

Entries Close: Monday 15th June 2026 – online entries preferred



SCENT WORK ADVISORY COMMITTEE

2026 State Trial



To be held under the Constitution and Rules of the SACA Inc.

Kapunda Harness Racing Complex, 41 Hancock Rd, Kapunda

Friday June 26th – Ultimate

Saturday June 27th – All Advanced and Excellent Elements

Sunday June 28th – All Novice and Master Elements

The Committee reserves the right to appoint a reserve judge or replacement if necessary.

Full schedule: The full schedule outlining check-in and vetting times for all classes and elements, contracted judges, entry limits, order of judging, target odours, catering, and presentations is available from Scent Work SA Facebook page, Top Dog Events, or via email from the trial secretary

Balloting: Should balloting be required, this will occur via Zoom on Tuesday 16th June at 9am.

Trial Manager: Lynne Stapylton (Friday); Julie Wallis/Lynne Stapylton (Saturday); Julie Wallis/Donna Golding (Sunday)

Trial Secretary: Casey Ryan

Assistant Trial Secretary: Carmel Nottle

SACA Representatives: Tammy McClelland (Friday and Sunday); Teresa Shanahan (Saturday)

Entry fees: Novice, Advanced, Excellent and Masters: \$17.50 per entry; Ultimate: \$30 per entry

Sashes and Prizes: Rosette for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. Ribbons to all qualifiers. Other awards and prizes as outlined in the catalogue.

Entries: Online entries and payments via Top Dog Events (<https://www.topdogevents.com.au/trials/1529>). Paper Entries to: SWAC Secretary, PO Box 2236, Salisbury Downs, SA, 5108. Paper entries must be submitted on the official scent work entry form. Email entries not accepted due to online entries being available.

Hot Weather Rule, Extreme Weather, or Extenuating Circumstance: If the forecast temperature at 10am from the bom.gov.au site (or app) two days prior to the trial is 30° celsius or above, or this trial is impacted by Extreme Weather or extenuating circumstances, this trial may be postponed, or cancelled, or have the commencement time amended.

If required to postpone, cancel or amend the commencement time, there will be no refund of entry fees.

Queries: via “Message Trial Secretary” option on Top Dog Events