

Tri-State Dog Obedience Club

National Association of Canine Scent Work, LLC®

ODOR RECOGNITION TESTS

Odors: Birch, Anise, Clove

Sunday, April 8, 2018

***Tri-State Dog Obedience Club
837 Route 6, Unit 7 ~ Shohola, PA 18458***

The ORT testing space is a large indoor/climate controlled dog training facility with Agiliflex Matting. There are no stairs or carpeting. The parking lot is asphalt and level. There is no shade in the parking area. Due to unforeseen conditions, such as weather, parking, and/or pathways may be modified at the last minute.

Entry method – First received By USPS Mail Overnight deliveries must have the signature waived box checked.

Entries close March 24, 2018 at 5:00 PM or when entry limits have been met.

Entries are LIMITED to 100 tests.

Test Site Hours: 8:15 AM until testing is completed. Details regarding check in time and briefing will be sent approximately 1 week before the ORT.

Odors

Birch followed by Anise and Clove

Test Secretary

Doreen Garland

158 Monahan Road, Port Jervis, New York 12771

bcpwr@frontiernet.net

Veterinarians

Newton Veterinary Hospital ~ 24 hour service

116 Hampton House Road (Route 206N)

Newton, NJ

973-383-4321 - www.newtonvet.com

Test Site Information

The test will be held indoors, in a climate controlled dog training facility with Agiliflex matting. Restrooms are available inside the ORT area and may NOT be used during testing. Dogs must stay safely restricted to your vehicle until they are tested. No indoor crating will be available. Please bring your own lunch as needed. The nearest restaurants are ~ 5 miles away in Milford, PA. You are responsible for cleaning up after your dogs. All dogs must be on a 6' leash at all times when not being tested. No flexi-leashes for walking dogs on test site grounds; flexis may be used in the test itself.

Entry Requirements

The handler of the dog must be a current 2017-2018 member of the NACSW™. The Dog must be registered with the NACSW™. For information on how to register or become a member go to www.NACSW.net

Trial Eligibility and ORTs

An ORT must be taken and passed at least 14 days before a trial opening date to be eligible for the first draw period.

Entry Fee and Second Dog Policy

\$30 per dog/ per odor. All odors: two dogs per handler entry limit.
Please fill out a separate entry form for each **dog** to be tested.

Closing Date

Entries and payment must be received at the Secretary's address by March 24th at 5:00 PM.
Overnight mail entries must have the signature request waived.

Refund Policy

Cancellations made on or before Saturday March 24th at 5:00 PM will be refunded minus a \$10 administration fee. No refunds after the entry closing date. Cancellations may be made by e-mail to bcpwr@frontiernet.net. The test secretary is not responsible for lost e-mails that do not reach her.
The secretary will send an e-mail back to the participant confirming the cancellation.

ENTRY FEES shall not be refunded if a dog is absent, disqualified, or excused by the NACSW official or judge

Video/Photography Policy

ORT participants are allowed to have a friend or family member video/photograph their test. ORT participants are not allowed to video/photograph one another. ORT hosts are not obligated to provide someone to video/photograph.

ADA Requests

If you are an individual with a disability and would like to request accommodation(s), please email ADA@nacsw.net. Please include your name, ORT date, ORT host name, and your requested accommodation(s).

Directions to Test Site

From NJ:

Route 206 North over the Delaware River Toll Bridge. Turn right onto Rt. 209 North. At the light in Milford, continue straight onto Rt. 6 West. Stay on Rt. 6 for 7 miles to the Shohola Business Center on the right.

From NY & Matamoras, PA:

I-84 West to Exit 46 (Milford Exit - Old Exit 10). At the end of the ramp, turn RIGHT onto Route 6 West and follow for 5 miles to the Shohola Business Center on the right.

From PA & Points West of Milford:

I-84 East to Exit 46 (Milford Exit - Old Exit 10). At the end of the ramp, turn LEFT onto Route 6 West and follow for 5 miles to the Shohola Business Center on the right.

From Hawley/Honesdale/Lake Wallenpaupack Area:

Take Route 6 East. The Shohola Business Center will be on your LEFT 5.5 miles past (east of) the intersection of Rt. 6 and Rt. 434.

Dog Friendly Hotels near test site

Motel Policies change, please check with them about their pet policy when making your reservation.

Roadway Inn ~ 10 minutes away

240 Route 6, Milford, Pa 18337570.296.9444

High Point Country Inn ~ 30 minutes away

1328 Route 23 North, Wantage, NJ 07461973.702.1860

Best Western ~ 20 minutes away

120 Route 6 & 209, Matamoras, PA 18339.....570.491.2400

TEST Information - Notice to Exhibitors

THE TEST SITE will be open from **8:15 AM** until testing is completed

CHECK-IN/HANDLER BRIEFING Details regarding check in time and briefing will be sent approximately 1 week before the ORT.

An ORT must be taken and passed at least 14 days before a trial opening date to be eligible for the first draw period.

Score books are optional and are not required to participate in an ORT. They are for personal record keeping. If you have lost a scorebook or would like a replacement, you can request a replacement score book that will include all your prior NACSW results. Log in to your account at: <http://www.nacsw.net> and under the "My Account" section, go to "My Dogs" and choose the option to order a replacement score book there. The cost is \$20.

NO SPECTATORS ARE PERMITTED IN THE SEARCH AREA during the ORT except NACSW™ officials, adults accompanying a minor, CNWI-in-training, or immediate family members/friends of the dog/handler team currently being tested.

ENTRIES:

- TELEPHONE, FAX, UNSIGNED ENTRIES, AND ENTRIES RECEIVED WITHOUT FEES cannot be accepted.
- RETURNED CHECKS do not constitute a valid entry fee.
- ENTRIES MUST BE MADE ON THE ATTACHED ENTRY FORM.
- NO ENTRY SHALL BE MADE AND NO ENTRY SHALL BE ACCEPTED, WHICH SPECIFIES ANY CONDITIONS AS TO ITS ACCEPTANCE.
- OWNERS are responsible for errors in making out entry forms.
- EXPRESS MAIL entries must include signature permitting them to be left at the secretary's address without recipient's signature.

DOGS PRESENT will not be permitted to roam. Exhibitors are responsible for the behavior of their dogs. The owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready when it is to be judged. Be prepared to keep your dog in your car when not being tested or on leash at all times. There is no inside crating at this test.

FEMALES IN SEASON – Contact your test host at least 1 day before the ORT if this becomes a possibility

DOGS PARTICIPATING in ORT must be at least six months of age and must appear to be healthy on trial day and should be current on all vaccinations required by law.

Acknowledgement of entry acceptance/CONFIRMATION will be made when entries are processed for those handlers that provide an email address. If you require a confirmation via USPS, you must provide a self-addressed stamped envelope with your entry.

BASIC DESCRIPTION OF TEST – to successfully pass an ORT a dog must identify the location of the target odor and the handler must correctly call an "alert" within a three-minute time period. The Odor Recognition Test consists of a drill type exercise which requires 12 closed boxes set up in a pattern of *one or two* rows, spaced a minimum of 48" apart. The ORT is conducted on leash. Complete information can be obtained on the NACSW™ website.

All exhibitors should obtain and review a copy of the NACSW™ K9 NOSE WORK® RULE BOOK. You may get it from their website: www.NACSW.net

NACSW™ – Odor Recognition Test Entry Form

Sunday April 8, 2018

Tri-State Dog Obedience Club ~ 837 Route 6, Shohola, PA

\$30 Registration Fee per dog per odor - **Payment by check or money order only made payable to TSDOC**

Please mail this completed form via USPS with your registration fee to:

Doreen Garland 158 Monahan Road, Port Jervis, New York 12771

Questions: Contact Doreen Garland bcpwr@frontiernet.net .

Odor: Birch Anise Clove

Dog's Call Name: _____

Breed(s): _____

Dog's NACSW™ #: _____

Handler's Name: _____

Handler's NACSW™ Membership #: _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone where you can easily be reached _____

E-mail Address _____

All confirmations will be sent via e-mail with attachment within 7 days of receipt of complete registration form and payment. If you require a confirmation via USPS, you must provide a self-addressed stamped envelope.

I/We hereby assume all risks of, and responsibility for, accidents and/or damage to myself or to my property or to others, resulting from the actions of my dog. I/We expressly agree that Tri-State Dog Obedience Club and/or NACSW™ or any other person, or persons, of said groups, shall not be held liable personally, or collectively, under any circumstances, for injury, and/or damage to my person, for loss or injury to my property, whether due to uncontrolled dogs or negligence of any member of said groups, or any other cause, or causes.

Signed: _____