

JUDGING PROGRAM



EMERALD DOG OBEDIENCE CLUB

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)



Odor Elements (Novice A & B, Advanced, Excellent, Master) Detective Class

June 7, 2024 Event # 2024019203

June 8, 2024 Event # 2024019204

June 9, 2024 Event # 2024019207

Lane County Fairgrounds
796 West 13th Ave, Eugene, OR

Trial Hours:

Friday – 8:00 am to 5:00pm

Saturday – 8:00am to 5:00pm

Sunday - 8:00am to 5:00pm

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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

Judging Schedule

	Debra Gillis	Jane Knight	Roy Fair	Judy Stromquist
	<i>Friday June 7, 2024</i>	<i>Friday June 7, 2024</i>	<i>Friday June 7, 2024</i>	<i>Friday June 7, 2024</i>
Start times**	Buried	Container	Interior	Exterior
9:30 am	Novice A (9)	Novice A (11)	Novice A (8)	Novice A (9)
	Novice B (3)	Novice B (5)	Novice B (6)	Novice B (5)
10:30 am	Advanced (8)	Advanced (6)	Advanced (5)	Advanced (9)
Lunch/setup				
1:00 pm	Excellent (6)	Excellent (5)	Excellent (6)	Excellent (4)
1:30 pm	Master (2)	Master (2)	Master (2)	Master (3)
		Detective (1)		
	<i>Saturday June 8, 2024</i>	<i>Saturday June 8, 2024</i>	<i>Saturday June 8, 2024</i>	<i>Saturday June 8, 2024</i>
	Container	Interior	Exterior	Buried
9:30 am	Master (5)	Master (3)	Master (1)	Master (3)
10:00 am	Excellent (7)	Excellent (8)	Excellent (7)	Excellent (8)
10:45 am	Advanced (7)	Advanced (8)	Advanced (10)	Advanced (9)
Lunch/setup				
12:00 pm	Novice A (14)	Novice A (12)	Novice A (12)	Novice A (11)
	Novice B (1)	Novice B (2)	Novice B (1)	Novice B (1)
	Detective (3)			
	<i>Sunday June 9, 2024</i>	<i>Sunday June 9, 2024</i>	<i>Sunday June 9, 2024</i>	<i>Sunday June 9, 2024</i>
	Interior	Exterior	Buried	Container
9:30 am	Novice A (10)	Novice A (12)	Novice A (11)	Novice A (10)
	Novice B (4)	Novice B (3)	Novice B (2)	Novice B (2)
10:15 am	Advanced (5)	Advanced (7)	Advanced (7)	Advanced (8)
11:00 am	Excellent (5)	Excellent (4)	Excellent (4)	Excellent (2)
11:45 am	Master (2)	Master (1)	Master (3)	Master (5)
				Detective (2)

The above class counts shown are prior to any move ups

**Class Start Times Are Approximate

Judge will not start any class BEFORE time listed

Novice A and Novice B will run simultaneously.

You may run elements in any order.

BESURE TO HAVE YOUR SCORE SHEETS BEFORE GETTING IN LINE

If you have a conflict with Obedience and Rally let check in know when you pick up your score sheets.

Pick up staging map and your score sheets when you check in each day

Check in will be located in the east end of the horse arena.

Park in the north lot in front of the horse arena entrances. DO NOT PARK in lot that is in front of the ice arena. Only RV's can park in RV area and no parking in the exterior covered horse stall area at the rear of the horse arena.

Exercise Dogs in field between horse arena and W 13th Ave. Do not exercise dogs or wander about behind the horse arena or around ice arena – those are search areas.

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Veterinarian On Call (not in attendance)
Emergency Veterinary Hospital 1821 Pioneer Pkwy E. Springfield, OR 97477 541-746-0112

Directions from Event Center: Start off going Right on 13th St. Left on Washington St. (one way road leads to on ramp/bridge to Hwy 126/I-105) Hwy 126/I-105 east towards Springfield Exit at Springfield City Center / Pioneer Parkway. Turn left off exit, then head straight through the lights and clinic is located in the Pioneer Parkway Safeway Shopping Center.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/ Ambulance/Police- Lane County
911

Sacred Heart Medical Center 3333 Riverbend Dr. Springfield, OR 97477 Phone: 541-222-7300

Turn East (right) on W 13th Ave. Left on Washington. Merge onto HWY 126/I-105, get in left lane. Take The left ramp onto I-5, heading toward Portland. Take next exit (Beltline Rd, East) Exit 195A. Follow signs for Hospital at Riverbend Drive

CLASS TRANSFER / MOVE UPS

Pre-trial class transfers must be received by 5:00 pm, Monday June 3, 2024, requires transfer requests be in writing. You may send email with subject line "Scent Work Class Transfer" to trial secretary. You must include Dog's Armband #, Registered name and AKC #, Class dog is entered in, which class the dog is to be transferred and which trials the transfer is to apply. Transfer will be acknowledged by return email.

Day to Day class transfers require a completed transfer form be turned into trial secretary within 30 minutes of the completion of the current day's trial for subsequent trial(s). No transfers will be accepted for day of trial.

ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

Trial Site. It is not appropriate to visit the trial location to practice 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.

Prohibited. The use or possession of alcohol, marijuana, illegal drugs (in any form) and firearms (including fireworks of any kind) is absolutely prohibited. Any exhibitor found to be in possession of prohibited substances may be excused without benefit of refund if the Event Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. If appropriate, law enforcement will be called.

Smoking. Oregon Law requires smokers to be at least 10 feet from any building. While there is no other ban on smoking on the Lane County Fairgrounds we ask that you be considerate of those around you and smoke (vaping included) inside personal vehicle in parking lot only.

Possession of Odors and Training. Chapter 5. Section 26 of the Scent Work Regulations state "No person other than those engaged in the administration of a trial shall be in possession of any target odor when on the trial grounds. There shall be no training on the grounds of the AKC Scent Work trial, other than the designated warm-up area".

Spectator Area. Spectators are encouraged. Any person not handling a dog in the current class, or any person who has already completed their run in the class may choose to watch the search from the spectator area. Handlers may not watch other exhibitors from their class prior to their run except in the case of Handler Discrimination classes. No one outside the search area may assist the handler or disclose the location of the hide. Spectators who intentionally or unintentionally give aid to a team may be ask to leave the area by the judge. Spectators are forbidden to discuss details of the search until the completion of the class.

Integrity of searches. If anyone is found to be discussing a search before classes have ended, all parties in the discussion will be penalized with a "not qualified" NQ for all classes entered that day, and will forfeit entry for subsequent days as well. For persons not entered, the Event Committee may ask those involved to leave.

Crating space will be available in doors. Crates may be left overnight; however, EDOC and the Lane County Fairgrounds will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site. Dogs that bark excessively in the crating area may be asked to crate in vehicle. No dogs may be left in crating area overnight.

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.

Photos and Videos. Exhibitors are welcome to photograph and/or video their own dogs either by another person or using a Go-Pro camera or the like as permitted by AKC. Exhibitors are encouraged to share their own dogs searching on social media and/or website. No person should post photos or video of dogs they do not own without explicit permission from that dogs owner. Judges may photograph and/or video searches they are judging for the purpose of their own education. Judges photos and/or videos may not be displayed or used for any purpose other than their own viewing without explicit permission of EDOC and the dogs owners. Similar penalties as explained in the section “Integrity of Searches” may be imposed for violation of photo/video rules.

**NO PHOTOS OR VIDEO MAY BE POSTED, DISPLAYED OR SHOWN
UNTIL AFTER THE COMPLETION OF THE TRIAL.**

All exhibitors should obtain and read 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. Emerald Dog Obedience 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. Emerald Dog Obedience 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 Emerald Dog Obedience 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 while on fairgrounds. Retractable leashes may not be used when on fairgrounds (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 not eligible for a refund (exception see ‘Wait List’.

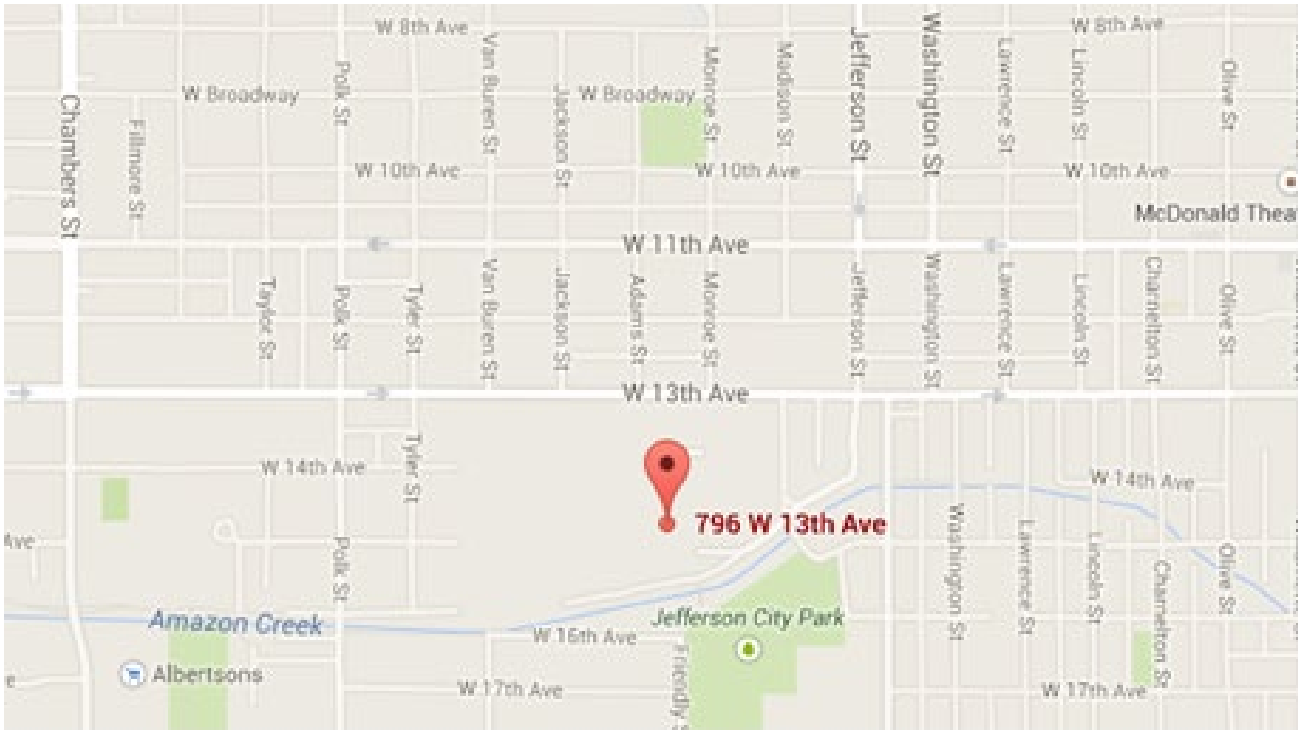
Bitches in season will be refunded the full entry fee. Notification in writing must be given to the trial secretary no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class of the day of the first trial entered.

“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.

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

Directions to Lane County Fairgrounds 796 West 13th Eugene, OR 97402

From I-5 North or South, take exit 194, West to Eugene.
Take exit toward Jefferson St./Fairgrounds, staying on Jefferson. Turn right on W 11th Ave. Turn Left on Polk St. turn left on 13th. The entrance to the Livestock Pavilion will be on the right side of the road.
Proceed to the Livestock Pavilion.



HOTEL AND CAMPING INFORMATION

RV Parking

RV's and campers are allowed to park overnight on the grounds. RV's and campers must check in at the Business Office to obtain a permit. A 24 hr self-service permit station is available at the back door to the office. The permit cost is \$20 per night (non-refundable). All RV's must be self-contained. Limited water and electrical access is available on a first come, first served basis.

Hotels

There are many hotels within 15 to 20 minutes of the Fairgrounds. Please verify that motel will accept dogs – managers and policies change. Make your reservations early as other events in the area may limit room availability.

PARKING INFORMATION

Parking is a privilege extended by EDOC and Lane County Fairgrounds. The Club reserves the right to withdraw this privilege from any person(s) who resorts to abusive language or does not abide by the rules and decisions of the Club or Fairgrounds. All parking is at your own risk. The Club and Fairgrounds assumes no responsibility for fire, theft, and/or damage to any vehicle, its occupants or cargo.

There is no charge for day parking at these trials. Everyone is expected to leave their parking area clean. No parking in designated fire lanes or loading/unloading zones or where otherwise prohibited.

RV or oversized vehicles will be directed to a posted area. Handicapped parking will be designated. A valid handicapped permit is required to be displayed.

DOGS IN UNVENTILATED VEHICLES

All persons attending this event hereby waive any claim for damages against Emerald Dog Obedience Club or its members in the event a motor vehicle must be entered to rescue a dog from overheating or suffocation due to improper ventilation.