

Dachshund Fanciers of Southwestern Washington (AKC Licensed)

Saturday, April 16, 2021

AM event#: 2022699003 PM event#: 2022699004

Location: 24491 S Larkin Rd, Beaver Creek, OR (Event held at Tom & Marie Quarles)

***CERTIFICATION:** Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for holding this event under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. -James P. Crowley, Secretary*

These earth dog tests are held under the rules and procedures of the American Kennel Club

ELIGIBLE BREEDS: Dachshund & the following Terrier Breeds: American Hairless, Australian, Bedlington, Border, Cairn, Cesky, Dandie Dinmont, Glen of Imaal, Jagd, Japanese, Lakeland, Manchester, Miniature Bull, Miniature Pinscher, Miniature Schnauzer, Norfolk, Norwich, Parson Russell, Rat, Russell, Scottish, Sealyham, Silky, Skye, Smooth Fox, Teddy Roosevelt, Welsh, West Highland White, Wire Fox, and Yorkshire

***All dogs must be at least 6 months of age to participate **AND** AKC Registered (Limited Registration is acceptable), Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL) Registered **OR** Foundation Stock Service (FSS) Registered. ***

The following tests are all offered 2 times on the same day:

Intro to Quarry (Intro): 10 feet, one 90-Degree turn. Open to dogs with any title.

Junior Earthdog (JE): 30 feet, three 90-Degree turns. Open to dogs with any title.

Senior Earthdog (SE): 30 feet, three 90-Degree turns, with false den and exit, recall. Open to dogs which have completed a JE title or higher.

Master Earthdog (ME): 30 feet, three 90-degree turns, with false entrance, den and exit, identification of entrance, honor the other working dog. Open to all dogs that have completed an SE or ME title.

Create your event forms online: <http://www.oaklines.com/ExpressEntries/Login.aspx?ReturnUrl=%2fExpressEntries>

Pre-Entry Fees (Best deal in town! Enter often!) All prices include the \$3 AKC recording fee.

\$10: Intro \$15: Junior, Senior, Master \$0: Junior Handler (any level)

\$25: Endurance Earthdog (EE)/Irondog **(must fill out two entry forms: one for SE and one for ME)**

- Pre-Entries must be postmarked by 4/1/2022 or hand-delivered by 4/14/2022.
- Mail entries with payment to Chris Hamilton (130 Spencer Creek Rd, Kalama, WA 98625-9638)
- Make checks payable to Dachshund Fanciers of Southwestern Washington (DFSW is fine.)

All Day of Show (DOS) **entries close 15 minutes prior to the start of each test.**

- Entry fees for DOS are \$15 for Intro, \$25 for Junior, Senior, Master, and \$35 for EE.
- Cash or check payment for entries.
- Event secretary will NOT have change so if paying with cash, bring exact amount.

Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. Fees must be reimbursed in guaranteed funds. Checks will not be accepted. The Earthdog Secretary will add a collection fee of \$25 to the amount of each returned check. Subsequent returned checks from the same exhibitor may result in their being put on a CASH ONLY basis. Any awards won by dogs with invalid entries because of NSF will be rescinded unless the club is reimbursed immediately.

Confirmed entrants not present at the testing area when their number is called will be moved to the end of the class except for ME class. In the ME class, any dog not present within 5 minutes after its brace is called will be marked absent by the judge. The remaining dog in that brace will be run as or with the bye dog.

Bitches in season are not eligible to enter the test and shall not be allowed within 100 feet of any testing area during the running of any class. Pre-entry fees will be refunded.

Event Secretary and Committee:

Event Secretary: Chris Hamilton (130 Spencer Creek Rd, Kalama, WA 98625-9638, chris4hamil@gmail.com)

Event Committee: Michelle Kutzler (Event Chair), Jen Milosavljevic, Laura Stutts, Kim White, Kyle Wallis, Jordin Misfeldt-Wallis, Jacque Keller-McCormick, Claire Mancha, Dan Mata, and any DFSW club member in attendance.

Veterinarian: VCA Northwest Veterinary Specialists, Emergency Clinic, 503-656-3999

Emergency Response Coordinator: Tom & Marie Quarles (owners of property), 503-632-2476

Judging Schedule

ALL entries close 15 minutes BEFORE the start of each test. If you would like to apprentice with a judge, please contact the Event Chair Michelle Kutzler (541-740-1434) to schedule this in advance.

AM tests

ME: Bracing at 8:00 AM, testing starts at 8:15 AM

Intro: 8:30 AM

JE: 5 minutes after completion of Intro

SE: 5 minutes after completion of JE

PM tests

ME: Bracing at 12:00 PM, testing starts at 12:15 PM

Intro: 12:30 PM

JE: 5 minutes after completion of Intro

SE: 5 minutes after completion of JE

EVENT JUDGES:	AM	PM
Jacque Keller-McCormick (Judge #98480), 143 Teresa Lane, Winston, OR 97496-8612		Intro
Claire Mancha (Judge #56114), 2121 SE Courtney Rd, Portland, OR 97222-8126	Intro/SE	
Dan Mata (Judge #90388), 2121 SE Courtney Rd, Portland, OR 97222-8126	ME/JE	
Jordin Misfeldt-Wallis (Judge #103577), 4810 SE Hull Ave, Portland, OR 97267-6453		ME/SE
Laura Stutts (Judge # 96464), 39007 NE 74th Ave, La Center, WA 98629-4705		JE

Ribbons & Rosettes: Qualifiers in all classes will receive flat ribbons. Those dogs earning titles will receive new title rosettes.

Exhibitors are encouraged to review the complete set of rules at: <https://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/REEDOG.pdf>

READ CAREFULLY (Important stuff!)

Due to Covid-19, there will not be any food provided but we will have bottled water available. These tests are held on private property. Please honor posted signs, notices and any requests or directions from the property owners. Bring shade and shelter for you and your dogs. These tests will be run rain or shine. Please pick up after your dogs.

All dogs are to be held on short leash and under control while on the test grounds. For everyone's safety, dogs shall NOT BE LEFT UNATTENDED in exercise pens while on the grounds.

Spectators may be allowed to view the test from an area predetermined by the EVENT Judge, if they are quiet and do not distract the dogs. No dogs shall be allowed within 100 feet of the test areas.

The Dachshund Fanciers of SW Washington assumes NO responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, or spectators, or to any of their dogs or property. It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for their own behavior and the behavior of their dogs. Any exhibitor, handler, or spectator or dog that creates unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behaviors will be asked by the Event Chair to leave the Test site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.

I understand that there is an inherent risk of exposure to Covid-19 in any public place where people are present. I also understand that Covid-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and death in myself or others I may expose after this event. By attending this event, I voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to Covid-19 and will not hold the American Kennel Club, Dachshund Fanciers of Southwestern Washington, or any of the club officers or members responsible.

Signature required to attend this event