

The Carolina Australian  
Shepherd Club presents  
A Tracking Workshop

## Skills Building - December 9 & 10, 2017



with

### Gretchen Chapman Stephenson

A 2-Day Tracking Workshop - Advancing your Tracking Skills

This two day seminar will offer a variety of skill building exercises to advance you and your dog's tracking level. We will focus on those more challenging tracks and how to train for them. We will be tracking outside as much as possible but will have some indoor discussions. Please dress for the weather, we will have shelter, but may not be heated. Bring a harness, tracking line, water, lots of treats and chair, etc. Lunch and snacks provided.

An Introduction to Tracking is Required for Working Spot in Workshop

Tracking Skills to be worked include:

More complex tracks, starts, turns, marking articles

Distractions on the track,

Ground cover changes - gravel/ paved roads,

High grass/mowed grasses,

Woodlands, creeks,

Scent work around buildings, shelters, area fields, and more.

Held at Camp Deer Lake - Andrews Memorial Baptist Church  
568 Chapel Trail, Mebane, NC 27302

Limited to 12 Working Dogs and Handlers

## Instructor Gretchen Chapman Stephenson

In 1995 Gretchen got her first "grown up" dog – a Weimaraner - who introduced Gretchen to the world of scent through tracking and hunting. In 2003,



Gretchen graduated with a Master Trainer Certificate from the Tom Rose School specializing in tracking. She is an AKC TD, TDU, TDX and VST judge as well as a CPDT-KA, CGC evaluator and Therapy Dog evaluator.

Gretchen has put multiple tracking titles on her dogs including an AKC Champion Tracker title and has worked with over 50 breeds of dogs since 2003 when she began teaching tracking. Gretchen loves watching dogs track and helping tracking teams reach their full potential.

### The Carolina Australian Shepherd Club...

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[www.CASClub.com](http://www.CASClub.com)

## Registration Form

Name	
Address	
City/State/Zip	
Telephone	
Email Address	
Tracking Experience	<input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> TD <input type="checkbox"/> TDX <input type="checkbox"/> VST <input type="checkbox"/> Judge
Tracking Titles Earned	<input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> TD <input type="checkbox"/> TDX <input type="checkbox"/> VST <input type="checkbox"/> CT
Name, Breed & Age of Dog	
Dog's Tracking Experience	
What are your Goals from Workshop?	
Areas for Specific Work?	<input type="checkbox"/> Starts <input type="checkbox"/> Turns <input type="checkbox"/> Motivation <input type="checkbox"/> Articles <input type="checkbox"/> Transitions <input type="checkbox"/> Contamination <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
Saturday/Sunday Workshop	<input type="checkbox"/> \$175.00 Working with Dog <input type="checkbox"/> \$150.00 Working, CASC Member <input type="checkbox"/> \$50.00 Per Day to Auditor - No Dog
<p>Make Checks Payable to CASC          Mail to: Mary Isenhour-Long          5788 Mountain Trail, Snow Camp, NC 27349          Isenhour_long@bellsouth.net</p> 	