

2008 Detector Nationals Cookeville Tennessee

TOP DETECTOR CASE OF THE YEAR 2007

DEPUTY JIM DUVAL AND K9 TYSON OKALOOSA COUNTY, FL SHERIFF'S OFFICE CRIMINALISTICS EXCELENCE AWARD™

On April 2, 2007 at approximately 9:00 PM, Deputy Jim Duval and K9 Tyson were summoned to the corner of Sullivan and Audrey Streets, Ft Walton Beach, FL to perform a narcotic check on a vehicle at the request of the Ft Walton Beach Police Department (FWBPD).

The FWBPD had stopped a white Ford 3 ton work truck with what looked like an industrial vacuum in the bed of the truck. The vacuum consisted of 3 cylinders, approximately 4 feet long by 2 ½ feet in diameter. The cylinders were connected together with pipes and other types of fittings, as well as pumps and electrical switches. The entire apparatus was tied together with a metal frame making it approximately 3 feet wide by 3 feet high by 6 feet deep. In addition, it appeared to have a fresh paint job. The vehicle's driver stated the machinery had recently been refurbished.

After contacting officers on the scene, Deputy Jim Duval and K9 Tyson initiated a walk around, starting at the front of the truck. Tyson showed no alert or indication on the cab, but as soon as he came to the box of the truck, he showed an immediate change in body language, giving a good alert and indicated by sitting. Deputy Duval backed off of the truck and informed the Sergeant in charge that Tyson had definitely encountered the odor of narcotics coming from the truck. Based on his K9's indication and alert, officers on the scene had the driver exit the truck and initiated a narcotic investigation. After a short period of time, Deputy Duval was asked if he could narrow down the source of the odor. The back of the truck was very cramped because of the machinery, but Tyson and Deputy Duval went back to work in an attempt to pinpoint the exact location of the odor. On command, Tyson started to check the machinery and immediately gave an alert that he was on odor. Because of the tight quarters in the bed of the truck and the piping that connected the cylinders, there was no way Tyson could get any deeper into the apparatus, but he kept working, trying to get to the source of the odor.

At this point, Deputy Duval had to remove Tyson from the truck and tell the investigating officer that Tyson was hitting on odor all over the machinery, but was not able to pinpoint an exact location due to the maze of piping that blocked his passage. Deputy Duval recommended the truck be taken back to the impound yard where a more thorough examination could be performed.

At the impound yard, the machinery was removed from the back of the truck. The end cap of the cylinder located deepest in the apparatus was removed and 52 kilos of cocaine and 360 pounds of marijuana were found packaged inside. The narcotics were wrapped in several layers of plastic and bound in tape. The end cap of another cylinder was removed and an additional 125 pounds of marijuana was found packaged just like the first find. The final tally was 52 kilos of cocaine and 480 pounds of marijuana, all hidden inside the

cylinders inside this vacuum. It is clear that if it were not for K9 Tyson giving the alert and indication on this truck, these narcotics would not have found since a preliminary search of the truck on the roadside showed no indication of any narcotic activity in this truck and the driver was uncooperative.

**UNITED STATES POLICE CANINE ASSOCIATION, INC.
FINAL POSITIONS - EXPLOSIVE
CERTIFICATION**

LOCATION:

Cookeville, TN.

May 19- 20, 2008

1	19	Huskey, Jeff	Isis	Huntsville, AL. PD	191.33	8:37
2	23	Goodman, Michele	Rocky	Anne Arundel Co. MD. S.O.	191.00	11:05
3	7	Cherry, Ed	Snick	THP	191.00	13:08
4	21	Person, Derek	Arno	CIA	187.33	7:12
5	13	Trout, Eric	Fox	Federal Reserve, TN. PD	187.00	11:44
6	22	Willoughby, Jack	Laverne	CIA	186.33	14:20
7	17	Booth, Billy	Eestabon	Redstone Arsenal, AL.	184.67	9:45
8	20	Chance, Lloyd	Dean	CIA	183.00	16:03
9	28	Palen, Dustin	Jake	Orange Co. NY. S.O.	181.67	15:47

REMAINDER NOT RANKED - EXPLOSIVES

Shieder, James	Ben	Metro. Police, DC
Rush, Jack	Bruno	Redstone Arsenal, AL.
Mandel, Mark	Pepper	Vanderbilt, TN. PD
Larkin, Mark	Nitro	Woodbury Co. IA. S.O.
Thoelen, Jeffry	Hudson	Middleton, NY. PD
Mitchell, Denny	Crazy	THP
Le, David	Bak	Metro. Police, DC
Bascom, Emma	Jackie	Franklin Twp. NJ.
Pollard, Scott	Harlow	THP
Rodrigues, Aida	Tony	Metro. Police, DC
Whittaker, Greg	Smokey	State Bomb & Arson TN.
Lanier, Horace	Kojack	Vanderbilt, TN. PD
Duncan, Gary	Rex	Vanderbilt, TN. PD
Bates, Jason	Gauge	Vanderbilt, TN. PD
Medlin, Phil	Gola	Raleigh, NC. PD

**TOP REGION TEAM
EXPLOSIVE DETECTION
377.33**

REGION 3

Jack Willoughby K-9 Laverne CIA
Michele Goodman K-9 Rocky
Anne Arundel Co. MD SO

**TOP DEPARTMENT TEAM
EXPLOSIVE DETECTION
370.33**

CIA

Lloyd Chance & K-9 Dean CIA
Derek Person & K-9 Arno

EXPLOSIVE INSIDE STANDINGS

LOCATION: Cookeville, TN.

DATE: May 19- 20, 2008

INSIDE TOP FIVE

PLACE	Number	Competitor	Department	Dog's Name	Score	Time
1	25	Shieder, James	Metro. Police, DC	Ben	99.00	5:26
2	18	Rush, Jack	Redstone Arsenal, AL.	Bruno	97.67	1:48
3	7	Cherry, Ed	THP	Snick	97.00	6:59
4	23	Goodman, Michele	Anne Arundel Co. MD. S.O.	Rocky	96.33	4:00
5	27	Thoelen, Jeffry	Middleton, NY. PD	Hudson	96.33	10:00

**EXPLOSIVE OUTSIDE STANDINGS
VEHICLES TOP FIVE**

PLACE	Number	Competitor	Department	Dog's Name	Score	TIME
1	13	Trout, Eric	Federal Reserve, TN. PD	Fox	100.00	2:10
2	19	Huskey, Jeff	Huntsville, AL. PD	Isis	99.67	3:52
3	21	Person, Derek	CIA	Arno	99.00	3:14
4	22	Willoughby, Jack	CIA	Laverne	95.67	5:39
5	28	Palen, Dustin	Orange Co. NY. S.O.	Jake	94.67	7:03

**UNITED STATES POLICE CANINE ASSOCIATION, INC. Region 13
FINAL POSITIONS - NARCOTIC
CERTIFICATION**

**LOCATION:
Cookeville, TN**

May 19- 20, 2008

PLACE	Number	Competitor	Dog's Name	Department	Score	Time
1	31	Curtis, Paul	Deacon	Loudon Co. TN S.O.	198.00	7:18
2	66	Phelps, Maurice	Bolo	Atlanta, Ga PD	196.00	7:35
3	44	Walter, Tony	Cayd	Webster Co. IA S.O.	195.67	9:51
4	36	Meyer, Mark	Brio	MSP Airport Police, MN	195.50	8:55

5	63	Watkins, Matt	Bob	Escambia, FL Co. S.O.	194.67	7:27
6	47	Gatton, Ben	Deekay	Algona P.D. IA	194.17	8:26
7	38	Homan, Rich	Malou	MN State Patrol	194.00	5:26
8	46	Roberts, Adam	Shiloh	Cherokee P.D. IA	193.00	14:54
9	45	Hammen, Josh	Rani	Pocahantas Co. IA S.O.	192.17	8:29
10	34	Warner, R.L.	Onya	Raleigh, NC P.D.	192.00	6:45
11	32	Jenkins, Chris	Deigo	Loudon Co. TN S.O.	191.83	10:52
12	40	Holman, Scott	Tessa	Cloquet, MN PD	191.67	6:03
13	35	Harrison, Robert	Selly	Richmond Co. Ga S.O.	191.67	6:05
14	30	Hall, Billy	Draga	Loudon Co. TN S.O.	191.33	7:32
15	61	Cooper, Baron	Jed	THP	191.00	9:48
16	82	Kubicek, Robert	Max	Coppell, TX PD	190.67	7:01
17	50	Picou, Chris	Rocky	Richland, MS PD	190.67	7:26
18	1	Wilkerson, Craig	Les	Cookeville, TN PD	189.33	7:36
19	49	Windsor, John	Sissy	Forrest, MS S.O.	188.83	5:21
20	29	Watkins, Michael	Denero	Loudon Co. TN S.O.	188.00	10:02

REMAINDER NOT RANKED

Gascon, Jaime	Rick	Picayune, MS PD
Daverson, Johnny L	Ucho	Madison Co. AL S.O.
Hawes, Robert	Czar	Atlanta, Ga PD
Riley, Lee A	Cano	Redstone Arsenal, AL PD
Shaw, Cathy	Shadow	Madison Co. AL S.O.
Brady, Michael	Sydney	Brentwood, TN PD
Rennequist, Casey	Victor	Fond du Lac Law Enforcement, MN
Barracough JR, Harry	Justus	Pensacola FL PD
Henning, Hal	Brandi	Biwabik, MN PD
Johnson, Jeff	Rocko	Cookeville, TN PD
Harris, James	Jim	Cookeville, TN PD
Riden, Bart	Sven	Crossville, TN PD
Gray, William	Stryker	Huntsville, AL PD
Rofidal, Kevin	Kodiak	Edina, MN P.D.
Balch, Josh	Cayden	Huntsville, AL PD
Cheek, Kyle	Diesel	Maury Co. TN S.O.
Sealy, Pat	Lacy	Cookeville, TN PD
Miller, Robert	Murphy	Atlanta, Ga PD
Blau, Adam	Blue	Franklin Co. IA S.O.
Kendrick, Chris	Leon	Crossville, TN PD
Tarter, Donny	Bear	McKinney, TX PD
Pemberton, Robert	Ceiko	Greenville, TX PD
Anfinson, Dean	Rocco	MN State Patrol
Witherspoon, Shane	Rony	Centerville, TN PD
Crossley, Patrick	Dario	Escambia, FL Co. S.O.
Paxson, Scott	Josey	Jones Co. MS S.O.
Zimmerlee, William	Tessa	Coopertown, TN PD
Pucci, John	Renzo	Atlanta, Ga PD
Sperl, Richard	Arna	Atlanta, Ga PD

Alejandro, Jose	Azar	Loveland,OH PD
Garrard, Jim	Kona	Davenport P.D. IA
Marshall, Melissa	Odin	McKinney, TX PD
Rowland, Bucky	Thumper	Maury Co. TN S.O.
Bennett, Brian	Chaos	Steele Co. MN S.O.
Darnell, Kyle	Fiona	Montgomery Co. TN S.O.
Kirby, Josh	Boomer	Garland, TX PD
Manning, Josh	Brek	Madison Co. AL S.O.
Collett, Miles	Travis	Springhill, TN PD
Jones, Tommy	Rock	Monroe Co. TN S.O.

**UNITED STATES POLICE CANINE ASSOCIATION, INC
NARCOTICS**

TOP FIVE ROOM SEARCH

PLACE	Number	Competitor	Dog's Name	Department	Score	Time
1	66	Phelps, Maurice	Atlanta, Ga PD	Bolo	99.67	4:46
2	60	Riden, Bart	Crossville, TN PD	Sven	99.33	4:16
3	71	Daverson, Johnny L	Madison Co. AL S.O.	Ucho	99.33	7:57
4	31	Curtis, Paul	Loudon Co. TN S.O.	Deacon	99.00	5:13
5	67	Hawes, Robert	Atlanta, Ga PD	Czar	99.00	5:53

TOP FIVE VEHICLE SEARCH

PLACE	Number	Competitor	Department	Dog	Score	Time
1	44	Walter, Tony	Webster Co. IA S.O.	Cayd	99.67	2:44
2	50	Picou, Chris	Richland, MS PD	Rocky	99.33	2:11
3	31	Curtis, Paul	Loudon Co. TN S.O.	Deacon	99.00	2:05
4	47	Gatton, Ben	Algona P.D. IA	Deekay	98.50	3:11
5	32	Jenkins, Chris	Loudon Co. TN S.O.	Deigo	98.50	3:25

**TOP DEPARTMENT TEAMS
NARCOTIC DETECTION**

**FIRST PLACE
389.83
LOUDON COUNTY
TENNESSEE
Paul Curtis & K-9 Deacon
Chris Jenkins & K-9 Deigo**

Second Place Department Team

**379.33
Loudon County Tennessee
Michael Watkins & K-9 Denero
Billy Hall & K-9 Draga**

Third Place Department Team

367.33

Cookeville Tennessee

Craig Wilkerson & K-9 Les

Jeff Johnson & K-9 Rocko

Fourth Place Department Team

349.00

Rich Homan & K-9 Malou

Dean Anfinson & Rocco

Fifth Place Department Team

338.00

Robert Hawes & K-9 Czar

John Pucci & K-9 Renzo

**TOP REGION TEAM
NARCOTIC DETECTION**

FIRST PLACE REGION

385.17

REGION 21

Josh Hammen & K-9 Rani Pocahantas County Iowa SO

Adam Roberts & K-9 Shiloh Cherokee P.D. Iowa

Second Place Region Team

383.67

REGION 2

R.L. Warner & K-9 Onya Raleigh P.D. N.C.

Robert Harrison & K-9 Selly Richmond County Ga. SO

Third Place Region Team

380.33

Region 22

Maurice Phelps & K-9 Bolo Atlanta P.D. Georgia

Cathy Shaw & K-9 Shadow Madison County Alabama S.O.

Fourth Place Region Team

379.50

Region 26

John Windsor & K-9 Sissy Forrest County Mississippi SO

Chris Picou & K-9 Rocky Richland P.D. Mississippi

Fifth Place Region Team

375.17

Region 12

Scott Holman & K-9 Tessa Cloquet P.D., Minnesota

Casey Rennequist & K-9 Victor Fond du Lac Law Enforcement , Minnesota

**Bill Robinson Memorial Award
For Sportsmanship**

The sportsmanship award is the Bill Robinson Memorial Award and is presented in the memory of Bill Robinson of Newburg, New York. Bill was killed in the line of duty just after the USPCA Nationals were held in Newburgh.

The award is voted on by the Judges and is given to the K-9 Team that displays the highest degree of sportsmanship throughout the series of events on field and off field regardless of their own success.

**TOWARDS THEIR DOG
OTHER COMPETITORS
AND JUDGES**

The 2008 Detector Trial Sportsmanship Award

Is presented to:

PAT SEALY of the Cookeville, Tennessee Police Department.

**THE UNITED STATES POLICE CANINE ASSOCIATION, INC.
JUDGES and SCOREKEEPERS LIST
DETECTOR NATIONAL
COOKEVILLE, TENNESSEE
MAY 19-20, 2008©**

No. #	Judge's Name	What Events Judged	Region
CJ 105	Russ Hess		5
SJ #218	Danny Page	Inside	3
SJ 225	Mike Rudolph	Outside	12
#243	John Usher	Inside	9
#228	James Barlett	Inside	3
#195	Ron Bowling	Inside	1
#184	Susan Rogers	Outside	1
#168	JD Toth	Outside	8
#117	Raymond Reinhart	Inside	1
#116	RO Rogers	Outside	2
#112	Arthur Rescigno	Outside	7

	Novice Judges		
N#250	Kevin Johnson	Inside -41(#43-83), Outside-41 (#43-83)	2
N#238	Michael Posey	Inside -41(#43-83), Outside-41 (#43-83)	22
N#200	John Haller	Inside -41(#43-83), Outside-41 (#43-83)	5
N#3	Melinda Ruopp	Inside -41(#43-83), Outside-41 (#43-83)	21
N#192	John Binnix	Inside-18(#1-4,#29-42), Outside-18(#1-4,#29-42)	3
N#2	Bernie Green	Inside-18(#1-4,#29-42), Outside-18(#1-4,#29-42)	3
N#1	Patrick Pickar	Inside-18(#1-4,#29-42), Outside-18(#1-4,#29-42)	12

Scorekeeper's Name		Region
CS	Marsha Hollister	5
	Joan Hess	5
	Jan Slavik	12
	Carol Brewster	19
	Deborah Page	3