# ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON [04/02/18 at 7:00 AM CST] at the Trial Chair'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 [05/17/18 at 4PM CST] 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.



# Novice/Advanced Container, Interior and Buried Trial

MAY 19, 2018 Trial #1) Event # 2018062809 MAY 19, 2018 (Trial #2) Event # 2018062810 Saturday trials will be held consecutively. Trial #2 will start immediately after Trial #1 MAY 20, 2018 Event # 2018062811

> Event Location 99 East Road, Ecru, MS 38841

# ENTRY LIMITS

120 entries per day To be held Indoors/Outdoors

Trial Hours: Saturday– 7:30am to 6:00pm Sunday- 7:30am to 4:00pm Check-in from 7:30-8:30 am daily Handler's Briefing at 8:30am, first dog to follow

Judge: Corrine Dreyfus- Wetumpka, AL (#102351)



# 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 MEMPHIS KENNEL CLUB

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## TRIAL CHAIRPERSON

Maggie Moore 1969 Myrtle Bend Drive Germantown, TN 38139

# TRIAL SECRETARY

Kim Harwood 2700 Lombardy Ave Memphis, TN 38111

# **EVENT COMMITTEE**

Maggie Moore, Kim Harwood, Eileen M. McGinley, Pat Tripp, Virginia Kinard

# **VETERINARIAN ON CALL**

Animal Care Center of Tupelo (on-call) (662) 842-8707 | 5162 Cliff Gookin Blvd, Tupelo, MS 38801

# **EMERGENCY SERVICES**

Fire/ Ambulance/Police- Pontotoc County

911

North Mississippi Medical Center - 830 S Gloster St, Tupelo, MS 38801 (~25 miles away)

# **CLASSES OFFERED & JUDGING TIMES**

SATURDAY (TRI	SATURDAY (TRIAL #1 & TRIAL #2)		
Container Novice A/B	Container Novice A/B	Container Novice A/B	
Interior Novice A/B	Interior Novice A/B	Interior Novice A/B	
Buried Novice A/B	Buried Novice A/B	Buried Novice A/B	
Container Advanced	Container Advanced	Container Advanced	
Interior Advanced	Interior Advanced	Interior Advanced	
Buried Advanced	Buried Advanced	Buried Advanced	
Il #1 Judging begins following handlers' briefing at 8:30am; Trial #2 to follow completion of Trial #1		Judging begins following handlers' briefing at 8:30an	

# Moving Up to the Next Class

Dogs may be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner, as a result of qualifying for a Novice title, provided that request is made to the Trial Secretary in writing no later than the Monday before the trial. Move-ups over the weekend will be accommodated, provided the information is provided within 15 minutes after the applicable class of the preceding trial concludes.

# 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. 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.

# ENTRY FEES

First entry (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording & service fee)	\$25
Second entry of the same dog(includes a \$3.50 AKC service fee)	\$15
Third entry of the same dog (includes a \$3.50 AKC service fee)	\$10

DON'T FORGET THAT THERE ARE THREE TRIALS. If you enter one class in all three trials, your entry fee would be \$25 per trial, for \$75. If you enter the same dog in two classes in each trial, your fee would be \$40 per trial, for \$120. If you enter the same dog in three classes in each trial, your fee would be \$50 per trial, for \$150.

## Mail entry forms and fees to:

### Kim Harwood 2700 Lombardy Ave Memphis, TN 38111 Please make checks payable to the **MEMPHIS KENNEL CLUB**.

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 **Maggie Moore** at **dalmatianadoration@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.

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

## WAIT LIST INFORMATION

**Memphis Kennel Club** is not offering a wait list. All entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to **05/17/18**. No entries may be withdrawn with a refund after closing on 05/17/18.

# STAGING AREA, HANDLER'S BREIFING, AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

Staging Area will be out of view of search area(s). Staging area will include 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.

If entries allow enough space, a **warm-up area** will be available consisting of ONE container of Birch and may also consist of blanks containers. Exhibitors should limit their warm-up to (2) two minutes or less. 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.

# 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, dirt, or tiled surfaces, or outdoors on grass, gravel, earth, concrete, or asphalt surfaces.

Search Area Sizes will be as follows, Container Novice (250-400sqft.), Interior Novice (100-200sqft.), Exterior Novice (200-400sqft.) Buried Novice (150-200sqft.) Container Advanced (400 - 600 sq. ft.), Interior Advanced (200 - 400 sq. ft.), and Buried Advanced (150-200 sq. ft.)

## ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

**Trial Site.** 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.

<u>Possession of Odors and Training.</u> 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 asked to leave the area by the judge. Spectators are forbidden to discuss details of the search with handlers who have not run.

**Crating - Please crate in your vehicle for this event.** Do not leave anything at the event site overnight. Please bring water for your dog(s).

**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. <u>Please come prepared with shade and water for your dogs.</u>

Concessions: No concessions will be available at the trial location and there are no meal options in close proximity. Exhibitors are advised to bring their own lunch, snacks and beverages.

# **RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES**

Placement ribbons will be awarded in each class as follows:

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

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

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

# 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 offleash 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 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.

### 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**: At check-in you will receive your armband number. 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."

# Overnight RV Parking/Camping is not available on the show site.

### HOTELS THAT ACCEPT DOGS

Exhibitors should check with the hotel at the time reservations are made to determine current pet policy. The show site is located in Ecru, MS. New Albany is north of Ecru and Tupelo is to the west.

Hampton Inn 320 Coulter Dr New Albany, MS 38652 662-534-7722 (~12miles from site) Holiday Inn Express 300 Hwy 30 W New Albany, MS 38652 662-534-8870 (~12miles from site) La Quinta Inn & Suites 1013 N Gloster Street Tupelo, MS 38804 662-847-8000 (~24 miles from site)

### America's Best Value

Inn 4701 Leeb Dr. Tupelo, MS 38804 662-269-6220 (~17 miles from site)

### **Candlewood Suites**

979 N Gloster St Tupelo, MS 38804 662-553-4649 (~24 miles from site)

## Campgrounds (within 15 minutes of show site):

Natchez Trace RV Park Shannon, MS 38868

662-767-8609 Offers hook-ups, a bath house and laundromat.

#### **Campground at Barnes Crossing**

Tupelo, MS 662-844-6063 Offers hook-ups and a service center.

## DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

**Event Location** Event location is the residence circled in the map below, located on East Road in Ecru MS.

Directions from the West: Head southeast on I-22. Take exit 64 for MS-15/MS-30 toward Pontotoc/Ripley and turn right to MS-15 and go 6 miles. Turn left on Co Rd 106 then continue onto Old Hwy 1 and go 1 mile. Then turn left on North Road and drive 0.9 mile. Then turn right on East Road and go 0.8 miles to destination.

Directions from the East: From I-22/US 78 W towards Memphis, take exit 76 for MS-9 South toward Sherman/Pontotoc and turn left to MS-9 S/3<sup>rd</sup> Ave. Turn right onto old Hwy 9 and travel 5.9miles.Turn right onto Center Hill Rd and travel 4.9miles. Take a slight right onto Main St/MS-345 N. After 1 mile, Turn right onto East road. Destination is .2 miles on the left.



## MAP

# **AKC Official Entry Form**

# AKC SCENT WORK ENTRY FORM



Send to: Kim Harwood 2700 Lombardy Ave Memphis, TN 38111 Make checks payable to the <u>Memphis Kennel Club</u>

American Kennel Club

	Container	Interior	Buried
Sat. Trial	🗆 Novice A	🗆 Novice A	□ Novice A
#1	🗆 Novice B	🗆 Novice B	□ Novice B
5/19/18	□ Advanced	□ Advanced	□ Advanced
Sat. Trial	□ Novice A	□ Novice A	□ Novice A
#2	🗆 Novice B	🗆 Novice B	□ Novice B
5/19/18	□ Advanced	□ Advanced	□ Advanced
Sun.	□ Novice A	□ Novice A	□ Novice A
5/20/18	□ Novice B	□ Novice B	□ Novice B
	□ Advanced	□ Advanced	□ Advanced

Entry fees: \$25 for the first entry, \$15 for the second entry of the same dog within one trial & \$10 for the third entry of the same dog within one trial.

# of classes entered:

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Total due

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

AKC Registered Name				Registration Number
				□ AKC/PAL/ILP/CP □ 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 ow	ner):	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!\*\*\* AKC 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

Handlers may enter the Novice A or the Novice B class- not both. Novice A is open to dogs who have not completed any title for that particular element, who have not completed a comparable title with any other organization, and who have never worked as a professional detection dog. The Novice B class is open to all dogs.

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

SIGN HERE	
X:	
Phone #:	
Email:	
In case of Emergency – Name:	Phone #: