

ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

Entries Open: 05/01/19, 8:00 am (Central Daylight Time)

Entries Close: 07/19/19, 6:00 pm

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. Hand deliveries will be accepted. A list will be held from the remaining entries after limits have been reached.



PREMIUM LIST

# Michiana Scent Work Club

Friday, July 26th, 2019 9:00 AM

**Detective & Master Buried only**

30 entries per trial / first received

**Be advised, this is on a horse farm.** There will be lots of distractions.

There is no indoor crating, no food or water.

Bangor is on Eastern Daylight Time

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JUDGE: Carolyn Dostal

➤ General public will not enter search areas, but will be allowed to watch

Each team will be assigned a time slot. You will only need to be present during that time slot. Results will be emailed that night and ribbons mailed the next day. **Please indicate on your entry form if you want morning or afternoon.** Runs for Trial 1 and Trial 2 will be back-to-back with a short break in between. If you are riding with someone, please indicate on entry form. We will try to accommodate requests.



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

President.....Sharon Jonas  
Secretary.....Holly Rupprecht  
6700 MANCHESTER DR, WHITE LAKE, MI 48383

Vice President.....Sandie Nagel  
Treasurer..... Angela Ogle

Committee: Sharon Jonas, Angela Ogle, Bill Ogle, Kristy Hubbard, Holly Rupprecht, Sandie Nagel

TRIAL CHAIRPERSON	TRIAL SECRETARY
Sharon L Jonas 410 E 100 N, Valparaiso, IN 46383 <a href="mailto:gizmogreentrees@yahoo.com">gizmogreentrees@yahoo.com</a> 219.794.4752	MAIL ENTRIES TO: Angela Ogle 404 Brookwood Court, Valparaiso, IN 46385 <a href="mailto:minis@wiggles.com">minis@wiggles.com</a> , 219-465-1624 Make checks out to: MSWC

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Location:  
On Willow Pond  
64087 34<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Bangor, MI 49013  
[www.onwillowpond.com](http://www.onwillowpond.com)



Horses on site

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

North Central Veterinarian Emergency Center  
Bangor Veterinarian Clinic, 59783 M-43, Bangor, MI 49013  
Phone number: 269.427.8787  
Fire/Ambulance/Police – **DIAL 911**

**SCENT WORK**

No entries will be accepted by phone, email or fax. Hand deliveries will be accepted. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Angie Ogle at [minis@wiggleb.com](mailto:minis@wiggleb.com) No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

**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*

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

Entries must check in 15 minutes before running time. Bring your own water, bowl, crate, chair, etc. **No indoor crating. Outdoor Restroom available on site. This trial location is not handicap accessible, if you need accommodations for testing, please contact Secretary prior to closing.**

**ACCOMMODATIONS:** Call for current pet policy.

- Econo Lodge                    139 Ampey Road, Paw Paw, MI
- Comfort Inn & Suites        143 Ampey Road, Paw Paw, MI
- Red Roof Inn                    Benton Harbor, St. Joe, Mi

**DOG ELIGIBLE TO ENTER**

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**

Each entry (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee)..... \$45.00/Run detective  
\$25.00/run buried

**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 - There will be a wait list.**

**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 run and 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 and maximum time for the search. NO DOGS are to be present during the Handler's Briefing.

A **warm-up area** will be available. 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.

**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, or tiled surfaces, or outdoors on grass, gravel, earth, concrete, or asphalt surfaces.

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

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

**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.

#### 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 Michiana Scent Work 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 Michiana Scent Work 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 Michiana Scent Work Jan 2019 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.

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

#### DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

**On Willow Pond is located at Willow Tree Equestrian Center in South Western Michigan, two hours from Chicago or Detroit. Just 2 miles outside of Bangor and a short 10 minutes from South Haven and the beaches of Lake Michigan**

From Interstate 94 take exit 46 (Hartford Exit).

Go North about seven miles to 34<sup>th</sup> Avenue. Turn Right. Willow Pond is just past the next cross road on the left.

Viewing: There will be an area to watch the trials. If you are in the class, do not watch until after you have completed your run. Do not give the hide away though! No double handling. Do not bring dogs into the viewing area. Viewing is allowed for all runs where appropriate.

**Noise:** Plan and train for naturally occurring dog trial noises, lively conversation and laughter, possible barking and background music. Sound sensitive teams will not be accommodated, as each team must be judged in a similar environment. The general public has access to this site during the trial.



**OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM**

Trial 1 Friday 07/26/19 Detective	
Trial 2 Friday 07/26/19 Detective	
Trial 1 Friday 07/26/19 Master Buried	
Trial 1 Friday 07/26/19 Master Buried	

**MAIL ENTRIES TO:**

Angela Ogle  
404 Brookwood Court  
Valparaiso, IN 46385  
[minis@wiggleb.com](mailto:minis@wiggleb.com), 219-465-1624

Make checks out to: MSWC

Classes:  
Detective \$45.00 per trial  
Master Buried \$25.00 per trial

**You have a choice of morning or afternoon runs. We will try to accommodate but is it on a first come basis.**

**Please circle:**

**Morning or afternoon**

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)**

**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**

**Please check the box for each class desired to be entered. Dogs may enter two different levels within each element, at each trial. Dogs entering the Advanced, Excellent, Master or Detective classes must have earned the required title, as stipulated in the AKC Scent Work Regulations. Dogs may enter either the Novice "A" class or the Novice "B" class—not both.**

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

**SIGN HERE**

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

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

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

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

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