# ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED ENTRY LIMITS: 55 RUNS per TRIAL

Scent Work Trial No. 2019028438, 2019028439, 2019028440, 2019028441

Entries Open: Wednesday, October 2, 2019 at 9:00am

### Entries Close: 8:00 PM Tuesday, November 12, 2019

at the Secretary's office, 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.



## OBEDIENCE TRAINING CLUB OF PALM BEACH COUNTY



www.otcpbc.org

A.K.C. Licensed Established 1953

Saturday, November 30, 2019 Sunday, December 1, 2019

Trial Hours: 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

LOCATION 1250 Gateway Road Lake Park, FL 33403

E-mail: otcpbc.trialsec@gmail.com (Inquiries Only)



#### **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

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Scent Work Trial Hours: Saturday, Sunday– 8:00am to 5:00pm Check-in from 8:00-8:30 am daily Handler's Briefing at 8:15 am, first dog to follow NO DOGS present at the Briefing

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## **EVENT COMMITTEE**

Diana Johnson-Ford, Jane Craig, Judy Norton, Diane Wolak Judy McPartland, and members of the Obedience Training Club of Palm Beach County

### **EMERGENCY SERVICES- DIAL 911**

Town of Lake Park-Sheriff's Office: 561-881-3326 Fire Rescue: 561-748-4730

LOCAL HOSPITAL -

Palm Beach Gardens Medical Center, Burns Rd Use Alt A1A or Prosperity Farms Rd north to Burns Road

## **VETERINARIAN ON CALL**

## Pet Emergency & Referral Center Open 24 hours

3579 Northlake Blvd, Palm Beach Gardens, FL (561) 691-9999

Located on the north side of Northlake Blvd between Congress Ave and I-95

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.

Participants should travel with proof of current Rabies vaccination.

JUDGES AND THEIR ASSIGNMENTS				
Natalie Duberow #102352 Grant, FL		Handler Discrimination, Interior All levels offered below		
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Classes Offered				
Satu	ırday	Sun	ıday	
Trial 1	Trial 2	Trial1	Trial 2	
2019028438	2019028439	2019028440	2019028441	
HD	HD	HD	HD	
Novice A/B	Novice A/B	Novice A/B	Novice A/B	
Advanced	Advanced	Advanced	Advanced	
INTERIOR	INTERIOR	INTERIOR	INTERIOR	
Novice A/B	NOVICE A/B	Novice A/B	NOVICE A/B	
Advanced	ADVANCED	Advanced	ADVANCED	

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# CLASSES LIMITED TO 55 RUNS PER TRIAL CONCURRENT TRIALS

**EXCELLENT** 

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HD entrants move from Trial 1 search directly to Trial 2 search, at the same level. Interior entrants will ALL complete Trial 1 before Trial 2 begins.

### **SEARCHES** are all INDOORS in AIR-CONDITIONED space.

CRATING will be outside at your vehicle. GASOLINE generators are not allowed, and gasoline running vehicles must be parked away from other exhibitors.

#### HANDLER DISCRIMINATION DIVISION

Handlers are required to provide their own scented item in a plastic bag.

NOVICE: cotton glove or sock; ADVANCED: cotton ball

You may enter multiple dogs in HD in a single trial.

### TRANSFERS WILL BE ALLOWED

The request for a transfer must be in writing and presented to the Trial Secretary at least 30 minutes prior to the start of each Trial. Transfers may be approved provided the next level class and judge is available and the class has not reached its limit. Please contact the Trial Secretary for a transfer form, or download it from AKC.org (downloadable forms).

### **DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER**

**AGE**: This trial is open to all dogs SIX (6) months of age or older. **REGISTRATION**: Dogs must be 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 PAL/ILP, Canine Partners must be spayed or neutered in order to compete. "Dog" refers to both sexes.

**HEALTH**: Dogs with physical challenges (including amputees, deafness and blindness) are eligible to participate based upon the opinion of the judge. Dogs with physical injury (including mental or physical illness, sutures and bandages) and females in season may NOT participate. Aggressive dogs may not participate.

**TITLE**: Dogs entering upper level searches must hold the title in prior level class. Three qualifying scores are required to earn a title.

#### **ENTRY FEES PER TRIAL**

Each entry (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee) ........... \$25 per dog per trial 1st entry additional entries of the same dog in the same trial.......\$15 each add'l entry

## Mail entry forms and fees to:

Diana Johnson-Ford, trial secretary, 1110 Kriss Lane, Jupiter, FL 33458

Overnight deliveries must be sent with no signature required at delivery.

E-mail: otcpbc.trialsec@gmail.com (inquiries only)

Please make checks payable to:

the Obedience Training Club of Palm Beach County (OTCPBC)
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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. 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.

### WAIT LIST INFORMATION

OTCPBC is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of 20 entries per day will be placed on the club's wait list. All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to the posted closing date/time. No entries may be withdrawn with a refund after closing date/time unless a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry. Any wait listed entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial will receive a full refund.

## **RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES**

Placement ribbons will be awarded in each class as	follows:
First Place	Blue Rosette
Second Place	
Third Place	Yellow Rosette
Fourth Place	White Rosette
Qualifying Score	Dark Green flat

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

**High in Trial** (Ch 6, Section 8) This show is not eligible for HIT awards.

HIT is awarded at each level, to the teams with the fewest faults with qualifying scores in all elements at the same level offered in that trial.

Prizes are offered by the Obedience Training Club of Palm Beach County and its friends and members. A qualifying score is required for all ribbons & prizes. Awards and prizes must be picked up in person or by a designated representative on the day of the Trial. No awards will be mailed. Unclaimed awards become the property of OTCPBC. OTCPBC reserves the right to substitute an award or prize of equal value.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Scent Work Trials at www.akc.org/rules

### **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 Obedience Training Club of Palm Beach County (OTCPBC) 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. OTCPBC 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 OTCPBC or any official thereof.

IF IT IS NECESSARY TO RESCUE A DOG from a parked car on the show grounds, the Club will not be responsible or liable for any damage to the car involved. Unattended cars containing dogs should display contact information for a responsible adult at the show.

**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. OTCPBC reserves the right of representation and **Claims** will NOT be settled solely by arbitration as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

#### **ENTRY FORM ERRORS & OMISSIONS**

Per AKC, the Trial Secretary is <u>NOT</u> responsible for incorrect or missing information on the entry form. The Trial Secretary <u>will try</u> to obtain missing information but it is not their responsibility. Any information must be sent in WRITING thru regular mail or in an E-mail. If the class is entered wrong by the secretary a correction will be made.

#### **CHECK IN**

Exhibitors MUST check-in EACH day they are entered.

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.

NO dogs at the check in table please.

There will be a porta-potty in the parking area and no indoor restroom access

### **WARM UP**

Warm up area will consist of ONE container of Birch (Novice), Anise (Advanced), Clove (Excellent), or Cypress (Master) and may also consist of blank containers. Please limit warm-up to 2 minutes. No elimination or training in the warm up area. 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 is not responsible for locating late dogs. Only one dog/handler team at the warm up area at a time. A steward will instruct your team movement to and from the warm up area for staging.

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Collars, Leashes: While not actively searching, dogs MUST be curbed to a 6' leash, including entering and exiting search areas. During searches, the judge will determine leash use. Collars and leashes shall meet requirements set forth in the rules for scent work. Go Pro is allowed attached to a harness, retractable leashes allowed only during searches if allowed by the judge.

Site: It is not appropriate to visit the trial location prior to the trial date. Possession of Odors and Training. Chapter 5. Section 26 of the Scent Work Regulations state only the trial administrator will have scent/odor at the trial site. There shall be no training on the grounds of the AKC Scent Work trial.

Crating: Participants are required to crate at their vehicles. Please be aware of the weather on the trial date. There will be a porta-potty for participant and spectator use in the parking and crating area.

Clean up: 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. Please use the pea gravel elimination 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 DESIGNATED spectator area. Only Handler Discrimination classes can be watched by anyone. 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. Spectators should not cheer or applaud until the team is leaving the search area once the judge indicates the search is completed

### **ENTRY FEE CALCULATION SAMPLE**

I want to enter Novice Handler Discrimination all four trials: \$100

I want to enter Novice HD and Novice Interior all four trials: \$160

I want to enter Novice & Advanced Interior (I already have Novice title and want to earn Elite legs) all four trials: \$160

I want to enter Saturday 2 trials. HD only: \$50

I want to enter Saturday 2 trials, HD Novice & Advanced, Interior Novice & Advanced (I already have both Novice titles and will gain Elite legs): \$140

I want to enter Saturday, trial 2 in NOVIČE, ADVANČED AND EXCELLENT (I already have the Novice and Advanced titles and will earn Elite legs): \$55

I only need 1 more leg in Novice, should I enter later trials in Advanced? No, You are only eligible for Novice (until you earn the Novice title). Once you earn the 3 Novice legs, you may complete a transfer form and submit it to the Trial Secretary. See the section on Transfers.

Please email the Trial Secretary for any other combinations that require assistance.

## **HOTEL INFORMATION**

Red Roof Inn (561) 697-7710 2421 Metrocentre Blvd E

West Palm Beach, FL 33407

**La Quinta Inn** (561) 575-7201
34 Fisherman's Way Jupiter, FL 33477

La Quinta Inn (561) 689-8540

1910 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd. West Palm Beach, FL 33409

**Best Western** (561) 844-8448 11360 US Hwy 1 Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33408

When making reservations, please double check for changes to the local pet policy.

## LOCAL CAMPGROUNDS

RV Parking is NOT available at OTCPBC. No Overnight parking.
Jonathan Dickinson State Park, Hobe Sound, FL
MacArthur Beach State Park, Palm Beach Gardens, FL

## **DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE**

For GPS Directions: 1250 Gateway Road, Lake Park, FL 33403

From I-95: Take exit #77 (Northlake Blvd.) go East to Old Dixie Hwy. Turn Right on Old Dixie (just before RR tracks) and proceed to 3rd right. At Gateway Rd. turn right.

From the FL Turnpike: Take exit #107 (Beeline Hwy. NEED SUNPASS) turn right, after exit go to 1st light Northlake Blvd turn right (East). Turn right on Old Dixie Hwy (just before RR tracks) and proceed to 3rd right. At Gateway Rd. turn right. Proceed to end of road. OTCPBC clubhouse is the last building on the left.

## **AKC Official Entry Form**



Send to:

Diana Johnson-Ford, Trial Secretary 1110 Kriss Lane Jupiter, FL 33458

	TRIAL	Interior		Handler Discrimination		
Sat. 11/30/19	Sat 1	<ul><li>□ Novice A</li><li>□ Novice B</li></ul>	□ Advanced	<ul><li>□ Novice A</li><li>□ Novice B</li></ul>	□ Advanced	
Sat 11/30/19	Sat 2	<ul><li>□ Novice A</li><li>□ Novice B</li></ul>	<ul><li>☐ Advanced</li><li>☐ Excellent</li></ul>	<ul><li>□ Novice A</li><li>□ Novice B</li></ul>	□ Advanced	
Sun 12/1/19	Sun 1	<ul><li>□ Novice A</li><li>□ Novice B</li></ul>	□ Advanced	<ul><li>□ Novice A</li><li>□ Novice B</li></ul>	□ Advanced	
Sun. 12/1/19	Sun 2	<ul><li>□ Novice A</li><li>□ Novice B</li></ul>	<ul><li>□ Advanced</li><li>□ Excellent</li></ul>	<ul><li>□ Novice A</li><li>□ Novice B</li></ul>	□ Advanced	

# Entry fees: \$25 per 1<sup>st</sup> entry per dog, \$15 per additional class in the SAME trial. Make checks payable to OTCPBC

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See prior page for sample ENTRY FEE CALCULATION

AKC Registered Name				Registration Number
				☐ <b>AKC</b> /PAL/ILP/CP ☐ Foreign
Call name	Date of birth		Sex	
Breed			Vari	ety
Breeder				
Sire				
Dam				
Owner				
Owner's Address				
City		State		Zip
Telephone	Email			
Handler name (if different from ow	vner):	Junior Handler	'# (if a	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.

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

Sign Here X:	
Phone #:	
Email:	
In case of Emergency – Name:	Phone #: