

Performance Scent Dogs Trial in New Hope, PA  
Saturday and Sunday May 20-21, 2023  
Premium List

**SPRING IS IN THE AIR**



Hosted by

**KRUISIN KANINES AGILITY AND DOG SPORTS  
CLUB**

**Trial Location:**

**KRUISIN TRAINING FACILITY  
7102 SLADEK ROAD  
NEW HOPE, PA 18938**

Doors open: 7:30am; Judges briefing: 8am; First dog on the line: 8:30am  
Trial will take place indoors and outdoors, weather permitting.

**Notice: New Payment Requirements**

**PLEASE DO NOT PAY FOR YOUR ENTRIES ON THE PSD website.**

**Choose the pay later option. Please pay for your entries by mailing your check, payable to Kruisin Kanines c/o Jeff Abel, 3954 Spring Valley Rd, Doylestown, PA 18902. Or you can pay with PayPal to [kruisinkanines@gmail.com](mailto:kruisinkanines@gmail.com).**

**COVID RULES WILL BE IN EFFECT (AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE BASED ON CONDITIONS)**

Any statewide, local or facility regulations concerning COVID requirements must be followed by the club and the competitors. Please see page 5 for details.

**CURRENT RULES INCLUDE**

**MASKS AND SOCIAL DISTANCING REQUIRED GATE STEWARD WILL CHECK IN DOGS**

**NO FOOD AVAILABLE**

**Trial Secretary Jeff Abel**

**[trialecpsdscent@kruisinkanines.com](mailto:trialecpsdscent@kruisinkanines.com)**

**By registering for this trial, you agree to the Release of Liability Waiver at the end of this document.**

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**Target Odor Test:**

Birch, Anise and Clove

**Trial Classes Offered:**

Buildings, Exteriors, Speed, Distance, and Containers

**Levels Offered:**

Novice, Advanced and Excellent

**Divisions Offered:**

FEO, Standard and Metallic

TOT Entry Fees: \$15

CLASS Entry Fees: \$23

**Trial Judges:** Saturday: Kristen Bartoli and Jason Thomas

Sunday: Kristen Bartoli and Lisa Kirschner

**Run Order:** Target Odor Tests and Novice Classes will run first.

Advanced Classes will run second.

Excellent Classes will run last.

**Entry open date:** Tuesday, March 21, 2023

**Entry close date:** Tuesday, May 2, 2023 or sooner if classes fill.

**Performance Scent Dogs** is a national scent work non-profit organization dedicated to growing the sport of scent detection.

Permission has been granted by Performance Scent Dogs, Inc. for the holding of this Scent Work Event under PSD Rules and Regulations.

The PSD Rulebook can be found at [www.performancescentdogs.com](http://www.performancescentdogs.com)

*Please review it before entering and trialing.*

**Fun Facts about PSD**

\*Pick and choose what classes are right for your dog\*

\*Videotaping allowed\* Earn legs toward titles\* Competitor feedback encouraged \*Watch and root for other competitors\* Turn any search at any time into training by asking the judge the location of the hide\* Enter more than one dog\*

\*Spend time with your dog in a welcoming atmosphere\*

»Spread the word about what an amazing activity scent work is for all kinds of dogs«

**Come and have FUN with your dog!**

**Who can compete in a trial?** Any and all dogs that are 10 months or older, on the day of the trial or the Target Odor Test (TOT), are eligible to compete. All Dogs must have their current Rabies Vaccination and other vaccinations recommended by your veterinarian.

**Do I Need to Register with PSD?** PSD registers dogs not people. A \$30 registration fee is good for the lifetime of the dog and can be done instantly on-line at <https://www.performancescentdogs.com/>

**What if I don't pass the TOT?** You can still play!! Dogs must pass a Target Odor Test (TOT) in order to compete in the Standard Division, however if you do not pass you are still allowed to enter the trial as FEO (For Exhibition Only) for the day.

**My dog has a Nose Work title from a different organization, do I have to pass a TOT?** If you already have passed an odor test in another scent work organization, you do not have to take the TOT. Dogs with a NW3, SDDA Excellent or UKC Level 5 title may skip the Novice level and start PSD at the Advanced level. Please send a copy of your test results to [info@performancescentdogs.com](mailto:info@performancescentdogs.com) in order to register.

**Can I watch other competitors?** INDOOR SPECTATORS WILL NOT BE PERMITTED DUE TO COVID. IF CONDITIONS CHANGE THIS RULE MAY CHANGE AT THE DISCRETION OF THE TRIAL CHAIR.

**Can my friend videotape my searches?** INDOOR VIDEOTAPING WILL NOT BE PERMITTED DUE TO COVID. IF CONDITIONS CHANGE THIS RULE MAY CHANGE AT THE DISCRETION OF THE TRIAL CHAIR.

**Awards:** Rosette placement ribbons will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> place in the Standard and Metallics division. Ribbons will be awarded for Q's in all classes, including TOT's, and New Titles. The previous awards are mandatory-the following are at the club's discretion. Iron Nose Award for Teams Qualifying in all classes possible each day.

**To register your dogs:** Please visit [www.performancescentdogs.com](http://www.performancescentdogs.com) or mail your \$30.00 registration fee (per dog) payable to Performance Scent Dogs. Please include your information (Name, Address, Email, Phone) as well as your dog's information (Name, Breed, date of dog birth). **Performance Scent Dogs, Inc. PO Box 560022 West Medford, MA 02156**

**Enter this trial online at [www.performancescentdogs.com](http://www.performancescentdogs.com). Do not pay for your entries on the PSD website. Choose the Pay Later option. Please pay for your entries by mailing your check, payable to Kruisin Kanines c/o Jeff Abel, 3954 Spring Valley Rd, Doylestown, PA 18902. Or you can pay with PayPal to [kruisinkanines@gmail.com](mailto:kruisinkanines@gmail.com). Please note that each day is considered a separate trial. To enter multiple days you will have to click on the link for the individual dates and enter each day separately. Entries are on a first-received basis and must be received by May 2, 2023. The paper entry form available below on this premium is for your records only.**

**Collars** Any collar is allowed on the grounds except scent spraying collars. Only a flat, or martingale collar or leashes attached to a dead ring or harness are permitted to be used during a search. No tags on collars while searching. All dogs must be leashed at all times, except during an off-leash search.

**Crating** All crating is outdoors or in vehicles!!!

**Parking** There is plenty of parking on grass. Please watch for cones or signs indicating an area is off limits for parking-it may be a search area.

**Spectators** are **not** invited to come and watch this PSD trial due to COVID. IF CONDITIONS CHANGE THIS RULE MAY CHANGE AT THE DISCRETION OF THE TRIAL CHAIR.

**Volunteers** will help our Trial run smoothly. We need Timers, Gate Stewards, Score Runners, and Others. No Experience Required! No need to give up a day-volunteers get to run first in their class. Thanks in advance for your help.

**Porta-potties** available on site. A wash station will be available.

**Accessibility** The trial area is wheelchair accessible.

**Dogs In Need of Space** The site has plenty of parking and places to walk dogs at a distance of 10 feet or more. Volunteers will be onsite to help escort participants to and from the search area. Red bandanas are encouraged - please give **all** dogs space.

**Handler running multiple dogs** A handler can run multiple dogs in TOTs at any trial/match. At this trial, a handler may only run one dog in each class. A second or third dog can run FEO.

### **24hr Emergency Vet**

Quakertown Veterinary Clinic 2250 N Old Bethlehem Pike Quakertown, PA 18951 215-536-6245  
Bucks County Veterinary Emergency Trauma Services 978 Easton Road Warrington, PA 215-918-2200

**We have not made arrangements with any hotels** but provide this information for your convenience. Hotels that accept dogs are becoming more difficult to find; please be responsible. Hotels may charge an additional fee for pets. Be sure to book your room early these rooms could go quickly, also verify the hotels current pet policy.

- Clarion Inn & Suites, 6426 Lower York Rd, New Hope, PA 18938 (6.9 miles)
- Homewood Suites by Hilton, 2650 Kelly Rd, Warrington, PA 18976 (14.6 miles)
- Main Street Inn, 625 North Main Street, Doylestown, PA 18901 (8 miles)
- Colonial Village Motel, 1000 N. Easton Rd. (Rte 611), Doylestown, PA 18902, 215-348-2645

Kruisin Kanines PSD Scentwork trial opens on Tuesday, March 21, 2023. Currently we are complying with the Pennsylvania Governor's Covid-19 guidelines. We recognize that conditions may change one way or another, so we will make any required adjustments. In the event that the trial needs to be canceled, we will notify all competitors by email before the closing and all payments received will be refunded. But assuming that we will be able to hold the trial, we want everyone to be in a safe environment so we will impose any required guidelines and restrictions as ordered by state and local authorities. In the event Covid-19 conditions change, we will change as needed. Any relaxation of conditions are solely at the discretion of the Trial Chair.

For this trial, the following guidelines will be in effect, **but are subject to change as needed due to changing conditions.**

1. There will not be any crating in the building. All crating must be outside or from the car.
2. There will not be any chairs or observers inside.
3. Gate stewards will be outside the doorways to the building directing people for their runs.
4. The gate steward will be the only person allowed to check in dogs.
5. Judges briefings will be held outside to maintain a 6 foot distance.
6. The entrance and exit of exhibitors after their runs will be arranged to not allow people passing closely while in the building.
7. Anyone entering the building will need to wear a mask which will include all workers.
8. Ribbons will be available outside the building in a self-serve area.
9. Results will be posted outside the building. In addition, results are always emailed to the exhibitors following the trial weekend.
10. Worker bucks will be handed out to volunteers to be used at a future trial.

**THIS ENTRY FORM FOR YOUR RECORDS ONLY**

Performance Scent Dogs Sanctioned Trial Hosted by Kruisin Kanines Agility and Dog Sports May 20 and 21, 2023

TARGET ODOR TEST TOT \$15 per test									
ODOR	Birch \$15	5/20	5/21	ANISE \$15	5/20	5/21	CLOVE \$15	5/20	5/21
							<b>TOTAL TOT</b>	\$	

May 20, 2023 Classes Offered:\$23 per class. Choose a level and a division							
Entry	Division			Level			
	FEO	Standard	Metallic	Novice	Advanced	Excellent	
<b>Distance</b>							\$23.00
<b>Speed</b>							\$23.00
<b>Exterior</b>							\$23.00
<b>Containers</b>							\$23.00
<b>Building</b>							\$23.00
						<b>TOTAL 5/20</b>	\$

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<b>Containers</b>							\$23.00
<b>Building</b>							\$23.00
						<b>TOTAL 5/21</b>	\$
						<b>TOTAL DUE</b>	

OWNER /HANDLER NAME			
ADDRESS			
CITY		STATE/ZIP	
PHONE #		EMAIL ADDRESS	
DOG NAME			
DOG BREED			
PSD REGISTRATION #			
EMERG CONTACT NAME		PHONE #	

Release of Handler or Owner Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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 above. In consideration of entering this Performance Scent Dogs sanctioned trial, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of Performance Scent Dogs, Inc. in effect at the time of this event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the rulebook dated March 2016 for this event, and further agree to be bound by this liability waiver for all dogs in my care at this event, entered or not. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard (dog or human aggressive) to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all Performance Scent Dogs, Inc. Rules and Regulations and to abide by any decisions 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) agree to hold Performance Scent Dogs, Inc., The **Kruisin Kanines Agility and Dog Sports Club**, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, 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 afore-mentioned parties 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 afore mentioned parties harmless from any claim for 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 persons.

**Waiver of Rights to Privacy, Publicity & Personality**

In consideration of this entry, I hereby grant to Performance Scent Dogs, Inc. and **Kruisin Kanines Agility and Dog Sports Club** all rights and permissions to use or appropriate my dog and my name, biography, likeness, photograph or other indicia of identity for broadcast, telecast, transmission or distribution in any format or media known now or in the future.

COVID-19 Statement Event Dates: May 20-21, 2023. I pledge to promote my own safety as well as that of the exhibitors, judges, volunteers, and members of Kruisin Kanines. I have read, understand, and agree to follow the rules and procedures listed below. To the best of my knowledge, I do not have COVID-19 I have not been exposed to COVID-19 within the last 3 weeks • I have had no symptoms (fever, cough, etc.) for the past 2 weeks.

I agree that should these conditions take place; I will contact the trial secretary for 100% refund:

Should I feel ill before the trial

Should I find I have been exposed to the virus.

I agree: • To wear a face covering in the building and when running my dog • To practice social distancing (6 'or more) • To hand wash/sanitize frequently. I understand if I am not in compliance with these guidelines and refuse to comply, I will be asked to leave and any entry fees forfeited. • I am entering this trial of my own volition and am responsible for my own health. Kruisin Kanines and its members are in no way liable for any present or future COVID19 infection incurred by any person in attendance or not in attendance.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_