PREMIUM LIST

2020 NCA WATER TEST

Sponsored by Pacific Northwest Newfoundland Club

Horseshoe Lake Park, Woodland, WA

Saturday, September 19, 2020
WD, WRD

Sunday, September 20, 2020
WD, WRD

Judges:

Kevin Gallagher
Vacaville, CA

Laura Gallagher
Vacaville, CA
Entries open for NCA Members August 1, 2020 (postmark date)  
Entries open for non NCA Members August 11, 2020  
Entries close August 31, 2020  
Total Entry Limit 25 per day

Site Description:  Horseshoe Lake Park is located in Woodland, WA, about 25 miles north of Portland, OR. The lake is calm fresh water. The test area is a sandy beach with water gradually increasing in depth. Swimming depth for the dogs is about 20 feet from the shore. We have use of a covered pavilion and a treed shady area for setting up x-pens and crates.

Regulations:  These Water Tests are sanctioned by the Working Dog Committee of the Newfoundland Club of America (NCA) and sponsored by the Pacific Northwest Newfoundland Club (PNNC). Entrants are responsible for obtaining and reading the current regulations. The regulations were last updated March 2018. WD and WRD regulations may be downloaded for the NCA website:  http://www.ncenewfs.org/ or purchased from NCA at: Working Dog Publications, c/o Dwight Gorsuch, 6282 Burris Rd, Rock Hill, MD 21661. Email: bearmindnewfs@gmail.com for $5.00.

Entries:  $45.00 per entry per day (WD & WRD). Please indicate on your TEST ENTRY form which days you are entering and which test.

Complete the entry form and send with the signed Agreement page, a copy of your dog's registration and the fee. Checks should be made payable to PNNC, Mail to:

Jackie Leipzig  
Water Test Secretary  
7970 SW 74th Ave  
Portland, OR 97223  
Email: leipzigjackie@gmail.com  
Phone #: 503-819-8889

Entry Limitations:  The test is limited to a total entry of 25 dogs each day, WD and WRD. Priority will be given to entries that have not earned titles in the division entered. Titled dogs may be entered for judging if entry limits have not been filled. PLEASE NOTE:  Bitches in season will be tested at the end of the day, per section 12 of the Water Test Regs.
Entries post-marked prior to Saturday, August 1, 2020 for NCA Members, or Tuesday August 11, 2020 for Non NCA Members will not be accepted.

Entries close and must be received by the secretary no later than Monday August 31, 2020 at 6:00 PM.

Requalifiers will be accepted on a “space available” basis. In other words, untitled dogs will be given first priority even if their entry is postmarked after that of the titled dog. If entries fill, an alternate list will be established. Openings will be filled from the alternate list in postmark order. In the event of a postmark tie, a random drawing will be made. Any dog that passes the WD (Junior Division) at either test may post-enter the WRD test (Senior Division), regardless of the entry limit, for an additional $25.00.

Bitches in Season: Bitches in season will be allowed to participate.

Bitches in season that are entered in any division will be judged at the conclusion of the WRD portion of the test on Saturday and Sunday. They will be kept out of the test area and away from all other dogs until called for by the judges.

Practice: The test site will be available for practice on Friday afternoon prior to the test. There will be a boat available for your use but a rower will not be provided. The time will be announced in the confirmation letter. There will be an unofficial practice session on Saturday, September 19th at the conclusion of the day’s events. A boat will be available for use. Please Note: Dogs are required to be on leash at all times except during the actual test. Off leash dogs are subject to fines and the Park is patrolled regularly.

Food: Morning hospitality and lunch will be provided to all exhibitors and stewards on the test days. Morning will consist of coffee and or tea. Each person will need to take care to eat a healthy breakfast at home or bring it with you. Lunch will be a boxed lunch provided by PNNC, or you may bring your own. We will also provide bottled water. More information will be provided in the confirmation letter. Friday night there will be NO community dinner. Saturday, after the test and awards we will provide a space inside the shelter for an informal dinner. Each guest will need to provide their own food and beverage of choice. So sorry for the inconvenience, during this time it has been strongly suggested to not provide communal food.
Volunteers: If you are interested in stewarding please contact:

Larry Roe
503-504-9651
Email: alawrenceroe@gmail.com

If you are interested in helping in any other capacity, raffle, site set up or tear down contact:

Jackie Leipzig
5034-819-8889
Email: leipzigjackie@gmail.com

Lodging: Exhibitors are responsible for finding their own lodging.

Best Western in Woodland: 1-360-225-1000

Quality Inn and Suites: (13 miles from Woodland) 1-877-424-6423

Emergency Vet:

Columbia River Veterinary Specialist
1-360-694-3007
6607 NE 84th St
Suite 109
Vancouver WA 98665

Catalog Advertising: Catalog advertising will be accepted until August 25, 2020. Only camera ready will be accepted. All advertisers will receive a complimentary catalog. Rates are $15.00 for a full page (5 1/2 x 8 1/2”) and $8.00 for a half page (5x4”). Send copy to the Test Secretary.

Donations: Donations will be gratefully accepted at any time and will acknowledged in the catalog if received by August 25, 2020.
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Tentative Schedule
Saturday and Sunday: WD Division check in no earlier that 8:00 AM. Equipment check will take place on the beach before each entrant’s test begins.
WRD Division check in at 11:00 AM. Equipment check will be the same at the WD Division, on the beach before each entrant’s test begins.

This is a tentative schedule. The final schedule will be sent in the confirmation letter after we have a count of actual entries.

PLEASE NOTE:
PNNC WILL BE FOLLOWING LOCAL LAWS REGARDING COVID-19. AT THE PRESENT TIME THE GOVERNOR OF WASHINGTON HAS MANDATED THE WEARING OF A MASK OR FACE COVERING AT ALL EVENTS, BOTH INDOOR AND OUTDOOR. WE WILL BE REQUIRING THAT EVERYONE (ENTRANTS, STEWARDS, JUDGES, VOLUNTEERS) WEAR PROTECTIVE FACE COVERINGS AT ALL TIMES. THE ONLY EXCEPTION WILL BE WHEN YOU ARE ACTIVELY IN THE WATER SWIMMING. START PRACTICING
WITH YOUR MASKS! WE ARE SUGGESTING THAT YOU BRING SEVERAL WITH YOU TO ENSURE YOU HAVE A FUNCTIONAL MASK THROUGHOUT THE DAY, THEY WILL GET WET! WE ARE HOPEFUL THE NUMBER OF COVID-19 CASES WILL STABILIZE BUT ARE AWARE THAT THINGS CAN CHANGE AND THE GOVERNOR MAY DECIDE TO CLOSE THE PARKS AND RESTRICT GATHERINGS. IF THIS WERE TO OCCUR, YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED BY EMAIL AND ALL ENTRY FEES WILL BE RETURNED. LET’S ALL DO OUR BEST TO HELP STOP THE SPREAD OF THE COVID-19 VIRUS BY UTILIZING THE SAFETY PRECAUTIONS SET FORTH BY OUR LOCAL GOVERNMENT!