
ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 2020 AT 6:00 AM CST 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.

Entries are limited to English Cocker Spaniels

ENTRIES CLOSE ON MONDAY, APRIL 20, 2020 AT 6:00 PM CDT 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 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.

All times listed in this premium refer to Central

PREMIUM LIST



English Cocker Spaniel Club of America

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)



Novice and Advanced Container, Interior and Handler Discrimination Trials

Sunday – May 10, 2020 Trial #1 – Event # 2020133215

Sunday – May 10, 2020 Trial #2 – Event # 2020133218

Purina Farms

200 Checkerboard Drive

Gray Summit, MO

ENTRY LIMITS

Trial #1 62 Entries

Trial #2 63 Entries

To be held Indoors/Outdoors

Trial Hours:

8:00 am CDT to 6:00 pm CDT

Set-up and Check-in times will
be determined after closing

Judge:

Virginia H. Huxley – Columbia, MO



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 ENGLISH COCKER SPANIEL CLUB OF AMERICA

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TRIAL COMMITTEE

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 St. Louis, MO 63119
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CLASSES OFFERED AND JUDGING ASSIGNMENTS		
TRIAL 1 and TRIAL 2		
CONTAINER	NOVICE A/B and ADVANCED	VIRGINIA HUXLEY
INTERIOR	NOVICE A/B and ADVANCED	VIRGINIA HUXLEY
HANDLER DISCRIMINATION	NOVICE A/B and ADVANCED	VIRGINIA HUXLEY

DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all English Cocker Spaniels 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.

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.

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

ENTRY FEES PER DAY (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee)

\$25 per entry

Make fees payable to: **ECSCA**

and mail to:

Kathy Yardley

1621 Grant Rd

St. Louis, MO 63119

****Hand delivered entries to the Trial Secretary will be accepted.****

No entries will be accepted by phone, email, or fax. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Kathy Yardley at fergley@hotmail.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. 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.

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 any other medical condition, are eligible for a 50% refund. Owner must provide a note from their veterinarian no later than one day before the trial to receive the 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.

MOVE-UP/TRANSFER INFORMATION

The AKC requires move-ups to be in writing. You may send an email for a move-up to Kathy Yardley at fergley@hotmail.com. Please use "ECSCA move-up" in the subject line or reply on the original confirmation. Move Ups between trials WILL be offered. Exhibitors must notify the Trial Secretary before the start of the class they are moving to.

WAIT LIST INFORMATION

English Cocker Spaniel Club of America is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of **30 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 the closing date. No entries may be withdrawn with a refund after the closing date. 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.

SEARCH AREA AND RING CONDITIONS

Search areas may be of any shape, and size specified in the Regulations for each class. Searches may be indoors, on matted, carpeted, or tiled surfaces, or outdoors on grass, gravel, earth, concrete, asphalt, and on uneven surfaces. Trial will take place rain or shine.

SITE INFORMATION

Staging Area will be out of view of search area(s). Staging area will include crating, warm-up and waiting area, as well as the secretary table for check-ins and posting of running order and results.

A 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.

A **Warm-up Area** will be available consisting of ONE marked container of each odor being tested at the trial and will also consist of blanks containers. 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.

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. You will be crating from your car. English Cocker Spaniel Club of America, and Purina Farms will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show 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.

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES - Placement ribbons will be awarded in each class as follows:

<i>First Place</i>	<i>Blue Rosette</i>	<i>Third Place</i>	<i>Yellow Rosette</i>
<i>Second Place</i>	<i>Red Rosette</i>	<i>Fourth Place</i>	<i>White Rosette</i>
<i>Qualifying Score</i>		<i>Dark Green Rosette</i>	

A New Title rosette will be awarded to all dog and handler teams finishing a title
 The ECSCA offers a New Title Medallion to all teams finishing a title
 Dog toy for 1st in each class donated by Idyll English Cocker – Ron and Terri Burrows

High in Trial

Novice and Advanced High in Trial rosettes will be offered at these trials.

Only teams who participate and qualify in the same difficulty level of all elements offered (HD is included in the HIT for Novice) are eligible for **High in Trial**. There is no separate High in Trial for the Novice A and Novice B levels; they are combined.

The High in Trial is determined by adding the team’s faults across all 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.

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 English Cocker Spaniel Club of America 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. English Cocker Spaniel Club of America 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 English Cocker Spaniel Club of America 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.

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 should follow their veterinarian’s recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

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.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

A preliminary confirmation will be sent once your entry is processed. A final confirmation with trial details will be sent shortly after entries close. Exhibitors must check-in prior to their briefing. Check-in times will be determined after closing.

Snacks and water will be available to all workers. There are fast food restaurants in Pacific (5 miles away). Please plan accordingly.

**DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE – Purina Farms - 200 Checkerboard Drive
Gray Summit, MO 63039**

From North/East/South: Take I-44 to Gray Summit/Hwy 100 Exit 253. Turn east on Hwy 100. After approximately ½ mile, turn left on MM at gas station. Entrance to Purina Farms is approximately 1 mile on left, just past the herding field. From West: Take I-70 to Hwy 47, Exit 193. Take Hwy 47 south to Hwy 100. Continue on 100 to I-44 east. Take I-44 east one exit to Gray Summit. Follow directions above.

**DIRECTIONS TO VETERINARIAN - 24 Hour Emergency Services - Veterinary Specialty Services 1021 Howard
George Drive Manchester, MO 63021 636-227-6100**

Take I-44 East toward St. Louis. Exit at Hwy 141 and turn left (N). Take Hwy 141 to Howard George Dr. Turn right, then take an immediate left. VSS will be on your left.

EMERGENCY SERVICES - Fire/ Ambulance/Police- 911

PET FRIENDLY ACCOMMODATIONS

MOTELS

Holiday Inn Six Flags (636) 938-6661 4901 Allenton Road, Eureka, MO • 10 miles from Purina Farms

Quality Inn (636) 257-8400 1400 West Osage St., Pacific MO 63069 • 5 miles East of Purina Farms

Comfort Inn (636) 257-4600 1320 Thornton St., Pacific MO 63069 • 5 miles East of Purina Farms

Motel 6 (636) 587-7000 15 Hilltop Village Center Dr., Eureka, MO 63025 • 10 miles East of Purina Farms

Claims will be arbitrated as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

Opening: Tuesday, March 3, 2020 6am CST

Closing: Monday, April 20, 2020 6pm CDT

OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORM



Make fees payable to: ECSCA

Mail to: Kathy Yardley
1621 Grant Rd
St. Louis, MO 63119

CLASSES	Container	Interior	H/D
Trial 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Nov A	<input type="checkbox"/> Nov A	<input type="checkbox"/> Nov A
	<input type="checkbox"/> Nov B	<input type="checkbox"/> Nov B	<input type="checkbox"/> Nov B
	<input type="checkbox"/> Adv	<input type="checkbox"/> Adv	<input type="checkbox"/> Adv
Trial 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Nov A	<input type="checkbox"/> Nov A	<input type="checkbox"/> Nov A
	<input type="checkbox"/> Nov B	<input type="checkbox"/> Nov B	<input type="checkbox"/> Nov B
	<input type="checkbox"/> Adv	<input type="checkbox"/> Adv	<input type="checkbox"/> Adv

\$25 Per Entry	Grand Total
# of classes x \$25 =	\$

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AKC Registered Name: PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY		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)

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Website.

www.akc.org.

AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. 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 the 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 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. 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 ITS 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

Novice A Classes are open to dogs who have not completed any title for that particular element, who have not completed a comparable title with another organization, and who have never worked as professional detection dogs. Novice B Classes are open to all dogs.

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

SIGN HERE X: _____

Phone #: _____

Email: _____

In case of Emergency – Name: _____ **Phone #:** _____

I will volunteer to help work the day of the trial Please make sure your email is included above. Thanks!!