

Judging Program



TANANA VALLEY KENNEL CLUB, INC.

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)

Presents Its

- 20th Variable Surface Tracking Test on Friday, September 10, 2021
at the UAF Campus, Fairbanks. (Event #2021040218)
- 42nd Tracking Dog Excellent Test on Saturday, September 11, 2021
at the Flood Control Project, North Pole. (Event #2021040219)
- 42nd Tracking Dog Test on Sunday, September 12, 2021
at the Flood Control Project, North Pole. (Event #2021040220)
- 5th Tracking Dog Urban Test on Saturday, September 12, 2021
at the Flood Control Project, North Pole. (Event #2021040221)

JUDGES

VST/TDX/TD/TDU:

Mr. Ken Barna, #66579, Burton OH
Mr. Thomas Hacholski, 91598, Rockwall TX

On Site Contacts:

TRIAL CHAIRPERSON	TRIAL SECRETARY
Pat Bortner 907-322-3005	Dr. Kimberlee Beckmen 907-322-2384

TEST COMMITTEE

Peggy Beagle (Chief Tracklayer), Pat Bortner, Janet Brown, Susan Sampson, Carrie VanDeHei, Kimberlee Beckmen (Trial Secretary), Wendy Uzzell and any member in good standing.

Variable Surface Tracking (7 Entrants)
#101, #102, #103, #104, #105, #106, #107

All dogs scheduled to run VST tracks **must be at the tracking area by 3:00 p.m. Friday, September 10th**, at which time there a drawing for the running order of each VST dog, followed by a drawing for the running order of each VST dog. The first track will be run shortly after these draws, at the judges' discretion.

DIRECTIONS TO THE VST TEST SITE: The VST tests will be held at the University of Alaska, lower campus, Fairbanks, Alaska. We will meet by the TAKU Shuttle shelter in the TAKU parking lot on Farmers Loop. This is a DIFFERENT location than past years. NOTE: the University Ave bridge between Airport Way and Geist is closed.

From the Parks Highway – Exit Geist Road, turn left onto University Avenue. Pass the UAF main entrance and continue onto Farmers Loop Road by crossing the intersection light at College Road. Take the next left into the TAKU parking lot across from the FNSB transfer site.

From the Richardson Highway – Take the exit on to the Steese Hwy. Turn left onto Johanson Expressway. Right on University Avenue. Pass the UAF main entrance and continue onto Farmers Loop Road by crossing the intersection light at College Road. Take the next left into the TAKU parking lot across from the FNSB transfer site.

From the Airport – Toward town on Airport Way to Parks Highway (South) exit on Geist Road. Follow directions above.

Tracking Dog Excellent (3 Entrants)
#201, #202, #203

All dogs scheduled to run TDX Test tracks **must be at the tracking area by 9:30 a.m. Saturday, Sept 11, 2021**, at which time there will be a drawing for the running order of each dog. The first track will be run shortly after the draw at the judges' discretion.

DIRECTIONS TO THE TDX/TD/TDU TEST SITE: These tests will be held at the corps of Engineer's Chena Flood Control Project, North Pole, Alaska. From Fairbanks take the Richardson Highway south to North Pole. About 1.5 miles past the Badger Road exit with the Giant Santa Claus on the right, take the Buzby/Dawson Road exit. At the light, turn left and take the next right onto Mistletoe Rd. and follow it to the Chena Lakes/North Pole Flood Control Project. **We will meet in the large paved parking lot immediately on the left as you enter the Project. TVKC may need to expand the area of testing if the Chena Lakes Flood Plain is not completely open.**

Tracking Dog (8 Entrants)
#301, #302, #303, #304, #305, #306, #307, #308

All dogs scheduled to run TD Test tracks **must be at the tracking area by 8:30 AM Sunday, August 16, 2020**, at which time there will be a drawing for the running order of each dog. The first track will be run shortly after the draw at the judge's discretion.

Tracking Dog Urban (2 Entrants, 1 Alternates)

#401, #402

Alternates #403

All dogs scheduled to run TDU tracks Test tracks must be at the tracking area by 8:30 AM Sunday, September 12th, at which time there will be a drawing for the running order of each dog. The first track will be run shortly after the draw at the judge's discretion. The first TDU track will be run shortly after these draws, at the judges' discretion, followed by TD.

There is a possibility that an entrant will contact the Test Secretary in order to inform the club that they do not intend to attend the test. If this is a TDU exhibitor, they should advise the club as soon as possible to facilitate notification of the next alternate. Refunds will be given to exhibitors only when an alternate runs in their place. Alternates that decline an offered slot are considered to be withdrawn from the alternate list.

MOTELS THAT ACCEPT DOGS: please contact motel directly for current rates and restrictions

- Super 8 Motel - 1909 Airport Way, Fairbanks, (907) 451-8888
- Extended Stay Deluxe - Old Airport Rd., Fairbanks, (907) 457-2288
- Pikes Waterfront Lodge - 1850 Hoselton Rd., Fairbanks, (907) 456-4500
- LaQuinta – 4920 Dale Road, Fairbanks, (907) 328-6300
- Hotel North Pole - 449 N. Santa Claus Lane, North Pole (907) 488-4800

CAMPING:

Chena Lakes State Campground (TD & TDX test site), (907) 488-1655
River View Camp Ground, 1316 Old Badger Rd, North Pole, (907) 488-6392
River's Edge, 4200 Boat St, Fairbanks, (907) 474-0286

Please consider attending a Tracking Workshop by Judge Tom Haclolski:
Monday Sept 13, 9 a.m., @ 1st parking lot, Chena Flood Control \$20 per person.