

VST - # 2024039701

TDX - # 2024039703

ENTRIES LIMITED TO 4 TDX Dogs; 2 VST

ENTRIES CLOSE: 5:00 P.M., THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 2024 AT SECRETARY'S OFFICE after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled, altered or substituted

PREMIUM LIST

36th Annual Tracking Dog Excellent Test
25th Annual Variable Surface Tracking Test

Southern Oregon Kennel Club, Inc.

Since 1948
Member AKC



TDX

KENNETH E DENMAN GAME MANAGEMENT AREA

State Game Refuge, Touville Road, White City, OR

VST

SOUTHERN OREGON REHABILITATION CENTER & CLINICS

8495 Highway 62, White City, OR

SUNDAY, March 24, 2024

Hours of this test will be from 6:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Pat Etchells, Test Secretary
103 Columbia Crest Drive, Grants Pass, OR 97526
(541) 218-0543 < sokc.tracking@gmail.com >

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Chief Tracklayer-----John Etchells

and Officers of the Club

VETERINARIAN (On Call)

Southern Oregon Veterinary Special Center
4901 Biddle Road, Central Point, OR 97502
541-282-7711

JUDGES

Meg Azevedo - 8228 Woods Edge Lane - Elk Grove, CA 95758 (90144)
William (Sil) Sanders - 33101 44th Ave NW, Stanwood, WA 98292 (5852)

THIS TEST WILL BE LIMITED TO

Four (4) Tracking Dog Excellent Tests-----Entry Fee \$125.00
Two (2) Variable Surface Tracking Dog Tests-----Entry Fee \$125.00

Combined Tests Exchange Policy. Due to the limits of the sites available, an exchange policy will be implemented in accordance with Chapter 1, Section 17a of the Tracking Regulations but not to exceed 6 TDX or 2 VST.

TROPHIES

The Southern Oregon Kennel Club will present a trophy to each dog rated "passed".

The Southern Oregon Kennel Club, Inc., does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC entry form.

"Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations."

AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION



**AMERICAN
KENNEL CLUB**

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

Gina DiNardo, Secretary

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

CLOSING DATE for the test is 5:00 p.m., Thursday, March 14, 2024, after which time entries will not be accepted, canceled, altered or substituted.

NO DOG MAY BE ENTERED IN THE TDX OR VST TEST until notified by the American Kennel Club that it has earned the TD or TDU title. A TDX or VST dog may continue to participate, but preference in entries will be given to dogs which have not yet passed the TDX or VST test.

MAIL all entries with fees to: Pat Etchells, SOKC Test Secretary, 103 Columbia Crest Drive, Grants Pass, OR 97526. Entries not on official AKC entry forms & photocopies of entry forms without the Agreement and Rules on the reverse side of the official AKC entry form are not acceptable. Incomplete entries or entries without fees or necessary certification WILL NOT be accepted.

ERRORS ON ENTRY BLANKS: Owners are responsible for errors in making out entry forms, whoever may make such errors, and no entry fee will be refunded, in the event of such errors or cancellation of entries after the published closing date.

ENTRY FEES - \$125.00. Includes \$.50 AKC recording fee and \$3.00 event service fee.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO "SOKC". CANADIAN/FOREIGN exhibitors must make fees payable in U.S. FUNDS drawn on a U.S. bank. If you are entering more than one dog or test, please send a separate check for each entry.

NO DOG MAY ENTER MORE THAN ONE OF THE TWO TESTS.

TELEPHONED, TELEGRAPHED, UNSIGNED, OR ENTRIES WITHOUT FEES CANNOT BE ACCEPTED. No entry shall be made and none accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee and will have to be made good with cash or a money order prior to the draw for tracks. The Test Secretary will add a collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

ENTRIES shall be accepted up until the official closing date, even though the advertised limit has been reached, and a drawing will be held within 48 hours of the closing to determine which entries will participate in the test.

IF THE ENTRY is exceeded, a drawing will be held Thursday, March 14, 2024, at 7:00 p.m. via Zoom. A link will be emailed to all entrants beforehand, and others can request it from sokc.tracking@gmail.com. When the advertised limit is reached if there are more entries, the drawing will continue to establish a list of alternates. Following the draw, the Test Secretary will promptly notify all entrants of the outcome. Alternates will be given the option to accept or deny being placed on the list of alternates. If they decline, their entry fee shall be returned. Entrants and alternates who are not given the opportunity to run a track shall have their entry fee returned. (AKC Tracking Regulations, Ch. 1 Sec. 17) Alternates are required to be at the Test site at the time of the DRAWING FOR TRACKS. If an entrant is absent, the alternates will draw in the order listed in the catalog. NO entry fees will be returned after the closing date except as specified above.

ENTRIES for dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program will not be accepted for TDX and VST.

JUDGING SCHEDULES will be e-mailed the week prior to the test.

DRAW TIMES FOR TDX, & VST TRACKS 9:00 a.m.

IF because of riots, civil disturbances, or other acts beyond control of the management it is impossible to open or complete the test, **NO REFUND OF ENTRIES WILL BE MADE.**

BITCHES IN SEASON MAY PARTICIPATE. The Test Secretary and Judges **MUST** be notified of each bitch in season **PRIOR** to the drawing for **TRACKS**. The last tracks to be laid on that day shall be reserved for the bitch(s) in season. Bitches in season shall be allowed on the tracking field **ONLY** immediately prior to their running and **NOT** while **ANY** other dog is working. (AKC Tracking Regulations, Ch. 2 Sec. 8)

REFUNDS. Entry Fees for an Alternate that does not participate in the Tracking Test shall be refunded within 7 days. In the event an accepted Entry withdraws after the closing date to allow an Alternate to replace said Entry, **THE ENTRY FEE WILL BE REFUNDED.** In the event an Accepted Entry withdraws after the closing date and there is no Alternate to replace said Entry, **THE ENTRY FEE WILL NOT BE REFUNDED.**

EXTREME WEATHER CONDITIONS The Club reserves the right to cancel the test in the case of extreme weather conditions. A message would be on 541-218-0543 if this were the case.

TEST WORKER OPTION will be utilized. Two tracks will be set aside.

DIRECTIONS TO TEST HEADQUARTERS

Interstate 5 to Exit Number 35. Blackwell Road, Central Point.
Take Blackwell Road - it will become Kirtland right before the RR crossing. Stay on Kirtland and go through the only light at Table Rock Road. The road then becomes Avenue G. At the blinking light, turn left onto Agate Road and go .3 mile to the gate at Touville Road.

The Southern OR Rehabilitation Center and Clinics is about one mile from the TD/TDX site.

PLEASE NOTE: VEHICLE USE PERMIT REQUIRED

The Oregon Dept of Fish & Wildlife now requires a Vehicle Use Permit for Denman Wildlife Area. Permits can be purchased online, at an ODFW Office that sells licenses, or at a license sales agent. A daily permit is \$10, and an annual permit is \$30. Permits are transferrable between cars, but each car must have a permit displayed on the dash while parked at Denman Wildlife Area. For more information regarding permits see: <https://myodfw.com/articles/buying-odfw-wildlife-area-parking-permit>. More details will be sent out with the Judging Program.

ACCOMMODATIONS

(check with management for current policies on dogs)

- Best Western (formerly Brookside Inn)White City (5 minutes to site)
541-826-0800
- Super 8Central Point (10 minutes to site)
541-664-5888
- La QuintaCentral Point (10 minutes to site)
541-665-4141



OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

VST - # 2024039701
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TDX/VST
Southern Oregon Kennel Club, Inc.

Sunday, March 24, 2024

ENTRY Fees: \$125 - TDX; \$125 - VST (including .50 AKC recording fee and \$3.00 Event Service Fee)
ENTRIES CLOSE at the Show Secretary's Office at 5:00 p.m., Thursday, March 14, 2024, after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled or changed
MAIL ENTRIES with fees to Pat Etchells, 103 Columbia Crest Drive, Grants Pass, OR 97526
MAKE CHECKS or money orders payable to Southern Oregon Kennel Club

I enclose \$_____ for entry fees

IMPORTANT: Read Carefully 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)

Form with fields: BREED (4), VARIETY (1), SEX, OBEDIENCE CLASS (2,3), JUMP HEIGHT, ADDITIONAL OBEDIENCE CLASS (2,3)

Form with fields: NAME OF (See Back JUNIOR HANDLER (if any), JR. HANDLER NUMBER

Form with field: FULL NAME OF DOG

Form with fields: Enter number here, DATE OF BIRTH, PLACE OF BIRTH (list country), Do not print this above in the catalog

Form with field: BREEDER

Form with field: SIRE

Form with field: DAM

Form with fields: ACTUAL OWNER(S), OWNER'S ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP

Form with field: 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 # _____

E-MAIL Address (An acknowledgement 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 Website 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 THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN ITS PREMIUM LIST) 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

- 1. (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).
2. 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.
3. (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. A or B division.
4. 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/her name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to the AKC. (For complete rules, refer to Chapter 11, Section 3 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows.)
5. 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 Jr. Showmanship, please give the following information:

Form with fields: JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP, AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER, JR'S DATE OF BIRTH

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.

Form with fields: ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP

If Jr. Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Jr. Handler to the owner? _____