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**ENTRY METHOD: LIMITED TRIAL, FIRST RECEIVED**

**ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON Wednesday September 11, 2024, 11:00 am** (Central Daylight Time - CDT) 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. Day-of-trial (DOT) entries are being accepted.

**ENTRIES CLOSE: One hour before the start time of each trial on dates, November 23 and 24, 2024 at 8:00 am**, or until maximum entries limits per day are met, after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows. 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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## Greater Panama City Dog Fanciers' Association



### PREMIUM LIST



*Where Training Kicks In  
and  
the Fun Begins*

### Two Days, Two Trials each Day

**Elements:** Interior, Exterior, Buried, Container & Handler Discrimination

**Level:** Novice, Advanced, Excellent & Master

**Elements will be run concurrently each day**

Trial November 23, 2024 Event # 2024087314

Trial November 23, 2024 Event # 2024087315

Trial November 24, 2024 Event # 2024087316

Trial November 24, 2024 Event # 2024087317

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### Shaddai Shrine Temple

1101 W 19th St

Panama City, FL 32405

**ENTRY LIMITS:** 125 entries per Judge per day

**To be held Indoors/Outdoors**

### TRIAL HOURS:

Saturday – Sunday - 7:00am - 6:00pm

Check in from 7:00 am 8:00 Daily

Handler's briefing 8:30, first dog to follow

Judges: Lisa Russell, Baker, FL and Judy Marie Leitzsch, Ocala, FL.



# 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 GREATER PANAMA CITY DOG FANCIERS' ASSOCIATION

President.....Dave McNiff  
Vice President.....Linda Prado  
Treasurer.....Lori Starling  
Secretary.....Lila Bates

PO BOX 2491, PANAMA CITY, FL, 32402-2491

TRIAL CHAIRPERSON	TRIAL SECRETARY
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Dave McNiff</b>  3511 Patrick Rd. Panama City, FL 32409  (405) 534-6407  <a href="mailto:davemcniff@gmail.com">davemcniff@gmail.com</a></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Paula Vester</b> 3513 Patrick Rd Panama City, FL 32409 (850) 319-8038  <a href="http://EmeraldCoastDogShows.com">EmeraldCoastDogShows.com</a>  <a href="mailto:emeraldcoastdogshows@gmail.com">emeraldcoastdogshows@gmail.com</a></p>

## EVENT COMMITTEE FOR THE GREATER PANAMA CITY DOG FANCIERS' ASSOCIATION

Linda Prado, Lori Starling, Lila Bates, Nancy Roesle, Donna Waddell

## CLASSES OFFERED & JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

<p style="text-align: center;">Lisa Russell Judge #102315 Baker, FL</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>T1 – Saturday November 23, 2024</u> Event # 2024087314</p> <p>Elements: Interior, Exterior, Buried, Container &amp; Handler Discrimination</p> <p>Level: Novice, Advanced, Excellent &amp; Master</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Judy Marie Leitsch Judge #111587 Ocala, FL.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>T2 – Saturday November 23, 2024</u> Event # 2024087315</p> <p>Elements: Interior, Exterior, Buried, Container &amp; Handler Discrimination</p> <p>Level: Novice, Advanced, Excellent &amp; Master</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>T1 – Sunday November 24, 2024</u> Event # 2024087316</p> <p>Elements: Interior, Exterior, Buried, Container &amp; Handler Discrimination</p> <p>Level: Novice, Advanced, Excellent &amp; Master</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>T2 – Sunday November 24, 2024</u> Event # 2024087317</p> <p>Elements: Interior, Exterior, Buried, Container &amp; Handler Discrimination</p> <p>Level: Novice, Advanced, Excellent &amp; Master</p>

## VETERINARIAN ON CALL

### ANIMAL HOSPITAL (ON CALL 24 HOURS)

4121 W Highway 98, Panama City, FL 32401 • (850) 896-9286

Directions – Exit Shaddai Shrine Temple, go west on W 19<sup>th</sup> St. Turn Left on Lisenby Ave. Right on W 15<sup>th</sup> St. Follow for about 2 miles, clinic on left side of road.

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

### Fire/ Ambulance/Police- 911 (Bay County)

#### LOCAL HOSPITAL – HCA Florida Gulf Coast

Directions – Head west on W 19<sup>th</sup> St. Take the second exit at State Ave (Turn Circle go North). On your Right will be the hospital. (1.5 miles)

## CLASSES OFFERED & JUDGING TIMES

All Trials will have Container – All, Interior – All, Buried – All, Exterior – All, Handler Discrimination – All Judging begins after handler briefing at 8:30 AM both days.

Move Ups between trials WILL be offered. A move-up transfer, formally known as move-up, is a request for class transfer, it must be in writing and presented to the Trial Secretary at least 30 min before the start of each trial.

Order of Classes: The order of classes and the judging schedule will be determined after Early Entries have closed (Nov 7<sup>th</sup>) and will be sent by email to entrants who have provided a legible email address.

## HANDLER DISCRIMINATION DIVISON

**Handler Discrimination** classes are titling classes in which the targeted scent is that of the handler themselves. Handlers are required to provide their own scented articles in a plastic bag, for the Novice class, one cotton glove or cotton sock, for Advanced, Excellent, and Master, cotton balls or cotton swabs. Three qualifying scores are required to earn titles in each class.

## DOG ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

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

**Condition of the Dog.** 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

\*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.

Early Entry for a dog per element, per class/level, per trial .....\$24

Day-of-trial (DOT) per entry (in effect after 14 November) ..... \$28

Early entry **closes 14 November at 10:00am central**, after which competitors will be charged DOT entry fee.

**Mail entry forms and fees to:** Paula Vester, 3513 Patrick Rd, Panama City, FL 32409

Online Entries will close on 23 November at 7:00am (Central), please see secretary for DOT entry at show site.

Only cash or credit card will be accepted at the show site for Day of Trial entries.

Please make checks payable to "Emerald Coast Dog Shows" or enter online



A service charge of 10% will be assessed. This includes entries sent online or post using a credit card for payment.

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 Paula Vester, 3513 Patrick Rd, Panama City, FL 32409. 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.

### REFUNDS

Refunds after 14 November will incur a \$5.00 per entry fee. This is to cover trial expenses already committed on behalf of the club.

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

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

## WAIT LIST INFORMATION

No fee (online or mail in) is charged to enter the wait list once the trial is full. If a spot becomes available prior to show closing the club will notify exhibitors, in a priority order of date entered, and be offered a spot in the trial. Any waitlisted entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial will **NOT** be charged.

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

**Staging Area** will be in the climate-controlled Shaddai Shriners Auditorium including check-in, warm-up and waiting area, as well as the secretary table for posting of running order, results, and ribbons. Public restrooms will also be in this area.

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.

The club shall designate a **warm-up area**. One labelled container per target odor being used in the trial on that day will be placed in the warm-up area. This will allow handler-dog teams to prepare themselves for the search prior to their run. Each team should limit their warm-up to two minutes or less so that others may be able to use the warm-up area as well. The warm-up area is not for training or relieving the dog. (Chapter 5, Section 34 of the Scent Work Regulations).

**Dog exercise Area** – will be designated grass areas south-east of the main auditorium building. Dogs must remain on leash at all times. No parking allowed on grass areas, all vehicles must remain on asphalt. 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.

## SEARCH AREA AND RING CONDITIONS

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

**Search Area Sizes** will be as required in the *Regulations for AKC Scent Work*"

## 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 the designated warm-up area".

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

**Crating space** will NOT be available in the Shriners Building. Exhibitors can expect to crate at or

near their vehicles. A large grass area is adjacent to parking spaces to exercise dogs.

**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.

**No food will be available on site.** There are numerous restaurants on 23<sup>rd</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> streets, a few minutes from the trial building.

**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 Flat may be awarded to dogs finishing a title.

**HIGH IN TRIAL**

Only teams who participate in the same difficulty level in all elements offered (Container, Interior, Exterior, Buried, and qualify in each are eligible to win **High in Trial**. One High In Trial winner is chosen per difficulty level; there is no 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 rosette.

**High Combined Division (HCD)**

If a club chooses to offer the High in Trial (HIT) award and is also offering Handler Discrimination classes, they must also confer the High Combined Division (HCD) awards. Only teams who participate in the same difficulty level in all elements plus Handler Discrimination, and qualify in each, are eligible to win High Combined Division. The High Combined Division award is determined by adding a team's faults across all classes. The team with the fewest faults will be declared the winner of the High Combined Division. The High Combined Division award is not recorded by the AKC. A rosette will be offered by the GPCDFA.

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. **Greater Panama City Dog Fanciers' Association** 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 **Greater Panama City Dog Fanciers' Association** 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 **Greater Panama City Dog Fanciers' Association** 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.

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

## HOTEL INFORMATION

**Red Roof Inn**  
217 North US Highway 231  
Panama City FL 32405  
850 215 2727  
1 free Pet, then \$15  
additional pets

**La Quinta**  
1030 E 23rd St  
Panama City FL 32405  
850 914 0022  
25.00 per dog per night

**Club cannot guarantee rates or fees, please contact hotel.  
RV Parking Not available on site.**

**Panama City Beach KOA Holiday**  
9010 Panama City Beach Pkwy,  
Panama City Beach, FL 32407

## DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE



**Shaddai Shrine Temple**  
1101 19th St  
Panama City, FL 32405

**From Tallahassee, FL**

Head west on I-10 W. Take exit 130 for US-231 S toward Panama City. Merge onto US-231 S. Continue on US-231 S: Follow US-231 S into Panama City. Stay on US-231 S until you reach 19th St. Turn right onto 19th St. Shaddai Shrine Temple will be on your left.

**From Pensacola, FL**

Start on I-10 E from Pensacola. Head east on I-10 E. Take exit 85 for FL-83 S/US-331 S toward DeFuniak Springs. Merge onto US-331 S. Turn left onto US-20 E. Follow US-20 E for several miles. Turn right onto FL-77 S. Continue on FL-77 S until you reach Panama City. Turn left onto E 19th St. Shaddai Shrine Temple will be on your right.

## VOLUNTEER NEEDED

A successful trial depends on the help of its volunteers.  
Please let us know if you would like to help in any of the following areas.

Note: many volunteer positions require walking, standing and bending. \*May be sit down jobs.

**Chief Steward** – organizes, trains, deploys volunteers throughout event. May also work the gate or score table.

**Element Set up** – Ensures all setup is complete for assigned Element, at the Judges direction, including line of site, start lines, boundary marking. Friday afternoon, Saturday afternoon, Sunday afternoon

**Clean up** – Site preparation for the next day, removal and loading of all trial gear at Trial(s) completion.

**\*Timer** – Timing competitor runs. Timer may not time a class in which he or she is exhibiting.

**\*Gate Steward** – Managing flow for the trial element area, assisting competitors positioning pre-search.

**\*Judges Steward** – Bring competitors to the start line, remind them of the time limit and leash options for the search. Cleanup between competitors may be required, including sweeping, vacuuming, or returning spilled sand to the container, and mopping slobbered water.

HD Hide Steward (includes Hot Box Steward) must wear latex or nitrile gloves when handling odor containers/boxes, etc. to prevent contamination Handles and places hides for handler scented item at the Judge's direction.

Score Runner - carries score sheets from search areas to Score Table throughout the trial.

**\*Registration** – Check in of arriving Competitors and Volunteers. Assistance at Score Table with verification of score sheet completion before data entry.

### NO AED ON LOCATION

### Volunteer Application

Positions Available <i>Described in premium list</i>	Experience Level	Days Available	Availability
<input type="checkbox"/> Element Set Up <input type="checkbox"/> Clean Up <input type="checkbox"/> Judge Steward <input type="checkbox"/> Gate Steward <input type="checkbox"/> Timer <input type="checkbox"/> Score Runner <input type="checkbox"/> HD Hide Steward	<input type="checkbox"/> Very Experienced <input type="checkbox"/> Some Experience <input type="checkbox"/> I want to Learn  <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Don't worry – we train</i></p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Saturday set-up <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday <input type="checkbox"/> Sunday <input type="checkbox"/> Sunday teardown	<input type="checkbox"/> Morning <input type="checkbox"/> Afternoon <input type="checkbox"/> All Day Exhibiting? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No More than 1 Dog? <div style="text-align: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</div>
Your Name	Email		Cell Phone
<p>Send completed application to Chief Steward</p> <p><b>Questions?</b> Contact Chief Steward Lori Starling, EM: <a href="mailto:gpcdfa@gmail.com">gpcdfa@gmail.com</a> Please state it is for Scent Work</p>			



## AKC Scent Work Official Entry Form



Need to be received by 7 November

Send to: Trial Secretary: Paula Vester

3513 Patrick Rd  
Panama City, FL 32409

	Cont.	Int.	Ext.	Buried	Handler Disc.
Trial 1 Saturday 11/23 2024	<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	<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	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A / B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Master
Trial 2 Saturday 11/23 2024	<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	<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	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A / B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Master
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If entering Novice, please mark A or B.

**Early Entry fee: \$24 per class, Day of Trial Entry fee: \$28 per class**

**Make checks payable to: Emerald Coast Dog Shows**

# of Classes \_\_\_\_\_ x \$24 (or \$28)= \$ \_\_\_\_\_ 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.**

## AKC OFFICAL 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. Circle A or B for Novice entries. Dogs may enter two different levels within each element, at each trial. Dogs entering the Advanced, Excellent, or Master classes must have earned the required title, as stipulated in the AKC Scent Work Regulations. Dogs may enter either the Novice "A" class or the Novice "B" class—not both. To be eligible for High in Trial entrants must run in all elements.**

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

**SIGN HERE**

**X:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**In case of Emergency – Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_