



***The Pennsylvania New York Australian Shepherd Club  
PENNY ASC  
Presents its first...  
CENTS and SCENT-ABILITY***

**Introduction to Tracking Seminar**

*This workshop will cover tracking fundamentals such as scent theory and dog capabilities; articles and their importance; track laying skills and methods; the major components of a track; lead handling and reading the dog. Actual material covered will depend on the skills and needs of the participating dogs and handlers.*

*There is no minimum age requirement. In fact, tracking is a good for puppies. Working teams must bring a 6' lead with a regular flat collar. A harness is also acceptable. Working teams must also bring the following 2-3 types items to use as scent articles; (1) cloth, (2) leather, and (3) plastic. Scent articles should be small, but not small enough to be accidentally swallowed by your dog. Working teams should bring an ample supply of training treats, and/or some other form of reinforcement for their dogs. Clickers are also permitted.*

**Presenter: Terry Brown**

*Terry has been involved with the activity of tracking since 2000 and with urban tracking since 2005. He is currently involved with his own dogs, an Australian Shepherd, Belgian Sheepdog and a Siberian Husky, and has begun involvement in search and rescue work. He has taught classes/workshops on tracking for the past several years in both groups and in private settings working with a wide assortment of breeds and people on all levels of the sport. His motivation methods have yielded positive feedback from those who have been involved with him in this kind of training. Terry and his students have achieved CKC and AKC tracking titles.*

**Location:**

*Alice Grable's Farm, 513 Moss Hill Road, Horseheads, NY 14845*

*Directions – From New York Route 17 and Interstate 86 take New York Route 13 North. After approximately 1 mile, turn Right onto East Franklin Street. After approximately ¾ mile, make a slight right onto Moss Hill Road. After the intersection of Talarico Road and Moss Hill Road, Alice's Farm is the 6<sup>th</sup> house on the right. Please park your vehicle in the designated areas only.*

**Dates:**

Seminar will be held on Saturday, April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2010, 9 a.m. through 4 p.m., Entries will be accepted for members only after 12/21/09, Entries will be accepted for non-members after 1/18/10.

**Cost:**

| <b>Working Teams</b>   | <b>Auditors</b>                        |
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| \$45 for members, \$60 for non-members                           | \$20 for members, \$30 for non-members |
| 10 working team maximum  | Unlimited auditors                     |
| Includes full-day working seminar                                | Includes full-day seminar audit        |
| Breakfast and lunch will be provided to all seminar participants |  |

**Signing Up:**

Contact Rob Thompson at (570) 364-5454 or [robnsuet@dogsgonewildllc.com](mailto:robnsuet@dogsgonewildllc.com) if you have any questions. PENNY ASC members can sign-up for this event 12/21/09. Non-members will be invited to sign-up 1/18/10. If you are interested in participating in this seminar, make your reservation early because this seminar is expected to fill quickly. At the time of your reservation, you must complete the attached entry form, indicating whether you will participate as a “Working Team” or “Auditor”, and provide a check payable to PENNY ASC. All checks and entries must be mailed to the following address:

PENNY ASC Tracking  
c/o Rob Thompson  
RR1 Box 1980  
Monroeton, PA 18832

***PENNY ASC Introduction to Tracking Entry Form***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Working Team  Auditor

**Working Dog Information:**

Dog's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dog's Breed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dog's Age: \_\_\_\_\_

*The majority of the seminar will be held outdoors, rain or shine, so please plan appropriately*