## Canine Country Academy hosts

# National Association of Canine Scent Work, LLC®

### **ODOR RECOGNITION TESTS**

Odors: Birch, Anise, Clove

**Sunday, March 18, 2018** 

Canine Country Academy 975 Cripple Creek Drive, Lawrenceville, GA 30043

This ORT test is at Canine Country Academy's Lawrenceville, GA training facility. The parking lot is paved with a slight slope walk from the lower level to the ORT testing area. The facility is located in an industrial business area. The flooring in the test area has comfortable black foam matting.

Entry method – Online Registration/PayPal and First received By USPS Mail Overnight deliveries must have the signature waived box checked.

Entries close Monday, March 12, 2018 at Midnight ET or when entry limits have been met.

Entries are LIMITED to 90 tests for the day.

Test Site Hours: Details regarding check in time and briefing will be sent approximately 1 week before the ORT.

#### Odors

Birch, Anise and Clove

#### Test Secretary

Paula Nowak, 975 Cripple Creek Drive, Lawrenceville, GA 30043 678-979-2016

#### **Veterinarians**

Eastside Animal Medical Center 1835 Grayson Hwy, Grayson, GA 30017 678-985-5530

North Georgia Veterinary Specialists 1328 Buford Hwy NE, Buford, GA 30518 678-835-3300

#### Test Site Information

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. If you are in need of reactive dog parking, please contact the host/trial secretary.

# **Entry Requirements**

The handler of the dog must be a current member of the NACSW™. The Dog must be registered with the NACSW™. For information on how to register or become a member go to <a href="https://www.NACSW.net">www.NACSW.net</a>

# 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

\$35 Entry Fee Per Dog/Per Odor Accommodations for One Handler for One Additional Dog Per Odor

## Closing Date

Monday, March 12, 2018 by Midnight ET Overnight mail entries must have the signature request waived.

### Refund Policy

Written Notice by Monday, February 26th for a Full Refund **ENTRY FEES** shall not be refunded in the event that 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).

The address for the facility is <u>975 Cripple Creek Drive</u>, <u>Lawrenceville 30043</u>. We are located just off the intersection of 316 and Highway 20 (Buford Drive). Coming from 316, turn north on 20, go 1/8 mile to the Citgo station on your left and turn left there onto Cripple Creek Drive. Heading south on 20 (from Mall of GA area), look for the intersection of Swanson Road (Dunkin Donuts and McDonalds on your right) go through that light and the next right turn is Cripple Creek Drive. Once on Cripple Creek, we are halfway down the street on the right and you will see our sign and the 975 number.

La Quinta Inn & Suites 2370 Stephens Center Dr., Duluth, GA 30096 678-957-0500

#### **TEST Information - Notice to Exhibitors**

THE TEST SITE will be open from 7:30am to 5:30pm

CHECK-IN/HANDLER BRIEFING 7:30am/8:00am 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: <a href="http://www.nacsw.net">http://www.nacsw.net</a> 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. <nost policy for returned checks>.
- 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

# Canine Country Academy NACSW™ – Odor Recognition Test

**Sunday, March 18, 2018** 

Canine Country Academy - 975 Cripple Creek Drive, Lawrenceville, GA 30043

\$35 Registration Fee - Payment by check, money order or paypal

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

975 Cripple Creek Drive, Lawrenceville, GA 30043 Checks payable to: Canine Country Academy

Questions: Contact the Host/Secretary Paula Nowak 678-979-2016, <a href="mailto:paula@caninecountryacademy.com">paula@caninecountryacademy.com</a>, Monday - Sunday 9am to 7pm ET

Odor:   Birch	□ Anise	□ Clove
Test date(s): Sunday, March 1	8, 2018	
Dog's Call Name		
Breed(s)		
Dog's NACSW™ #		
Handler's Name		
Handler's NACSW™ Member	rship #	
Address		
City S	State	Zip
Phone where you can easily b	e reached	
E-mail Address		

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

Please contact your host at least 1 day before the ORT if your female dog will be in season.

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 Canine Country Academy, 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:
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