

Event #2017166416 – Tracking Dog
Event #2017166417- Tracking Dog Excellent
Event #2017166418- Variable Surface Tracking

BITCHES IN SEASON MAY PARTICIPATE. The owner of a bitch in season MUST notify the Test Secretary prior to drawing for tracks. Such bitch(es) will run only after all other dogs have run in the test the bitch is entered in and must be kept away from the immediate vicinity of the test prior to running.

USE THE OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB ENTRY FORM and write "Tracking", "Tracking Excellent" or "Variable Surface" in the "Obedience Trial Class" space. Telegraphed, telephoned, unsigned, conditional or incomplete entries cannot be accepted. Entries not on an official AKC entry form and photocopies of forms without the Agreement and Rules on the reverse side of the official AKC entry form are not acceptable.

RISK: The owner or agent entering a dog in a Tracking Test does so at his/her own risk and agrees to abide by all of the Rules and Regulations of the American Kennel Club. The ESSFTA assumes no responsibility for any personal injury or death of any person, theft of personal property, theft, injury, or death of any animal or loss of or damage to any property while at this test or on the test site, or in transit to or from the site.

IMPORTANT NOTICES REGARDING USE OF THE TEST SITE: Permission to use Purina Farms properties are for this Tracking Test only. Exhibitors wanting to practice at the site must secure their own permission from Purina Farms. Practicing at the site within 3 days of the test is prohibited.

NOTICE: No videotaping of this event will be allowed except with prior permission of the Test Secretary and judges.

TRACKING TEST AWARDS

Each dog/handler team that passes the Tracking Dog, Tracking Dog Excellent, or Variable Surface Tracking Test will receive a Pewter Trophy offered by ESSFTA and a *Purina Pro Plan six pack cooler offered by Purina*



ENTRIES CLOSE: WEDNESDAY, June 21, 2017, 5 p.m. DRAW FOR ENTRIES will be held WEDNESDAY, June 21, 2017, at 7:00 p.m. at Blue Springs 'N Katydid Dog Training Center at 2980 W. Oxford Ave, Sheridan, Co. Any interested parties may attend.

Entry Limits: 3 TD, 1 TDX, 1 VST

PREMIUM LIST



English Springer Spaniel Field Trial Association
(Member of the American Kennel Club)

Combined Tracking Dog, Tracking Dog Excellent and
Variable Surface Tracking Tests

Wednesday, July 12, 2017

Purina Farms

200 Checkerboard Dr, Gray Summit, Mo

TD/TDX/VST Drawing 5:45 a.m. TD Judging 6:00 a.m. or when
tracks are ready

TDX and VST judging will follow TD

TEST SECRETARY Lynn Kaemmerer
1 Glenridge Dr, Littleton, CO 80123-6503

720-937-9246

badblackcorgi@gmail.com



AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION
 Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding
 of this event under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.
 James P. Crowley, Secretary

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Mr. David J. Freddy (TD)

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VETERINARIAN ON CALL

St. Louis Animal Emergency Clinic, 9937 Big Bend Road, St.
 Louis, MO 63122 **314-822-7600**, Directions and maps will be
 available at the test site.

IMPORTANT NOTES TO EXHIBITORS

ELIGIBILITY: Any dog that has not passed an AKC TD or TDU Tracking Test must submit, with the entry, a Certification performed in accordance with Chap 3, Sect 2 of the AKC Tracking Regulations. Dogs entering the Tracking Excellent or Variable Surface tests must hold an AKC TD or TDU title.

TEST LIMIT & RANDOM DRAW: Entries will remain open until 5:00 p.m., WEDNESDAY, June 21, 2017. If entries received exceed the test limit (3 TD, 1 TDX, 1 VST), a public drawing will be held Wednesday, June 21 at 7 p.m. at Blue Springs 'N Katydid Dog Training Center at 2980 W. Oxford Ave, Sheridan, Co. Any interested parties may attend. The test secretary will attempt to contact all entrants them by phone or email, and advise of the outcome of the draw within 48 hours. Notification of the results of the draw will be mailed to all entrants as soon as practicable.

This Combined TD/TDX/VST Tracking Test is being held in conjunction with the English Springer Spaniel Field Trial Association National Specialty. The provisions of Section 13 a and 13 b, Chapter 1 of the AKC Tracking Regulations will be invoked. The test will be open to all breeds under the following conditions: Preference in the draw will be given first to English Springer Spaniels without a title, followed by English Springer Spaniels with a title, followed by other breeds without a title, followed by other breeds with a title. If the limit for entries is not reached in one test and the limits for the entries is exceeded in the other tests, the number of tracks will be exchanged to the maximum allowed by AKC Tracking Regulations and within the limits of the land available for the tracking tests. Tracks will be exchanged as needed and as possible to accommodate the entries of English Springer Spaniels, before entries from other breeds will be accepted.

ENTRY FEE: \$75.00 – TD; \$125.00 TDX; \$125 VST. (This includes the 50 cent AKC recording fee and the \$3.00 AKC Event Service Fee.) Make checks payable to ESSFTA and send to Lynn Kaemmerer, 1 Glenridge Dr, Littleton, CO 80123-6503. Entries sent by **OVERNIGHT DELIVERY** must be marked “no signature required.” Entry fee checks for alternates who do not participate will be shredded by the secretary or treasurer.

ENTRY FEE WILL NOT BE REFUNDED in the event of errors or in the event that a dog is absent on the day of the test, disqualified, excused by judges or barred from competition by the test committee, unless an alternate exhibitor is present and willing to take the spot of the exhibitor. Any exhibitor who wishes to withdraw, for any reason, AFTER the closing date but BEFORE the running of the test may withdraw their entry and receive full refund of the entry fee PROVIDED that such withdrawal is made by phone, in writing, by e-mail (valid only if you receive a confirmation e-mail from the secretary) or in person to the Test Secretary PROVIDED that alternate exhibitors are available and willing to take the spot of the exhibitor withdrawing the entry. If, because of storms or other acts beyond the control of the test committee, it is impossible to open or complete this event, no refund of entry fees will be made.

ESSFTA does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC Entry forms for these events.

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 Combined Tracking Dog, Tracking Excellent and
 Variable Surface Tracking Test

Purina Farms
 200 Checkerboard Dr, Gray Summit, Mo
 Wednesday, July 12, 2017

Entry Fee: \$75 TD; \$125.00 TDX ; \$125.00 VST

Closing Date: June 21, 2017 at 5:00 PM

Mail entries to: Lynn Kaemmerer, 1 Glenridge Dr, Littleton, CO 80123-6503

I ENCLOSE \$ _____ for entry fees Make checks out to ESSFTA
 IMPORTANT. Read Careful~ Instructions on Reverse Side Before Filling Out. Numbers in the boxes indicate sections of the instructions relevant to
 the information needed in that box (PLEASE PRINT)

BREED ⁵		VARIETY ¹		SEX
DOG ^{2,3} SHOW CLASS		CLASS ³ DIVISION <small>Weight, color, etc</small>		
ADDITIONAL CLASSES	OBEDIENCE CLASS	RALLY CLASS <small>(Jump Height)</small>	JR. SHOWMANSHIP CLASS	
NAME OF (See Back) JUNIOR HANDLER (if any)			JR. HANDLER NUMBER	
FULL NAME OF DOG <input type="checkbox"/> AKC REG NO. <input type="checkbox"/> PAL/ILP NO. <input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG NO & COUNTRY		DATE OF BIRTH PLACE OF <input type="checkbox"/> USA <input type="checkbox"/> Canada <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign BIRTH (list country) Do not print the above in catalog		

BREEDER

SIRE

DAM

ACTUAL OWNER(S)⁴ _____

OWNER'S ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT
 (IF ANY) AT THE SHOW - _____

I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on the reverse side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent
 duly authorized to make this entry _____
 TELEPHONE # _____

Are you a new exhibitor? Yes No

E-MAIL Address (An acknowledgment or receipt of entry may be sent to this e-mail address):

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org

AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog. Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and

whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other persons. I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

INSTRUCTIONS

- (Variety) If you are entering a dog of breed in which there are varieties for show purposes, please designate the particular variety you are entering, i.e., Cocker Spaniel (solid color black, ASCOB, parti-color), Beagles (not exceeding 13 in., over 13 in. but not exceeding 15 in.), Dachshunds (longhaired, smooth, wirehaired), Collies (rough, smooth), Bull Terriers (colored, white), Manchester Terriers (standard, toy), Chihuahuas (smooth coat, long coat), English Toy Spaniels (King Charles and Ruby, Blenheim and Prince Charles), Poodles (toy, miniature, standard).
- The following categories of dogs may be entered and shown in Best of Breed competition: Dogs that are Champions of Record and dogs which, according to their owners' records, have completed the requirements for a championship, but whose championships are unconfirmed. The showing of unconfirmed Champions in Best of Breed competition is limited to a period of 90 days from the date of the show where the dog completed the requirements for a championship.
- (Event Class) Consult the classification in this premium list. If the event class in which you are entering your dog is divided, then, in addition to designating the class, specify the particular division of the class in which you are entering your dog, i.e., age division, color division, weight division.
- A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for an event closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner it must be entered in the name of its new owner in any event for which entries closed after the date of acquirement, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to the AKC. (For complete rules, refer to Chapter 11, Section 3.)
- Mixed Breed dogs entering classes for Agility, Obedience, and Rally trials should mark Breed as "All-American Dog/Mixed Breed." Sire and Dam information shall remain blank for mixed breed entrants.

If this entry is for Junior Showmanship, please give the following information:
 JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP _____ JR'S DATE OF BIRTH _____

AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER _____

The above number MUST be included. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, this may be obtained from the American Kennel Club. Phone: (919) 816-3776.

By signing the entry form I (we) certify that the Junior Showman does not now, and will not at any time, act as an agent/handler for pay while continuing to compete in Junior Showmanship.

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

If Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

TRACKING SITE

Purina Farms is a multipurpose dog event site. The ESSFTA National Specialty will also be in progress on the site. Other events may also be taking place. You should expect that there will be leashed dogs in and around the fields in which the tracks are being run. All of the tracking areas are frequented by the many dogs attending events at Purina, and are expected to be contaminated with dog and human scents.

The Site is heavily sloped. You can expect that tracks (even TDs) will be sloped. You can expect both cultivated grass and field grass on the tracks. The site is heavily wooded and hosts abundant wildlife.

DIRECTIONS TO TEST HEADQUARTERS

From Interstate 44: The off-ramp is Exit #253, Gray Summit. At the top of the off-ramp, turn east onto MO-100 (historic Route 66). Continue about 1500 feet to county road MM at the gas station. Turn left onto MM. The entrance to Purina Farms is approximately 1 mile on left.

From Eastbound on I-70: Take I-70 to Hwy 47, Exit 193. Turn right at the top of the off-ramp onto MO-47. Take MO-47 south (portions may be also be co-marked MO-94, so be sure to stay on MO-47) about 23 miles to MO-100. Turn left (east) on MO-100 and continue about 11 miles to I-44 east. Turn onto I-44 east. Take I-44 east one exit, then exit at Gray Summit, Exit 243. Then follow directions above.

Test Headquarters will be in the south entry of the Event Center.
(RV Side)

ACCOMMODATIONS

HOST Hotel for National:
Holiday Inn – Six Flags
4901 Six Flags Rd., Eureka
800-782-8108

Additional Hotels are listed on the ESSFTA National Website at
<http://www.essftanational.com/hotels.html>

RV Camping: Purina Event Center has RV accommodations with 74 FULL HOOKUP spaces available with water, electricity, and sewer. The cost is \$35 per night. Reservations can be made online thru the ESSFTA Nationals Website at
<http://www.essftanational.com/hotels.html>.

Notice to Exhibitors:

Exhibitors are responsible for keeping their dogs under control at all times & MUST clean up after their dogs at Purina Farms and hotels. Remember that dogs need to be on leash at all times.

Interface with ESSFTA National Specialty:

The 2017 ESSFTA National Specialty will be on going the day of the Tracking Test. Due to the expected heat in July, tracks will start running at 6:00 am and are expected to be completed before the Obedience Trial starts in the Event Center.