Official Premium List Newfoundland Dog Club Of Canada Limited Entry – Newfoundlands Only

Water Test September 27, 2015



Entries Close Sept. 11, 2015 6:00 P.M. PDT

Entries will close automatically when the maximum number of entries is reached, even if the official closing date for entries has not arrived. A LIST OF ALTERNATIVES WILL BE MAINTAINED.

To Be Held at:

Herald Provincial Park, 4861 Sunnybrae Canoe Point Road Tappen, BC V0E 2X1

WRD & WRDX

CKC Sanctioned (Event #151853)

Permission has been granted for the holding of this test by the Newfoundland Dog Club of Canada and the Canadian Kennel Club.

JUDGES for WRD and WRDX:

Margaret Chandler 14302 Greencrest Drive, Surrey, BC V4P 1M1

Jo Nussle 4453 185th E, Lake Tapps, WA USA 98391-9112

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Shadow Judge

Amber Ringer 2563 Valleyview Drive, Kamloops, BC V2C 4E6

A judge officiating at a Water Rescue Dog test held under these rules shall not be subjected to any indignities of any kind during the progress of the test. It shall be the duty and obligation of the club holding the test to see that this rule is effectively carried out.

NDCC OFFICERS OF THE CLUB

President – Lynda McFadden 2nd Vice-President – Doug Savory Treasurer – Kim Haynes 1st Vice-President – Angie DeBruyn Secretary – Michelle Francis-Turcott Membership Secretary – Margo Brown

WATER TEST CHAIRPERSON

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COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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or Campsites are available at Herald Provincial Park

General Information and Test Rules

To earn a Water Rescue Dog title or Water Rescue Dog Excellent title at these tests, the entrant will be required to successfully pass all the exercises as written in the NDCC Water Test Rules, under all three judges. During the test, the decision of the judges shall be final in all matters affecting the working of dogs and handlers and in evaluation of their performance

EVENT REGISTRATION NUMBER

Every foreign born and owned dog that is entered in a Canadian Kennel Club event must obtain an Event Registration Number (ERN) within 30 days of that event. An Event Registration Number Application must be completed and submitted along with a copy of registration documents from a CKC recognized foreign kennel club and the required fee.

Download the Event Registration Number Application from the online forms section under CKC Services or contact the CKC Order Desk at 1-800-250-8040.

PERFORMANCE EVENT NUMBER

A Performance Event Number (PEN) allows an unregisterable dog of a CKC recognized or listed breed to participate in competitive events that are appropriate for the breed. In order for a dog to be eligible to receive a PEN, all of the following criteria must be met:

- 1) The dog must be of a CKC recognized or listed breed.
- 2) The dog, for one reason or another, must not be eligible for CKC registration.
- 3) The dog must be spayed or neutered.
- 4) The dog must be properly identified with a CKC approved microchip (this requirement is not necessary for ILP dogs).
- 5) In the case of a foreign born dog residing in the USA, in addi-tion to the above, the dog must have been issued an AKC PAL number.

Download the Performance Event Number Application from the online forms section under CKC Forms, Exhibitor.

Eligibility: This test is open to all registered Newfoundland six months of age or older on the day of the test. Water Rescue Dog Excellent entries must have previously earned a WRD title in order to enter the WRDX class. Re-qualifications are accepted pending 'space available'. Re-qualifications shall be judged last in the level they enter. Bitches in Season will be able to compete, please notify test secretary on the day of the event. The bitch must be kept away from the test area and will compete after all other dogs have finished.

Confirmation of Entry: All entrants will be notified of their placement by email, mail or telephone. Entries will be accepted on a first come, first served basis.

Closing Date: The closing date for entries is September 11, 2015 at 6:00 pm (Pacific Daylight Time), or when the limit has been reached even if the official closing date for entries has not arrived. If the limit is reached prior to the closing date, a list of alternates will be kept to fill any vacancies created due to cancellations before the closing date.

ENTRIES LIMITED TO 20 Newfoundlands

Entry Fee: \$65 (Canadian) per dog (payable to the Newfoundland Dog Club of Canada) Mail entries to the Draft Test Secretary. PLEASE NOTE: <u>DO NOT</u> write "Canadian Funds" on US cheques as they are not accepted by Canadian Banks. Entry fees must be paid in Canadian funds. Entries must be complete, signed and submitted on the official CKC entry form. The test will accept entries on a first come, first serve basis. Please note: **No faxed entries please.**

Refunds: Entry fees will not be refunded after the closing date.

Test Regulations: All dogs entered in the Water Rescue Dog Test must go through the Basic Control Exercises, regardless of obedience titles held by entered dogs.

Equipment: Entrants must supply their own equipment. Be prepared for any weather. This event is entirely outdoors and there is no provision for cover in case of inclement weather. Government approved flotation devices and appropriate footwear must be worn by handlers during water testing.

A Medallion will be given to qualifying dogs.

Lunches: One lunch will be provided for each entrant or steward volunteer. Additional lunches are available for \$8.00 each, payable with the entry fee. Please mark your entry if you require additional lunches.

Payment: Make cheques payable to: NDCC

Mail to: Doug Savory, Test Secretary

11903 Allison Drive Ladysmith, BC V9G 1K7 **Veterinarian on call:** Shuswap Veterinary Clinic

1050 – 4th Ave. SW Salmon Arm, BC (250)832-6069

How to find us!!!

The Water Test will be held at Herald Provincial Park, 4861 Sunnybrae Canoe Point Road, Tappen, BC V0E 2X1. Directions will be provided with entry confirmation. Please note this road and park may not show up on GPS devices. The park is one turn off Trans Canada Hwy in Tappen, BC, approx. 15 minutes along Sunnybrae Canoe Point Road.

Herald Provincial Park has authorized our use of this park. Exhibitors must clean up after their dogs and exercise them only in designated areas. We appreciate your cooperation.

The Water Test Committee and park operators will exercise due care and diligence for the welfare of all the dogs entered but will not be responsible for, nor assume any liability in the event of an accident or other misfortune to any dog, exhibitor, either to themselves or their property.

Complete information regarding this test will be sent out with the entry acknowledgements. If you require specific information please contact the Test Secretary.

REFRESHMENTS: breakfast condiments, coffee, and tea will be available to all exhibitors, stewards and judges. Lunch will be provided for all participants.

ENTRANTS PLEASE NOTE: It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to be familiar with the rules pertaining to the level in which they are competing.

The NDCC Water Test Rules are available at: www.newfoundlanddogclub.ca/images/Water_Rules_2011.pdf