



## **An Introductory Seminar and Field Workshop about Using Trained Tracking Dogs to Find Wounded Big Game**

**When:** Saturday July 18 & Sunday July 19, 2015

**Where:** Peterborough (Sat.), Bethany (Sun.)

**Cost:** Pre-registration only -- by July 3 -- \$40 (or \$25 for one day)

**Info & Registration** (form & waiver): Laurel 705 277-9183 [manverspack@nexicom.net](mailto:manverspack@nexicom.net)

Camping available (small campers and tents) at Laurelwood – contact Laurel

**Saturday: 10:00 am** at OFAH Hunting & Fishing Heritage Centre, Peterborough  
N44° 16.311' W78° 19.338'

- History of the use of leashed tracking dogs to find wounded big game – Europe, US, Canada  
John Jeanneney, author *Tracking Dogs for Finding Wounded Deer*, NY
- Recent Ontario Law regarding the use of leashed tracking dogs with reference to other provinces  
Scott Leindecker, BGBTO President & Tracker, ON
- Selecting a good tracking dog – what to know, what to look for (Jeanneney)
- Practical dog training for field control and blood tracking  
Andy Bensing, DTK/UBT Tracking Judge & Professional Dog Trainer, PA
- The thrill of the track, the thrill of the find – stories of a hunter new to tracking  
Jeff Weese, Tracker, ON
- Hit Site Evaluation presentation as an introduction to field work on Sunday (Jeanneney)

Lunch will be served. Evening Barbecue at Laurelwood – sponsored by BGBTO

**Sunday: 9:00 am** at Laurelwood near Bethany N44 08.378" W78 33.085"

- Hit site analysis using deer carcass
- Hit site evaluation trail -- 6 stations in the bush – small groups with leader – Jeanneney, Bensing
- Demos of dog training methods for blood tracking.
- Short blood lines for new dogs or puppies.
- Possible UBT I and/or UBT II tracking tests for members – others may observe.

Lunch break. Adjourn about 3:00 pm

*Come out and learn about this new aspect of hunting and working with dogs in Ontario*