

# WPCA



Working Presa Canario Association

## Stable Working Presa / Canine

This testing is focusing and scoring the different aspects of the dog's temperament: Aggressive, Confident, Friendly, Shyness, Stable and natural instinct to protect handler. 2 titles (SWP I & SWP II)

\*\* Handler/Dog will be known as TEAM

### SWP I / SWC I (On leash with handler)

| Commands          | Points       | Description  | Disqualifying  |
|-------------------|--------------|--|--|
| FRIENDLY STRANGER | Pass or Fail | Dog can be in a down, sit or standing position. You may speak to your dog while doing this exercise. This exercise is down in a group of handlers and dog.<br><br>Each Command can be said 3x only | Aggression, Fear, Bites  |
| 1. Stranger       |              | walks up and shakes your hand, ignores the dog   |  |
| 2. Stranger       |              | walks up and asks to pet the dog, ignores handler  |  |
| BASIC COMMANDS    | Pass / Fail  | You may speak to your dog while doing this exercise. This exercise is down in a group of handlers and dog.   | Doesn't do the commands asked<br>Only can miss 1 request to pass |
| Sit               |              | Loose leash, no double handling, handler may only ask with verbal cues   | cannot pull on leash or touch dog                                |

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|------------|--------|---|---|
| Down       |        | Loose leash, no double handling, handler may only ask with verbal cues  | cannot pull on leash or touch dog                                 |
| Stay       |        | this will be in a down, all handlers will stay next to their dog until told to walk to marked area, each handler will be told to walk to marked area keep back to dog until told to turn around and recall dog. |   |
| Heeling    |        | Walk a straight line until told to sit your dog. Return to heeling until told to down your dog.   | Cannot pull on leash or correct dog at anytime while on the field |
| CROWD      |        |   |   |
| Walking    |        | Team and crowd walk around each other for 15 seconds  |   |
| Closing in |        | Same crowd of people walk away and then walk right back into the team. 10 seconds   |   |

SWP1

## SWP II / SWC II (with handler and without)

| COMMANDS        | POINTS      | DESCRIPTION   | DISQUALIFYING   |
|-----------------|-------------|---|---|
| HUMAN           | Pass / Fail | Dog will be tied up while handler is out of site  | Can see Handler<br>Handler yells<br>Dog becomes aggressive, bites or lunges |
| Friendly        |             | Walks by happy  |   |
| Angry           |             | Walks by yelling  |   |
| AUDITORY        | Pass / Fail | 5 set off 80 yards away   |   |
| Firecrackers    |             | Dog can alert, bark   |   |
| VISUAL          | Pass / Fail | 3 attempts  | Doesn't go thru, growls, bites item   |
| Steamer Curtain |             | Flying around, dog / handler must walk thru w/o dog getting scared  |   |
| Umbrella        |             | The team will walk about this twice, first will be the handler walking between the umbrella and dog, then the team will turn around and the dog will be next to the umbrella. |   |
| FOOTING         | Pass / Fail | Team will cross over items to see the reaction of the dog<br>3 attempts   | Jumps over, growls, barks, bites  |
| Tarp            |             | Team will walk under the tarp while being held by to helpers, another tarp will be laid down and the team must walk over the tarp.  |   |

| COMMANDS        | POINTS | DESCRIPTION  | DISQUALIFYING |
|-----------------|--------|--|---------------|
| Fencing         |        | The fence is laid on the ground and the team must walk across it, to see if they will react to the feeling under paws.                       |               |
| Pool of Bottles |        | Plastic kid pool full of plastic balls, team must walk thru them to see how the dog reacts.  |               |
| Pool of Water   |        | Dog / handler can both go into water pool or dog only, must not fear pool w/ water, you have 3 tries to get the dog in by walking up to pool |               |
| Tunnel          |        | Dog must go into tunnel and come out opposite end w/o being afraid, you have 3 tries to get the dog to go in by walking dog up to tunnel     |               |

SWP2