# Laura Endres, Test Secretary Kalamazoo Kennel Club 9177 West & Avenue Kalamazoo, MI 49009

# Kalamazoo Kennel Club

member of the American Kennel Club



# **Tracking Dog Test**

Sunday, April 28, 2024 TD Event #2024062507

Show Hours each day 7am to 7pm All dogs are to be available at Kalamazoo Kennel Club at 8:30am on April 28, 2024 for the draw of the TD track running order. Judging will begin when the first TD track is ready.

Tracking Dog Entries are limited to 6 dogs Event committee members may enter the test.

Entries for Mixed Breed Dogs enrolled in the AKC Canine Partners Program will be accepted

> Entries close on April 17, 2024 at 6pm Mail entries to: Test Secretary: Laura Endres 9177 West G Avenue Kalamazoo, Michigan 49009

Test Headquarters Kalamazoo Kennel Club 1249 West D Avenue Kalamazoo, MI 49009



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. Gina M. DiNardo, Secretary

### Kalamazoo Kennel Club Officers

President: Vice President: Treasurer: Secretary: Jim Fankhauser Shannon Dobbins Mary Law Dawn Lovell

### **Board of Directors:**

Angela Boeske, Mary Lester, Dawn Lovell, Betts McKeown, Julie Prentice And all the officers of the club

Test Chairman: Betts McKeown 6260 Ravine Ridge RD Kalamazoo, MI 49009 269-342-5913

Test Secretary: Laura Endres 9177 West G Avenue Kalamazoo, MI 49009 Lendres1964@gmail.com 269-370-5736

> Event Committee Susan Nemedi, Laura Endres, Kim Laird, Betts McKeown, Colin Ripmaster

### Veterinarian On Call

Southwest Michigan Animal Emergency Hospital (24 hour small animal emergency care) 104 West Cork Street, Kalamazoo, MI 49001 phone: 269-381-5228 www.southwestmichigananimalemergencyhospital.com

### TD JUDGES: Beth Lange Kim Kearfolt

### **MOTEL INFORMATION**

Motels listed below have traditionally accepted dogs. Check pet policy at time of making reservation to ensure policy has not changed.

Quality Inn & Suites Hampton Inn & Suites Candlewood Suites Town Place Suites 2203 S 11<sup>th</sup> Street, Kalamazoo, MI, 269-372-7999 5059 S 9<sup>th</sup> St, Kalamazoo, MI, 269-432-0076 3443 Retail Place Dr, Kalamazoo, MI, 269-270-3203 5683 S 9<sup>th</sup> St, Kalamazoo, MI, 269-443-6255

Do not leave unattended dogs in your room and

## PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOGS!

Directions To Kalamazoo Kennel Club

From the North or South: US Hwy 131, Exit #44, East on D Ave: From the East or West I-94 to US Hwy 131 North to Exit #44, right (East) on D Ave: for all the above: going East on D Avenue, the Kennel Club is one Block past the 4 way stop at Douglas Ave.. The Kennel Club is the large white building on the right. If you go over the Kalamazoo River you have gone too far.

**Entries Close:** at 6pm on Wednesday, April 17, 2024. Drawing for entries and alternates will be on Wednesday, April 17, 2024 at 7pm at the Kalamazoo Kennel Club Building. 1249 West D Avenue, Kalamazoo, MI. All interested persons are welcome to attend.

Entries will be acknowledged after the closing date by a call or email and will receive a judging program.

**Entry fees** for alternates who do not participate in the test will be refunded. Entry fees for dogs that pass an AKC approved test after the closing date of this test will be refunded if they withdraw from this test, provided there is an alternate to replace the entry and the Test Secretary is notified in writing not less than 3 days before the test date.

Trophies: A rosette will be awarded to all passing dogs.

### Notice to Exhibitor

- Entries not on an official AKC entry form (or copy) including the waiver agreement are not acceptable.
- **TD Entries** must have a signed certification by an AKC Tracking Judge.
- Incomplete or illegible entries or those without correct fees cannot be accepted. Post-dated checks do not constitute a valid entry fee.
- **Owners** are responsible for errors in making out entry forms. No entry will be refunded in event of errors. No entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.
- A \$25 service fee will be charged for returned checks.
- No telephone or FAX entries.
- Canadian exhibitors must make fees payable in US FUNDS.
- All Express deliveries MUST include signature waiver or may not be received.
- Only entries mailed to the Test Secretary's address will be accepted.
- Kalamazoo Kennel Club assumes no responsibility for cash sent through the mail.
- **Kalamazoo Kennel Club** may decline any entry or may remove any dog due to disease, viciousness, or other cause, and no one shall have any claim against Kalamazoo Kennel Club, or any official thereof.
- ENTRY fees shall not be refunded; in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by the veterinarian or judge, or barred from competition by action of the Test Committee. Or if because of riots, civil disturbances, or other acts beyond the control of the Test Committee, it is impossible to open or complete the test. Or in the event of extreme weather conditions.
- Bitches in season may participate in this test.

### 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) 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 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 there from, 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 have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons.

I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITIONS 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 APPICABLE 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 POLICES AND GUIDELINES.

#### INSTRUCTIONS

- (Variety) If you are entering a dog of a 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 (long-haired, 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 form the date of the show where the dog completed the requirements for a championship.
   (Event Class) Consult the classification in this premium list.
- A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for a trial 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 trial 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 AKC. (For complete rules refer to Chapter 11, Section 3).
- Mixed Breed Dogs should mark Breed as "All-American Dog/Mixed Breed." Sire and Dam information shall remain blank for mixed breed entrants.

#### JUNIOR HANDLERS

If this is an entry for a Junior Handler, please provide the following information
AKC Junior Handler Number
Junior Handler Date of Birth

By signing the entry form we certify that the Junior Handler does not now, and will not at any time, act as an agent/handler for pay while continuing to compete in the Junior Showmanship program. The AKC Junior Handler number MUST be included. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, this may be obtained from the AKC by telephoning 919/854-0195

### Name of Junior Handler\_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip

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

Official American Kennel Club Entry Form

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Express deliveries must include signature waiver.

Fees payable in US funds to: Kalamazoo Kennel Club. Mail to: Laure Endres, 9177 West G Avenue, Kalamazoo, MI 49009

ENTRY FEE: \$65.00

(Includes \$.50 AKC recording fee and \$3.50 AKC event fee)

I ENCLOSE \$\_\_\_\_\_for entry fees

IMPORTANT: Read carefully the instructions on the reverse side before filling out. PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

BREED	VA	RIETY		SEX	
Dog Show Class					
Name of Junior Handler				Junior Handler Number	
AKC REGISTERED NAME (include A					
ARC REGISTERED NAME (Include /	ARC titles only)				
			-		
AKC REG NO AKC LITTER NO				Date of Birth	
LILP NO			Plac	e of birth	
FSS NO			🗆 U	ISA 🔲 Canada 🔲 Foreign	
FOREIGN REG NO & COUNTRY BREEDER					
BREEDER					
SIRE					
DAM					
ACTUAL OWNER(S)					
ADDRESS					
City	State	Zip			

#### NAME of Agent if Different than Owner(s)

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, (we) agree to abled 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. ((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 forgoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules & Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to able by any decisions made in accord with them.

SIGNATURE of OWNER or his AGENT PARENT or GUARDIAN if owner is under 18 duly authorized to make this entry

E-mail Address
(Please print clearly)
Telephone
(include area code)