



DIRECTIONS: From Interstate 5 in Woodland, take Hwy 113 North, go approx. 2 miles to Coil Lane, turn left onto Coil and follow around the bend to Nelson Grove which is on the right. Address: 15285 County Road 99E, Woodland, CA 95695

Combined Premium List
 Northern California Dachshund Club, Inc.
 Golden Gate Dachshund Club, Inc.
 Earthdog Tests (A.K.C. Licensed)
 Nelson's Grove, Coil Lane, Woodland, CA
 Saturday & Sunday, February 24 & 25, 2024
 Events # 2024128102, 2024128103, 2024120702 & 2024120703
 These Earthdog Tests are Held under Rules and Procedures of the
AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

Tests Offered:

Regular Classes: Novice, Junior, Senior, Master
 Non – Regular Class: Introduction to Quarry

SCHEDULE			JUDGES	
Class	Closing Time	Judging Time	Saturday am Feb 24	Sunday am Feb 25
Intro to Quarry	8:00 am day of test	8:30 am	Teresa Bryan	Erik Bryan
Junior Earthdog	9:00 am day of test	9:30 am	Cheryl Shultz	Steve Shultz
Senior Earthdog	8:30 am day of test	9:00 am	Erik Bryan	Cheryl Shultz
Master Earthdog (limit of 20 dogs)		Roll Call 7:30 am Starts 8:00 am	Steve Shultz	Teresa Bryan
			Saturday pm	Sunday pm
Novice	1:00 pm	1:30 pm	Steve Shultz	Sharon Carr
Junior Earthdog	2:00 pm	2:30 pm	Erik Bryan	Teresa Bryan
Senior Earthdog	1:30 pm	2:00 pm	Teresa Bryan	Steve Shultz
Master Earthdog (limit of 20 dogs)	12:00 pm	12:30 pm	Cheryl Shultz	Erik Bryan

PLEASE NOTE: Sunday's afternoon tests will start 30 minutes after the completion of the morning tests.

Judges

Sharon Carr, 37904 Avenue 13, Madera, CA 93636-8683
Erik & Teresa Bryan, 32319 Annette Court, Union City, CA 94587
Steve & Cheryl Shultz, 3817 Seven Oaks Drive, Corona, CA 92881

Open to AKC registered Dachshunds and Terrier breeds: American Hairless, Australian, Bedlington, Border, Cairn, Cesky, Dachshunds, Dandie Dinmont, Glen of Imaal, Jagd Terrier, Japanese, Lakeland, Manchester, Min Bull, Min Schnauzer, Norfolk, Parson Russell, Rat, Russell, Scottish, Sealyham, Silky, Skye, Smooth Fox, Teddy Roosevelt, Welsh, Westie, Wire Fox, Yorkshire.

NEW EARTHDOG NOVICE CLASS!

We are offering the new Novice class at our test. It will be offered Saturday and Sunday afternoons instead of Intro to Quarry which will be offered at the test Saturday and Sunday mornings. The Novice class is run in the same tunnels as Intro to Quarry. If you have questions, please let us know. More information about it can be found in Chapter 4, Section 7 of the Earthdog rule book: *Novice Earthdog is an instinct test requiring title to no previous exposure to earthwork. Young dogs, dogs with little working experience and novice handlers are encourage to enter. As it may be the first den experience for some dogs, the Judge and the handler shall do their utmost to assure that it is a positive experience for the dog. The Judge shall not be allowed to encourage the dog. The Judge must make sure that each handler understands the test requirements before starting the dog. It takes 2 qualifying runs to earn the Novice title (NE). The new Novice title is not a requirement to enter the Junior Earthdog tests.*

For the complete rules online at AKC: [RegsforEarthdogTestsTerriersDachshunds.pdf](#)

ENTRY FEES

Junior, Senior & Master Earthdog Classes: pre-entries \$25.00* per class (Master class closes when 20 is reached or listed closing time.) (*Includes \$3.50 AKC Recording Fee). Day of entry is \$30.00

Intro To Quarry Class: \$15.00 per dog. **Novice Class:** \$20.00

Make checks payable to the **NCDC for Saturday's classes, GGDC for Sunday's classes**

Note: Entries for each dog (in each class) must be made on a separate **AKC** entry form and must be complete to be accepted. Entry forms containing multiple class information will not be accepted by the secretaries.

Send Entries & Fees to:

Patricia Price, NCDC Test Secretary, at address on entry form

Maggie Craig, GGDC Test Secretary, at address on entry form

For information about the tests, call Jerry Price, NCDC Test Chairman (707) 795-6860 or Patricia Price, NCDC Test Secretary (707) 795-6860 or Tim Durland, GGDC Test Chairman (707) 480-0097 or Maggie Craig, GGDC Test Secretary (707) 439-1961

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TEST COMMITTEES for NCDC & GGDC

~Jerry Price (NCDC Test Chairman), Tim Durland, Nancy Kast, Kathy Gelein, Nancy Gimblett & all club members

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RUNNING ORDER

Dogs in the Introduction to Quarry, Novice, Junior Earthdog, and Senior Earthdog classes will be run in the order in which their entries are received. Multiple entries by the same owner/handler will be separated to expedite the smooth running of the test. The running order for each class will be posted prior to the start of the class. Dogs not ready to run when called will be moved to the end of the running order. The judge will not wait for late arriving dogs. Dogs entered in the Master Earthdog class **must** be present on the grounds and answer to roll call at 7:30 am on the day of the test. Only those dogs present at the roll call will be deemed to be starters, and will be entered in the random drawing for ME Class running (Ch 1, Sec. 14). Dogs must be at least 6 months of age. Spayed, neutered, limited registration and ILP dogs of eligible breeds are eligible to enter. Bitches in season shall not be eligible to enter the tests (Ch 1, Sec. 6).

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

The **Northern California Dachshund Club** & the **Golden Gate Dachshund Club** offer a rosette to each dog who earns a qualifying score.

NCDC & GGDC "Certified Earthdog" cap will be awarded to each dog that earns a title at the test, please inform test secretary.

Dogs that have earned an AKC Master Earthdog title may enter both Senior & Master classes.

Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. The Test Secretary shall add a \$25.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

Coffee & cake will be available in the morning and a **POT LUCK LUNCH** is planned for both Saturday and Sunday, so please bring something to share.

Wear layered clothing, water-proof boots and bring rain protection. **TESTS WILL BE HELD RAIN OR SHINE!**

****NEW INFORMATION** Overnight Parking is limited and available at the site by reservation only. Please see reservation form, last page.**

Saturday night we will have a pizza party! You can sign up Saturday morning until 1:00 pm. The charge is \$10.00 per person. There will be pizza & a green salad. No charge for judges & workers.

" Regulations for Earthdog Tests" may be obtained WITHOUT CHARGE from THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB, 5580 CENTERVIEW DR., SUITE 200, RALEIGH, NC 27606-3390. In addition, AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies, and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website at www.akc.org.

AGREEMENT

I (WE) ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE "Rules Applying to Dog Shows/Registration and Discipline" and, if this entry is for an Earthdog event, the "Regulations for Earthdog Tests", have been made available to me (us) and that I am (we are) familiar with their contents. I (we) waive any and all claims, causes of action, I (we) might otherwise have against the AKC and any AKC approved judge, judging at this trial under AKC Rules, Regulations and Guidelines. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of the earthdog tests and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prize money, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold this club, its members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or trial secretary and owner or lessor of the premises and any employees of the aforementioned parties, 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 upon the earthdog test 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 of this dog by disappearance, theft, death or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, theft, damage or injury, be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the club or any of the parties

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 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 these earthdog tests, howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other person. 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 myself (ourselves) or as to the construction, interpretation and effect of the 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 and procedures must first be followed as set forth in the AKC Charter and Bylaws, rules, published policies and guidelines.

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB ENTRY FORM

Note: This Entry Form Must be Completed in Full (Chap. 10, Sec. 5)

Northern California Dachshund Club, Inc.

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LICENSED EARTHDOG TEST

February 24 & 25, 2024

Saturday AM Event #2024128102

Saturday PM Event #2024128103

Sunday AM Event #2024120702

Sunday PM Event #2024120703

Please circle above the date and event you desire to enter using a separate entry form for each class

Dogs MUST check in with Secretary prior to start time

Fees: Regular Classes pre-entry - \$25.00 ~ Introduction to Quarry - \$15.00 ~ Novice - \$20.00

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I submit \$ _____ for entry fee

Enter in class:		Call Name	
Registered Name of Dog			
AKC Reg. #		or AKC Litter #	
Or Foreign Reg. # AND Country of Registry		MALE <input type="checkbox"/>	FEMALE <input type="checkbox"/>
BREED	VARIETY	D/O/B	
SIRE			
DAM			
BREEDER			
NAME OF ACTUAL OWNER			
OWNERS STREET ADDRESS			
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	
NAME OF HANDLER			

I certify that I am the actual owner of this dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual dog whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I agree to abide by all the Rules of the American Kennel Club and the standard procedures governing these Earthdog Tests and any decisions made in accordance with them, and I further agree that the dog is entered in and will be at these Tests at my own risk and that I will hold the Test giving club, its members and agents free from liability for any claims arising out of the entry of the dog or its presence at the trial.

SIGNATURE of owner or agent

duly authorized to make entry _____
phone No. & email _____

Address of agent (if any signs above line for owner)

Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

GGDC

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1852 Feathergrass Court
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Pat Price, Test Secretary
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priceg@sbcglobal.net

ENTRY CONFIRMATION

Check here for entry confirmation via e-mail.

E-mail address: _____

PLEASE PRINT

OR

Send a self-addressed, stamped postcard with your entry forms.

NO CONFIRMATIONS SENT AFTER 2/21/2024

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Enter in class:		Call Name	
Registered Name of Dog			
AKC Reg. #		or AKC Litter #	
Or Foreign Reg. # AND Country of Registry		MALE <input type="checkbox"/>	FEMALE <input type="checkbox"/>
BREED	VARIETY	D/O/B	
SIRE			
DAM			
BREEDER			
NAME OF ACTUAL OWNER			
OWNERS STREET ADDRESS			
CITY		STATE	ZIP CODE
NAME OF HANDLER			

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phone No. & email _____

Address of agent (if any signs above line for owner)
Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

VETERINARIAN (ON CALL)

Animal Care Clinic of Woodland, 214 5th St., Woodland, CA (530) 666-1973
 University of California, Davis, 1 Shield Avenue, Davis, CA (530) 752-0186

MOTELS WHICH ACCEPT WELL BEHAVED DOGS

Motel 6, 1564 E. Main Street, Woodland, CA (530) 666-6777
 Phoenix Inn, 1524 E. Main Street, Woodland, CA (530) 666-3800

The test site is property of the Woodland YMCA, and we appreciate being allowed to use the site for our tests. Please help us retain the use of these grounds by cleaning up after yourself and your dogs.

Thanks to these people who made donations for this event: Nancy Kast, Patricia & Gerald Price, Carolyn Menges, Maggie Craig, Tim Durland, Nancy Gimblett, Chip and Leslie Savoye.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!!!

An Earthdog test event takes a lot of work and any help you can give will be appreciated. Volunteers are needed to help with the Dig-in/Preparation of Test Site on Friday, February 24 (please plan to arrive at noon on Friday.) Volunteers will receive a free dinner Saturday night. If you can volunteer for dig-in, please email Jerry Price at priceg@sbcglobal.net. As soon as the tunnels are completed, there will be a practice for Junior & Intro levels. There will be a \$5.00 charge for each run. Another practice for all levels will be held Saturday depending how much help there is. It will also be \$5.00 per run.

Volunteers are also needed for the following:

- Rat Wranglers for Senior and Master for all four tests.
- Gate Stewards for all events.
- Assistance for cleanup, digging out tunnels, and packing the trailer on Sunday.

Liz Carter is going to hold **NASDA** trial at this event. To get a premium or information, please contact Mary Powell at 530 828-2419 or mary@lotsadogs.org.



RV PARKING / DINNER RESERVATION FORM

The YMCA charges \$25/day for the use of electricity in conjunction with their RV sites at Nelson Grove. This fee is only applicable if you plan on plugging into the electricity. If you do not require a hook-up or plan to use your own generator, there is no fee.

- There are limited spots available with electrical hook-ups, so please reserve with us or we cannot guarantee one will be available for your use.
- Please contact Jerry Price at priceg@sbcglobal.net to see if a space with power is available BEFORE you send in your RV reservation form.
- Please complete the form below if you plan to bring an RV, regardless of whether or not you would like electricity.

I will require overnight RV Parking and/or will join for pizza and salad Saturday night:

	No Electricity	Electricity / Dinner amount
<input type="checkbox"/> Friday Night RV Parking	<input type="checkbox"/> no charge	<input type="checkbox"/> \$25
<input type="checkbox"/> Saturday Night RV Parking	<input type="checkbox"/> no charge	<input type="checkbox"/> \$25
<input type="checkbox"/> Saturday Night Dinner		0 \$10 per person
Total		\$ _____

Name:
Address:
Phone/Email:

Mail form to:

Jerry Price
 461 Eucalyptus Avenue
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