Entry Method: Random Draw

Entries for the random draw will be taken between **November 9 2020**, **8:00am** (**MST - ARIZONA**) and **November 23 2020**, **6:00pm MST**. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waived signed. No electronic or faxed entries will be accepted. Fee must accompany entries. The drawing will be held **November 24**, **2020**, **5:00pm MST** at Starbucks (4409 E. McKellips Rd., Mesa, AZ 85215).

Entries will close on December 5, 2020, 6:00pm MST, after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows. Envelopes containing entries for more than ten (10) dogs will be treated as invalid and will be returned.

#### PREMIUM LIST

#### **AKC All-Breed Scent Work Trials**

This event is accepting entries for mixed breed dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program SM



# Superstition Kennel Club

(A member of the American Kennel Club)

December 12 2020 (Event # 2020021522) & December 13 2020 (Event # #2020021523)

# SHOPPERS SUPPLY 2880 S. ALMA SCHOOL Rd., CHANDLER, AZ 85286

**Indoors & Outdoors** 

#### ENTRIES ARE LIMITED TO 375 PER TRIAL

Novice, Advanced, Excellent, & Master (Containers, Interiors, Exteriors, and Buried)

#### TRIAL HOURS:

# Saturday - 8:00 am to 6:00 pm & Sunday - 8:00 am to 6:00 pm

The Times for Level Briefing(s) / Walk Through(s) will be determined once all entries have been received and the Trial(s) have closed.

All Excellent classes will run first, followed by all Master classes, followed by all Novice classes, followed by all Advanced classes.

#### **JUDGES:**

Charlotte I Borghardt -Hereford, AZ 85615 Steve Detata - Rancho Santa Margarita, CA 92688 Linda Buchanan - Escondido, CA 92027

#### Certification

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina DiNardo, Secretary



# ! ! ALERT ! !

Trial Attendees (such as Competitors, Volunteers, and Judges) will be required to comply with any local, state, federal and/or CDC guidelines regarding COVID-19 that MAY be in effect on the day(s) of the trial(s).

In addition, Trial Attendees will agree to follow AKC's Suggested Best Practices for the Well-Being of Dog Sport Participants as they pertain to AKC Scent Work Trials.

These recommendations MAY include but are not limited to travel restrictions, social/physical distancing, hand sanitizing, and face masks/coverings.

There will be no indoor crating, all competitors will work from their vehicles. It will be December, which can be cool in the morning and warm in the afternoon. Please keep this in mind when entering and plan accordingly.

All exhibitors will be required to sign and submit a Covid-19 release form. That form will be sent with your entry confirmation.

The closing date is December 5 - which 1 week prior to the trials. It is the intention of the club that if the trials need to be canceled due to COVID-19 it will be done prior to the closing date. However, if extenuating circumstances occur (after December 5) the club retains the right to cancel the trials and advise the competitors no later than December 6. If the club cancels the trials, all entry fee payments will be shredded.

Other details about the trial and any additional information regarding COVID-19 and its possible impact on these trials will be updated as we get closer to the trial dates.

# 2020 - OFFICERS OF THE SUPERSTITION KENNEL CLUB

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# **EVENT COMMITTEE**

Stacey Larsen, Stacie Strauss, Laurel Fagg, Debbie Trueblood, Marge Anderson, and members of the Superstition Kennel Club.

# **CLASSES OFFERED**

Saturday	Saturday	Saturday	Saturday
Charlotte Borghardt	Linda Buchanan	Steve Detata	Charlotte Borghardt
Novice Container	Novice Interior	Novice Exterior	Novice Buried
Advanced Container	Advanced Interior	Advanced Exterior	Advanced Buried
Excellent Container	Excellent Interior	Excellent Exterior	Excellent Buried
Master Container	Master Interior	Master Exterior	Master Buried
Sunday	Sunday	Sunday	Sunday
Sunday Charlotte Borghardt	Sunday Linda Buchanan	Sunday Steve Detata	Sunday Charlotte Borghardt
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Charlotte Borghardt	Linda Buchanan	Steve Detata	Charlotte Borghardt
Charlotte Borghardt Novice Container	Linda Buchanan Novice Interior	Steve Detata Novice Exterior	Charlotte Borghardt Novice Buried

Day to Day move ups must be submitted to the Trial secretary within 30 minutes of the last run.

# **VETERINARIAN ON CALL**

1st Pet Veterinarian Center- Chandler (1233 West Warner Road, Chandler, AZ 85224), (480) 732-0018

#### **EMERGENCY SERVICES**

Fire/Ambulance/Police - Maricopa County 911

<u>Chandler Regional Medical Center</u> - (1955 W Frye Rd, Chandler, AZ 85224), (480) 728-3000 (9 minutes from trial site)

#### 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 to compete. Wherever the word "dog" is used in these regulations it includes both sexes.

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.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Scent Work Trials by downloading them from the American Kennel Club Website. <a href="http://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/RSWooi.pdf">http://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/RSWooi.pdf</a>

#### ENTRY FEES PER DAY

An entry fee is defined as a single run by a single dog, in a single class. First entry and additional entries are PER TRIAL (designated by an AKC event number).

First entry of each dog \$22.00 (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee)
Additional entries of each dog \$22.00 (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee)

Juniors registered in AKC Jr Handler Program, please provide AKC JR number

Mail completed entry forms and fees to:

Debbie Trueblood – Scent Work 2903 E. Glencove St., Mesa, AZ 85213

Please make all checks payable to Superstition Kennel Club

No entries will be accepted by phone, email, or fax. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Debbie Trueblood @ dtruebloodu@gmail.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 invalid check.

**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.

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.

**Superstition Kennel Club (SKC) will exercise the right to guarantee Entries for Show Workers**. Per AKC regulations – The club may guarantee entry spots for show workers who have agreed to work at the trial. Entry spots for show workers are part of the total entry limit state in the premium list. To work at our trial, please fill out the attached Volunteer form.

#### WAIT LIST INFORMATION

SKC is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of 25 entries will be placed on the club's wait list on order of receipt. All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary by the listed closing date. No entries may be withdrawn for a refund after this date (except for BIS). If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait list entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. Any wait listed entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial will receive a full refund.

# **SEARCH AREA & RING CONDITIONS**

Search areas may be of any shape, and of the size specified in the Regulations for each class. Searches may be indoors, on matted, carpeted, or tiled surfaces, or outdoors on grass, gravel, earth, concrete, or asphalt surfaces. Trial will take place rain or shine.

Search area sizes will be as stated in the AKC regulations for all elements and levels.

# STAGING AREA, HANDLER'S BREIFING, AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

**Staging Area** will be out of view of search area(s). Staging area will include 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 take place in view of the search area prior to the start of each class, after the hide(s) have been set and after the Demo Dog has run. In the Handler's Briefing the judge will explain if there is an off-leash option, number of hides, maximum height of hides and maximum time for the search. 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. Please be considerate of others using the area.

#### SITE INFORMATION

**Trial Site**. It is not appropriate to visit 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. This trial site will not be used for Scent training one week before the trial.

Possession of Odors and Training. Chapter 5. Section 26 of the Scent Work Regulations state "No person other than those engaged in the administration of a trial shall be in possession of any target odor when on the trial grounds. There shall be no training on the grounds of the AKC Scent Work trial, other than the designated warm-up 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 asked to leave the area by the judge. Spectators are forbidden to discuss details of the search with handlers who have not run. Please do not discuss any searches while on trial grounds to avoid any confusion.

**Crating space** will not be available in the building. Please crate your dogs in your car. Please keep dogs quiet. If barking cannot be controlled, you will be asked to leave. Keep dogs on leash while not working. THERE WILL NOT BE OVERNIGHT SECURITY AT THIS EVENT. LEAVE THINGS AT YOUR OWN RISK.

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.

# RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

A New Title rosette will be awarded to all dog and handler teams finishing a title.

#### **High in Trial**

Novice, and Advanced High in Trial rosettes will be offered at this trial. Only teams who participate in the same difficulty level in all elements offered (Container, Interior, Exterior, and Buried), and qualify in each are eligible to win High in Trial. There is no separate High In Trial for the Novice A and Novice B sections; they are combined.

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 earn 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 Superstition 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 Superstition 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 Superstition Kennel Club or any official thereof.

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

**Collars, Leashes and Harnesses.** During searches, dogs must wear a properly fitted collar or harness approved by the judge (tags ok). Dogs are permitted to have 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 off-leash option may be offered at the discretion of the judge, only if the area is completely enclosed.

**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. Details about flow and run order progression will be covered in the briefing.

Claims will be arbitrated as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

**Exhibitor Check-In** - At check-in you will receive your armband number. Once the time and location for check-in is determined all exhibitors will be notified by email. Exhibitors MUST check-in for EACH for trial they are entered. Claims will be arbitrated as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

#### HOTEL INFORMATION

This is a small sample of hotels that are pet friendly in the area. Please visit bringfido.com for a complete list of pet friendly establishments in the area. These are for information and not a recommendation of said businesses, please check with hotels for current policies and restrictions. You are **REQUIRED** to clean up after your dog at all of these locations. Do not leave dogs unattended inside rooms.

Super 8 - Chandler - 7171 W Chandler Blvd, Chandler, AZ (pet fee)
Comfort Inn Chandler - 7400 W Boston Ave, Chandler, AZ (pet fee)
Sheraton Wild Horse Pass Resort & Spa - 5594 W Wild Horse Pass Blvd, Chandler, AZ (no pet fee)

Please be courteous and respectful at all times at the hotels. Please pick up after your dog and leave the residence in the same or better condition than when you left it.

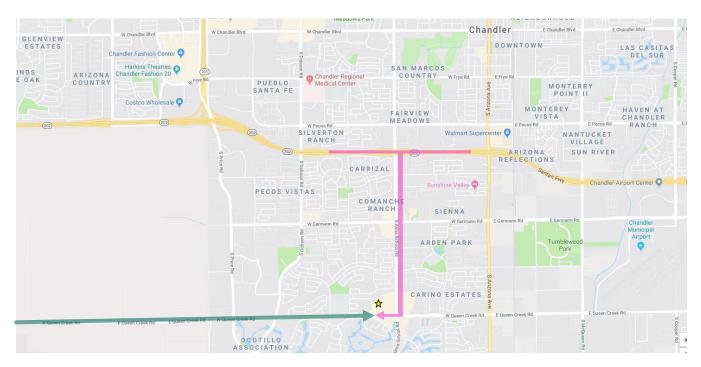
Overnight RV Parking is not available on site.

#### **DIRECTIONS TO THE SITE**

The site is located south of the SR 202, at the northwest corner of the intersection of S. Alma School Rd. and W. Queen Creek Rd., in Chandler, AZ. Shoppers Supply is located in the far west side of the complex, directly north of Kneaders Bakery & Café and Wells Fargo Bank. Parking will be between Shoppers Supply and Kneaders Bakery & Café.

From the North, West, & East: using the 202 San Tan Freeway, take the Alma School exit south. Turn west (right) at Queen Creek and the complex will be to the north (right).

*From the South*: Take exit 347 from the I-10 and turn right onto Queen Creek Road. The complex will be on your left immediately before Alma School Rd.



# **AKC Official Entry Form**



# AKC SCENT WORK ENTRY FORM

# Superstition Kennel Club Shoppers Supply, Chandler, Arizona

Open 11/9/20, Close 12/05/20

	Container	Interior	Exterior	Buried		
Sat., 12/12/20	☐ Nov A ☐ Nov B ☐ Adv ☐ Excellent ☐ Master	☐ Nov A ☐ Nov B ☐ Adv ☐ Excellent ☐ Master	☐ Nov A ☐ Nov B ☐ Adv ☐ Excellent ☐ Master	☐ Nov A ☐ Nov B ☐ Adv ☐ Excellent ☐ Master		
Sun., 12/13/20	☐ Nov A ☐ Nov B ☐ Adv ☐ Excellent ☐ Master	☐ Nov A ☐ Nov B ☐ Adv ☐ Excellent ☐ Master	☐ Nov A ☐ Nov B ☐ Adv ☐ Excellent ☐ Master	☐ Nov A ☐ Nov B ☐ Adv ☐ Excellent ☐ Master		
Entry fees: <mark>\$22 per class</mark> Make checks payable to <mark>Superstition Kennel Club</mark> Mail to Debbie Trueblood, 2903 E. Glencove St., Mesa, AZ 85213						
	# of classes entere	ed:	X \$22 = \$	otal due		
AKC Registere	d Name		Registration Number	preign		
Call name	Date	of birth	Sex			
Breed			Variety			
Breeder		<u>.</u>				
Sire						
Dam						
Owner						
Owner's Address						
City		State	Zip			
Telephone	Email					
Handler name (if different from owner):		Junior Handler	# (if applicable):			

Fields marked in blue are REQUIRED.

Fields marked in gray must be completed if the information is known.

\*\*\*Be sure to read the Agreement and sign on the reverse. No form will be processed without your 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**

Entering Novice A or B: The Novice A class is for beginners. The Novice B class is open to all dogs. Advanced classes are for dogs who have earned a title in that element. The exhibitor is responsible for entering the dog in the correct class(es). Failure to do so will result in the cancellation of qualifying scores. Exhibitors may handle only 1 dog in an element in each trial (unless Handler Discrimination is being offered).

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

SIGN HERE X:		
Phone #:		
Email:		
In case of Emergency – Name:	Phone #:	