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**ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED No Hand Deliveries**

Entries **Open August 7, 2019, 12:00** noon Pacific time (PT). Entries will be **FIRST RECEIVED No Hand Delivers** The **Closing Date will be September 11, 2019 5:00 pm PT** 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.

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**PREMIUM LIST**



San Joaquin Dog Training Club, Inc.  
(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)



**Novice Container, Novice Interior, Novice Buried  
and  
Advanced Handler Discrimination**

**DATE: September 25, 2019 Event #2019025509**

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**Name of Event Location**  
**Sycamore Lane Kennels, 5111 W Sargent Rd, Lodi, CA 95242**

**ENTRY LIMITS**

75 runs per trial

*(To be held Indoors/Outdoors)*

**Trial Hours:**

**NOTE: EVENING TRIAL**

Wednesday – 5:00 pm to 8:00pm

Check-in times given after entries close

Judges

Patti Garcia (102368) 2017 Applegate Dr, Modesto, CA 95350



**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

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**OFFICERS OF THE SAN JOAQUIN DOG TRAINING CLUB**

President ..... Carol Pease  
Vice President ..... Debbie Voelker  
Secretary ..... Judy Beauchamp, 1303 Greeley Way, Stockton, CA 95207  
Treasurer ..... Elfie Payne

<b>TRIAL CHAIRPERSON</b>	<b>TRIAL SECRETARY</b>
Mary Palumbo 9139 Quail Cove Dr Elk Grove, CA 95624 209-203-9452 sjdtctrialsec@gmail.com	Kim Marsh 9435 Oak Village Way Elk Grove, CA 95758 916-947-6823 sjdtctrialsec@gmail.com

**EVENT COMMITTEE**

Mary Palumbo, Dee Dee Anderson, Mary Palumbo, Colleen Colenso,  
Carol Pease, April Rifenburg

**JUDGES ASSIGNMENTS**

**Patti Garcia**

Novice Container  
Novice Interior  
Novice Buried  
Advanced Handler Discrimination

**VETERINARIAN ON CALL**

**Veterinarian 24 hours Bradshaw VCA** 9609 Bradshaw Rd, Elk Grove, CA 95624 – 916-685-2494

**Directions:** take 99 to Grant Line Rd (right) turn left on Bradshaw Rd.

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

Fire/ Ambulance/Police- San Joaquin County  
**911**

**LOCAL HOSPITAL-** Lodi Memorial, 975 S Fairmont Ave, Lodi, CA 95240 (14 miles)

**JUDGING TIMES**

**Wednesday**

**Judging times will be given after entries close**

*Move Ups WILL NOT be offered.*

**This is a place of business please do not arrive before 5:00.**

## 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. 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.

## ENTRY FEES PER DAY

Each entry per trial/per class (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee)..... \$25.00

### Mail entry forms and fees to:

Kim Marsh,  
9435 Oak Village Way  
Elk Grove, CA 95758

Make checks payable to: SJDTCT

Your entry must be filled out completely or it will not be accepted. One check per dog entered (not per class). No more than five dog/entry per envelope please.

No entries will be accepted by phone, email, fax. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Kim or Mary [sjdtctrialsec@gmail.com](mailto:sjdtctrialsec@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 or shredded. Please make sure we can read your entry! 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

**SJDTCT** 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. All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to June 26, 2019, 5:00 pm. No entries may be withdrawn with a refund after closing on June 26, 2019, 5:00 pm. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed 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.

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

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 blank 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 their run. The warm-up area is not for training or relieving of the dog.

**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'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.

## 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 rubber matting, or concrete, or outdoors on grass, gravel, earth, concrete, or asphalt surfaces.

## 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

**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 ask to leave the area by the judge. Spectators are forbidden to discuss details of the search with handlers who have not run.

**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.

**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.

### High in Trial

Only teams who participate in all Novice Elements and qualify in each are eligible to win **High in Trial**. One High In Trial winner is chosen from the Novice classes.

Novice Elements offered (Container, Interior, Buried)

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 and \$25.00 gift card.

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

## DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

**Sycamore Lane Kennels**  
**5111 W SARGENT RD, LODI, CA 95242**

**FROM I-5** - Take Hwy 12 East toward Lodi, for 1.6 miles, to Ray Road. Turn left on Ray Rd. Proceed for 1 mile to curve in road and turn left toward Sycamore Lane Kennels. Follow Signs to Sycamore Lane Kennels.

**FROM HWY 99** -Take Hwy 12 exit West (Kettleman Lane) toward Lodi. Go through Lodi about 5 miles to Ray Rd and turn right. Proceed for 1 mile to curve in road and turn left toward Sycamore Lane Kennels. Follow Signs to Sycamore Lane Kennels.

Do not park at the Kennel, once on the grounds go straight until the only turn you can make is a left turn, park in the parking lot that will now be in front on you. You will be going around dog run areas and parking by the training building.

**NOTE – NOTE – NOTE – NOTE**  
**Guaranteed entries for show workers, but entries must be received before trial fills.**

No RV/trailer parking.

**Potty Area** is on gravel near the rest rooms and is marked with a sign. You must stay off any grass area with your dogs.

## 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 SJDTC and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibility 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 SJDTC 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 SJDTC 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.

**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."

## HOST HOTEL INFORMATION

Motel 6 Lodi - 1140 S Cherokee Ln, Lodi, CA 95240  
209- 334-6422

Campgrounds: NO RV Parking available on the trial grounds!  
Flag City – 6120 W Banner St, Lodi, CA 95242  
866-371-4855



**OFFICIAL ENTRY**

Entries should be sent to:  
**SJDTC**  
**Kim Marsh**  
 9435 Oak Village Way  
 Elk Grove, CA 95758

<b>Container</b>	<b>Buried</b>	<b>Interior</b>	<b>Handler Disc.</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced

**September 25, 2019 - Event #2019025509**

**No Entries accepted before opening date August 7, 2019 12:00 noon PT.**

**Entries Close September 11, 2019 5:00 pm**

No entries will be accepted if signature is required for delivery.

Fee \$25.00 per class entered. # of Classes \_\_\_\_\_ X \$25.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to SJDTC

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, [www.akc.org](http://www.akc.org)**

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#### 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.

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#### INSTRUCTIONS

**Please check the box for each class desired to be entered..**

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

**SIGN HERE**

**X:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**In case of Emergency – Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

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