



Official Premium List

Newfoundland Dog Club Of Canada

Hosted by NDCC - BC Region

Limited entry – Newfoundland Dogs Only

Water Test

Saturday, September 16, 2023

**Water Rescue Dog Novice, Water Rescue Dog, Water
Rescue Dog Excellent, Event #2320222313**

Entries Close Sept. 1st, 2023 at 6:00 P.M. PDT

Entries will close automatically when the maximum number of entries is reached, even if the official closing date for entries has not arrived. A LIST OF ALTERNATIVES WILL BE MAINTAINED. If the maximum numbers of entries are not received by closing, we will accept Day of Test Entries. Dogs which successfully complete all the exercises in the Water Rescue Dog level may be post-entered in the Water Rescue Dog Excellent level at the same test, and will be tested at the conclusion of all WRDX pre-entered entrants. An additional entry fee will be charged. The club may limit the number of these post entries in the WRDX test.

**To Be Held at: Herald Provincial Park
4861 Sunnybrae Canoe Point Road
Tappen, BC V0E 2X1**

WRDN, WRD & WRDX

CKC Sanctioned

(Event #2320222313)

***Permission has been granted for the holding of this
test by the Newfoundland Dog Club of Canada and the
Canadian Kennel Club.***

JUDGES for WRDN, WRD and WRDX Trials:

**Denise Castonguay WRDN, WRD, WRDX
26611 Ferguson Ave. Maple Ridge, BC V2W 1R8**

**Laura Gallagher WRDN, WRD, WRDX
337 Fruitvale Road, Vacaville, CA, USA 95688**

**Pam Saunders WRDN, WRD, WRDX
26285 NW Union Road, Hillsboro OR 97124-8182**

A judge officiating at a Water Rescue Dog test held under these rules shall not be subjected to any indignities of any kind during the progress of the test. It shall be the duty and obligation of the club holding the test to see that this rule is effectively carried out.

NDCC OFFICERS OF THE CLUB

President – Cindy Williams-Ames Vice President – Dawn Fretts
Secretary – Brenda Vanstone Treasurer- Kim Haynes
Membership Secretary – Pauline Turnbull

NDCC-BC Region Officers

President – Doug Savory Vice President – Bryan Schindle
Secretary – Cindy Savory Treasurer – Grace Edwards

WATER TEST CHAIRPERSON

Heather Rowland
3950 Yellowpoint Road, Ladysmith, BC V9G 1E9
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TEST SECRETARY

Grace Edwards email: edwards133@hotmail.com
5399 Sunnybrae Canoe Pt. Rd., Tappen, BC, V0E 2X1
(250)835-4776

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Rob Harris, Bryan Schindle, Amber Ringer, Dean Edwards, Doug Savory, Cindy Savory

*****VOLUNTEERS ARE APPRECIATED*****

If you would like to volunteer to help out with stewarding, please contact the Test Secretary.

Pet Friendly Accommodation

Travelodge – Salmon Arm
2401- Trans Canada Hwy SW, Salmon Arm, BC
(250)832-9721

Comfort Inn & Suites
1090 – 22nd St. NE
Salmon Arm, BC
(250)832-7711

Or Campsites are available at Herald Provincial Park reserve at bcparks.ca

Veterinarian on Call:

Shuswap Veterinary Clinic
1050-4th Ave. SW Salmon Arm, BC
(250)832-6069

General Information and Test Rules

To earn a Water Rescue Dog Novice title, Water Rescue Dog title or Water Rescue Dog Excellent title at these tests, the entrant will be required to successfully pass all the exercises as written in the NDCC Water Test Rules, you would require 3 qualifying passes under two different judges. During the test, the decision of the judges shall be final in all matters affecting the working of dogs and handlers and in evaluation of their performance.

EVENT REGISTRATION NUMBER

Every foreign born and owned dog that is entered in a Canadian Kennel Club event must obtain an Event Registration Number (ERN) within 30 days of that event. An Event Registration Number application must be completed and submitted along with a copy of registration documents from a CKC recognized foreign kennel club and the required fee.

Download the Event Registration Application from the online forms section under CKC Services or contact the CKC Order Desk at 1-800-250-8040.

CKC Tracking Fee

A CKC tracking fee will be charged for non-CKC members. The Non-Member Participation Fee applies to dogs wholly owned by a resident of Canada who is not a member of the CKC; it is not applicable to CKC members or dogs co-owned with a CKC member. 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 a title being withheld and the dog cannot be moved up to the next level.

PERFORMANCE EVENT NUMBER

A Performance Event Number (PEN) allows an unregistrable dog of a CKC recognized or listed breed to participate in competitive events that are appropriate for the breed. In order for a dog to be eligible to receive a PEN, all of the following criteria must be met:

- 1) The dog must be of a CKC recognized or listed breed
- 2) The dog, for one reason or another, must not be eligible for CKC registration.
- 3) The dog must be spayed or neutered
- 4) The dog must be properly identified with a CKC approved microchip (this requirement is not necessary for ILP dogs)
- 5) In the case of a foreign born dog residing in the USA, in addition to the above, the dog must have been issued an AKC PAL number.

Download the Performance Event Number application from the online forms section under CKC Forms, Exhibitor

Eligibility: This test is open to all registered Newfoundland dogs six months of age or older on the day of the test. Water Rescue Dog Excellent entries must have previously earned a WRD title in order to enter the WRDX class. Re-qualifications are accepted pending 'space available.' Re-qualification shall be judged last in the level they enter. Bitches in season will be able to compete, please notify test secretary on the day of the event. The bitch must be kept away from the test area and will compete after all other dogs have finished.

Confirmation of Entry: All entrants will be notified of their placement by email, mail or telephone. Entries will be accepted on a first come, first served basis.

Closing Date: The closing date for entries is Sept. 1st, 2023 at 6:00 pm (Pacific Daylight Time), or when the limit has been reached even if the official closing date for entries has not arrived. If the limit is reached prior to the closing date, a list of alternates will be kept to fill any vacancies created due to cancellations before the closing date and Day of Test Entries would be allowed. Re-qualifications are accepted pending 'space available'. Re-qualification shall be judged last in the level they enter.

ENTRIES LIMITED to 15 Newfoundland Dogs total for all 3 trials

Entry Fee: \$65(Canadian) per dog (payable to the Newfoundland Dog Club of Canada – BC Region), Mail entries to the Water Test Secretary. PLEASE NOTE: DO NOT write "Canadian Funds" on US cheques as they are not accepted by Canadian Banks. Entry fees must be paid in Canadian Funds. Entries must be complete, signed and submitted on the official CKC entry form. The test will accept entries on a first come, first serve basis. Please note: No faxed entries please.

Refunds: Entry fees will not be refunded after the closing date.

Test Regulations: All dogs entered in the Water Rescue Dog Test must go through the Basic Control Exercises, regardless of obedience titles held by entered dogs.

Equipment: Entrants must supply their own equipment. Be prepared for any weather. This event is entirely outdoors and there is no provision for cover in case of inclement weather. Government approved flotation devices and appropriate footwear must be worn by handlers during water testing.

A Medallion will be given to qualifying dogs.

Lunches: We request that you bring a lunch, but there may be snacks available as well.

Payment: Make cheques payable to: NDCC-BC Region

Mail to: Grace Edwards
5399 Sunnybrae Canoe Pt. Road
Tappen, BC V0E 2X1

HOW TO FIND US:

The Water Test will be held at Herald Provincial Park, 4861 Sunnybrae Canoe Pt. Rd., Tappen, BC V0E 2X1. Directions will be provided with entry confirmation. The park is one turn off the Trans Canada Hwy in Tappen, BC, approx. 15 minutes along Sunnybrae Canoe Pt. Road.

Herald Provincial Park has authorized our use of this park. Exhibitors must clean up after their dogs and exercise them only in designated areas. We appreciate your cooperation. This is a public campground and all entrants are guests, we request that you show good dog ownership and set an example so we can continue to use this test site.

The Water Test Committee and park operators will exercise due care and diligence for the welfare of all the dogs entered but will not be responsible for, nor assume any liability in the event of an accident or other misfortune to any dog, exhibitor, either to themselves or their property.

Complete information regarding this test will be sent out with the entry acknowledgments. If you require specific information please contact the Test Secretary.

Refreshments: Water and beverages will be available to all exhibitors, stewards and judges.

ENTRANTS PLEASE NOTE: It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to be familiar with the rules pertaining to the level in which they are competing.

The NDCC Water Test Rules are available at:
http://newfoundlanddogclub.ca/uploads/7/8/9/4/78941180/water_rescue_tests_rule_booklet_2016.pdf