

OFFICIAL PREMIUM LIST DARTMOUTH KENNEL CLUB 190<sup>th</sup> & 191<sup>st</sup> OBEDIENCE TRIALS 31<sup>st</sup> & 32<sup>nd</sup> RALLY OBEDIENCE TRIALS

These events are held under the rules of the Canadian Kennel Club INDOORS AT Ace It Canine Academy, 35 Builders Drive, Harrietsfield, NS

Two Rally Trials on SATURDAY, March 1st, 2025 Two Obedience Trials on SUNDAY, March 2nd, 2025 All Trials are subject to CKC Regulations, NS Health Regulations and are Limited Trials.

#### EVENT SECRETARY

Mary Jane Sears **6 Boutiliers Grove** Dartmouth, NS B2X 2W1 (902) 430-8888 maryjane.sears@gmail.com

#### ENTRIES CLOSE 6:00 pm AST Wed, February 19, 2025

Entries Limited to allowable time for one judge/day **MOVE UPS ALLOWED** "Day of" Entries for 2nd trial each day, if limit has not been reached

#### DARTMOUTH KENNEL CLUB EXECUTIVE

President Vice President Directors

**Cheryl Sinnott** Lendra Barker Carol Carroll / Mary Spinelli

Secretary Treasurer Past President

Denise Clerk Steve Sinnott Lendra Barker

#### TRIAL COMMITTEE

Trial Chair	Carol Carroll	Event Secretary	Mary Jane Sears
Ribbons	Erin Leblanc		6 Boutiliers Grove
Treasurer	Cheryl Sinnott	I	Dartmouth, NS B2X 2W1
Chief Steward	Carol Carroll		(902) 430-8888

The precincts of this trial are the building and its entrances. CKC Rules and Regulations will be followed strictly.

#### JUDGING ASSIGNMENT

OBEDIENCE AND RALLY OBEDIENCE All Trials - All Classes, Official & Unofficial Leslie Marshall - ON marwynminis@rogers.com

**CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB** Jeff Cornett. Executive Director

5397 Eglinton Ave W, Suite 101, Etobicoke, Ont. M9C 5K6

CKC Obedience Rep. (NS) Christine Graham wyndenfog@gmail.com

**CKC Zone 1 Director** Janice Kivimaki zone1director@ckc.ca

**CKC Junior Handler Rep. (NS) Kyle Manuel** kvle.manuel@live.ca

### JUNIOR OBEDIENCE HANDLING

We are pleased to announce that the Junior **Obedience Handling Zone 1 Provincial Finals** will be held at these trials on Sunday, March 2nd, 2025. The time will be determined at a later date





A service charge of 10% will be assessed. This includes entries sent online or post using a credit card or interac for payment.

#### ENTRY FEES (INCLUDING HST)

Entry per Dog/Trial - Official Class	\$28.00	A discounted rate of two
Entry per Dog/Trial - Unofficial Class	\$15.00	classes for \$50 will be
TCN Fee per Event	\$11.50	offered for MOTCh, OTCHX,
Exhibition Only per Dog/Trial	\$8.00	RAE & RMX entries
Catalogue	\$5.00	

Catalogues must be pre-ordered and picked up at the trials.

#### \* A service charge will be assessed by DogShow.ca for entries sent online, for any entry using a Credit Card or Interac for payment.

\* Attached Dartmouth Kennel Club entry forms must be used for mailed entries.

\* Personal cheque or Money order for the full amount only will be accepted via mail-in entry and should be made out to DARTMOUTH KENNEL CLUB.

 \* No post dated cheques accepted. All NSF cheques will be subject to a charge of \$25.00. N.S.F. cheques are considered non-payment of entry fees and are punishable by disciplinary action and cancellation of awards.
Overpayment of entries will be considered a donation to DKC Trials.

#### ENTRY INFORMATION

- \* All entries must be received by the closing date and time, accompanied by the proper entry fees and submitted on an official DKC entry form or on DogShow.ca online. Please type or print clearly and fill in all required info.
- \* Exhibitors must abide by errors made in entering their dogs regardless of how or by whom entries were made.
- \* To comply with CKC regulations, we will be unable to accept or substitute any entry reaching the Trial Secretary after the closing date and time. The Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry subject to CKC rules.

\* DKC accepts entries for mixed breed dogs that have a CNN (Canine Companion No.) issued by the CKC as well as CKC Registered Breeds.

#### **OBEDIENCE CLASSES - Official & Unofficial:**

Novice A & B, Open A & B, Utility A & B, Pre-Novice, Novice C, Novice Int Veteran, Brace, Wildcard (Novice, Open & Utility) SEPARATE ENTRIES ARE REQUIRED FOR EACH CLASS ENTERED Please designate jump height on entry forms when applicable.

#### **EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE:**

A bitch in season may not compete. Entry fees will be refunded only if Veterinarian's Certificate to this effect is received by the Trial Secretary before the commencement of the Trial.

#### **RALLY OBEDIENCE CLASSES - Official & Unofficial:**

Novice A & B, Intermediate, Advanced A & B, Excellent A & B, Master Brace (Novice, Advanced, Excellent), Team (Novice, Advanced, Excellent) **Please designate jump height on entry forms when applicable.** Rally Ring Size is 40x60. **MOVE UP:** 

The entry of a dog entered in an official obedience or rally obedience trial class in accordance with these rules may be changed to another official class within the same trial. The change must be on the appropriate form and submitted to the Trial Secretary by the owner or handler at least thirty (30) minutes before the start of the trial.

Attention USA exhibitors: Please note that fees are due and payable in Canadian dollars. Due to consistently fluctuating currency rates, discounted cheques will not be accepted. Personal cheques will be accepted; however, they are to be payable in Canadian funds. If you send a cheque in US funds, it must be made out for the full amount of the entry and no exchange will be refunded to the exhibitor. Please do not mark cheques "Payable in Canadian Funds" or "At Par". They will not be cleared by the banks. To simplify the process, we urge that you purchase bank drafts or money orders payable in Canadian funds. Your understanding and cooperation are appreciated. Thank you

## \* INCOMPLETE ENTRIES WILL BE RETURNED FOR CORRECTION. Please note that full name and address of owners MUST be filled in and to whom ID's are to be returned.

#### NON-MEMBER PARTICIPATION FEES ARE IN EFFECT

An annual "Non-member" participation fee for Awards and Titles will be charged to a Canadian "non-member" of the Canadian Kennel Club. This fee will match the fee charged for Event Registration Number. In order to protect the Awards and Titles earned, the "non-member" will have a choice to (a) either become a CKC member; or (b) pay the "non-member" participation fee. Failure to comply within 30 days of notification will cause All Awards and Titles to be cancelled. Please Note: These fees only apply to dogs wholly owned by "Non-CKC" members and are not applicable to CKC members.

#### **TEMPORARY COMPETITION NUMBER (TCN) - Effective January 1, 2023**

Temporary Competition Number (TCN) must be obtained before submitting an entry for an event. The same TCN must be used for all event entries for a dog until the dog is permanently registered. Once a dog is permanently registered or has an ERN, the TCN will be replaced with the registration number or ERN. A TCN cannot be used for dogs that will require a Performance Event Number (PEN) or Canine Competition Number (CCN). Listed Breeds that do not yet have a Miscellaneous Class Number (MCN) number will be eligible to apply for a TCN.

There is no fee to obtain a TCN, however, exhibitors will still be required to pay TCN Fees (formerly called Listing Fees) when entering events using a TCN.

TCN Numbers may be obtained online via the CKC website where the number is issued instantly.

Exhibitors may also mail in a printed application or contact CKC Shows and Trials by phone for a number.

# Veterinary Clinic(902) 932-0838Maritime Veterinary Emergency and Specialty Centre39 Micmac BlvdDartmouth, NS B3A 4Y8

#### EVENT REGISTRATION NUMBER (ERN)

All dogs that are foreign-born and foreign-owned and enter Canada for the sole purpose of entering CKC Events will require an Events Registration Number (ERN) from the Canadian Kennel Club. Effective January 1, 2023, the policy has been changed to allow Listed Breeds registered with a different Canadian Registry to to also apply for an ERN. Canadian Born dogs that are registrable by a breed association in Canada recognized by Agricuture Canada may obtain an ERN. To obtain an ERN simply do the following:

Send a photocopy of the dog's Registration Certificate reflecting current ownership - with a written request for an ERN. Include full payment in the amount of \$62.40 plus tax. Accounts may be paid with a personal or business cheque, money order, Visa or MasterCard. For non-members please note that if paying by cheque, the cheque must be certified. Non-residents of Canada please note that discounted cheques or money orders will not be accepted due to fluctuating currency rates. Provide us with your full return address, faxed requests will be accepted. Please include your Visa/MasterCard number, expiry date, cardholder's name and signature. An ERN must be obtained within 30 days of obtaining points, awards or scores to avoid cancellation. If factors beyond your control prohibit this or present a problem, please send a written request for a 30-day extension. Please forward your request to: CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB, Shows and Trials Division 5397 Eglinton Ave W, Suite 101, Etobicoke, ON M9C 5K6 Ph: (416) 675-5511 Fax: (416) 675-6506 Toll Free - (855) 364-7252 NON-MEMBER PARTICIPATION FEES ARE IN EFFECT.

<u>Ribbons</u>	Ribbons will be provided for any qualifying scores in both			
	Obedience and Rally Obediend	ce		
<b>Rosettes</b>	Rosettes will be provided for each trial for the following			
	Obedience	Rally Obedience		
Highest Qualifying Score in Class		Highest Qualifying Score in Class		
Highest Qualifying Score in Trial				
A rosette will be offered for New Titles earned at these trials.				

Prizes will be \$50 cash for High in Trial and \$10 cash for High in Class for both Rally Obedience and Obedience (exception: Pre-Novice)

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

- \* The Dartmouth Kennel Club will use care and diligence for the safety and welfare of the dogs and exhibitors but will not be responsible in the event of an accident to dogs, exhibitors or spectators. The Dartmouth Kennel Club will not be responsible for any equipment left on the event premises.
- \* The building will be open an hour before judging commences.
- \* Only dogs ENTERED in the Trials will be allowed within the trial precincts.
- \* Judging will not be delayed to accommodate an exhibitor or handler who fails to have their dog in the ring when required.
- \* The Trial Committee will be in complete charge of these trials.
- \* No dogs will be allowed in the building overnight. Dogs found in an unsafe environment, distress or harm's way will be removed to safety by the appropriate authorities.
- \* "Puppy/Dog for sale" signs will not be permitted within the precincts of the event.
- \* It shall be the duty and obligation of the event-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. The Event Trial 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.
- \* It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to clean up after their dogs at all times and in all areas. Please make sure your area inside and outside is clean and all garbage is placed into the appropriate receptacle before you leave.
- \* Please note there will be no prong, spike collars, or non CKC Sanctioned collars allowed at this event
- \* Dogs should arrive in adequate time for their class (allowing for absentees).

\* EXHIBITORS ARE EXPECTED TO KNOW THE RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR OBEDIENCE AND RALLY TRIALS. RULE BOOKLETS FOR ALL EVENTS ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE CKC IN PRINT AND ONLINE AT CKC.CA

#### REFUND POLICY

Please see DogShow.ca for their service fee policy. If because of an act of God, riot or civil disobedience, extreme weather event, governmental orders, regulations or decree (other than Covid related), or other acts or circumstances beyond the control of the DKC, it is impossible to open or complete the Trials, no refund of entry fees will be made.