
ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON **August 14, 2023 12:00 noon Pacific time (PT)** at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required". (Mailed with confirmation of entry.) **ENTRIES CLOSE ON Oct 4 6 pm (PT)** 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. Entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

PREMIUM LIST



Sacramento Valley Weimaraner Club
(AKC Member Club 2245)

Two Trials October 21 and 22, 2023

Saturday **October 21** and Sunday **22, 2023** Event # 2023224510 Event # 2023735312

Name of Event Location

Sonoma County Fairgrounds
Santa Rosa California

ENTRY LIMITS

8 hours of judging per judge

Detective limited to 14 entries

To be held Indoors / Outdoors

Trial Hours:

Saturday– 7:30am to 4:00pm

Check-in from 7:30-8:00 am daily

Handler's Briefing at 8:00am, first dog to follow

Judges

Patty Garcia

Suzy Abel

Carol Chase, Sparks NV

Patty Moore Reno NV

Kelly Boyer Santa Rosa, CA



**AMERICAN
KENNEL CLUB**

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

OFFICERS OF THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

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7732 FAIR OAKS BLVD # 123
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EVENT COMMITTEE

Gillian Norris, Esteri Hinman, Mara Wildfeuer, George Hinman, Laurie Isaacson
(Event Committee must be club members. Minimum of five, including chairman; trial secretary may be on committee only if a member of the club. Individuals judging at the trial may not be on the event committee.)

EMERGENCY SERVICES

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Fire/ Ambulance/Police- Sonoma County -
 911

JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

SATURDAY 10/21/23	SUNDAY 10/22/23	JUDGE
Novice HD Novice Interior Novice Exterior Advance Exterior Advanced Interiors	Novice Buried Novice Containers Advanced HD Advance Containers Advanced Buried	Patty Moore
Advanced HD Novice Buried Novice Containers Advance Containers Advanced Buried	Novice HD Novice Interior Advanced Interiors Novice Exterior Advance Exterior	Suzy Abel Kelly Boyer
Detective	Detective	Patty Garcia
Excellent HD Excellent Exterior Excellent Interior Excellent Buried	Master HD Master Interiors Master Containers Master Buried	Carol Chase

Excellent Containers
Master Containers
Master Exteriors

Master Exteriors
Excellent Exterior
Excellent Containers

Patty Garcia

Judges' assignment may change for load balancing.

Move-Up Policy *Move Ups between trials WILL be offered.*

Dogs may be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner, as a result of qualifying for a scent work title, provided that the request is received in writing by the Trial Secretary, no later than 6 pm on the Monday preceding the event.

DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all dogs SIX (6) months of age or older that are registered with 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 \$3.50 per run AKC recording fee.

Novice and Advanced Each entry/class (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee)	\$25
Excellent and Master Each entry/class (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee)	\$30
Detective Each entry/class (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee)	\$45

DAY OF SHOW ENTRIES ARE BEING TAKEN AT THESE TRIALS if there is space \$5 added to entry fee per class Mail entry forms and fees to:

Laurie Isaacson
P.O. Box 20670
Castro Valley, CA 94546

Please make checks payable to the Sacramento Valley Weimaraner Club

You can also enter on the [abbadogs.com](http://www.abbadogs.com) website at
<http://www.abbadogs.com/shows2/index.php/scentwork>

No entries will be accepted by phone, 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 Laurie Isaacson at spottedratpack@gmail.com. No entry shall be submitted 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.

WAIT LIST INFORMATION

Sacramento Valley Weimaraner Club is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of **25 entries per day** will be placed on the club's wait list. All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to **Oct 4, 2023**. No entries may be withdrawn with a refund after closing on **Oct 4, 2023**. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. All requests to withdraw must be received by Oct 16, 2023. Any 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 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 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's 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. Search areas may be of any shape, and of the size specified in the Regulations for each class.

SEARCH AREA AND RING CONDITIONS

Search Area Conditions. Searches may be indoors, on matted, carpeted, or tiled surfaces, or outdoors on grass, gravel, earth, concrete, or asphalt surfaces. The search areas will be in the stable area. With real world distractions.

ADDITIONAL 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.

Directions:

Take highway 101 to Santa Rosa. Exit onto highway 12 eastbound towards Sonoma. Exit highway 12 at the South E Street/Downtown exit. Upon reaching the surface street, Bennet Valley Road, you will come to a stoplight. On the right will be the Sonoma County Fairgrounds.

Turn right and travel to the stop sign. At the stop sign turn right. The back gate to the Fairgrounds will be on your right.

If you are coming by highway 12 westbound, take the Downtown Exit and turn left at the top light and travel to the stop sign. At the stop sign turn right. The back gate to the Fairgrounds will be on your right.

Parking is available in and around the fairgrounds, at this time we are not sure how close to the scent work area you will be able to park. There will be a parking fee. Additional information will be posted separately at www.abbadogs.com when it becomes available.

HOTEL INFORMATION

Motels that accept dogs-inquire about pet fees

La Quinta: 111 Commercial Court, Santa Rosa, CA 95407 (707) 596-9800 Discount link
https://www.wyndhamhotels.com/laquinta/santa-rosa-california/la-quinta-inn- and-suites-santa-rosa-sonoma/overview?corporate_id=1000056868

Best Western: 6500 Redwood Dr., Rohnert Park, CA 94928 (707) 584-7435

Best Western: 1500 Santa Rosa Ave., Santa Rosa, CA 95404 (877) 945-5630

Comfort Inn: 2632 Cleveland Ave., Santa Rosa, CA 95403 (707) 542-5544

Motel 6: 3145 Cleveland Ave., Santa Rosa, CA 95403 (844) 201-1059

Overnight Parking

Overnight parking will be offered. See Harvest Moon Classic Premium posted on Infodog or separately posted document at www.abbadogs.com

Additional Events on the Grounds

Conformation, Obedience, Rally offered through Harvest Moon Classic. See Premium posted on Infodog.com

FCAT hosted by Mensona KC and San Francisco Bay Weimaraner Club. See Premium posted at www.abbadogs.com

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 AT JUDGE'S DISCRETION. 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 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 in the building. At this time Please keep dogs quiet, if barking cannot be controlled you will be asked to leave. Keep dogs on leash while not working. Do not air on grass, plants, barn or equipment.

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

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</i>
<i>Qualifying Score</i>	<i>Dark Green</i>

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

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

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 Monterey Bay Dog Training 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 Monterey Bay Dog Training 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 off-leash 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 other medical condition are not eligible for a refund.

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. Once the time and location for check-in 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.

"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." Additionally, clubs should include any specific local or state health requirements; for example, proof rabies vaccination.

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

Use your favorite GPS program to arrive at the site

We Need Volunteers
Include a note with entry

AKC Official Entry Form



Send to:
Laurie Isaacson
P.O. Box 20670
Castro Valley, CA 94546

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	Containers	Interiors	Exteriors	Buried	HD	Detective
Sat., Trial 1 10/21/23	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advance <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Master	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advance <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advance <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Master	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advance <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advance <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sun., Trial 1 10/22/23	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advance <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Master	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advance <input type="checkbox"/> Master	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advance <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Master	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advance <input type="checkbox"/> Master	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advance <input type="checkbox"/> Master	

Entry fees: \$25 per class for Novice and Advance, \$30 for Excellent and Master, \$45 for Detective Make checks payable to the Sacramento Valley Weimaraner Club

of classes entered: _____ X \$25 = \$ _____

of classes entered: _____ X \$30 = \$ _____

of classes entered: _____ X \$45 = \$ _____

Total amount due \$ _____

Trial Secretary will add a \$30.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

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):	

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!*****

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site,

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.

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

SIGN HERE

X: _____

Phone #: _____

Email: _____

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