ENTRY METHOD: Random Draw

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON August 12, 2024, 8:00 AM MDT 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.

DRAW CLOSING ON August 21, 2024, 5:00 PM MDT.

DRAW DATE August 22, 2024, 5:00 PM, Starbucks, 1301 Grand Market Ave, Berthoud, CO 80513

ENTRIES CLOSE ON Wednesday - September 11, 2024, 5:00 PM MDT 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. If necessary, a draw for a wait list will be held from the remaining entries after limits have been reached.

No Hand Delivered entries accepted.

PREMIUM LIST

Mountain States Dog Training Club

(AKC Member Club)



September 28, 2024, Event #2024017308 September 29, 2024, Event # 2024017309

Classes Offered:

Containers: Novice - Master Exteriors: Novice - Master Interiors: Novice - Master Buried: Novice - Master

Handler Discrimination: Novice –

Master Detective

Arapahoe County Fairgrounds

20690 E. Quincy Ave, Aurora, Co

ENTRY LIMITS 300 ENTRIES FOR EACH TRIAL **ENTRY LIMITS 12 entries in Detective** To be held Indoors/Outdoors

> Trial Hours: Saturday-7:00am to 6:00pm Sunday- 7:00am to 6:00pm



Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina DiNardo, Executive Secretary

OFFICERS OF MOUNTAIN STATES DOG TRAINING CLUB

President	Sarah Hemphill
Vice President	Amy Galperin
Treasurer	Kathy Janda
Secretary	Ann Ćarlson
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TRIAL SECRETARY

Deb Lewis. 3083 Coyote Ridge Dr 970-744-1077 Berthoud, CO 80513 deb@LookoutK9Trials.com www.lookoutk9trials.com

EVENT COMMITTEE

Lynn Kaemmerer Marilyn Turner Sister Mary Ellen Lisa Johnson Gail O'Neil MSDTC Members Present

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Veterinarian On Call (not in attendance) Animal Emergency & Specialty Clinic 17701 Cottonwood Dr., Parker, CO 80134 (720) 842-5050. Directions: Leave fairgrounds and go west (left) onto Quincy. Turn left onto Southbound E470 to Parker Rd exit. Go right (north) on Parker Rd .20 (1/4) mile to Cottonwood Dr. Left to clinic. Clinic on right in King Soopers Parking lot.

EMERGENCY SERVICES: Fire/Ambulance Police 911

	JUDGES
Andrea Wojciechowski (#111479)	PO Box 125, Firestone, CO 80520-0125
Patrice Dodd (#109033)	7886 W Swift Ln, Boise, ID 83704
Ms. Charlene Dunn (#46316)	8425 Whistling Duck Dr. Fort Worth, Tx 76118

ENTRY FEES PER DAY

*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.

Detective Class	\$50.00
All other Classes	\$25.00

Mail entry forms and fees to:
Deb Lewis, 3083 Coyote Ridge Dr, Berthoud, Co 80513
Please make checks payable to the Mountain States Dog Training Club.

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 Deb Lewis at deb@lookoutK9trials.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.

Trial Secretary will add a \$20.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check. Entries associated with returned checks will not be accepted as a valid entry until the entry fee and collection fee are received by the Secretary. Cash or Cashier Checks only, will be accepted for replacement of a returned check.

SCENT WORK CLASSES AND ASSIGNED JUDGES			
Classes	Saturday Sept 28	Sunday Sept 29	
Novice Container	Patrice Dodd	Andrea Wojciechowski	
Novice Exterior	Patrice Dodd Andrea Wojciech		
Novice Interior	Charlene Dunn Patrice Dodo		
Novice Buried	Andrea Wojciechowski	Charlene Dunn	
Novice Handler Discrimination	Andrea Wojciechowski Charlene Dunn		
Advanced Container	Patrice Dodd Andrea Wojciechowski		
Advanced Exterior	Patrice Dodd	Andrea Wojciechowski	
Advanced Interior	Charlene Dunn	Patrice Dodd	
Advanced Buried	Andrea Wojciechowski	Charlene Dunn	
Advanced Handler Discrimination	Patrice Dodd	Andrea Wojciechowski	
Excellent Container	Andrea Wojciechowski	Charlene Dunn	
Excellent Exterior	Patrice Dodd	Andrea Wojciechowski	
Excellent Interior	Charlene Dunn	Patrice Dodd	
Excellent Buried	Andrea Wojciechowski	Charlene Dunn	
Excellent Handler Discrimination	Andrea Wojciechowski	Charlene Dunn	
Master Container	Andrea Wojciechowski	Charlene Dunn	
Master Exterior	Patrice Dodd	Andrea Wojciechowski	
Master Interior	Charlene Dunn	Patrice Dodd	
Master Buried	Andrea Wojciechowski	Charlene Dunn	
Master Handler Discrimination	Patrice Dodd	Andrea Wojciechowski	
Detective	Detective Charlene Dunn Patrice Dodd		

A detailed judging schedule will be available after closing Judge assignments may change due to number of entries

Check In required for each Trial – Time and Location to be announced after closing

GUARANTEED WORKER SLOTS

Mountain States Dog Training Club is offering guaranteed worker slots for Volunteers working all day and with no more than 5 class entries total. Provisions will be made to assure volunteers get to run their dogs. Contact Jean Hilbig at msdtcweb@gmail.com by August 21 to volunteer.

WAIT LIST INFORMATION

Mountain States Dog Training Club is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing and before Noon on September 24, 2024. A maximum of 50 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 on or before September 13 2024. Entries withdrawn for any reason (except bitch in season), after closing on September 13, 2024 will receive a refund ONLY if replaced by a wait listed entry. The wait list period ends on September 25, 2024 at Noon, after which, any wait listed entry that has not moved into the trial will receive a full refund.

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 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 dogs and blind dogs can enter. Dogs that are both deaf and blind can 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. No dog shall compete if it is sutured, bandaged, or has any visible wounds.

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. The request for a class 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 class is available and the judge has not reached her limit.

STAGING AREA. HANDLER'S BREIFING. AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

Staging Area will be out of view of search area(s). Staging area will include crating, warmup and waiting area, as well as the 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. NO DOGS are to be present during the Handler's Briefing.

A warm-up area will be available consisting of ONE container of Birch, ONE of Anise, ONE of Clove, and ONE of Cyprus, as appropriate for the level of the Search. It may also contain blank 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 Area Conditions. Searches will be indoors on linoleum, tile, Concrete, or carpet. They will also be outdoors on grass, asphalt, dirt or concrete. Walks to and from search areas are level with no stairs. All search areas are accessible by wheelchair or mobility scooter.

Arapahoe County Fairgrounds is a public place. There may be members of the public walking thru the facility during the trials.

ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

<u>TRIAL SITE</u>. It is not appropriate to visit the trial location prior to the trial date, except if you are there, entered in another event. Many search locations are real-life environments, and such visits may risk the host losing the opportunity to use the location in the future. No training at Arapahoe County Fairgrounds is allowed, unless you are enrolled in a training class renting the facility.

<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".

<u>SPECTATOR AREA</u>. Search areas will be accessible for Spectators if the judge decides it is possible. There will not be gated rings to separate dogs from spectators. Search areas will be marked, and spectators kept away from the boundary markers.

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 when the judge has approved it. 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

<u>CRATING</u>: Indoor, climate-controlled Crating space will be available. Exhibitors must provide a waterproof tarp or mat to be placed underneath your crates. Crates may be left overnight; however, Mountain States Dog Training Club and the Arapahoe County Fairgrounds will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site. It is possible that another group will be in another area of the facility in the evening.

If you choose to crate out of your car, you are responsible for knowing when your class is running. MSDTC WILL NOT provide communication in the parking lot.

<u>CLEAN UP</u>: 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 trial grounds.

<u>FOOD:</u> Food will not be available on site for exhibitors. There are fast food restaurants near by.

TRIAL SITE/NOISE/DISTRACTIONS: Expect naturally occurring dog trial noises, such as doors opening, crated dogs, lively conversation and laughter, possible barking and background music. Sound sensitive teams will not be accommodated, as each team must be judged in a similar environment. There will be another group setting up vendor booths on the grass field to the north of the Event Center. You can expect vehicle traffic, loud noises and pedestrians passing near Exterior and Detective search areas.

REACTIVITY: The staging areas and crating area will be busy and will not be 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 area. Dogs displaying aggression towards other dogs or people will be investigated by the Event Committee and may result in disciplinary action and/or excusal from the trial site.

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

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

No ribbons will be mailed. You must pick them up by Sunday, end of the trial. Ribbons will be self-serve.

All handlers are expected to read and understand the rules and regulations prior to the trial. Download a copy of the Regulations for Scent Work Trials by downloading them from the American Kennel Club website.

"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.

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 Mountain States Dog Training 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 Mountain States Dog Training 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 Mountain States Dog Training Club or any official thereof.

<u>VEHICLE CRATING</u>: Temperatures in Colorado in late September can vary widely. Indoor crating will be available. If crating out of your car, it is the sole responsibility of the Handler to know when they are due to go to a search area. The club will not provide a steward in the parking lot.

<u>COLLARS, LEASHES AND HARNESSES</u>. During searches, dogs must wear a properly fitted collar or harness approved by the judge. Leashes may be of any length. The leash should be made of plain, pliable material.

All dogs must be on leash at all times. 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.

AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows apply to Scent Work Trials. Therefore special training devices that are used to control and train dogs, including but not limited to, collars with prongs, electronic collars used with transmitters, muzzles and head collars will not be permissible on the trial site.

<u>REFUNDS</u>: 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 for any reason except Bitch in season, are not eligible for a refund unless their space is filled from the wait list

Bitches in season will be refunded the full entry fee if notification in writing is 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

<u>RUN ORDER:</u> Run Orders will be posted and Gate Stewards will control the release of exhibitors to the staging areas. If possible, dogs are expected to run in the order posted. If a handler has a conflict between two classes, they should pre-arrange with the Gate Steward to run out of order.

Judges are not required to wait for dogs once the class is completed. 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 to locate dogs that are not brought into the search area when required. If a Handler has a conflict that prevents getting to the search area after the last dog in the running order has run, they must make prior arrangements with the judge if they want to run the search late. Judges are not required to allow a late run.

<u>EXHIBITOR CHECK-IN</u>: At check-in you will receive your run order number. Once the time and location for check-in is determined all exhibitors will be notified by email.

MSDTC is offering limited volunteer worker spots. These handler/dog teams will run first in each class.

Exhibitors MUST check-in EACH day they are entered. Time and Location will be announced after closing.

Claims will be arbitrated as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

HOTEL INFORMATION - CALL FOR CURRENT PET POLICIES

LaQuinta by Wyndham Parker, 800-753-3757, 17111 Carlson Dr, Parker, CO 80134

Super 8 by Wyndham, Parker, 720-779-3450, 6230 E Pine Ln, Parker, CO 80138

SpringHill Suites, Parker, 303-841-6700, 9355 Silverado Dr, Parker, CO 80134

Hampton Inn and Suites, Parker, 303-841-2977, 19010 Cottonwood Dr, Parker, CO 80138

Holiday Inn Denver-Parker, 303-248-2147, 19308 Cottonwood Dr, Parker, CO 80138

RV Overnight Parking

There is plenty of RV parking available. Arapahoe County Fairgrounds has RV electric hook ups. Email Jean Hilbig at msdtcweb@gmail.com if you plan to stay onsite in your RV. The Cost is \$30 per night.

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

Directions to Arapahoe County Fairgrounds 20690 East Quincy Ave, Aurora CO

From the North: From I70 take E470 south to the Quincy Ave Exit. Turn left and go 2 miles to the Fairgrounds entrance on your right.

From the South: From I20 or Parker Rd. take E470 northeast to Quincy Ave Exit. Turn right and go 2 miles to the Fairgrounds entrance.



Telephone

Handler name (if different from owner):



OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM - AKC SCENT WORK TRIALS

Send to: Deb Lewis, 3083 Coyote Ridge Drive, Berthoud, Co 80513

Make Checks payable to Mountain States Dog Training Club

ENTRIES OPEN August 12, 2024

DRAW CLOSING ON August 17, 2023 ENTRIES CLOSE ON September 14, 2023, 6:00 PM MDT Arapahoe County Fairgrounds, 20690 E. Quincy Ave, Aurora, Co

	Container	Interior	Exteri	or	Buried	Handler Discrimination	Detective
Saturday 9/28/2024	☐ Novice A ☐ Novice B ☐ Advanced ☐ Excellent ☐ Master	☐ Novice A ☐ Novice B ☐ Advanced ☐ Excellent ☐ Master	□ Novice □ Novice □ Advanc □ Excelle □ Master	B ed	□ Novice A□ Novice B□ Advanced□ Excellent□ Master	 Novice A Novice B Advanced Excellent Master 	□ Detective
Sunday 9/29/2024	□ Novice A □ Novice B □ Advanced □ Excellent □ Master	□ Novice A □ Novice B □ Advanced □ Excellent □ Master	☐ Novice ☐ Novice ☐ Advanc ☐ Excelle ☐ Master	B ed	□ Novice A □ Novice B □ Advanced □ Excellent □ Master	 □ Novice A □ Novice B □ Advanced □ Excellent □ Master 	□ Detective
	Entry fees: \$25 each entry, each day. Detective \$50.00 each entry, each day Make checks payable to the Mountain States Dog Training Club						
	# of classes entered: \$ Total due						
AKC Registe	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	V	
Breed					Variety		
Breeder							
Sire							
Dam							
Owner							
Owner's Address							
City			State	Zip			

Fields marked in blue are REQUIRED.

Junior Handler # (if applicable):

Email

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!

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. Dogs may enter two different levels within each element, at each trial. Dogs entering the Advanced classes must have earned the required novice title, as stipulated in the AKC Scent Work Regulations. Dogs may enter either the Novice "A" class or the Novice "B" class—not both.

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry.	
SIGN HERE X:	
Phone #:	
Email:	
In case of Emergency – Name:	Phone #: