ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

Entries will be taken between APRIL 1, 2019, 8:00 AM (Central Daylight Time-CDT) and JUNE 5, 2019, 5:00 PM (CDT). :***US MAIL ONLY, NO HAND DELIVERIES OR SIGNATURE REQUIRED WILL BE ACCEPTED.***

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.

PREMIUM LIST

AKC SCENT WORK
American Kennel Club

Greater Chicago Area Scent Work Association
(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)

Novice, Advanced, Excellent & Master Elements Trials

JUNE 15, 2019 Event #2019729301
JUNE 16, 2019 Event #2019729304

For Your K9
706 N. Industrial Dr., Elmhurst, IL 60126-1526

ENTRY LIMITS

375 entries per trial

To be held Indoors & Outdoors

Saturday: Interior, Exterior, Containers (all levels), Buried (novice & advanced)

Sunday: Interior, Exterior, Containers (all levels), Buried (novice & advanced)

Trial Hours:

Saturday– 7:30am to 5:30pm
Sunday- 7:30am to 5:30pm
Check-in from 7:30-8:00 am daily
Handler's Briefing at 8:30am, first dog to follow

Melanie Herbst, Chicago, IL
Joanne Soyke, Rock Island, IL
Amy Wukotich, Chicago, IL

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

OFFICERS OF THE GREATER CHICAGO AREA SCENT WORK ASSOCIATION

President .....NANCY REYES
Vice President .....ERIN REZMER
Secretary.....AMY WUKOTICH
3716 N. Oketo Ave., Chicago, IL 60634
Treasurer.....NOEL DAGLEY

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EVENT COMMITTEE

Nancy Reyes, Erin Rezmer, Tom Rezmer, Noel Dagley, Jill Snyder, Kim DeBenedictis, Jeannine Barbour

JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

Melanie Herbst, #102384 5917 W WARWICK AVE CHICAGO, IL 60634-2649	**Joanne Soyke**, #102577 2023 17TH ST ROCK ISLAND, IL 61201-4356	**Amy Wukotich**, #80755 3716 N OKETO AVE CHICAGO, IL 60634
June 15, 2019 Novice-Advanced Buried Novice-Advanced Container	June 15, 2019 Novice-Master Exterior Excellent-Master Container	June 15, 2019 Novice-Master Interior
June 16, 2019 Novice-Advanced Buried Novice-Advanced Container	June 16, 2019 Novice-Master Interior	June 16, 2019 Novice-Master Exterior Excellent-Master Container

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Elmhurst Animal Care Center
850 S. Riverside Dr., Elmhurst, IL 60126
Phone: (630) 530-1900
Emergency line: (630) 337-3070

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Loyola University Medical Center
2160 S 1st Ave, Maywood, IL 60153
Phone: (708) 216-9000

CLASSES OFFERED & JUDGING TIMES

SATURDAY & SUNDAY
TRIAL #1—9:00 AM
Buried: Novice, Advanced
Exterior: Advanced, Novice, Excellent, Master
Interior: Master, Excellent, Advanced, Novice
Container (follows Buried): Novice, Advanced, Excellent, Master

Move Ups from day to day WILL be offered.

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 PER DAY

Each entry (includes a $3.50 AKC recording fee)…….. $22

Mail entry forms and fees to:

Noel Dagley
c/o For Your K9
706 N. Industrial Dr.,
Elmhurst, IL 60126-1526

Please make checks payable to the **Greater Chicago Area Scent Work Association**.

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 directed to NOEL DAGLEY at nwtrials@foryourk9.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 and the

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

WAIT LIST INFORMATION

GREATER CHICAGO AREA SCENT WORK ASSOCIATION is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. 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 prior to **JUNE 5, 2019**. No entries may be withdrawn with a refund after closing on JUNE 5, 2019. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. Any wait listed entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial will receive a full refund.

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, 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.

A **warm-up area** will be available consisting of one container of each odor being tested at the trial, and may also consist of 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 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 or cement.

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.

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. 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 with handlers who have not run.

Crating space will be available on a limited basis. The event site requires a tarp to be placed on the floor underneath your crates. Crates may be left overnight; however, the **GREATER CHICAGO AREA SCENT WORK ASSOCIATION** and the **FOR YOUR K9** will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.

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.

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Placement ribbons will be awarded in each class as follows:

First Place……...……...…….…….……...Blue
Second Place……...……...……Red
Third Place……..……...……..…Yellow
Fourth Place……...……..……..…White
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 Greater Chicago Scent Work 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 Chicago Scent Work 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 Chicago Scent Work Association or any official thereof.

Collars, Leashes and Harnesses. During searches, dogs must wear a properly fitted collar or harness approved by the judge. 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.

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

HOTEL INFORMATION

Hotel/Motel Information

Howard Johnson Addison OHare Airport
600 E Lake Street
Addison, IL 60101
(630) 834-8800

Super 8 Chicago Northlake O'Hare South
2080 Mannheim Rd
Northlake, IL 60164
(708) 681-0220

Clarion Inn Waterford Convention Center
933 S. Riverside Drive.
Elmhurst, IL 60126
(877) 411-3436

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

Directions to Trial Site:

From the south/east take Interstate I290 West, exit York Rd., make a left on York Rd. to Industrial Dr., make a left on Industrial Dr.

From the north/west take Interstate I290 East, exit Lake St. to York Rd., make a right to Industrial Dr.

MAP

AKC Official Entry Form—Chicago Area Scent Work Association

	Container	Exterior	Interior	Buried
Sat., 6/15/19 T1	☐ Novice A ☐ Novice B ☐ Advanced ☐ Excellent ☐ Master	☐ Novice A ☐ Novice B ☐ Advanced ☐ Excellent ☐ Master	☐ Novice A ☐ Novice B ☐ Advanced ☐ Excellent ☐ Master	☐ Novice A ☐ Novice B ☐ Advanced
Sun., 6/16/19 T1	☐ Novice A ☐ Novice B ☐ Advanced ☐ Excellent ☐ Master	☐ Novice A ☐ Novice B ☐ Advanced ☐ Excellent ☐ Master	☐ Novice A ☐ Novice B ☐ Advanced ☐ Excellent ☐ Master	☐ Novice A ☐ Novice B ☐ Advanced

Entry fees: $22 per class

Make checks payable to the For Your K9

# of classes entered: _____ ***X $22 =***

$ _____

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 owner):	Junior Handler # (if applicable):	

Mail to: Greater Chicago Area Scent Work Association c/o For Your K9,
706 N. Industrial Dr., Elmhurst, IL 60126-1526

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**

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

- See March 1, 2018 edition of the Regulations for AKC Scent Work for info on eligibility for Novice A Classes
- Novice B Classes are open to all dogs.
- Advanced-Master Classes are open to dogs who have achieved the prior level title for that particular element.

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

SIGN HERE

X:_____

Phone #: _____**Email:** _____

In case of Emergency – Name: _____ Phone #: _____