AKC Scent Work Judge’s Education Seminar

January 18-19, 2020
For Your K9, 706 N. Industrial Dr., Elmhurst, IL 60126

Presented by: Penelope Scott-Fox and AKC Scent Work Department

Penelope Scott-Fox is one of the ‘original seven’ founding instructors of the National Association of Canine Scent Work and originator of Scott-Fox Pet Dog Training. She is an expert in scent theory and hide placement and is eager to impart her wisdom to AKC Scent Work Judges.

Hosted by: Greater Chicago Area Scent Work Association

This two-day seminar satisfies the seminar option for new judge candidates and counts as continuing education for current judges. To meet the AKC Scent Work seminar requirements you must attend both days.

Located at:
For Your K9
706 N. Industrial Dr.
Elmhurst, IL 60126

Seminar Hours:
8:30 am to 4:30 pm each day
There will be a lunch break and several coffee/bathroom breaks throughout the day.

Seminar Curriculum: The seminar will be split between classroom instruction/discussion and hands-on activities.*

Discussion Topics:
- Scent Theory
- General expectations of judges
- Picking and planning search areas
- General hide placement considerations
- Searches by class level- hide placement, test challenges, judging the search
- The Detective Class
- Handling difficult exhibitors
- Logistical considerations

Hands-On Learning:
Attendees will break into groups to design searches for each class and difficulty level. Dog-handler teams will run the searches blind, with the participants acting as the judge. After the search the instructor will discuss the search design, hide placement, and judging performance with the group.

*only those who pay for a full working entry may ask questions and participate in hands-on activities.

Attendees are not to bring dogs to the seminar.

Seminar Cost:

Full Working Entry for Judges/Judge Candidates: $175 for both days/$150 club members
(necessary to satisfy the seminar requirement)
Audit Entry for Exhibitors: $50/day
(silent participation)
Host Club Information:

President: Nancy Reyes
Vice President: Melanie Herbst
Secretary: Amy Wukotich
Treasurer: Noel Dagley

Seminar coordinator:
Nancy Reyes
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Emergency Services:

Fire/ Ambulance/Police- Name of County
911

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

Hotels:

Howard Johnson Addison
O’Hare 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:

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.
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Entries are due January 8, 2020, by 5 PM.

Entries must be paid in full, in US funds only. A collection fee of $25 will be charged for returned checks. Checks will be cashed when received.

Mail Entries To:
Greater Chicago Area Scent Work Association c/o For Your K9 706 N. Industrial Dr. Elmhurst, IL 60126
Make checks out to:
Greater Chicago Area Scent Work Association

Total fees enclosed: ________________

☐ Full Working Entry-$175 ($150 members)
☐ Audit (Sat)- $50
☐ Audit (Sun)- $50

Name: ___________________________________________________________________________
Address: ___________________________________________________________________________
City, State, Zip: ___________________________________________________________________
Phone: ____________________________________________________________________________
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Emergency Contact: __________________________________________________________________

AGREEMENT

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) 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, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing 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 for loss, injury or damage. 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 other persons. 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 ITS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSSELVES) 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: _________________________________________________________________________
Date: ____________________________________________________________________________