Advanced Nosework with Joanne Soyke

Sunshine Obedience School Council Bluffs, Iowa



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Joanne Soyke has been teaching and competing in Nosework since 2012. She is also a UKC and AKC Nosework judge. Her philosophy on the sport of Nosework is to hand over the reins and let the dog do what comes naturally. By doing so, you will bring out your dog's true natural ability and be able to let him really shine. Joanne's years of study in canine behavior allows her to quickly shape and adjust early training to maximize learning and keep things fun for the dog. This two day seminar will be limited to ten working spots, and auditors are also welcome. Participants should be proficient in birch, anise, and clove, and be familiar with containers, interior, exterior, and vehicle searches.

Day One will be "Building Skills and Handling Techniques." Finding odor is the easy part, but are you the best team you can be? What role do you play in the search? Are you helping or hindering your dog? This day will concentrate on building skills to make your dog a more efficient searcher. Joanne will also cover different handling techniques that will aid your performance.

Day Two will be "Thoughtful Hide Placement." Do you set hides with a purpose that furthers your training goals? Do you understand how to set hides that will help your dog problem solve and improve his nosework skills? Have you ever watched your dog work a hide doing the exact opposite of what you expected? This day will focus both on how odor will move from the source as well as where to find appropriate areas to place your hides. You will learn to improve your own hide setting skills to better help your dog.

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Phone:	E-mail Address:
Dog's name:	Working or audit:
Return form with \$300 seminar fee for working, \$125 for auditing two days or \$75 for auditing one day to: Gerianne Darnell, 11092 240th St, Council Bluffs, IA 51503 Lunch is included in the price of the seminar. Your check dated 3/1/2018 is a commitment to attend. If Joanne is able to get here, the seminar will be held. Limited to ten working teams.	