
ENTRIES will open on December 29, 2025 at 9:00 am Eastern Standard Time (EST). **ENTRIES** close on January 26, 2026 at 03:00 pm EST after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows.

Premium List



DURHAM KENNEL CLUB

(Member of the American Kennel Club)



VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Triangle Pets Emergency – 608 Morreene Rd – Durham, NC 27705
Phone (919) 489-0615 (PLEASE CALL FIRST)

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, have appropriate vaccinations and proof of rabies vaccination.

***Novice & Advanced Levels (container, interior, exterior, buried)
Handler Discrimination All Levels (Sunday only)***

To be held at: Durham Kennel Club
7318 Guess Rd. Durham, NC 27278
Saturday and Sunday, February 7 and 8, 2026
Event No's 2026016104, 2026016105, 2026016107

Entry Limited to 120 runs per trial.

First Received Method

To be held Indoors/Outdoors and Outdoors

Trial Hours:

Saturday and Sunday 7:30am to 5:30pm
Trial hours are approximate

AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION

Permission has been given by the American Kennel Club for the holding
of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Sheila Goffe, Executive Secretary



OFFICERS OF THE DURHAM KENNEL CLUB

President Rose Mary Pries
Vice President Julia Trimmer
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TRIAL COMMITTEE

TRIAL CHAIRPERSON	TRIAL SECRETARY
Emma Lambeth 804 Cardens Creek Dr. Durham NC 27712 elambeth@gmail.com 919-523-1669	George Beglane 76 Davisson Dr. Durham NC 27705 beglane@durhamkennelclub.com 919-418-1316

EVENT COMMITTEE

George Beglane, Joyce McHenry, Tamara Dunn, Emma Lambeth, Emilie Beglane,
and
Boo Donoho

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/ Ambulance/Police
911

Duke Regional Hospital 3643 N Roxboro St Durham, NC 27704 919-470-5345

JUDGES

Linda C Wozniak (101087), Chapel Hill, NC
Nina C Brown (110510), HARMONY, NC

JUDGE ASSIGNMENTS AND CLASSES OFFERED**Saturday 2/7/2026 Trial 1**

Novice		Advanced	
Container	Nina C Brown	Container	Linda C Wozniak
Interior	Nina C Brown	Interior	Linda C Wozniak
Exterior	Nina C Brown	Exterior	Linda C Wozniak
Buried	Nina C Brown	Buried	Linda C Wozniak

Saturday 2/7/2026 Trial 2

Novice		Advanced	
Container	Linda C Wozniak	Container	Nina C Brown
Interior	Linda C Wozniak	Interior	Nina C Brown
Exterior	Linda C Wozniak	Exterior	Nina C Brown
Buried	Linda C Wozniak	Buried	Nina C Brown

Saturday 2/8/2026 Trial 1

Novice		Advanced	
Container	Linda C Wozniak	Container	Nina C Brown
Interior	Linda C Wozniak	Interior	Nina C Brown
Exterior	Linda C Wozniak	Exterior	Nina C Brown
Buried	Linda C Wozniak	Buried	Nina C Brown
Handler Discrimination			
Novice HD	Nina C Brown	Excellent HD	Linda C Wozniak
Advanced HD	Nina C Brown	Masters HD	Linda C Wozniak

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.

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

*an entry is defined as a single run by a single dog, in a single class. Entry fees include a \$4.50 per run AKC recording fee.
Entry each dog \$25 entry.

Mail entry forms and fees to:

George Beglane, DKC Trial Secretary
76 Davisson Dr., Durham NC 27705

Please make checks payable to **Durham Kennel Club**.

Entries may also be made online at the below link:

<https://www.durhamkennelclub.com/ScentWork/February%20Trial/ScentWorkEntry.php>

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 be directed to George Beglane at beglane@durhamkennelclub.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.

By providing an email address on the entry form, you agree to electronic correspondence for confirmation letter and judging program. If you would like your confirmation letter and judging program sent via US Postal Service, you may either not provide your email address on your entry or you may specifically request snail mail.

WAIT LIST INFORMATION

Withdrawals prior to the closing date will be refunded. Durham Kennel Club will keep a wait list of 30 entries to fill openings created by entries withdrawn before or after the closing date of **January 26, 2025**. No openings will be filled on the day of show. Withdrawals made prior to the day of show will be filled in the waitlist order. All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary by the closing date of **January 26, 2025**. Shortly after receiving your entry, exhibitors will be notified of their entry status. There are no refunds for entries withdrawn after closing unless the withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry, a refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. A wait listed entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial will receive a full refund.

STAGING AREA, HANDLER'S BRIEFING, AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

Staging Area will be out of view of search area(s). Staging area will include parking (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 show the exhibitors how to get to the staging areas and how their search areas will look. In the Handler's Briefing the judge will explain if there's an off leash option, number of hides or range of number, maximum height of hides and maximum time for the search. Demo dogs will be run after hides have been set and prior to the start of a class. NO DOGS are to be present during the Handler's Briefing.

A **warm-up area** will be available consisting of ONE marked container of each odor being tested at the trial and may also consist of blanks 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 to their run, or for recovery after the 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, hardwood, or tiled surfaces, or outdoors on grass, gravel, earth, concrete, wood or asphalt surfaces. Searches may require exhibitors to walk distances and stairs from the parking area(s) to access the various search areas. DKC will make every effort to accommodate the needs of individuals with mobility issues.

ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

Trial Site. It is not appropriate to scout 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 35 of the Scent Work Regulations state "No person other than those engaged in the administration of the trial shall be in possession of any of the target odors when on the trial grounds. There shall be no training on the grounds of the AKC Scent Work trial, other than the designated warmup 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 except in the case of Handler Discrimination classes. 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 until the completion of the class.

Crating space will not be available indoors.

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.

The AKC is committed to creating a safe and respectful sport environment for all. If you need to talk to someone, or need help, please call 800. 656.HOPE (National Sexual Assault Hotline) or text HOME to 741-741 for free, 24/7, confidential services from trained crisis counselors.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Scent Work, by downloading them here: <http://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/RSW001.pdf>

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Placement ribbons will be awarded in each class as follows:

<i>First Place</i>	<i>Blue</i>
<i>Second Place</i>	<i>Red</i>
<i>Third Place</i>	<i>Yellow</i>
<i>Fourth Place</i>	<i>White Qualifying</i>
<i>Score</i>	<i>Dark Green</i>

New Title rosettes, Elite Title rosettes, and Overall Title rosettes will be offered.

A special commemorative rosette will be awarded for earning a Detective Title at this Trial.

High in Trial

High in Trial: Teams that participate and qualify in all elements offered at each level are eligible to win High in Trial. One High in Trial winner is chosen for each level (Novice, Advanced) there is no separate High in Trial for the Novice A and

Novice B sections. The High in Trial is determined by adding the team's faults across the elements. If there is a tie based on faults, then the team's times across the elements will be summed and the faster-finishing team will win. Teams winning High in Trial will be awarded a rosette.

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 American Kennel Club 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 American Kennel Club 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 American Kennel Club or any official thereof.

Collars, Leashes and Harnesses. During searches, dogs must wear a properly fitted collar or harness approved by the judge. A wearable camera such as a Go Pro may be mounted to the dog's harness, if desired. 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 offleash 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 illness are not eligible for a refund unless replaced by a wait listed entry.

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. A Handler's Briefing for all levels and all elements + Detective may occur prior to the start of each Trial each day. Once the time and location for check-in and the Handler's Briefing 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.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

*watch the DKC Scent Trial webpage for more information on
volunteering as the trial gets closer*

HOTEL INFORMATION

HOTELS AND MOTELS

(Please confirm that dogs are allowed when making your reservation)

Quality Inn and Suites (10 miles) Hillsborough Rd; 919-382-3388;

LaQuinta Inn (15 miles) Durham-Chapel Hill Blvd; 919-401-9660

Carolina Duke Motor Inn (8.5miles), Guess Rd, Durham;919-286-0771

Super 8 Motel (7.5 miles) Guess Rd, Durham 919-286-7746

Red Roof Inn (7.5 miles) North Point Drive off Guess Rd; 919-471-9882

Holiday Inn Express (9 miles) 2516 Guess Rd; 919-313-3244

CAMPING INFORMATION

RV Parking: There is no overnight RV parking on site.

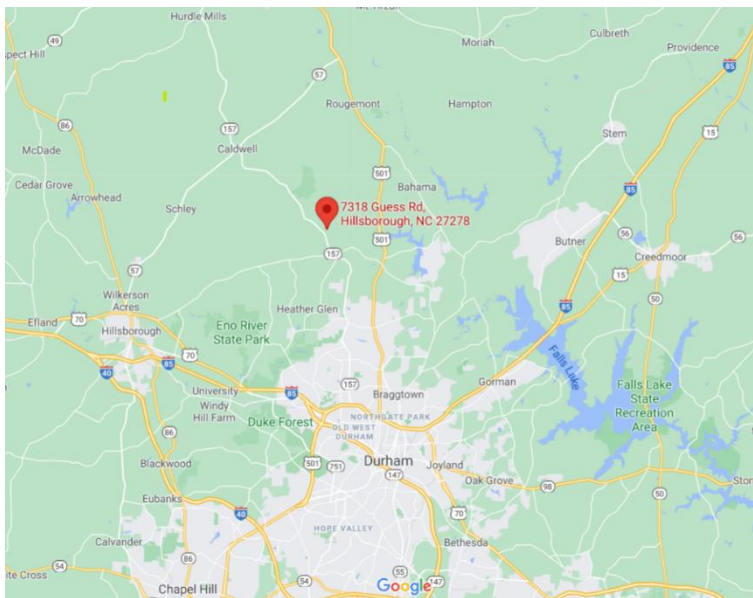
Spring Hill RV Park: Office Phone: (919) 967-4268

Toll-Free (800) 824-8807 (no tent camping)

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

Set your GPS for Durham Kennel Club

7318 Guess Road Hillsborough NC 27278





AKC Official Entry Form

Send to: George Beglane, Trial Secretary
76 Davisson Dr Durham NC, 27705
Entries close October 7 2024 at 3pm

	Container	Interior	Exterior	Buried
Saturday Trial 1	Novice <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B Advanced <input type="checkbox"/>	Novice <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B Advanced <input type="checkbox"/>	Novice <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B Advanced <input type="checkbox"/>	Novice <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B Advanced <input type="checkbox"/>
Saturday Trial 2	Novice <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B Advanced <input type="checkbox"/>	Novice <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B Advanced <input type="checkbox"/>	Novice <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B Advanced <input type="checkbox"/>	Novice <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B Advanced <input type="checkbox"/>
Sunday Trial 1 Morning	Novice <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B Advanced <input type="checkbox"/>	Novice <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B Advanced <input type="checkbox"/>	Novice <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B Advanced <input type="checkbox"/>	Novice <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B Advanced <input type="checkbox"/>
Handler Discrimination				
Sunday Trial 1 Afternoon	Novice <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B	Advanced <input type="checkbox"/>	Excellent <input type="checkbox"/>	Masters <input type="checkbox"/>

Entry Fees: Make checks payable to Durham Kennel Club

Entry Fees for Each Trial first entry: \$30, \$25 each additional entry of same dog in the same trial.

AKC Registered Name		Registration Number <input type="checkbox"/> AKC/PAL/ILP/CP <input type="checkbox"/> 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):	

By signing below, you agree to the agreement on the next page, no entries accepted without signature.

Signature: _____

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

The A/B Sections: The A class is for beginners. Those dogs who have earned a title in that element (in AKC or in another organization), and those handlers who have worked as professional detection dog handlers must enter the B section. The exhibitor is fully responsible for entering the dog in the correct class(es)/divisions. Failure to do so will result in the cancellation of qualifying scores.

All exhibitors are responsible for understanding the rules and should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Scent Work Trials by downloading them from the American Kennel Club website.

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

SIGN HERE

X: _____

Phone #: _____

Email: _____

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

**Scent Work Trial
Move Up Form
February 7-8, 2026
Move Up Restrictions**

Trial 1 Feb. 7, 2026- move up received by secretary by 3pm Monday January 26, 2026

Trial 2 Feb. 7, 2026 - move up received by secretary 1/2 hour after completion of Trial 1 on Saturday

Trial 1 Feb. 8, 2026- move up received by secretary 1 hour after completion of Trial 2 on Saturday

Handler Name: _____

Arm Band _____

Number: _____

Dog's Call Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Move up for trial check all that apply Saturday Trial 1 ☐ Saturday Trial 2 ☐ Sunday Trial 1 ☐

Element	Advanced	Excellent	Masters
Container	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a	n/a
Interior	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a	n/a
Exterior	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a	n/a
Buried	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a	n/a
Novice HD	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a	n/a
Advanced HD	n/a	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
Excellent HD	n/a	n/a	<input type="checkbox"/>