



SDDA Sanctioned Sporting Detection Trials

Hosted By: K9 Scentinals Dog Sport Club
October 4th and 5th, 2014

Location: Coast Chilliwack Hotel, 45920 First Avenue, Chilliwack BC

Judge: Jonathan Phaneuf, Chilliwack BC

Entries Close: 10pm on September 1st 2014, or when trials fill
Limited entry: 35 dogs per component per day (Started and Advanced combined)

Levels and Components Offered:

Saturday: Started and Advanced - Container, Interior and Exterior (exterior area)

Sunday: Started and Advanced - Container, Interior and Exterior (vehicle)

Schedule:

Check In opens: 8:15am

Handlers Briefing: 8:45am

First dog on the line: 9am

Order of events: Containers (Started, Advanced), Interior (Started, Advanced), Exterior (Started, Advanced)

**** This titling event is being held under the rules of the Sporting Detection Dogs Association. ****

Trial Committee:

Trial chair: Darlene Leight

Trial secretary: Sheri Luzzi

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Competitors, through the submission of their entries, acknowledge that they know the Rules and Regulations. SEE MASTER RULE BOOK on the SDDA WEBSITE www.sportingdetectiondogs.ca to FAMILIARIZE YOURSELF WITH ALL RULES.

Please read pages 2 and 3, and follow all rules



Entry Information:

For this event, we are only accepting one dog per handler per level per day. Handlers with two dogs at the same level may enter one dog each day. A dog must have qualified in the Started component to enter the corresponding Advanced component. Move-ups will not be permitted at any point during the weekend (if you qualify at another event before this one, contact trial secretary). If you enter one dog in both days, and you title in Started level on Saturday, you will run as "working stream" on Sunday. Refunds will not be issued for withdrawals due to title earned.

Entry limits: Handler/ Dog Teams may enter one, two, or all three components. A handler may not enter more than one dog in a given component per level per day.

Entry confirmations: Confirmations of entry receipt will be emailed upon receipt and processing of entry and payment.

Closing Date: 10pm on September 1st 2014 or when trial fills. If the trial fills, a wait list will be maintained. Handlers will be notified of their position on the wait list after entry closing, and will be contacted if a spot becomes available. On-site entries will not be accepted.

FEO: For Exhibition Only entries will only be accepted AFTER September 1st 2014 if the trials do not fill. Information on availability will be posted on the trial entry website after this date (or if trial fills sooner).

Entry method: **First come basis, online entry only.**

Entry forms at: <http://k9scentinels.com/trialentry.htm>

Complete the online form for the day(s) you wish to trial. If you have not yet received your dog's SDDA registration number, you may enter "pending", but must show your registration number at check-in.

Fees: \$25 per Component Entered (\$15 FEO)

Payment: Preferred payment via PayPal or email transfer to k9scentinels@gmail.com. If paying by cheque, payment must be received within 7 days of your entry to hold your space in the trial. Cheques payable to K9 Scentinels (post-dated cheques will not be accepted). Mail to K9 Scentinels, 9320 Windsor Street, Chilliwack BC, V2P 6C4.

Refunds: Refunds will be given for any dog withdrawing for medical reasons. A Veterinarian Certificate must be submitted before the start of the trial. Refunds will be given until September 1st 2014 IF, and only if, we are able to fill your space.

Awards: qualifying ribbons will be presented per component, and rosettes for titles/placements.

Titles: All three (3) components (Container, Interior, Exterior) must be successfully completed (qualifying scores earned) to earn the SD-S title; however, it is not necessary to complete all three on the same day. The SP (Special) designation will be added to the title of any dog who completes the three components on the same day, at the same trial.



Participant Information:

TRAINING AND/ OR UNOFFICIAL USE OF ODOUR IS NOT PERMITTED ON TRIAL GROUNDS.

This includes ALL hotel grounds, parking areas, etc.

Please check in upon your arrival to the trial site, and present your dog's registration card.

DOGS: Dogs must be under control at all times. This is a public venue so please keep barking to a minimum. Pick up after your dog(s) immediately. Dogs **MUST** be on leash when not crated or in the search areas. Do not allow your dog to approach other dogs or people without explicit permission. We recommend that your dog remain crated between searches; if you wish to walk your dog around, please use the park located behind the hotel.

Running Order: running order will be decided by random draw. Order will be posted at check-in on trial day. Started dogs will run before Advanced dogs.

Bitches in heat: bitches in heat are allowed to compete, and will run last in each component level. We ask that you notify us ASAP if your bitch is in heat so we can notify other competitors of a change in run order. Started bitches in heat will run before Advanced dogs.

Food & Refreshments: The hotel has a restaurant/ lounge area. Starbucks, Subway and other eateries are a short walk from the hotel. Save-on-Foods and Safeway are also within walking distance.

Crating: Crating will be in your vehicle. Please bring appropriate equipment to keep your dog(s) comfortable.

Accommodations: The Coast Chilliwack Hotel has offered a corporate rate to all event participants, and does accept pets. Contact trial secretary for booking code if required.

Nearest Veterinary Clinic: Cheam View Veterinary: 1-8337 Young Road South, Chilliwack, BC.
Office Hours: Monday to Friday 8am – 8pm; Saturday to Sunday 9am – 5 pm; 24 Hour Emergency Service Available. 604-795-5721.

Trial Site Directions: From Highway 1, take Exit 119 for Vedder Road/ Yale Road. Go north on Vedder Road (signs for Yale Road/City Centre). Continue straight onto Yale Road W. Turn right onto Cheam Avenue. Turn left onto 1st Avenue. Coast Chilliwack Hotel will be on the right.

T-Shirts! Trial event/ souvenir t-shirts are available for pre-order, \$25 each. Available in black or purple, unisex sizing S-5XL with custom artwork. More information on the trial entry website link above.