, Sioux Falls, SD, 57106.....	605-336-7110

It is the competitor's responsibility to confirm all current policies with the hotel/motel/campground they are booking with. The entire motel and grounds are considered within the trial limits. You will be responsible for all damage to your room and may be subject to disciplinary action in accordance with the rules of the AKC. Any abuse of the motel/adjoining area will be brought to the attention of the club sponsoring the show and its Trial Committee. Any exhibitor's entries may be refused for previous misuse of the motel facilities. This is an AKC supported measure.

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

Special Olympics Unify Center

800 E. I-90 Lane, Sioux Falls, SD 57104

Coming from the East or West: I-90 to N. Cliff Ave (Hwy 115) and go north; you will have to make a U-turn to reach E 64th St N; take E 64th St N and then stay left to E I-90 Lane and the Unify Center.

Coming from the North or South: I-29 to I-90 East; to N. Cliff Ave (Hwy 115) and go north; you will have to make a U-turn to reach E 64th St N; take E 64th St N and then stay left to E I-90 Lane and the Unify Center.

From the south you can also take I-29 to I-229 North to I-90 West to reach N Cliff Ave

MAP





Sioux Empire Kennel Club Scent Work Trial
May 1 and 2, 2021
Special Olympics Unify Center, Sioux Falls, SD

	Interiors	Exteriors	Containers	Buried
Saturday 5/1/2021 Trial 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced
Saturday 5/1/2021 Trial 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced
Sunday 5/2/2021 Trial 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced
Sunday 5/2/2021 Trial 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced

Early Discount Entry fee (ends April 23rd): \$25 per class) = \$25 for all classes and levels (+ \$5 for paper entries)

Please make checks payable to SEKC.

classes x \$25 + \$5 = TOTAL DUE: _____ Day of show = \$30 per class + \$5 = 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!**

C Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site,

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

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 have ever worked as profession detection dog handlers. Novice B classes are open to all dogs.

To be eligible for High in Trial, entrants must be entered and run in all elements for that difficulty level.

Dogs must have completed a Novice title for an element to be eligible to compete in the Advanced level of that element.

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

Name : _____ Phone #: _____

Email: _____

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