The Toledo Kennel Club announces: AKC Tracking Dog Workshop

"A Skill Building approach to successful tracking at all levels"

March 25, 2023 8:30AM to 4:00PM

This class will give you what you need to know for obtaining an AKC Tracking Dog title.

The morning will be dedicated to a discussion of introducing the requirements for an American Kennel Club Tracking Dog Title, needed equipment, understanding basic tracking skills, learning to lay tracks, and getting the dogs started on a good foundation for following the path of human scent.

Afternoon session will focus on setting up training tracks, planning progression of skill building based on your dog's needs, strategic rewards, planning good practice tracks, line handling, introducing turns, more practice time and working on individual dog problems.

Cost \$95 (\$65 for TKC members, \$25 for Juniors). Class sized is limited to 10 teams.

Pizza lunch with water and soft drinks will be provided.

The class will be held at the Toledo Kennel Club at 1161 Clarion Street, Holland Ohio. The morning session will be mostly inside at the club, with short demonstrations and skill introductions held at this site. The afternoon will be at a separate location to be determined. The afternoon session will be entirely outdoors. Weather is a part of tracking, and participants should be prepared for foul weather. Class price includes two additional training sessions with experienced tracking students to be scheduled.

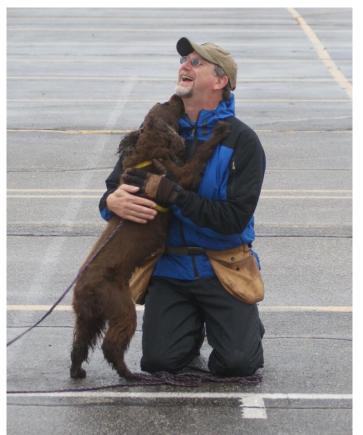
Instructed by Mike Roehrs. Mike is an AKC Tracking Dog judge, trainer and frequent <u>exhibitor</u>, who has qualified dogs in all levels of tracking, including obtaining 4 Champion Tracking Dog titles. His instruction style breaks down critical concepts into understandable steps that prepare you to practice on your own. Expect a day filled with learning, activity and humor.

Please bring:

Crate, (a comfortable chair if desired), LOTS of soft treats, training collar (or harness, if you have one) 6 foot leash (or long line, if you have one)

For registration information, contact

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<u>The Toledo Kennel Club</u> <u>AKC Tracking Dog Workshop</u> Registration form

Make checks payable to: Toledo Kennel Club Mail to: Mary Kaufman, 2960 Indianola Dr. Toledo, OH 43614

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| Owner's Name: | | | |
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| Do you participate in any oth | er canine performanc | ce sports? | |
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I, the undersigned, hereby agree to hold the Toledo Kennel Club, Inc. and its officers, members and instructors hereof, harmless from any loss or injury which may occur to any person or dog and/or which may be caused directly or indirectly by any biting by or any other act of the said dog, and personally assume full responsibility and liability therefore for the death or injury of said dog, whether by negligence or otherwise.

Signature of Owner (or Trainer, if different)

Date _____