

The Cass County Sheriff's Office in Atlantic, IA, will be hosting the Heart of America Police Dog Association K9 Certification and Trials October 5<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>, 2009. This will take place in Atlantic, IA (except for Monday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, which will be at Lake Anita).

There will be several handler and dog teams from Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, and Missouri attending this event.

I have enclosed a copy of the schedule and some information if the media is interested in attending any of the events. I am sending this out in advance for media scheduling purposes.

Any questions, please contact Sheriff Darby McLaren, Cass County Sheriff's Office, at (712) 243-2206.

Thank you,

K9 Deputy Kyle Quist  
Cass County Sheriff's Office  
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## Heart of America Police Dog Association K9 Certification

Hosted by the Cass County Sheriff's Office

Atlantic, IA

**October 5<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

- Media and public **WILL NOT** be allowed into the Building and Area search for Safety Reasons.
- **TV News media's** best footage will be *Wednesday, October 7<sup>th</sup>* 8:30 AM start - Lunch during the patrol certification. If media wants to film dope, they need to go to Olsen's Outdoor Power *Tuesday, October 6<sup>th</sup>* 8:30 – Lunch.
- **The public may attend the following:**

**Monday, October 5<sup>th</sup>**- Evidence Searches at the Little League Fields- After lunch (start around 1 or 1:30)

Obedience certification after that at Cass County Fair Grounds

**Tuesday, October 6<sup>th</sup>** – Dope work on vehicles at Olsen's Outdoor Power (8:30 – Lunch)

**Wednesday, October 7<sup>th</sup>**- Bite work 8:30 am – Lunch. Group 1 will be at Little League Fields and Group 2 will be at the Softball Field next to Atlantic Swimming Pool in Sunnyside Park.

**Media personnel only**- if you are in question as to a location, contact Cass County **Sheriff Darby McLaren**. I also will give dispatch our location to forward on.

Any further questions contact **Sheriff Darby McLaren**.

K9 Deputy Kyle Quist 15-7

Cass County Sheriff's Office

# **HAPDA Certification**

**Atlantic, IA**  
**October 5<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>**

## **Monday, October 5th**

0800 - Meet at Walmart parking lot

Tracking at *Lake Anita*

Lunch

Meet at Walmart parking lot

Evidence – *Little League fields*

Obedience- *Cass County Fair Grounds*

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**Tuesday, October 6<sup>th</sup>**

0800 Meet at Walmart

Dope in vehicles – *Olsen's Outdoor Power*

Lunch

Dope in Building- *Old Cumberland School*

Master Track

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**Wednesday, October 7<sup>th</sup>**

0800 – Meet at Walmart

Running Recall – *Little League Field Team #1/ Sunny Side Park Team #2*

Bite, Recall, Pat Down – *Little League Field Team #1/ Sunny Side Park Team #2*

Deploy from Vehicle – *Little League Field Team #1/ Sunny Side Park Team #2*

Muzzle – *Little League Field Team #1/Sunny Side Park Team #2*

Lunch

Continue if any dogs didn't get finished before lunch

Parcels – Atlantic City Hall (upstairs) \*\*

Break

1900 Meet at Walmart

Area Search – Team 1- *City Yards*

Building Search – Team 2- *Building South of Brymon's Furniture*

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## **Thursday, October 8th**

Time TBA – Meet Walmart

Dope Refires

Track Refires\*\*

Area/ Building Refires

Bitework Refires

Dope Trophy Run –AFTER LUNCH

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## **Friday, October 9th**

Patrol Dog Trophy Run - TBA

Tough Dog Trophy Run - TBA

- All times/events/days are subject to change depending on speed and weather
- \*\* These events may switch depending on how we are sitting for time. Track refire may switch depending on the number of refires and when the judge and handler may have time to redo the scenario. Parcels may also switch depending on times of events.