

UKC LICENSED NOSEWORK TRIALS

Saturday May 23, 2026

1 Novice-Master Level Handler Discrimination Trial

1 Novice Level Trial (all elements)

Sunday May 24, 2026

1 Advanced Level Trial (all elements)

1 Superior Level Trial (all elements)

Puget Sound K-9's

www.psk9.org



PRE-ENTRY ONLY

Entries will be accepted in the order they are received by postmark.
A wait list will be kept should entries exceed the limits per UKC rules.

Opening Date March 30, 2026, Closing Date May 8, 2026 or when full

Trial Location:

Frontier Park
21718 Meridian Ave E
Graham, WA 98338
(Indoors / Outdoors)

Show Hours:

Judging starts at 9:00 AM Saturday and Sunday



Show Committee:

Trial Chair: Janey Wilcox, boxhoula@gmail.com
Trial Secretary: Sue Lewis, sndlewis@comcast.net

Judges:

Tracy Hill
Victoria Lovejoy

Offered Saturday:

Trial 1: Handler Discrimination (Novice- Master) – 9:00AM
Trial 2: Novice Elements (Container, Vehicle, Interior & Exterior) – to follow Trial 1

Offered Sunday:

Trial 1: Advanced Elements (Container, Vehicle, Interior & Exterior) – 9:00AM
Trial 2: Superior Elements (Container, Vehicle, Interior & Exterior) – to follow Trial 1

PRE-ENTRY ONLY: \$25 individual element.

Entries must be received by May 8, 2026 at 9:00 pm. Make check payable to: Puget Sound K-9's and mail with entry to: Sue Lewis, 29215 13th PI S, Federal Way, WA 98003. Please send any questions to sndlewis@comcast.net



ELIGIBILITY

All UKC Nosework Rules will apply to this trial. Dogs must be permanently registered with UKC or have a Temporary Listing (TL) or Performance Listing (PL) number in order to enter. Nosework events are open to all UKC registered breeds and mixed-breed dogs

VOLUNTEERS

Please support our efforts by volunteering to work. It takes the help of many to ensure everyone has the opportunity to compete with their dog and to help ensure the trial runs smoothly. Workers are always welcomed, needed, and most of all, appreciated. To run this trial, our club of 15 members is counting on the help of volunteers to fill all the positions needed to keep the trial flowing. Nothing is hard to do and we will gladly work with you on what works best for you and show you how to do it if needed. Thanks in advance for helping us to provide another outlet for what we all enjoy doing with our dogs.

SECTION A or SECTION B

When entering UKC Nosework trials, please note the boxes requiring participant to indicate whether he or she is entering Section A or Section B. Ribbons will be awarded separately for each section.

Section A. This section is for true beginners of the sport. This section is open to all exhibitors and dogs that have not earned a title in the element in which they are entering or equivalent title in another organization. The exhibitor must own the dog entered or be a member of the owner's household or immediate family. Once the dog has earned the title they may no longer compete in the "A" section. No licensed or professional dog trainer or Nosework instructor, regardless of the person's status as an amateur or professional, may compete in this section. No person licensed to officiate Nosework in UKC or any other organization may compete in this section.

Section B. Any dog or handler that is qualified is eligible to compete in Section B. Dog and handler teams may continue to compete in this section indefinitely. The exhibitor does not need to own the dog entered.

REFUND POLICY

A 100% refund will be given for any requests for withdrawals received prior to the closing date. There will be no refunds after closing date.

CLASS AWARDS

Ribbons will be awarded for each Qualifying Search, 1st through 4th placements in each Element Search, and New Titles.

MOVE UP POLICY

Move Ups will be allowed if the Trial Secretary is notified prior to the closing date. No Move Ups will be allowed at the trial. A Class Change/Entry Correction Form (available on the UKC website or from the Trial Secretary) must be completed in full. Per the rules, "Owners who move their dogs to the next level of competition prior to being notified by UKC that their dog has met the title requirement to do so at their own risk. If the owner's records are incorrect, all passing searches and points earned while competing at the higher level of competition shall be disallowed."

SUBSTITUTION POLICY

If an entered dog must be excused (due to female in season or medical or other issue as noted in the UKC Nosework Rule Book) the exhibitor may enter another dog registered with UKC to themselves or an immediate family member. Exhibitor must complete both a UKC Nosework Entry Form for the new dog plus a Class Change/Entry Correction Form (both available from the UKC website or from the Trial Secretary) before the closing date. No substitutions will be allowed at the trial. If the entered handler cannot participate in the trial, another person may handle the UKC registered/entered dog.

PHOTOGRAPHY

There will not be an official photographer at this trial. It is within UKC Nosework rules to have up to two non-entered persons accompany you to the search area to take still photos and/or video your runs, at the discretion of the judge. If it is deemed the search area does not accommodate this number of people, for whatever reason, that search area will be off limits to accompanying persons. Should a dog become distracted by the accompanying person(s), there will be no re-run of the element. Be especially careful when you have a video or pictures of a search that they are not seen or talked about until the end of the trial!

REACTIVE DOGS

UKC does not recognize red bandanas for reactive dogs. There will be no reactive dog parking area or potty area. Each person is responsible for keeping a comfortable distance between their dog and other dogs at all times. Dogs must be on a six foot leash, in a crate, or in the car at all times except when searching, where longer leads or off leash will be allowed where judge permits. It is the responsibility of each dog handler to manage their own dogs. We all want the trial environment to be safe and comfortable for all the dogs and people entered and watching. Please read the rules regarding reactive dogs before entering.

VEHICLES – WE NEED HELP

Because we are a small club, we do not have enough vehicles available from club members for vehicle searches both days. For us to be able to use your vehicle, you will need to keep it odor free for one month before the trial. We will have space available for your crate & dog while your vehicle is used in the search. We need six vehicles total for the weekend. Your consideration is appreciated.

VETERINARIAN

Animal Emergency Clinic, 718 Auburn Way N., Auburn, WA (253) 939-6272

LODGING INFORMATION

(Be sure to confirm their current dog policy, fees, etc.)

La Quinta	(253) 804-9999
Days Inn – South	(253) 854-1950
Travel Lodge	(253) 833-7171
Howard Johnson Inn	(253) 852-7224
Garner Hotel	(253) 735-9600

Driving Directions to Run Wild:

From North or South: Take I-5, I-405, or SR 167 to Highway 18 eastbound. Exit onto Auburn Black Diamond Road eastbound. Turn Right onto SE Green Valley Road. Follow for about 7.5 miles. Turn Right onto 212th Way SE. Take first left into Argus Ranch. (For additional information, check out the web page at runwilddogsports.com.)



UKC NOSEWORK TRIAL ENTRY FORM

Host Club: Puget Sound K-9's

May 23 -24, 2026

Entries Open 3/20/2026 – Close 5/8/2026 or when full

Owner's Name	Dog's Call Name	Club use only: Armband Number Assigned
Address	Dog's UKC Registered Name	Dog's UKC Registration Number
City, State, and Postal Code	Dog's Breed	Is it: Perm# ____ TL # ____ LP # ____
Phone	Email	Dog's Gender M F
Search Cue	Dog Alert Behavior(s):	Handler is a Junior?

TRIAL 1 Saturday 5/23/2026			TRIAL 2 Saturday 5/23/2026		
Section	A	B	Section	A	B
HD Novice	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Novice Container	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
HD Advanced	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Novice Vehicles	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
HD Excellent	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Novice Interior	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
HD Master	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Novice Exterior	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
TRIAL 1 Sunday 5/24/2026			TRIAL 2 Sunday 5/24/2026		
Section	A	B	Section	A	B
Advanced Container	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Superior Container		
Advanced Vehicles	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Superior Vehicles		
Advanced Interior	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Superior Interior		
Advanced Exterior	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Superior Exterior		

Total Amount Due for All Searches	
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Please check here if you can help work at this trial	<input type="checkbox"/>
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I can make my vehicle available for searches and will keep it odor free for 1 month before the trial.	<input type="checkbox"/> Sat.	<input type="checkbox"/> Sun.
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- All entries must be submitted on this Entry Form. Forms must be complete and signed, and payment included for entry to be accepted. Use a separate entry form for each dog you wish to enter. So if you have Fido on Saturday and Sniffles on Sunday you need 2 separate entry forms.
- We want you to keep the points earned at UKC Licensed events. Important things to remember before entering:
 - ✓ All dogs entering UKC events must be permanently registered or have a valid Limited Privilege number.
 - ✓ For UKC registration: go to www.ukcdogs.com or call the UKC Dog Events Dept. at (269) 343-9020.
 - ✓ All entry forms must be completed and signed. Incorrect information submitted on the entry form may invalidate your results for the trial(s)

Mail Entries to: Sue Lewis, 29215 13th Pl S, Federal Way, WA 98003
Make checks payable to Puget Sound K-9's.
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UKC NOSEWORK TRIAL WAIVER FORM

PLEASE NOTE:

This waiver must be signed and submitted with the entry in order for the entry to be complete and accepted. This waiver is applicable to the May 23-24, 2026 trials.

WAIVER

All events are held under the Official Rules and Regulations of the United Kennel Club, Inc. Absolutely no alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs or firearms will be allowed on the grounds or in the buildings on the day of a UKC Licensed event. UKC, its agents and employees, Puget Sound K-9's, assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by spectators or by exhibitors and handlers, or to any of their dogs or property, and further assume no responsibility for injury to children not under the control of their parents or guardians. UKC and the host club are not responsible for loss, accidents, or theft.

By signing this form, I hereby agree to waive any claim, action, or lawsuit and further agree to indemnify and hold UKC, the host club Puget Sound K-9's, event volunteers, and any approved UKC Judge and/or certifying official harmless from any claims, actions or lawsuits resulting from my participation in this event, and any action, decision or judgment made by any UKC or host club representative or approved Judge/Certifying Official under the official UKC Rules and Regulations governing this event. I acknowledge that the current Official UKC Rules and Regulations for Nosework are available to me, and that I am familiar with their contents. My signature indicates that I understand and agree to the above and to abide by all of the current Official UKC Rules and Regulations.

I have read and agree to the waiver on this form.

Signature of Owner/Handler

Date

If owner is a minor
Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date