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AWARDS

Each dog passing the test will receive an award commemorative of the track.



AMERICAN
KENNEL CLUB

CERTIFICATION

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under the American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

James P. Crowley, Secretary

ENTRY INFORMATION

ELIGIBILITY: All AKC-registered dogs, including Canine Partners, that have earned a TD or TDU title are eligible to enter this test. In addition, all AKC-registered dogs not less than 6 months of age that have passed a certification track by an authorized AKC tracking judge may enter the TD test provided that an original certification dated within the last 12 months is included with the entry and fee. Dogs may enter this test after having already earned the title for the entered test, but priority in drawing for participants will be given to dogs not yet having earned that title.

EXCHANGING TRACKS: If the limit for entries is not reached in one test and the limit for entries is exceeded in the other test, the number of tracks may be exchanged, up to the day of plotting. The following substitution will be in effect: 2 TD's = 1 TDX (AKC Tracking Regulations, Chapter 1, Sections 17a and 19). There will be a maximum of 4 TDX tracks, with no alternate TDX track.

ENTRY FEE: The TD entry fee of \$60 or TDX entry fee of \$110 (includes \$0.50 AKC recording fee and \$3.00 event service fee) must be paid in U.S. funds, payable to DFWTC. DO NOT send entries by any service that requires a signature for delivery. No fax or phone entries allowed.

EMAIL NOTIFICATION of entry received will be sent to each entrant by the Test Secretary as soon as possible, as long as an email address is provided on the entry form.

CLOSING/DRAWING FOR TEST PARTICIPANTS: This test will close at **6:00 pm CST on Thursday, March 3, 2016**. The entry is limited to 4 TD dogs and 4 TDX dogs, with tracks exchanged as described above. In accordance with AKC Tracking Regulations, entries in this test will be accepted up to the official closing date and time, even though the advertised limit may have been reached. **Should the number of entries exceed the number of tracks available, a drawing to determine which entries will participate in the test will be held Thursday, March 3, 2016 at 6:30 p.m. CST at 8425 Whistling Duck, Fort Worth, Texas 76118.** This drawing will be conducted by the Test Secretary and shall be completely random among all entries received, except that the draw shall be conducted with dogs without the title for which they have entered until the available tracks have been filled. All remaining dogs will be drawn for positions on the alternates list with dogs without the title for which they have entered being drawn first. Alternates will be given the option to accept or decline being placed on the alternates list. Those who accept will be placed on the alternates list in the order in which they were drawn. Those who decline will have their entry fees returned.

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org

AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog.

Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other persons. **I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN ITS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.**

INSTRUCTIONS

- (Variety) if you are entering a dog of breed in which there are varieties for show purposes, please designate the particular variety you are entering, i.e., Cocker Spaniel (solid color black, ASCOB, parti-color), Beagles (not exceeding 13 in., over 13 in. but not exceeding 15 in.), Dachshunds (longhaired, smooth, wirehaired), Collies (rough, smooth), Bull Terriers (colored, white), Manchester Terriers (standard, toy), Chihuahuas (smooth coat, long coat), English Toy Spaniels (King Charles and Ruby, Blenheim and Prince Charles), Poodles (toy, miniature, standard).
- The following categories of dogs may be entered and shown in Best of Breed competition: Dogs that are Champions of Record and dogs which, according to their owners' records, have completed the requirements for a championship, but whose championships are unconfirmed. The showing of unconfirmed Champions in Best of Breed competition is limited to a period of 90 days from the date of the show where the dog completed the requirements for a championship.
- (Event Class) Consult the classification in this premium list. If the event class in which you are entering your dog is divided, then, in addition to designating the class, specify the particular division of the class in which you are entering your dog, i.e. age division, color division, weight division.
- A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for an event closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner it must be entered in the name of its new owner in any event for which entries closed after the date of acquisition, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his/her name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to the AKC. (For complete rules, refer to Chapter 11, Section 3.)
- Mixed Breed dogs entering classes for Agility, Obedience, and Rally trials should mark Breed as "All-American Dog/Mixed Breed." Sire and Dam information shall remain blank for mixed breed entrants.

If this entry is for Junior Showmanship, please give the following information:

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP _____ JR.'S DATE OF BIRTH _____

AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER _____

The above number MUST be included. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, this may be obtained from the American Kennel Club. Phone: (919) 233-9767.

By signing the entry form I (we) certify that the Junior Showman does not now, and will not at any time, act as an agent/handler for pay while continuing to compete in Junior Showmanship.

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

If Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

TEST INFORMATION

PRACTICING AT THE TEST SITES: No entered dogs should be on the test site within 3 days of the test. Only test officials and personnel may be at the test site the day prior to the event.

BITCHES IN SEASON MAY PARTICIPATE provided the Test Secretary is notified prior to the drawing of tracks (AKC Tracking Regulations, Chapter 2, Section 8).

DRAWING FOR TRACKING ORDER: The drawing for tracking order will be held at the Test Headquarters. The drawing for **TD** tracks will be at 8:00 a.m. and the drawing for **TDX** tracks at 10:30 a.m. on March 13, 2016. The assignment of dogs to the tracks is the responsibility of the judges.

REFRESHMENTS: Coffee and light pastries will be available on the morning of the test. A lunch is planned following the completion of the test. Water and ice tea will be available. Awards will be presented during the lunch.

EXHIBITORS AND THEIR DOGS MAY NOT BE ABLE TO DRIVE THEIR OWN VEHICLE TO THE START OF THEIR TRACK. This may apply to some TD and/or TDX tracks.

ENTRY FEES WILL BE REFUNDED FOR: (a) an alternate who does not run in the test, and (b) a dog drawn into the test that does not run, provided a properly entered alternate runs in its place. If a dog in the test withdraws, and an alternate accepts the available track, that alternate is thenceforth responsible for the entry fee, and the entry fee for the withdrawn dog will be refunded. Refunds will be mailed within seven (7) days following the test.

ENTRY FEES WILL NOT BE REFUNDED in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by a veterinarian or judge, or barred from participation by action of the Test Committee. No entry fee will be refunded if the test cannot be held or completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, extreme and/or dangerous weather conditions, and Act of God, public emergency, act of public enemy, strike and/or any other cause beyond the control of the Club or Test Secretary.

EXHIBITORS SHOULD FOLLOW THEIR VETERINARIANS' RECOMMENDATION to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

BY THEIR PRESENCE on the Tracking grounds, all exhibitors and spectators agree to abide by AKC Rules and Regulations and to follow the instructions of the Test Committee to the best of their ability. **DFW Tracking Club** will exercise all reasonable care for the safety of dogs, handlers, and spectators, but will **not** be responsible for any loss, damage, or injury to any dog or person on the test grounds. AKC Obedience Regulations: "The owner or agent entering a dog in an obedience trial (tracking test) does so at his own risk..." Only dogs that are entered in the test will be allowed in the Tracking area. Dogs will be required, at all times, to be on leash or in a crate or vehicle.

EMERGENCY VETERINARIAN

(nights and weekends)

Denton County Animal E.R.
4145 South I-35E, Suite 101
Denton, TX 76210
(940) 271-1200

LODGING

The LBJ Grasslands are north of Decatur, Texas. Decatur is at the intersection of US 287 and US 380. The intersection is approximately 25 miles west of Denton on US 380 and 30 miles northwest of the US 287 exit from I-35W.

Please check with the hotel concerning any restrictions or additional fees when you make your reservation.

La Quinta Inn & Suites Decatur

www.laquinta.com

(940) 627-9603
1405 South Hwy 287
Decatur, TX 76234

Baymont Inn and Suites Decatur

www.baymontinns.com

(940) 627-3338
600 W Hale Avenue
Decatur, TX 76234

Econo Lodge

www.choicehotels.com

(877) 424-6423
1709 South Highway 287
Decatur, TX 76234

Days Inn Decatur

www.daysinn.com

(877) 577-5760
1900 S. Trinity Street
Decatur, TX 76234



DFW Tracking Club, Inc.
Combined TD/TDX Tracking Test
(Events # 2016652002 & 2016652003)

Sunday, March 13, 2016
Entry Fees: TD \$60 TDX \$110
Entries Close Thursday, March 3, 2016 at 6:00 pm (CST)

Mail entry with fee payable to DFWTC to:
Charlene Dunn, Test Secretary
8425 Whistling Duck Dr. Fort Worth, TX 76118

I ENCLOSE \$ _____ for entry fees

IMPORTANT-Read Carefully Instructions on Reverse Side Before Filling Out. Numbers in the boxes indicate sections of the instructions relevant to the information needed in that box (PLEASE PRINT)

BREED ⁵		VARIETY ¹		SEX
DOG SHOW CLASS ^{2,3}		CLASS ³ DIVISION Weight, color, etc.		
ADDITIONAL CLASSES	OBEEDIENCE CLASS (Jump Height)	RALLY CLASS (Jump Height)	JR. SHOWMANSHIP CLASS	
NAME OF (See Back) JUNIOR HANDLER (if any)				JR. HANDLER NUMBER
FULL NAME OF DOG				
Enter number here			DATE OF BIRTH	
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC® NO. <input type="checkbox"/> PAL/ILP NO. <input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG NO. & COUNTRY			PLACE OF BIRTH (list country) <small>Do not print the above in catalog.</small>	
BREEDER				
SIRE				
DAM				
ACTUAL OWNER(S) ⁴ _____ <small>(Please Print)</small>				
OWNER'S ADDRESS _____				
CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____				

NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT
(IF ANY) AT THE SHOW _____

I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on the reverse side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

■ SIGNATURE of owner or his/her agent
duly authorized to make this entry _____

TELEPHONE # _____

Are you a new exhibitor? Yes No

E-MAIL Address (An acknowledgement or receipt of entry may be sent to this e-mail address): _____