

EVENT# 2020017403 & 2020017409

Entries close at 6pm EST Tuesday, February 18, 2020, at the Test Secretary's address, after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered or substituted.

This event is **accepting entries for All-American Dogs enrolled in the AKC Canine Partners Program.**

RICHMOND DOG OBEDIENCE CLUB, INC.

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TRACKING DOG TEST

Sunday, March 1, 2020

**Agriculture fields off Blanton Road and Teman Road
Hanover County, Virginia**

Test Hours: 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Judges

Judith Edwards (6790)

Beaverdam, Virginia

Jeff Telander (32790)

Elon, NC

TD TEST LIMITED TO 2 DOGS

TDX TEST LIMITED TO 1 DOG

1 TD & 1 TDX ALTERNATE TRACK WILL BE PLOTTED

**DRAWING FOR TRACKS FOR BOTH TESTS WILL BE AT 8 A.M. AT THE TEST HEADQUARTERS
WITH THE FIRST TRACK TO FOLLOW IMMEDIATELY THEREAFTER**

Test Headquarters

Beaverdam Ruritan Club

18002 Teman Rd, Beaverdam, VA 23015

American Kennel Club Certification

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under the American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

James P. Crowley, Secretary



OFFICERS OF THE RICHMOND DOG OBEDIENCE CLUB, INC.

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Tracking Test Secretary.... Kara Kolster, 2705 Maurice Walk Ct, Glen Allen, VA 23060
804-517-6002 karakolster@gmail.com

Tracking Test Committee....B. Swenson, K. Kolster, K. Bolster, C. Maupin, S. Nepomuceno, M. Wilson

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

Entries will be accepted beginning January 1, 2020.

Entries close at noon Tuesday, February 18, 2020 at the Test Secretary's address, after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled, altered or substituted. Entries must be made on official AKC entry forms including the agreement on the reverse. Entries must be signed. **Faxed or emailed entries will NOT be accepted. Please waive all signatures if using a courier.**

A written certification by an AKC tracking judge must accompany the entry for any dog that has not previously passed an American Kennel Club tracking test.

Entries are limited to two (2) TD dog/handler teams and one (1) TDX dog/handler team. One alternate TD & one alternate TDX track will be plotted and used as additional test tracks, if not needed as alternate tracks. This is a combined TD/TDX test. If the limit for entries is not reached in one test and the limit for entries is exceeded in the other test, the number of tracks may be exchanged (2 TD = 1 TDX), up to the day of plotting. Bitches in season will be allowed to participate. The test secretary must be notified of bitches in season at least 48 hours prior to the test.

Entry fee: TD \$75, TDX \$125. Please make checks (in US funds) payable to RDOC. Mail an entry form along with fees and written certificate to Kara Kolster, 2705 Maurice Walk Ct, Glen Allen, VA 23060.

The drawing of entries, as required by Chapter 1, Section 12 of the AKC Tracking Regulations, will be held on Tuesday, February 18, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. at the test secretary's home, 2705 Maurice Walk Ct, Glen Allen, VA 23060. The drawing will be at random from among all entries except that preference for TD entries will be given to dogs which have not earned the TD title. When the advertised limit of entries has been drawn, all remaining entries will be drawn for a position on the alternate list corresponding to the order in which they were drawn. The Test Secretary will notify all entrants of the results of the draw by telephone or email. The drawing is open to the public. If you are interested in being present for the draw, please contact the test secretary for directions.

In the event that an accepted entry withdraws after the closing date allowing an alternate to participate in the test, the entry fee will be refunded. In the event an accepted entry withdraws after the closing date and there is not an alternate to replace that entry, the entry fee WILL NOT be refunded. Entry fees will not be refunded if a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by a judge or barred from competition by action of the Test Committee. If because of riots, civil disturbances or other acts beyond the control of the management it is impossible to open or to complete the tracking test, no refund of entry fee will be made. Extreme weather conditions, such as, but not limited to snow storms, hurricanes, lightning, extreme heat, must be considered for the health and safety of the dogs, exhibitors, and spectators and, in the event it is necessary to cancel or stop the tracking test before completion, no refund of entry fee will be made.

AWARDS

RDOC offers a map of the track mounted on a plaque to each dog passing this test. In addition, RDOC offers to each handler earning his/her first AKC Tracking Dog title, a Jefferson Cup. Handlers are asked to indicate on the entry form their eligibility for this award at the time of submitting the entry.

Veterinarian on call: Veterinary Referral and Critical Care
1598 Hockett Road, Manakin-Sabot VA
804-784-8722

Hotel.....La Quinta Inn & Suites Doswell - Kings Dominion (804) 876-6900
16280 International Street, Doswell, VA 23047
(10 miles from site –close to I-95)

Please contact La Quinta or other area hotels directly for their pet policy.