



Official Premium List

FIELD ALL-BREED TRACKING TEST

This test is held under the Rules & 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: Saturday, October 28th, 2023

LOCATION: COMOX VALLEY AREA

**ENTRIES WILL BE LIMITED TO: -
12 TD Tracks**

If test levels do not fill, tracks may be filled with TDX's based on CKC tracking rule 6.2.2, subject to club and site resources

Entries close: October 13th, 2023, at 5:00pm

Note: Entries received after this date will not be accepted.

OUR JUDGE:

Field Test on Saturday: Steve Shepherdson sshepherdson@icloud.com

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FORBIDDEN PLATEAU OBEDIENCE & TRACKING CLUB EXECUTIVE

President:	Penny Jackson	Secretary:	Heather Kerr
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TRACKING TEST OFFICIALS

Test Superintendent	Kathy Miner	kathyminer@me.com
Test Secretary	Marni Stanger	marni.stanger@gmail.com

Mail entries to: - 6330 Headquarters Rd, Courtenay B.C. V9J 1M9

VETERINARIAN: Van Isle Veterinary Hospital, Courtenay 250-334-8400
Central Island Emergency Vet Hospital, Nanaimo 250-933-0913

Entry Fees

TD test \$85.00 **TDX** test \$100.00

A Temporary Competition fee (**\$10.50**) and Temporary Competition number (TCN) is also required 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. See CKC.ca for details and application form

EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE: It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to be familiar with the rules pertaining to the event in which they are competing. New Tracking Test Rules & Regulations came into effect and were published January 1, 2020.

Rules and Regulations of the FPOTC

US Exhibitors, please check the government of Canada website for travel restrictions in place that may preclude U.S. entrants from participating in these tests. U.S. entrants may pay fees by money order payable in Canadian funds OR by personal cheque in U.S. funds for the full amount of the fees. Do not mark cheques “payable in Canadian funds” or “at par”. These will not be accepted. Make all money orders payable to Forbidden Plateau Obedience and Tracking club.

Entry

- This test is limited entry.
- Entries will be accepted by mail, hand delivery or email.
- Entrants will be notified by email or phone when their entry and payment has been received by the test secretary. If you have not heard from test secretary within 48 hours of an electronic submission, or a reasonable amount of time for mail submission it is the responsibility of the entrant to contact the test secretary to confirm their entry has been received.
- 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.
- All email entries must be scanned and sent as an attachment.
- Entries must be emailed to the test secretary marni.stanger@gmail.com
- Please list all CKC tracking titles.

Payments

- Please make all cheques payable to Forbidden Plateau Obedience & Tracking Club. Fees must accompany all mail entries. No post-dated cheques will be accepted.
- Failure to submit payment will result in your entry being discarded.
- E-transfers may be sent to FPOTCPAYMENT@GMAIL.COM (Please ensure you are using the correct address. Transfers sent to the wrong account will not be accepted.) E-transfers will be auto-deposited no password is necessary.
- **PAYMENTS MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRY FORM.** Proof of e-transfer is required for entry to be accepted. Entrants will be given a 24hr grace period to correct such issues before having to resend a new entry.
- Entry fees will be returned within 10 days of the day of the test by the same means as originally paid to alternates who did not participate in the test.

Draw for Entry

- A random drawing of all entries received by the closing date and time will take place to determine placement in the test or on to an alternate list. The drawing will be at 7:00pm on Friday October 20th, 2023, at the test secretary's residence. 6330 Headquarters Rd Courtenay BC. Exhibitors will be notified within 48 hours of draw completion.
- Club worker draw (per CKC 6.6.2) will be utilized if eligible entries are received from club workers as defined by the FPOTC tracking committee.
- FPO&TC will use the following procedures for the draw:
 - o FPOTC Worker
 - o Purebred dogs without a title
 - o Purebred dogs with a title
 - o Mixed breed and unrecognized breeds without a title
 - o Mixed breeds and unrecognized breeds with a title
- If an entered dog is withdrawn after the closing date, a refund will only be given if the vacancy is accepted by an alternate. Alternates will be contacted in catalogue order and may accept or decline. Remaining alternates as of test day are encouraged to attend the draw in case there is a withdrawal or no-show of a confirmed entrant.
- Cheques for entries not drawn will not be cashed and will be returned or destroyed at exhibitor's option.
- E-transfers will be refunded by E-transfer.
- The club cannot accept entries delivered after closing date and time. Any entries received after the closing date will be

discarded.

- Bitches in season will be permitted to compete but will be assigned the last track. Please advise test secretary immediately upon arrival at the meeting place. Or earlier if possible.

Meeting place and draw

- Rendezvous will be held at Tim Hortons, 394 Lerwick Rd. Weather permitting the draw will be held outside in the Home Depot parking lot out front of Tim Hortons.

Saturday October 28th: 8:15 a.m. subject to change Draw order for Field tracks

- Any primary entrant(s) who is absent at this time will forfeit their position to the first Alternate present. Please be sure to arrive on time for your draw.

Please indicate on the entry form if a pass at this level will give the dog its Tracking Champion Titles or its Master Tracking Champion Title.

Awards and gathering:

- A Ribbon and an Award will be given to all passing teams
- There will be a gathering held after the test to de-brief tracks and hand out awards. Location TBA

Refunds:

- When an entered dog is withdrawn after the closing date, refunds will only be permitted when the vacancy is accepted by an "Alternate". If a position becomes available, Alternates will be contacted in catalogue order and asked to either accept or decline the position. (i.e. if #1 declines #2 will be contacted, etc.).

General:

- **Rule 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.
- **Limitation of Liability:** In attending this test, competitors, spectators, and guests acknowledge 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, the FPOTC 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.
- Exhibitors may not train on the tracking fields (this includes urban areas designated for an urban test) within 14 days of the test. Please contact the test secretary if you have questions regarding areas you may train.
- Regarding communicable diseases, please see rule 6.8 in the current CKC Tracking Test Rules and Regulations.
- 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.
- **RESPECTING FARMERS PROPERTY IS OF THE UTMOST IMPORTANCE, AND ANY ABUSE OF THE LAND OR NON-COMPLIANCE WITH THE RULES OF FPOTC REGARDING THE LAND WILL RESULT IN THE COMPETITOR BEING REMOVED FROM THE TEST AND TEST GROUNDS.**

COVID-19: FPOTC tracking events will be compliant with all relevant Federal, Provincial, Regional, and other COVID-19 protocols. The club reserves the right to set Covid-19 protocols above those of any public health orders at their discretion to ensure the safety of all volunteers and entrants. All entrants and other participants will be notified of all COVID-19 protocols as necessary via email. If entrants choose not to comply with protocols as communicated by FPOTC they will not be able to participate and may forfeit their entry.

Effective January 1, 2011 Non-Member Participation Fee

- * A non-member participation fee will be charged to a resident of Canada who is a non-member of 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.
- * All Premium lists will carry a note stating the fee applies only to dogs wholly owned by non-member residents of Canada and is not applicable to CKC members.