



OFFICIAL PREMIUM LIST

**Bernese Mountain Dog Club of Canada**  
ALL BREED DRAFT DOG & DRAFT DOG EXCELLENT TESTS

**Friday August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2012**  
**1407 East Chezzetcook Road,**  
**East Chezzetcook, NS B0J 1N0**

THESE EVENTS ARE HELD UNDER THE RULES OF THE CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB

**ENTRIES CLOSE Wednesday August 15, 2012**

**ENTRY LIMIT & CLOSING:** There is an entry limit of 15 teams in total with a maximum of 5 DDX teams. Entries are accepted on a first come, first serve basis. Entries close on Wednesday August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2012 at mid-night **OR** when the limit has been reached (even if the official closing date has not arrived). Entry fees will not be refunded after the closing date. If the limit is reached prior to the closing date, a list of alternates will be kept to fill any vacancies created due to early (prior to closing date) cancellations. Re-qualifications are accepted pending 'space availability' & will be judged as the last team in the section for which they are entered. Preference given to BMD's.

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Test Chairperson & Secretary Lisa Ibelshouser, 5020 Round Lake Road, Killaloe, ON K0J 2A0  
Chief Steward Robert Buck  
Test Committee, Grounds Crew, Hospitality, Raffle, etc Rodney Ibelshouser, Jenn Julian, Wendy Bennett  
Wendy Bennett, Jennifer Julian

**ENTRY INFORMATION**

Draft Dog and Draft Dog Excellent Classes \$65.00  
CKC Listing Fee per dog per event \$ 9.65  
*\*CKC listing fees are payable for all dogs without an individual CKC number or Event Registration Number at the closing date. A litter registration is not acceptable. (See ERN Section below.)*

**FEES:** Fees listed include HST and can be paid by cash, cheque or money order (all in Canadian funds). Make cheques & money orders payable to **Bernese Mountain Dog Club of Canada**. Postdated cheques will not be accepted. Overpayments will be considered donations to the trophy fund. NSF cheques are considered nonpayment of entry fees and are punishable by disciplinary action and cancellation of awards by the CKC. All fees must be paid before the dog can be exhibited. All NSF cheques are subject to a \$20.00 charge.

**ENTRY FORMS:** Entries must be complete, signed and submitted on the official CKC Entry Form. No entry will be accepted unless accompanied by applicable entry fees and must be COMPLETE and in the hands of the Test Secretary by the closing date. Please type or print clearly.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Draft Dog Tests shall be open to all purebred dogs of sufficient height and weight that are physically capable of performing all the exercises in a particular class. The Judges must excuse a dog at any time during a test for lack of physical capacity. All dogs must be 18 months of age or older on the day of the event. Entries in Draft Dog Excellent Test must have a CKC Draft Dog title.  
Only dogs individually registered in the records of the CKC, or are eligible for such registration or ERN, may enter these shows or be allowed on the precincts. We reserve the right to refuse any entry subject to CKC rules.

**BITCHES IN SEASON:** Bitches in season may compete, however, they shall be judged after all other dogs competing have been tested. Prior to competing, they shall be confined away from the test site.

**ORDER OF JUDGING:** The order of competing shall be the order that entries are received except dogs that are handled by the same person, which will be separated when possible. No delays will be permitted for handlers entering more than one dog and entrants doing so must have an alternate handler available for group exercises if a conflict arises.

**CONFIRMATION OF ENTRY:** After the closing date, all entrants will be notified by email, fax, telephone or mail of their placement.

**EQUIPMENT:** Each entrant is to supply their own equipment. The freight load will be supplied by the test committee. DDX entrants must provide their own backpacks and backpack weights. There will be one cart available for use during the test but entrants must have their own harness.

**REGULATIONS:** It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to be familiar with the rules pertaining to the event in which they are competing. Copies of the CKC Draft Dog Test rules are available from the Canadian Kennel Club.

**CKC Regulation 6.8 Moving Up:** 6.8.1 A dog that is individually registered in the records of the CKC or has an Event Registration Number (ERN) or a Miscellaneous Certification Number (MCN) or a Performance Event Number (PEN) and has received the required number of qualifying performances under the requisite number of judges for the level, may be moved up to the next level provided that a written or electronic request is received not less than one hour prior to the commencement of each test or in accordance with the conditions advertised in the premium list. 6.8.2 If it is established by the CKC that a dog moved up to the next level has not completed the requirements for the lower level before moving up, all passing ribbons and/or awards shall be forfeited and cancelled by the CKC and the owner may be subject to disciplinary action. 6.8.3 In order for a dog to be eligible to move up, the dog must be individually registered in the CKC or have an Event Registration Number (ERN) or a Miscellaneous Certification Number (MCN) or a Performance Event Number (PEN) before entries close. The addition of a CKC number after close of entries does not make the dog eligible and will result in referral to the Discipline Committee.

**CKC Regulation 6.9 Limited Entry:** 6.9.1 A club or association may limit entries in any or all classes by prominent announcement on the title cover page of its premium list and that entries will close automatically when a certain limit for each test has been reached, even if the official closing date for entries has not arrived. 6.9.2 When tests are advertised as limited and entries do not fill in the levels offered, the tests may be interchanged as follows, providing the test-giving club has the resources necessary to offer the substituted

tests(s):

2 DD = 1 DDX

2 DD = 1 BDDX

1 DD = 1 BDD

1 DDX = 1 BDDX

**CKC Regulation 11.2:** The Draft Dog Field Work, Draft Dog Excellent Freight Haul and/or the Draft Dog Excellent Backpacking Exercises may be performed using the Group Option as stated in Section 11.2 using the recommended methodology as stated in Appendix A.

**CKC Regulation 17.6:** Any person, either within or outside the judging area, who does anything calculated to attract, distract or otherwise interfere in any way with the attention, deportment, or performance of a dog under judgment, may be disciplined by the Discipline Committee in whatever way it considers to be in the best interest of the Club, or the judge may take summary action.

**CKC Regulation 17.7:** It shall be the duty and obligation of the test-giving club to see that a judge, club official, steward, volunteer or competitor at a Draft Dog Test is not subject to indignities. The Draft Dog 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.

The BMDCC and the Test Committee will use care and diligence for the welfare of the dogs and exhibitors, but will not be responsible for, or assume any liability in the event of an accident, or other misfortune to the dogs, exhibitors or patrons. If, because of riot or civil disturbance or any other acts beyond the control of the BMDCC and their Test Committee, it is impossible to open or close the tests, no refund of entries will be made.

**Attention Foreign exhibitors:** Please note that fees are due and payable in Canadian dollars. Due to consistently fluctuating currency rates, discounted cheques will not be accepted. Personal cheques will be accepted, however, they are to be payable in Canadian funds. If you send a cheque in US funds, it must be made out for the full amount of the entry and no exchange will be refunded to the exhibitor. Please do not mark cheques "Payable in Canadian Funds" or "At Par". They will not be cleared by the banks. To simplify the process, we urge that you purchase bank drafts or money orders payable in Canadian funds. Your understanding and cooperation is appreciated. Thank you

## PRIZES & AWARDS

Rosettes will be presented for each qualifying score. A prize will be provided for the youngest & oldest qualifying dog.

## VETERINARIAN

### Eastern Shore Veterinary Clinic

5228 Hwy#7, Porters Lake, NS, B3E 1J8  
Phone: 902.827.4257

## ACCOMMODATIONS

The below motels/hotels welcome dog event exhibitors, but some may request a damage deposit and inspection of the room prior to departure. All are located approx 30-40 minutes from the Draft test site, but within minutes of the Specialty venue at Exhibition Park. Do not leave unattended dogs loose in your room. For everyone's benefit, please crate your dog and clean up outside so we can continue to offer these accommodations at our future events. The hotels listed below are those that are close to the BMDCC 2012 Specialty events at Exhibition Park.

Lakeview Inn and Suites is the closest to Exhibition Park and use to Dog Show clientele.

### Lakeview Inn & Suites

98 Chain Lake Drive Halifax, Nova Scotia B3S 1A2  
Phone: 902.450.3020 fax: 902.450.3021

[http://lakeviewhotels.com/hotels.php?entry\\_id=3164](http://lakeviewhotels.com/hotels.php?entry_id=3164)

### Best Western Chocolate Lake

20 St. Margaret's Bay Rd Halifax, NS B3N 1J4

Toll Free- 1-877-559-7666

<http://www.chocolatelakehotel.com/>

### Quality Inn & Suites

980 Parkland Drive, Halifax, Nova Scotia

Toll Free: 1 (800) 424-6423 Local Phone: (902) 444-6700

<http://www.qualityinnhalifax.com/about-the-hotel/quest-services>

For locations closer to the draft site, these hotels are also available:

### Days Inn Dartmouth

20 Highfield Park Drive, Dartmouth, NS B3A 4S8

Phone: 902.465.6555 Toll-Free: 1.877.466.6555

[http://www.daysinn.com/hotels/nova-scotia/dartmouth/days-inn-dartmouth/rooms-rates?checkin\\_date=07/25&adults=1&rooms=1&checkout\\_date=07/26&children=0&teens=0&ratePlan=BAR&useWRRPoints=false&variant=&hotel\\_id=19682&brand\\_id=DI&force\\_nostay=false&bmInSession=true&tab=tab2](http://www.daysinn.com/hotels/nova-scotia/dartmouth/days-inn-dartmouth/rooms-rates?checkin_date=07/25&adults=1&rooms=1&checkout_date=07/26&children=0&teens=0&ratePlan=BAR&useWRRPoints=false&variant=&hotel_id=19682&brand_id=DI&force_nostay=false&bmInSession=true&tab=tab2)

\*Approximately 25 minutes to test site

### Comfort Inn Dartmouth

456 Windmill Rd., Dartmouth, NS B3A 1J7

Phone: 902.463.9900

<http://www.choicehotels.ca/dartmouth-hotel-comfort-nova-scotia-cn249-en?cid=1132918>

\*Approximately 25 minutes to test site

## REFRESHMENTS and LUNCH

Light refreshments will be available to all participants during check in. There will be a barbeque for lunch (for a nominal fee to offset costs) providing munchies, hot dogs, hamburgers , drinks .

### DIRECTIONS TO TEST SITE

Coming from NB/PEI/ USA follow the TransCanada Hwy to Nova Scotia. Pass through the Cobequid Tolls (4\$) and follow signs to Truro. Take the ONLY exit to Halifax off this Hwy (Exit 15). You will pass Truro and follow signs to Dartmouth & Halifax travelling on Hwy 102. Keep in the LEFT lane heading to Dartmouth/Cole Harbour. Take Exit 13E for Cole Harbour/Eastern Shore. Drive to the end of this route, and stay in the LEFT lane (turning lane) when you reach the lights. Turn left onto Hwy 107. Drive straight on Hwy 107 until you reach Exit 21-East Chezzetcook, take this exit. At the top of the exit ramp turn Right, drive approximately 6km down the East Chezzetcook Road. Civic # 1407 is on the LEFT hand side and will be clearly marked with a sign for the Draft Test.

Coming from within NS follow the directions above if applicable, or alternatively travel to Main Street in Dartmouth. Once on Main Street drive straight as this turns into Hwy 107. Drive straight on Hwy 107 until you reach Exit 21-East Chezzetcook, take this exit. At the top of the exit ramp turn Right, drive approximately 6km down the East Chezzetcook Road. Civic # 1407 is on the LEFT hand side and will be clearly marked with a sign for the Draft Test.

If you require additional information or clarifications on these directions please contact the show secretary for assistance. Thanks for your entry and looking forward to seeing you at the show.



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