River Valley Obedience & Field Trial Club		
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**Entry fees**: \$90 TD; \$100 TDX (plus TCN fee of \$11.50 if the dog is not yet registered with CKC). See sections on "TCN" and "Refunds" for further information on fees.

Prizes: Passing dogs will receive a rosette and a bag of treats

**Closing date**: 6:00 pm, April 29, 2025. Entries must be delivered to the Test Secretary by the closing date. The Club cannot accept entries delivered after this date and time.

**Entries** may be mailed, sent by courier or delivered by hand to the address of the Test Secretary and must include payment. Please do NOT send cash. Cheques or money orders should be made out to RVO&FTC or River Valley Obedience Club. e-mailed entries are permitted but must be accompanied by an e-transfer made payable to: <u>RVO.payments@gmail.com</u> which will need to be verified by the Club Treasurer before the entry will be considered "received" (in the message section, please note "TD" or "TDX" entry AND the handler's name for reference). After the closing date, the Secretary will send out acceptance letters or emails, advising entrants of the status of their entry.

Entries must be made on an official CKC entry form. Owners are responsible for errors in making out entry forms, regardless of who completes the entry form. Incomplete or improper entry forms will not be accepted.

**Entry Draw**: Entry draw will take place at 547 Charters Sett Road, Charters Settlement, NB at 6:00 pm on May 1, 2025. Entries not drawn for a track shall be assigned a position on an "Alternate List," to be determined by random draw. The person making the entry shall be notified of their position on the Alternate list. At the time of the draw for tracks on test day, entries from the Alternate list may fill any absentee spaces.

**Draw for tracks** will take place at 8:30 am on May 19 at the Rendezvous site: the parking lot at Tim Hortons, 1713 Woodstock Road, Fredericton, NB, after which the participants and spectators will be escorted to the test site.

**Official Premium List** 

## Tracking Tests: TD and TDX

Held in New Brunswick, Canada by

River Valley Obedience & Field Trial Club, Inc



Event number 2520228843

# Test date: Monday, May 19, 2025

Closing date for entries: 6 pm April 29, 2025

### **Judge: Jen Stairs**

### Jenstairs4@gmail.com

This test is held under the rules of the Canadian Kennel Club

Due to available land, entries are limited to

## 3 TD and 1 TDX

These tests are open to mixed breeds and unrecognized breeds as per section 2.2.4 of the CKC Rules.

Bitches in season are permitted, but must run last in their class and must be kept separate from other dogs at all times.

**Refunds** (rule 6.6.4): *Entries will be refunded within 10 days of the Tracking Test to those on the Alternate List who did not participate in the Test.* 

If an entrant pulls out of the test [withdraws in writing] and their position is filled by an alternate who accepts the position, then the alternate is now responsible for the entry fee paid to the club. The original participant will be refunded the entry fee in full. If an entrant or an alternate who accepts a position in the test pulls out after the closing date, and there are no additional alternates willing to accept the position, then the entry fee is forfeited to the club.

Entry fees will not be refunded if an entrant is Absent without having withdrawn their entry in writing to the Test Secretary; is disqualified, excused by the judge or barred from competition by action of the Test Committee.

**NSF Cheques** (rule 6.3.3): "Tendering of a dishonoured cheque or credit card in payment of entry fees shall be considered non-payment of entry fees, and is an offence punishable by disciplinary action and cancellation of awards."

### TCN / TEMPORARY COMPETITION NUMBER (formerly known as a Listing Fee)

4.1 (k): A Temporary Competition fee as established by the Canadian Kennel Club must accompany the entry of a dog for which a Canadian Kennel Club individual registration number or Event Registration Number (ERN) is not shown on the entry form.

A 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 Listed Breeds (MCN) or dogs that will require a Performance Event Number (PEN) or Canine Companion Number (CCN). There is no fee to obtain a TCN however exhibitors will still be required to pay TCN 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. If your dog does not have a registration number or ERN and has already competed in a CKC event and earned points, scores or awards, before applying for a TCN online, exhibitors are encouraged to check their dog's profiles to determine if the CKC has already created a TCN for that dog. There will be a tab called TCN Dogs in the owner's Portal account.

Canadian Residents, please note: The CKC has implemented an annual "non-member participation fee" for residents of Canada who are not members of the CKC. Check with the CKC for the current fee. The non-member participation fee is paid in any year a title is earned and covers all titles earned 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. *The fee applies only to dogs wholly owned by non-member residents of Canada* and is not applicable to CKC members. [NOTE: for 2025 the non-member fee is \$170.00 and CKC "basic membership" fee is \$54.00]

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CKC Tracking Rules (14.7): It shall be the duty and obligation 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 Committee 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. A copy of this regulation shall be prominently placed in every premium list and catalogue.

RVO&FTC will use all reasonable care to ensure the safety of dogs and persons at the test. However, neither RVO&FTC nor any individual will accept the responsibility for loss or injury, however caused, to any dog, person or property.

### 12-hour Urgent Veterinary Care:

Fredericton Veterinary Walk-In & Urgent Care: 1130 Smythe Street, Fredericton, NB (506) 777-1235 (open noon to midnight)

### 24-hour Emergency Veterinary Care:

Port City Emergency Veterinary Hospital: 212 McAllister Drive, Unit 130A Saint John, NB (506) 658-8387

Riverview Animal Health Centre: 550 Pine Glen Road, Riverview, NB (506) 387-4015