

Canine Scent Work

A Fun Sport For All Dogs

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Your dog's nose is amazing! Join us in learning a game that capitalizes on your dog's natural talents. Develop skills that will enable you and your dog to work as a team as you search for and locate target odor. This activity is great for strengthening the bond you have with your canine companion. It enhances your dog's confidence, as well as their ability to think and problem solve. You can even enter local competitions and earn titles.



Introduction to Odor and The Search 6:00- 7:30 p.m.

This class is for dogs new to scent work. In this class handler's will learn:

- Equipment and supplies needed to train scent work.
- How to develop productive search behavior and build value in finding target odor.
- How to handle odor, prepare vessels, and place hides.

Competition Skills

4:00- 5:30 p.m.

This class is for teams that are actively competing in scent work. In this class we will focus on training strategies that will help you succeed in competition:

- We will explore search area and environmental conditions that can create very challenging scent puzzles for our dogs to solve. I will share strategies for training that we will practice in class and that you can continue at home.
 - Inaccessible and High Hides.
 - Converging Odor.
 - Pooling and Channeling Odor.
 - And more!
- We will discuss odor theory and the science behind particle movement, including how particle movement and your dog's smelling capabilities can be affected by environmental conditions.
- There will be multiple opportunities to practice and troubleshoot the four elements included in A.K.C. Scent Work competitions.

Six Week Session

Starts Monday, November 11, 2024

Location: All Star Dog Sports Cost: \$150

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