Let's Speak Dog Training & Sports Studio offers:

National Association of Canine Scent Work, LLC®

Odor Recognition Tests

Saturday November 30th, 2019

Let's Speak Dog Training and Sports Studio 3143 William Penn Highway, Easton, Pa 18045

ORT testing space is a large indoor, climate-controlled training facility with matting. There is a ramp at one entrance and 6 steps to exit the building. The parking lot is asphalt and minimal shade. Due to unforeseen conditions, such as weather or change in availability of areas at the location, the expected test area, parking, and/or pathways may be modified at the last minute.

Entry method – First received By USPS Mail

Any overnight deliveries must have the signature waived box checked.

Entries close Friday November 22nd at noon or when entry limits have been met.

Entries are LIMITED to 100 tests.

Odors

Birch, Anise, Clove one dog entry limits per handler per odor

Test Secretary

Sarah Woodruff, 2 Chestnut Commons Court, Easton, PA 18040

Readytorun452@yahoo.com

215-802-0132

Emergency Veterinarians

Valley Central, 210 Fullerton Ave, Whitehall, PA 610-435-1553

Test Site Information

The test will be inside in a dog training facility with matting. Dogs must be crated in your car until they are being tested as there is NO indoor crating space available.

Please bring your own lunch as needed. Many restaurants are close to the facility.

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 2019-2020 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

\$30.00 per dog per test. (If you enter one dog for all 3 odors the fee would be \$90 total).

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Please fill out a separate registration form for each dog to be tested.

Closing Date

Entries and payment must be received at the Secretary's address by Friday November 22nd, 2019 by noon. Overnight mail entries must have the signature request waived.

Refund Policy

Cancellations made on or before Friday November 22nd at noon will be refunded. No refunds after the entry closing date. Cancellations may be made by e-mail (readytorun452@yahoo.com) or telephone: 215-802-0132. The test secretary is not responsible for lost e-mails or calls 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 can 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).

TEST Information - Notice to Exhibitors

THE TEST SITE will be open from 8:30 am.

Check-in / Handler Briefing

Details regarding check in time, schedule and briefing will be sent approximately 1 week before the ORT.

Score Books

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.

Spectators

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.

Spectators that are family member/friends of the dog handler team must check in and sign a waiver.

Entries:

- TELEPHONE, FAX, UNSIGNED ENTRIES, AND ENTRIES RECEIVED WITHOUT FEES cannot be accepted.
- RETURNED CHECKS do not constitute a valid entry fee. Returned checks will be subject to a \$25 fee in addition to any fees charge by your bank.
- 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.

Dog Policies

Dogs 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 location. Please pick up after your dog.

Females in Season

Contact your test host at least 1 day before the ORT if this becomes a possibility.

Dog Age

Dogs Participating in the 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.

Entry Confirmation

Acknowledgement of entry will be made via email 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: <u>www.NACSW.net</u>

DIRECTIONS TO TEST SITE

LET'S SPEAK DOG STUDIO, 3143 William Penn Highway, Easton, Pa 18045

PLEASE DO NOT SEND YOUR ENTRY & PAYMENT TO THIS ADDRESS. THERE IS NO MAILBOX AT THIS ADDRESS. PLEASE SEND TO THE TEST SECRETARY – ADDRESS is on the entry form.

From NJ and East

Route 78E to Route 33 N. Take the Route 22 East Exit and turn right onto Route 22 E.

Take the 25th street exit and turn right at the light. At the next light, turn right onto William Penn Highway. Continue west on William Penn Highway to 3143. The marquee sign has Planet Fitness and Easton Hosp Rehab, we are not listed on the sign. Turn into the lot and park on the side or back of the building. Entrance is on the side of the building, Door #3.

From the South

Take 78 E to Route 33 N and follow from above

From the North

Take Route 33 South to the Route 22 east then follow from above

From the West

Take Route 22 E follow above

NACSW[™] – Odor Recognition Test Entry Form Saturday November 30th, 2019 Let's Speak Dog Training & Sports Studio, Easton, PA Registration fee is \$30.00 per dog per test. If you enter 1 dog to test in all 3 odors, the fee would be \$90. Check or money order payable to Let's Speak Dog. Please mail this completed form via USPS with your registration fee to: Sarah Woodruff, 2 Chestnut Commons Court, Easton, PA 18040 Attn: ORT Questions: Contact the trial secretary Sarah Woodruff, readytorun452@yahoo.com Clove Odor (circle all that apply): Birch Anise Dog's Call Name Breed(s) _____ Dog's NACSW™ K# Handler's First and Last Name Handler's NACSW™ Membership # **Remember to renew your membership for the 8/1/2019 - 7/31/2020 membership year.** 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 selfaddressed 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 Let's Speak Dog, 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: