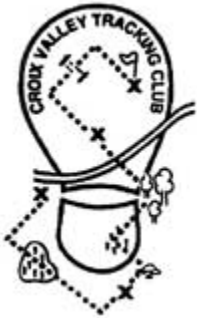


CROIX VALLEY TRACKING CLUB

VARIABLE SURFACE TRACKING TEST

Open to all AKC-Recognized Breeds & All American Dogs
listed with the AKC Canine Partners Program



Sunday June 2, 2019

Drawing at 8:00 am with judging to follow
Test hours: June 2, 2019 5:00am to 5:00pm

**University of Wisconsin River Falls
River Falls, Wisconsin**

Entries Close Thursday, May 23, 2019, 5:00 pm CST

After which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled or substituted.
No phone, fax or email entries will be accepted.

6 VST Tracks (includes 2 for Test Worker Draw)

Lunch will be provided following the completion of the test. All entrants and spectators are invited to join us.

VST Entry Fee: \$125.00

Includes a 50 cent AKC Recording Fee and a \$3.00 AKC Event Service Fee

Judges

Lois Leidahl-Marsh, Des Plaines, IL #93717

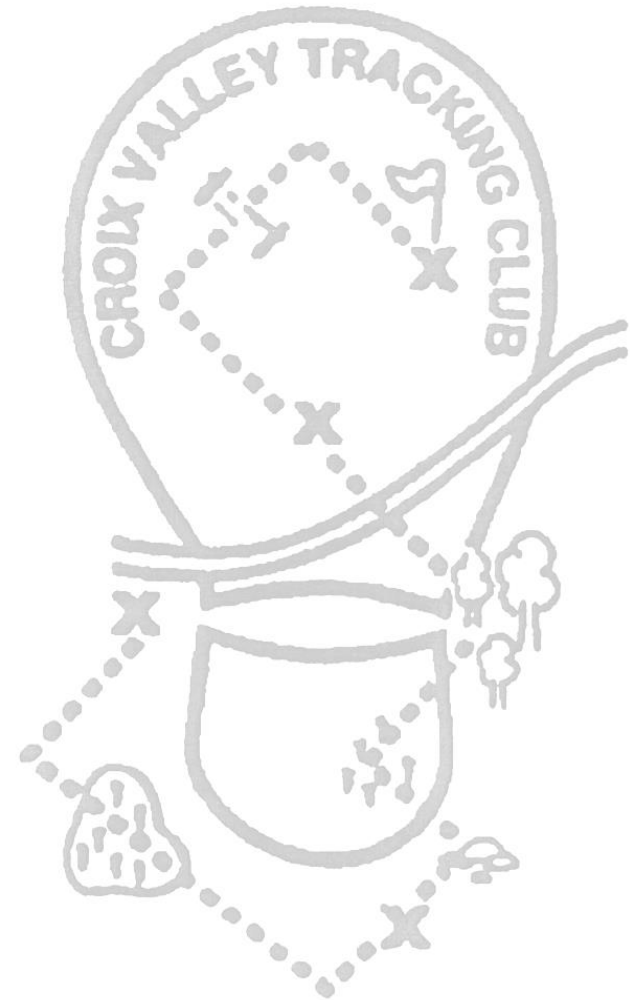
Ms. Marge Schultz, Candler, NC #39821



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.

James P. Crowley, Secretary



Croix Valley Tracking Club Board of Directors

President: Mary Barker
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Test Secretary

Ann Karrick 218-388-0404
48 Wolf Point Trl
Grand Marais, MN 55604
karrickann@gmail.com

Patty Fulton (day of test on site Test Secretary)
corgizoom@gmail.com 651-276-9849

Test Committee

Chairperson: Patty Fulton
Test Secretary: Ann Karrick and Patty Fulton
Head Tracklayer: Becky Johnson
Tracklayers and CVTC Board Members

Judges

Lois Leidahl-Marsh, Des Plaines, IL #93717
Ms. Marge Schultz, Candler, NC #39821

Awards

Each owner whose dog passes its assigned track will receive an award offered by Croix Valley Tracking Club.

Test Site

University of Wisconsin, River Falls Campus, WI
The draw site will be at Glen Park in River Falls.

From the Twin Cities take I-94 east, across the MN/WI bridge, up the hill through Hudson area to the WI-35 south exit. Go south on WI-35 to Hwy 29 intersection. This is the 3rd River Falls Exit and there is a traffic light at this intersection. Turn right (west); you are now on E. Cascade Avenue and the campus is on your left. Turn left on Main Street to W. Park Street. Turn right on to W. Park St. and take the second right onto Glen Park Rd. to the first open shelter on the left.

Veterinarian (on call)

Oakdale Animal Emergency Clinic
7166 10th Street, Oakdale, MN
651.501.3766

All dogs must be on leash at all times per AKC Tracking Regulations.

ENTRIES: Entry fee is \$125 for VST. Check or Canadian money orders in US dollars only. Entry fee includes \$.50 AKC Recording Fee and \$3.00 Event Service Fee. Checks should be made payable to Croix Valley Tracking Club. Do NOT send entries by any method requiring a signature for delivery. Mail entries to the Test Secretary: **Ann Karrick, 48 Wolf Point Trl, Grand Marais, MN 55604.** If you would like to receive confirmation of receipt of your entry, include a SASE OR a valid email address. Entries must be made on an official AKC entry form. **NOTE:** Dogs must have passed an AKC TD or AKC TDU to enter this test. Entries without a VST title will be accepted first. An exhibitor may enter more than one dog.

ENTRY DRAWING: Thursday, May 23, 2019, at 6:00pm local time at 48 Wolf Point Trl, Grand Marais, MN to determine which dogs will participate. The public is invited - for directions contact the test secretary. Entries for this test will be accepted up until the official closing date, even though the advertised limit has been reached. The test worker draw option as allowed by the AKC Tracking Regulations (Chap 1, Sec. 13d) will be used in this test for club members only as defined by the club's Board of Directors and voted on by the club members. The drawing shall be completely random among all entries received, except that preference will be given to those dogs that have not passed a VST test. When the advertised limit has been drawn all remaining entries, subject to the same preferences set forth in the preceding sentence, shall be assigned a position on an alternate list corresponding to the order in which they are drawn. The Test Secretary will then notify all entries of the result of the draw. Entry identification, a judging program and directions to the site will be sent to each entrant and alternate. In the event any of the accepted entries cancel or are absent on the day of the test, the Test Secretary will contact the alternates in the order of the drawing. Upon such notification, the alternates shall have the option of accepting or refusing entry. If for any reason a dog making the draw is not present or cannot run, the fees will be refunded provided that an alternate competes in their place.

TEST HOURS: Sunday June 2, 2019, 5:00am to 5:00pm. The Variable Surface Tracking track order will be drawn by lot at 8:00 am with the first track running as soon as ready after the draw.

BITCHES IN SEASON may participate in accordance with Chapter 2, Section 8 of the AKC Tracking Regulations. The handler must notify the Test Secretary prior to the drawing for track order on the day of the test.

RISK: The owner or agent entering a dog in this test does so at his/her own risk and agrees to abide by all of the Rules and Regulations of the American Kennel Club. Croix Valley Tracking Club assumes no responsibility for any personal property, theft, injury or death of any animal or damage to any property while at this test, or in transit to or from the site.

DISASTER AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS PLAN: Croix Valley Tracking Club has prepared such a plan for this event. The plan will be available at the test site on test day.

ACCOMODATIONS: Local motels in River Falls, Wisconsin that accept dogs include Best Western Plus (1-715-425-1045), Country Inn River Falls (1-715-425-9500) and Econo Lodge River Falls (1-715-425-8388). Please call to confirm when making reservations as policies may change.

Spectators and visitors are welcomed, encouraged and expected. The members of Croix Valley Tracking Club (CVTC) value the camaraderie and good sportsmanship that is inherent in the sport of tracking. As such, we expect exhibitors, members of the gallery and all involved with this test to display such behavior. We will not tolerate foul or abusive language, mistreatment of a dog, and disrespect of judges, test committee members, exhibitors, tracklayers or members of the gallery. Any display of these behaviors can and will be reported to the AKC. These offenses are subject to fine and/or suspension by the AKC.

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB ENTRY FORM

**Croix Valley Tracking Club
VST Tracking Test
Sunday, June 2, 2019**

Event # 2019450202 (VST)

Entries Close Thursday, May 23, 2019 5:00 PM CDT

I enclose \$125.00 for entry fees. Put AKC # on checks. Make checks to CVTC.

Mail to: Ann Karrick, CVTC Event Secretary
48 Wolf Point Trl, Grand Marais, MN 55604
218-388-0404 karrickann@gmail.com

Express mail entries MUST have signature waiver.

IMPORTANT: Read Carefully Instructions on reverse side before Filling Out.

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| BREED | VARIETY: | SEX |
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TRACKING CLASS: VST

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|---|-------------------|
| NAME OF JUNIOR HANDLER (see back) (if any) | JR. HANDLER AKC # |
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FULL NAME OF DOG

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| <input type="checkbox"/> AKC Reg. No. <input type="checkbox"/> ILP or PAL No. | DATE OF BIRTH |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG. NO. & COUNTRY | PLACE OF BIRTH | <input type="checkbox"/> USA <input type="checkbox"/> Canada <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign |
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Do not print the above in catalog

BREEDER

SIRE

DAM

ACTUAL OWNER(S)[4]

OWNER'S ADDRESS

CITY/STATE/ZIP + 4

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| NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT (IF ANY) AT THE SHOW | |
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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 show or obedience trial, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this show or obedience trial or both, 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. By signing the entry form 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.

**SIGNATURE of owner or his agent
duly authorized to make this entry**

TELEPHONE

EMAIL ADDRESS

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 leaser 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 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 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

- (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 (to, 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 from the date of the show where the dog completed the requirements for a championship.
- (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., age division, color division, weight division.
- 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 name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to the AKC. (For complete rules, refer to Chapter 11, Section 3.)

JUNIOR HANDLERS

If this entry is for Junior Showmanship, please give the following information:

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP JR.'S DATE OF BIRTH _____

AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER

The above number MUST be included. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, this may be obtained from the American Kennel Club. Phone: (919) 816-3776.

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.

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

If Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

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