

North Okanagan Tracking & Obedience Club Official Premium List All-Breed Tracking Test

This test is held under the rules and regulations of the Canadian Kennel Club Mixed /unrecognized Breed entries are welcome, provided the dog has received a Canine Companion Number (CCN) from the Canadian Kennel Club (required at time of entry)

Date: Sunday, October 20, 2024
Location: Fields near Armstrong, BC
Entries limited to: 6 TD and 3 TDX

Entries Close: 6 PM Friday, September 27th, 2024

Canadian Kennel Club: 200 Ronson Drive, Suite 400, Etobicoke, Ont. M9W 5Z9

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North Okanagan Tracking & Obedience Club Executive

President: Erin Moore Secretary: Sherry Correale
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Test Officials

Our Judge: Norma Schaffer nschaffer45@gmail.com
Test Chair: Karen Spalding dkspalding@gmail.com

Test Secretary (to whom all entries must be sent):

Sandra Neill <u>repechage@aim.com</u> 1799 Foxtail Drive, Kamloops, BC V1S 0B1

Test Committee: Sandra Neill, Karen Spalding, and members of the North Okanagan Tracking & Obedience Club

Local Veterinarian: Armstrong Veterinary Clinic **250 546-9506** 3125 Smith Rd., Armstrong

Entry Fees: TD \$85.00 TDX \$100.00 *TCN Fee \$10.50 (GST incl.)

*Temporary Competition Fee (Listing Fee): As established by the CKC a fee of \$10.50 must accompany the entry of a dog for which a CKC individual registration number or Event Registration Number (ERN) is not shown on the entry form. See CKC.ca for details and application form "Forms online".

Exhibitors please note: It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to be familiar with the rules pertaining to the event – "Tracking Test Rules & Regulations" effective January 1, 2023.

Entries

- Entries close: 6 PM Friday, September 27, 2024, Pacific Daylight Time
- This test is limited entry
- Entries will be accepted by mail, courier or email
- Entries must not require a signature, email read receipt or similar, for delivery
- Email entries must be scanned and sent as a PDF or JPEG attachment to repechage@aim.com
- Receipt of entries will be acknowledged by e-mail. Please contact the Test Secretary if an acknowledgement is not received in a reasonable time after mailing your entry.
- Owners are responsible for errors in their entry forms regardless of who completes the form. Incomplete or improper entry forms will not be accepted
- Please list all CKC tracking titles

Payments

- E-transfer payments can be sent to <u>notoctreasurer@gmail.com</u> (Please ensure you use the correct address. Transfers sent to the wrong account will not be accepted. E-transfers will be auto-deposited. If your bank requires a password, use <u>notoctracking.</u>)
- Make **cheques/money orders** payable to <u>North Okanagan Tracking & Obedience</u> <u>Club</u> or <u>NOTOC</u>. Payment must accompany all mail entries. No post-dated cheques will be accepted.
- Payment must accompany each entry. Failure to submit payment will result in your entry being discarded
- U.S. entrants may pay by money order payable in Canadian funds or personal cheque in U.S. funds for the full amount of the fees.
- There will be a \$50.00 service charge on all NSF cheques received. Tendering an NSF cheque will be considered non-payment of entry fees and is an offense punishable by disciplinary action and cancellation of awards by the CKC.
- NOTOC reserves the right to refuse entry to any dog deemed unsound by the test committee.

Refunds: When an entered dog is withdrawn after the closing date, refunds will only be permitted when the vacancy is accepted by an "alternate". Entry fees will be returned within 10 days of the test to alternates who did not participate in the test. Out of consideration for other entrants, if you are unable to participate in the test, please notify the test secretary as soon as possible.

Prizes: Ribbons will be awarded to successful competitors.

Entry Draw

- A random draw of all entries received by the closing date and time will take place to determine placement in the test or on the alternate list.
- The draw will be at <u>3:00 PM Sunday, September 29, 2024</u> at Exhibition Park Tennis Courts Parking lot, 1055 River St, Kamloops, BC V2C 1Y7.
- Exhibitors will be notified within 48 hours of draw completion.
- The entry draw will follow the procedure as outlined per rules 2.2.4 and 6.6.2
- NOTOC will use the following procedures for the entry draw:
 - ⇒ NOTOC Worker (as defined by NOTOC for 1 TD track)
 - ⇒ Purebred dogs without a title
 - ⇒ Purebred dogs with a title
 - ⇒ Mixed breed and unrecognized breeds without a title
 - ⇒ Mixed breed and unrecognized breeds with a title
- Bitches in season may compete but will run last. Please inform the Secretary immediately upon arrival at the meeting place, or earlier, if possible.

Meeting Place & Draw for Tracks

Sunday, October 20th

9:00 AM Draw order for tracks

- Rendezvous at the A&W at 3130 Smith Drive in Armstrong, BC
- Coming from the north or south, turn off Highway 97B at the traffic light. Go 1 block and turn left at the 3-way stop. The A&W is visible from the highway.
- Any primary entrant who is not present at this time will forfeit their position to the first alternate present.
- Competitors will convoy to the location of the test and the first track will be run as soon as it is sufficiently aged.

No-Host Lunch & Awards

There will be a gathering after the test to de-brief tracks and hand out awards.
 Location TBA

General

- **Liability & Safety:** In attending this test, all competitors and guests acknowledge that they do so at their own risk and that of any dog. They also agree, upon submitting an entry form, that they will not hold liable the CKC, North Okanagan Tracking Club or its officials, the judge or the landowner(s) for any loss, damage or injury, however arising, to themselves, their dog(s) or any other chattels.
- All reasonable care will be taken for the safety of dogs, handlers and spectators. Please use caution alongside roads and be aware of farm equipment.
- Rule 14.7 "It shall be the duty of the test-giving club to see that a judge, club
 official, volunteer or any participant at an event held under these rules, is not
 subject to indignities of any kind. The Tracking Test Chair shall promptly report to
 the CKC any infringement of this regulation, and the Discipline committee shall
 have the authority to take such action as it deems fit on receipt of a report
 indicating that this has occurred."
- Exhibitors may not train on the tracking fields within 14 days of the test. Please contact the Test Secretary if you have questions regarding areas you may train.
- All dogs must be kept on leash and under control at all times if not securely confined. Please do not leave dogs unattended. Please pick up after your dogs.
 Only dogs entered in the test will be allowed on the test grounds.
- Accommodations: Armstrong Inn has a limited number of rooms that can accommodate dogs. Tel. 250-546-3056 or toll free 877-546-3056. If staying in Salmon Arm or Vernon allow at least 30 minutes driving time to the A&W meeting place.

Non-Member participation fee: A participation fee will be charged to a resident of Canada who is a non-member of the CKC. The non-member participation fee is paid in any year a title is earned and covers all titles and dogs owned by that individual. In order for the title to be awarded, the non-member will have a choice to either become a CKC member or pay the non-member participation fee. Failure to comply within 30 days of notification will result in the title being withheld and the dog cannot be moved up to the next level. This applies only to dogs wholly owned by non-member residents of Canada and is not applicable to CKC members.