



# **DOGS SA SCENT WORK ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

## **Mock Trial**

**Saturday May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025**



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**Para District Obedience Dog Club**  
**Jenkins Reserve**  
**Saints Road, Salisbury**

Entries Close: Monday May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025 – online entries only



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<i>Class and Element</i>	<i>Judge</i>	<i>Eligibility</i>	<i>Entry Limit</i>
Check-in: 8:20 – 8:40am; Briefing: 8:40am; Judging commences from: 9:00am			
Novice Vehicles <sup>^^</sup>	Julie Wallis	For any competitor who has yet to start trialling up to and including those who do not yet have 2 Novice Vehicle Qualifications	30
Masters Containers <sup>##</sup>	Donna Golding	For any competitor eligible to enter Excellent or Masters Containers	20
**Observer Only – Morning Elements		For those who would like to watch but not enter a dog	10
Check-in: 1:00 – 1:20pm; Judges briefing: 1:20pm; Judging commences: 1:30pm			
Advanced Exterior <sup>##</sup>	Pat Fickling	For any competitor who does not yet have 3 passes in Advanced Exterior	30
Excellent Vehicles <sup>##</sup>	Fay Mullan	For any competitor eligible to enter Advanced or Excellent Vehicles but does not yet have 3 Excellent Vehicle Qualifications	25
**Observer Only – Afternoon Elements		For those who would like to watch but not enter a dog	10

<sup>^^</sup>The Novice Vehicle Search will include an extended briefing to guide competitors through what they can expect at a trial and some of the more important rules. An extended debrief will also be provided after all competitors have searched. All competitors should however still ensure that they have read the ANKC Rules for the Conduct of Scent Work Trials (<https://dogsaustralia.org.au/members/rule-regulations/rules/>)

<sup>\*\*</sup>Observer only positions are available for both the morning and the afternoon elements. Usually Novice elements do not allow spectators but since this is a mock trial a small number of places are available for those not comfortable to enter. It is expected that observers will still attend for check-in, competitor briefings and debriefings. Observers book in for either the morning or the afternoon session but will have some flexibility to move between the two search areas once judging starts.

<sup>##</sup>A judges debrief will be provided at the end of judging

**Target Odours:** **Novice** – Anise; **Advanced** – Anise, Clove; **Excellent** – Anise, Clove, Cypress; **Masters** - All

**Check-in and Judges Briefing:** As specified above. No dogs to be in the check-in area. Competitors with entire bitches are responsible for ensuring their dog is not in season prior to attending.

**Entry fees:** All elements: \$10.00; Observers only: \$5

**Catalogue:** Available from Top Dog events or Scent Work SA Facebook page 2 days prior

**Entry Limits:** Entry limits as specified above. Once limits are reached no further entries will be received. Only one entry per class per handler. Handlers can enter a maximum of 2 eligible elements. If caps are not reached then additional entries will be allowed.

**Entries:** Online entries and payments via Top Dog Events (<https://www.topdogevents.com.au>).

**Hot Weather Rules:** If required the Dogs SA hot weather rules for Scent Work will be applied. If cancelled due to the Hot Weather Rules, Extenuating Circumstances or the Extreme Weather and Safety Rules, the event will be postponed and a new date determined.

**Queries to:** [swadvisorysa@gmail.com](mailto:swadvisorysa@gmail.com)

## **Welcome**

Thank you for your entries and also to the members of the Scent Work Advisory Committee for assisting with the running of this Mock trial and the judges who have offered to judge an element for you today.

*Please remember that everyone involved in this mock trial is a volunteer so please be respectful of all those giving up their time to provide you and your dogs with this opportunity.*

## **Competitor check in**

Competitor check in will occur in the carpark at the time specified on the schedule for each of the elements. There will be no formal vetting. Competitors with entire bitches should ensure they are not in season before attending.

*Please do not bring your dog with you to check-in.*

## **Competitor briefing**

The briefing will occur at the times specified on the schedule in the same area as the competitor check-in.

*No dogs are to be present at the competitor briefing.*

## **Search areas and trial precinct**

All competitors should ensure that they are familiar with the areas indicated on the following pages that can be accessed on the day of the mock trial and those area that should not be accessed unless under direction of a mock trial official. Please also remember that that there is a Championship show occurring at David Roche park on the same day so please be courteous to all those on the grounds.

## **Running of searches**

Competitors will be judged according to the catalogue order as listed unless other wise instructed at the competitor briefing. Trial officials may complete their searches before judging of the remaining competitors commences. Any competitor who does not present for their search in catalogue order without prior approval of the trial manager/secretary in consultation with the judge, will be excused and not allowed to participate in the search.

## **Spectator Gallery**

A spectator area will be available for this trial for those who have purchased Observer Only positions. Section 11 of the rules relates to spectators. All competitors and potential spectators should ensure they are familiar with the rules. Note: usually a spectator gallery is not available for Novice searches so the best way to see searches under trial conditions at the Novice class is to volunteer as a steward for a trial.

For those attending as Observers – on the day you will be able to have a water bottle with you. Please do not bring any food into the spectator gallery.

*Anyone suspecting that there has been communication between a spectator and competitor should raise their concerns immediately with a trial official.*

## **Results**

It is the intention that results will be available for competitors to review on Top Dog Events one to two days after the mock trial.

## **Catering**

No catering is available.

## **Stewards and Officials**

Morning Check-In Stewards: Alex Stapledon and Chantel Starks

Morning Carpark Marshalls: Helen Irving and Alex Stapledon

Timer Novice Vehicles: Carmel Nottle

Timer Masters Containers: Lynne Stapylton and Chantel Starks

Afternoon Check-In Stewards: Casey Ryan, Christina Dalla Valle, Rebecca Knapp, Alex Stapledon

Afternoon Carpark Marshalls: Helen Irving, Julie Wallis, Donna Golding

Timer Advanced Exterior: Carmel Nottle

Timer Excellent Vehicles: Lynne Stapylton

## **Competitor Reminders**

While competitors should always read the rules for the sport and be aware of their responsibilities as an exhibitor, they are strongly encouraged to refresh themselves on the following rules and codes. While this is a mock trial and therefore some of these rules won't necessarily be enforced, it is still good practice for all involved to be familiar with trial rules and conditions:

### **ANKC Rules for the Conduct of Scent Work Trials**

#### **9.0 ORGANISATION OF THE TRIAL**

##### **9.5 Dog attire**

9.5.1 – 9.5.6

#### **12 PHOTOGRAPHY AND RECORDING DEVICES**

12.1 – 12.7

*Posting to Facebook and other social media platforms is not considered 'personal use' regardless of the privacy settings of the group or page being posted to.*

#### **13 HANDLERS**

13.3, 13.4 - 13.6, 13.11 – 13.13

### **SACA Rules Code of Conduct for Exhibitors**

#### **PART XV CODES**

##### **C. CODE OF CONDUCT FOR EXHIBITORS**

Dogs SA Exhibitors Code of Conduct

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## **Rules and Regulations Links**

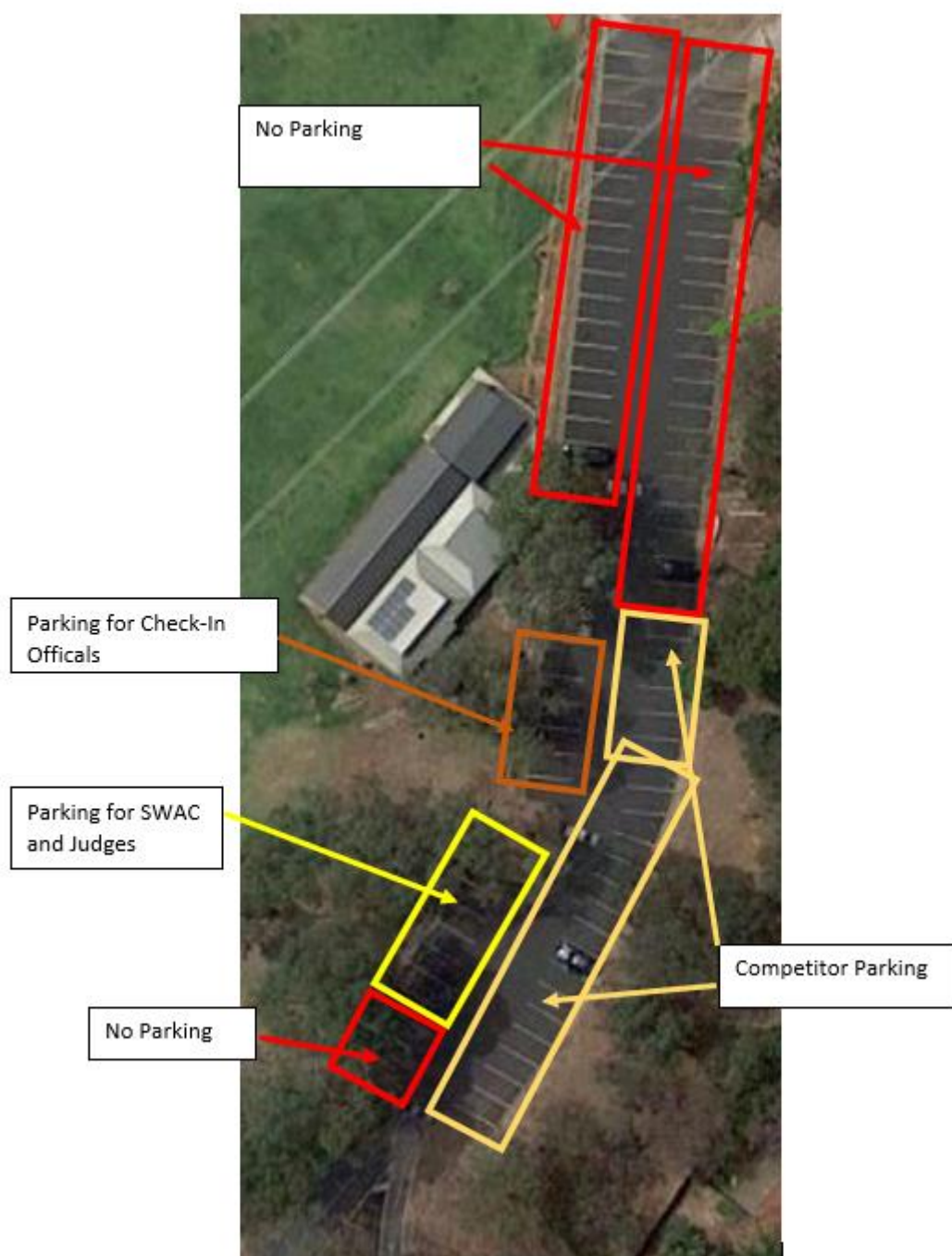
ANKC Rules - <https://dogsaustralia.org.au/members/rule-regulations/rules/>

Dogs SA Rules and Regulations - <https://www.dogssa.com.au/about/policies/>

## Trial Logistics and Parking

### Parking

Competitors should park in the areas as indicated below. Please note that minimal screening will be in place to protect line of sight to search areas so competitors should consider this when moving around the carpark.



Those attending in an observer only role and not competing in any elements can park in any area designated as No Parking



## Dog Toileting

Dogs can be toilet in the area behind the competitor parking area and back up along Saints Road.



## Access to toilets

Competitors should access the toilets via the path heading from the carpark near the disabled parking spaces and stay on the path between the disabled toilet and the main building. All competitors should then return the same way. The female toilet will be out of bounds to competitors and all competitors will need to use either the male (exactly the same as the female) or disabled toilet. As the area around the toilets will be used for marshalling of competitors and is near the search areas competitors should not linger in this area. Please also be mindful that cars in this area may have dogs in them so please consider this when moving around in the area



### **Novice Vehicles - Judge: Julie Wallis**

<b>Cat#</b>	<b>Dog Name</b>	<b>Handler</b>	<b>Breed</b>	<b>DOB</b>
1	Giltedge U R My Sunshine	Lynne Stapyhton	Golden Retriever	31/08/2024
2	Waldwiese Up The Ante	Kylie Christison	Weimaraner	23/09/2020
3	Mistypoint Not On My Watch	Brigetta Palmer	Petit Basset Griffon Vendeen	24/04/2024
4	Morehill Scarlett In Red	Karen Moralee	Poodle (Miniature)	28/12/2021
5	Heiderst Journey To The Stars	Yvonne Nieuwenhoven	German Shorthaired Pointer	20/07/2021
6	Quiniva Lets Dance	Andi Sutherland	Poodle (Standard)	4/11/2023
7	Parkridge Polly Borrowdale	Melissa Borrowdale	Golden Retriever	14/05/2023
8	Shartooz Spirit At Trephina	Beth O'Donnell	Australian Shepherd	17/11/2019
9	Ziggy	DAVEEN DONNELLAN	Springer Spaniel	15/11/2023
10	Baradav A Reason To Smile	Barbara Joseph	Golden Retriever	21/01/2016
11	Karmala Viv	Janet Watson	Sporting Register	12/12/2023
12	Thistledust Centre Stage	Alex Stapledon	Australian Shepherd	8/11/2024
13	Mistypoint Watch Your Tongue	Tracie Edwards	Petit Basset Griffon Vendeen	24/04/2024

### **Masters Containers - Judge: Donna Golding**

<b>Cat#</b>	<b>Dog Name</b>	<b>Handler</b>	<b>Breed</b>	<b>DOB</b>
14	Sammy	Chantel Starks	Associate Register	28/06/2019
15	Reveirter Ne Mt Stirling	Carmel Nottle	Labrador Retriever	14/01/2019
16	Dygae Sweet Caroline	Carolyn Smith	Welsh Corgi (Pembroke)	3/11/2015
17	Sascha	Helen Irving	Associate Register	11/08/2014
18	Rudi	Mirlanda Fischer	Associate Register	21/03/2021
19	Glenmave Supersonic Grace	Sandra Kramer	Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever	8/08/2021
20	Bodhran Mister Finley	Nicole Elkins	Cocker Spaniel	10/07/2018
21	Edinglen To Me You Are Perfect	Tammy McClelland	Bearded Collie	8/05/2020

### **Advanced Exteriors - Judge: Pat Fickling**

Cat#	Dog Name	Handler	Breed	DOB
1	Giltedge Hans Solo	Lynne Stapylton	Golden Retriever	4/12/2017
2	Edinglen To Me You Are Perfect	Tammy McClelland	Bearded Collie	8/05/2020
3	Maxwell	Andrea Sutherland	Associate Register	18/09/2015
4	Mistypoint Sharp Dressed Man	Tracie Edwards	Petit Basset Griffon Vendeen	11/02/2021
5	Thistledust In The Spotlight	Alex Stapledon	Australian Shepherd	15/05/2017
6	Adderslot Gemmas Haedi	Andi Sutherland	Labrador Retriever	8/05/2018
7	Parkridge Polly Borrowdale	Melissa Borrowdale	Golden Retriever	14/05/2023
8	Spencer	Barry Smith	Associate Register	4/11/2022
9	Nala	Casey Ryan	Associate Register	12/10/2021
10	Rangkira Made Of More	Donna Golding	Bernese Mountain Dog	27/01/2021
11	Caprivi Not My First Rodeo	Cheryl Currie	Rhodesian Ridgeback	14/11/2022
12	Rozate Fuzz On Fire	Christina Dalla Valle	Australian Shepherd	7/04/2011
13	Woodroc Just A Gem	Debbie West	Cocker Spaniel	25/05/2022
14	Raeburnyte Enchanted Soul	Debbie Reid	Rottweiler	12/09/2019
15	Zaraliam Kai Wright	Diana Wright	Border Collie	8/02/2022
16	Erdos Prince Of Troy	Julie Wallis	Hungarian Vizsla	3/05/2024
17	Hillani Spaticus Lauds	Karen Moralee	Poodle (Miniature)	16/09/2014
18	Leema Serens Henty	Christine Oerman	Border Terrier	6/06/2022

### **Excellent Vehicles - Judge: Fay Mullan**

Cat#	Dog Name	Handler	Breed	DOB
19	Barduff Poppa Bear	Carmel Nottle	Labrador Retriever	8/06/2021
20	Nala	Casey Ryan	Associate Register	12/10/2021
21	Rangkira Made Of More	Donna Golding	Bernese Mountain Dog	27/01/2021
22	Caprivi Not My First Rodeo	Cheryl Currie	Rhodesian Ridgeback	14/11/2022
23	Rozate Hugs N Chocy Frogs	Christina Dalla Valle	Australian Shepherd	28/12/2021
24	Woodroc Just A Gem	Debbie West	Cocker Spaniel	25/05/2022
25	Zaraliam Kai Wright	Diana Wright	Border Collie	8/02/2022
26	Raeburnyte Enchanted Soul	Debbie Reid	Rottweiler	12/09/2019
27	Erdos Nobodies Fool	Julie Wallis	Hungarian Vizsla	7/05/2020
28	Hillani Spaticus Lauds	Karen Moralee	Poodle (Miniature)	16/09/2014
29	Leema Serens Henty	Christine Oerman	Border Terrier	6/06/2022
30	Glenmave Supersonic Grace	Sandra Kramer	Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever	8/08/2021
31	Otterridge Drums Of Autumn	Janet Watson	Border Terrier	15/11/2019
32	Thistledust Hennessy Black	Rebecca Knapp	Australian Shepherd	19/03/2017
33	Clarony Sweet Talkin Guy	Carolyn Smith	Welsh Corgi (Pembroke)	12/11/2019
34	Zoack Perfect Match	Nicole Elkins	Cocker Spaniel	20/12/2014
35	Sami	Judi Przibilla	Associate Gundogs	28/05/2022
36	Copper	sandie dockerill	Associate Register	22/09/2021
37	Spencer	Barry Smith	Associate Register	4/11/2022
38	Comeby Team Bosnich	Alex Stapledon	Australian Shepherd	21/06/2015
39	Mistypoint Sharp Dressed Man	Tracie Edwards	Petit Basset Griffon Vendeen	11/02/2021
40	Sascha	Helen Irving	Associate Register	11/08/2014