#### **ENTRY METHOD: Random Draw**

**ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON August 14, 2024 8:00am MDT** 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" waiver signed.

DRAW CLOSING ON August 21, 2024 6:00pm MDT

**DRAW DATE August 22, 2024 6:00 pm MDT** at Starbucks 1760 E Cheyenne Mountain Blvd, Colorado Springs, CO 80906. If necessary, a draw for a wait list will be held from the remaining entries after limits have been reached.

**ENTRIES CLOSE ON September 18, 2024 6:00pm MDT** 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. Envelopes/transactions containing entries for more than the ten (10) dog maximum and/or entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

# **Premium List**



Pikes Peak Agility Club Licensed by the American Kennel Club



Saturday, October 5, 2024, Event #2024676317 Sunday, October 6, 2024, Event #2024676318 Novice/Advanced/Excellent/Master All Element Trials

> Elevate 21875 Highway 24 Peyton CO

#### **ENTRY LIMITS**

Saturday and Sunday - 200 entries

To be held Indoors/Outdoors

#### Trial Hours and Check-In:

Saturday, Sunday-7:00am to 30 minutes after completion of judging

Check-in Saturday & Sunday 7:00-7:30am; Briefing & walk through 7:30am; First dog to follow



#### 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 PIKES PEAK AGILITY CLUB

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#### **EVENT COMMITTEE**

Ginger Littleton, Karen Benzon, Katherine Shogren and Peg Wier, as well as any other club members in good standing

JUDGING ASSIGNMENTS & TENTATIVE RUN ODER					
Andrea Wojciechowski (#111479) Firestone, CO	Denise McClure (#108303) Woodlands, TX				
Saturday October 6, 2024  Novice & Advanced: Buried & Interior Excellent & Masters: Exterior & Container Sunday October 7, 2024  Excellent & Masters: Interior & Buried Novice & Advanced: Exterior & Container	Saturday October 6, 2024  Novice & Advanced: Exterior & Container Excellent & Masters: Buried & Interior Sunday October 7, 2024  Excellent & Masters: Container & Exterior Novice & Advanced: Interior & Buried				

**Tentative class order**: Saturday-all novice elements, all advanced elements, all excellent elements and all master elements. Sunday will run in reverse order: all master elements, all excellent elements, all advanced elements and all novice elements. Elements will start with exterior and buried followed by interior and container; each pair will be run back to back. These run orders may be changed and will be confirmed in the Welcome Letter. Lunch and breaks will be taken at the judges' discretion.

# **VETERINARIAN (ON CALL)**

# **EMERGENCY SERVICES - FIRE, AMBULANCE & POLICE - 911**

#### **MOVE UPS**

Dogs may be moved to a higher class only at the <u>request of the owner</u> as a result of qualifying for a scent work title, provided that the request is made to the Trial Secretary, no later than Monday, September 30, 2024, 5:00 p.m. MT for the Saturday of the Trial. For Titles earned during this trial, a move up form must be delivered to the Trial Secretary within 30 minutes of the conclusion of judging of the class they are moving up from for the subsequent days. Dogs so moved will be entered at the end of the running order. Move-ups may be sent in writing or e-mailed to the Trial Secretary. The e-mail move-up will not be official unless acknowledged by the secretary.

# WAIT LIST INFORMATION

PPAC is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of 50 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 September 18<sup>th</sup> 2024 6:00pm. No entries may be withdrawn with a refund after closing on September 18<sup>th</sup>, 5:00pm unless the withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry. Any waitlisted entry that does not move off the wait list and into the trial on September 25<sup>th</sup> @ 5pm will receive a full refund.

#### **VOLUNTEER WORKERS**

Successful Scent work trials depend on workers/volunteers! Please consider helping out when you and your dog are not competing. Friends and family members also make great volunteers!

Classes entered in:		
Name:		
Email:	Phone Number:	

(Please detach and mail in with your entry or contact Peggy Wier wierbrits@aol.com)

# **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.

Each entry\* ...... \$25.00

Mail entry forms and fees to:

Donette Belknap 1535 Maxwell St Colorado Springs, CO 80906

# Please make checks payable to PPAC

Entries must reach the Trial Secretary by September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024, 6:00 p.m. (MT) or when 200 runs per day have been reached. Fees must accompany all entries. Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate and legible information on their entry forms. Postdated checks and returned checks will invalidate an entry with a \$25 Service Fee charged for returned checks. Entry fees will not be refunded if a dog or handler is absent, disqualified, excused or barred from competition by action of the Trial Committee. Telephoned & unsigned entries cannot be accepted. Entries not on official AKC Entry Forms or photocopies of entry forms without the Agreement and Rules are not acceptable. No entry shall be made and no entry accepted which specifies any conditions to its acceptance. Neither the Club nor the Trial Secretary are responsible for legibility/accuracy of contact information provided on completed forms, technical difficulties in electronic communications or postal delays. It is therefore recommended that handlers email the Trial Secretary 7-10 days from mailing their entry to confirm entry receipt if acknowledgement has not been received.

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

**Staging Area** will be out of view of search area(s). Staging area will include the warm-up and waiting areas, check-in table and posting of running order and results.

**Crating will be solely in or around private vehicles in the designated parking areas.** There is not room for RVs or trailers. Weighted canopies no larger than 10' x 10' are permitted if they do not block flow of traffic or prevent another vehicle from exiting. For safety reasons, **XPens are NOT allowed.** 

The **Handlers' Briefing** will take place in view of each 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 Handlers' 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 Handlers' Briefing.

A warm-up area the club shall designate a warm-up area. One labelled container per target odor being used in the trial on that day will be placed in the warm-up area. This will allow handler-dog teams to prepare themselves for the search prior to their run. Each team should limit their warm-up to two minutes or less so that others may be able to use the warm-up area as well. Clubs may also place blank containers.

#### 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.

**Condition of the Dog.** Dogs with physical challenges (including amputees) are eligible to participate provided that, in the opinion of the judge, they display no signs of physical discomfort and can safely complete the search. Dogs with bandages, sutures, or visible wounds are not eligible. Deaf dogs and blind dogs are allowed to enter. Dogs that are both deaf and blind can participate so long as the handler is in control of the dog at all times, the dog can complete the requirements of the class, and the dog does not appear to be under undue stress in the opinion of the judge.

#### **GUARANTEED WORKER SLOTS**

Pikes Peak Agility Club is offering guaranteed worker entries. A maximum of 15% of the trial entry limit will be reserved for volunteer workers, with volunteer club members taking precedence.

#### 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, dirt, or tiled surfaces, or outdoors on grass, gravel, earth, concrete, or asphalt surfaces. *For this trial, other than Exterior, all searches are indoors with buried and containers on dirt.* 

**Search Area Sizes** will be as required in the *Regulations for AKC Scent Work*.

#### 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 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.

**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. To prevent line of sight violations, a **designated potty area** will be indicated. **Handlers found beyond posted signs, even accidently, may be subject to excusal from that day's trial.** 

**No food will be provided on site** so competitors should come prepared with their own snacks, beverages and lunch. There are limited restaurants and a Subway in Calhan, CO, approximately 2 miles from the trial site, or expanded fast food selections in Falcon approximately 10 miles away.

# **RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES**

Placement ribbons will be awarded in each class as follows:

First Place	Blue
Second Place	Red
Third Place	Yellow
Fourth Place	White
Qualifying Score	Dark Green
Elements Title	Title Rosette
Level Title	Title Rosette
High in Trial	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 be used when handler is relieving their dogs away from the buildings and other dogs. Leash must be at shortest practical length and locked in transit. 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.

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

#### 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.

If an entered dog becomes injured or sick after the closing date, a 50% refund of that dog's entry fee is offered. The refund will be in the form of voucher to be used at a future PPAC Scent work trial. The trial secretary must be notified in writing/e-mail, by 5:00pm the day before the 1st day of the weekend trials. i.e., Friday by 5:00pm for a 2-day trial that is Saturday & Sunday. A letter from a Vet must be provided to the trial secretary no later than 3 business days after the last day of the weekend trials.

**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.

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

#### 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.

# Exhibitors MUST check-in EACH day they are entered.

# **MOTELS THAT ACCEPT DOGS & RV INFO**

My Place Hotel, 369 Gleneagle Gate View, COS, CO 80921 Staybridge Suites (COS NE Powers) 5420 New Car Drive, COS, CO 80923 Comfort Inn North (AFA) 6450 Corporate Drive, COS, CO 80919 LaQuinta Inn & Suites, 8155 N. Academy Blvd., COS, CO 80920 Super 8, 605 Peterson Road, COS, CO 80915

Please confirm current pet policies and fees, as they are subject to change.

Exhibitors /handlers will be held responsible for clean conditions in and around their parking area and their motel.

**There will be no on-site RV or trailer parking**. There is a KOA approximately 4 miles from the show site that also offers tent camping:14010 Judge Orr Road, Peyton, CO 80831; koa.com/campgrounds/falcon

#### **DIRECTIONS TO TRIAL SITE**

**Important**: Elevate is a newly established business which will not appear in searches. Please use the address provided to consult Waze, Google Maps or your own GPS which may suggest alternative routes.

#### From the North or South on I25:

Go south on I-25 to North Academy Blvd, exit 250. Turn east on Woodmen Road. At the crossroads in Falcon, turn Left on US 24. Continue on US 24 for 9.6 miles. Turn right onto the access road, following it left to the parking areas.

# **AKC Official Entry Form**

Interior

Container



# Mail entries to: Donette Belknap 1535 Maxwell St Colorado Springs, CO 80906 Opens August 14, 2024 Closes September 18, 2024

Exterior

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\*\*\*Be sure to read the Agreement and sign. No form will be processed without signature!

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.

# INSTRUCTIONS

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

SIGN HERE

X:	
Phone #:	Email:

In case of Emergency – Name: Phone #: