



Combined Premium List
Newfoundland Club of America 2024
Back-to-Back Draft Test
AND
All Breed Draft Test*
Hosted by the
Heart of America Newfoundland Club

**BDD / DD, DD Team / DDX , DDX Team TEST
Saturday April 13th, 2024**

**BDD / DD, DD Team / DDX , DDX Team TEST
April 14th, 2024**

**Check in time 7:15 – 8:00 a.m. each day
Test to begin 8:00 a.m. each day**

All-Breed Draft Tests* to follow NCA Tests on each day
Judges: George Norman and Lawren Kinney

Entries will be limited to 15 Single or Team entries with a max of 5 DDX/TDDX.

An alternate list will be kept.

Minimum 5 entries each day to hold tests.

Entries for requalification will be accepted only if the entry limit is not met.

****ALL BREED TESTING FOLLOWING NCA EVENT. This is NOT an NCA event.**

Entries for ALL BREED will be accepted only if the entry limit is not met. **

Entries close 5:00 p.m. CT on Monday April 1, 2024

***An inherent risk of exposure to Covid-19 exists in any public place where people are present. Covid- 19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and death. By attending/entering this event, you assume all risks related to potential exposure to COVID-19.**

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Certification: The Heart of America Newfoundland Club has been granted permission to hold this Draft Test by the Working Dog Committee of the Newfoundland Club of America in Accordance with the Draft Test Regulations updated in 2022.

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Entries

Eligibility: NCA Draft Tests are open to purebred Newfoundland dogs of either sex that are at least 18 months old on the date of the test. Other restrictions listed in the NCA Draft Test Regulations also apply. In accordance with NCA rules, other breeds may be eligible to enter provided the test is not full, other breeds are not judged until after all Newfoundland's have been judged, including bitches in season, and the Newfoundland test is considered finished.

General Information:

ENTRY FEES & LIMITS: The entry fee is \$50 for a single or team entry per day. Entries are limited to 5 Single or Team entries in DDX/TDDX and 15 BDD, DD/TDD each day for a total of 15 entries throughout divisions. An alternate list will be kept. The minimum is 5 entries each day to hold tests. Post Entries will not be allowed for this test.

NCA Member Entries must be postmarked March 1, 2024 or later. Entries received without a CHECK MARK in the box indicating that the owner/co-owner is an NCA member will be assumed to come from a non-NCA member. Entries received with postmarks earlier than the stated date will be returned. To take advantage of the early entry rule, if the dog is co-owned, either all co- owners of the dog must be NCA members or the handler must be an NCA member.

NON NCA Member Entries must be postmarked March 11, 2024 or later. Entries received with postmarks earlier than the stated date will be returned. After this date, all injuries will be treated equally, whether the owner is an NCA member or not.

ENTRY CLOSING. Entries close at 5:00 p.m. CDT April 1, 2024. Every effort will be made to notify each handler at least 10 days before the test. If entries exceed the published entry limit, the draft test secretary will notify alternates of the position on the alternate list as per regulations.

Acceptance of Entries. Entries will be accepted by mail. The slots available will be filled in the following manner:

- 1) If the number of entries with the same date exceeds the number of available slots, a drawing will take place to fill the vacancies and determine the alternates for each test.
- 2) All entries received after the entry limit is filled will be placed on an alternate list by order of those without titles in order of postmark, followed by requalifiers in order of postmark.
- 3) If absentees or withdrawals occur prior to the start of the test, the test secretary will substitute entries from the alternate list.

WITHDRAWING ENTRIES AND REFUNDS: To withdraw an entry, the entrant must notify the test secretary by telephone, email or U.S mail. The secretary must confirm receipt of such notifications. The entrant will receive a full refund of the entry fee if the notification is received prior to the closing date for entries. After the closing date has passed, no refunds will be given, with the exception of alternates that did not get into the test. In addition, an entrant with one dog in the test and another on the alternate list may not substitute one dog for the other. If the entrant must pull the entered dog, then the first dog on the alternate list will fill the opening. If the test does not meet the minimum entry requirements, refunds will be given.

CHANGING TO TEAM DIVISION: A change of entry from individual to team division must be submitted to the Test Secretary by 6:00 PM the night before the test in accordance with the NCA Draft Test Regulations.

SPECTATORS AND UNENTERED DOGS: Spectators are welcome at the Draft Test as long as the following test and COVID 19 rules are followed. Unentered dogs, and those that are not being tested at the time are not permitted in the official Draft Test areas. As a courtesy to our exhibitors, we ask that all dogs be kept quiet and leashed or crated. As Specified in the Draft Test Regulations, handlers and dogs (except bitches in season) are allowed a 30 minute period to familiarize themselves with the test areas. They may not walk the Maneuvering or Distance Freight Haul courses after this period.

Bitches in Season. Bitches in season or with ovarian sparing spay will be allowed to compete after all other entries. They must be crated away from the other entries in an area designated by the test committee. Their handlers should notify a member of the test committee upon their arrival, or earlier, if possible.

OBTAINING REGULATIONS: This test will be judged under the rules of NCA Draft Test Regulations, copyrighted 2022. It is the responsibility of the handler to obtain and know these rules. Copies of these regulations may be obtained at www.ncanewfs.org

EQUIPMENT: Each exhibitor is responsible for his or her own draft equipment and freight haul load.

DDX WEIGHT EXCHANGE: The DDX freight exchange will be 30 # dry dog food. Dimensions: 18 x 26 x 4 inches



TDDX WEIGHT EXCHANGE: The TDDX freight exchange will be 50 # bag of dry sand. Dimensions: 18 x 14 x 2 inches



TROPHIES: Each qualifier will receive a trophy to commemorate their new title.

WAIVER OF RIGHTS – Animals in Distress: The Newfoundland Club of America, Inc, and the regional club hosting this event reserve the right to remove any animal in distress from a parked vehicle or crate, and all persons attending this dog event hereby waives any claim for damages against the Club for such removal. The NCA regards the health, safety and life of any dog on the event grounds to be paramount to other property or privacy rights. If the owner cannot be found in a timely manner, we will take whatever action is necessary for the safety of the dog, which may include breaking windows to enter a vehicle. Dogs found in an unsafe environment, distress, or in harm's way (for example, left in a vehicle without proper ventilation) will be removed to safety. Exposing a dog to an unsafe environment, distress or harm's way is considered mistreatment and subject to appropriate discipline.

NCA AGGRESSION POLICY The WDC and the NCA have adopted the AKC official policy concerning dog attacks that lead to an injury, either to a person or to another dog. Also, Advanced Draft Test judges may excuse, and even ask to have removed from a test site, if necessary, any dog that appears dangerous to other dogs or persons

AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows: Chapter 11, Section 15- Any dog, that in the opinion of the Event Committee, attacks a person or dog at an AKC event, resulting in an injury, and is believed by that Event Committee to present a hazard to persons or other dogs, shall be disqualified by the Event Committee pursuant to this section, a report shall be filed with the Executive Secretary of The American Kennel Club. The disqualified dog may not again compete at any AKC event nor be on the grounds of an AKC event unless and until, following application for reinstatement by the owner to the 11 American Kennel Club, the owner receives official notification in writing from the AKC that the dog's eligibility has been reinstated.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday

7:15-8:00 AM	Exhibitor check-in All BDD, DD/TD, DDX/TDDX
8:00 AM	BDD Course Familiarization up to 30 minutes
8:00 AM	Alternates assigned if needed, All BDD, DD/TDD, DDX/TDDX
8:15 AM	BDD Stewards Meeting
8:30 AM	BDD Judges and Q&A meeting with entrants
8:45 AM	BDD test begins
To Follow:	DD/TDD course Familiarization - up to 30 minutes
To Follow:	DD/TDD Stewards Meeting
To Follow:	DD/TDD Judges and Q&A meeting with entrants
To Follow:	DD/TDD test begins
To Follow:	DDX/TDDX course Familiarization - up to 30 minutes
To Follow:	DDX/TDDX Stewards Meeting
To Follow:	DDX/TDDX Judges and Q&A meeting with entrants
To Follow:	DDX/TDDX test begins
Lunch Break at Judge's Discretion	

Sunday

7:15-8:00 AM	Exhibitor check-in All BDD, DD/TD, DDX/TDDX
8:00 AM	DDX/TDDX Course Familiarization up to 30 minutes
8:00 AM	Alternates assigned if needed, All BDD, DD/TDD, DDX/TDDX
8:15 AM	DDX/TDDX Stewards Meeting
8:30 AM	DDX/TDDX Judges and Q&A meeting with entrants
8:45 AM	DDX/TDDX test begins
To Follow:	DD/TDD course Familiarization - up to 30 minutes
To Follow:	DD/TDD Stewards Meeting
To Follow:	DD/TDD Judges and Q&A meeting with entrants
To Follow:	DD/TDD test begins
To Follow:	BDD course Familiarization - up to 30 minutes
To Follow:	BDD Stewards Meeting
To Follow:	BDD Judges and Q&A meeting with entrants
To Follow:	BDD test begins
Lunch Break at Judge's Discretion	

OTHER IMPORTANT STUFF

MEALS:

Information on Meals will be provided with entrants acceptance email.

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

BLUE PEARL PET HOSPITAL
3495 NE RALPH POWELL RD.
LEES SUMMIT MO 64064
PHONE: 8165544990
OPEN 24/7.

HOTEL

Best Western (will take dogs)
4825 NE Lakewood Way
Lees Summit MO 64064
Phone: 816 795 6400

RV PARKING

BLUE SPRINGS LAKE CAMPGROUND
Address: 5400 NE Campground Rd, Lee's Summit, MO 64064
Phone: [\(816\) 503-4805](tel:8165034805)

ABOUT THE SITE: Information AND directions can be obtained at the following web site.

<https://www.makeyourdayhere.com/Events-Attractions/Outdoor-Education/Kemper-Outdoor-Education-Center>

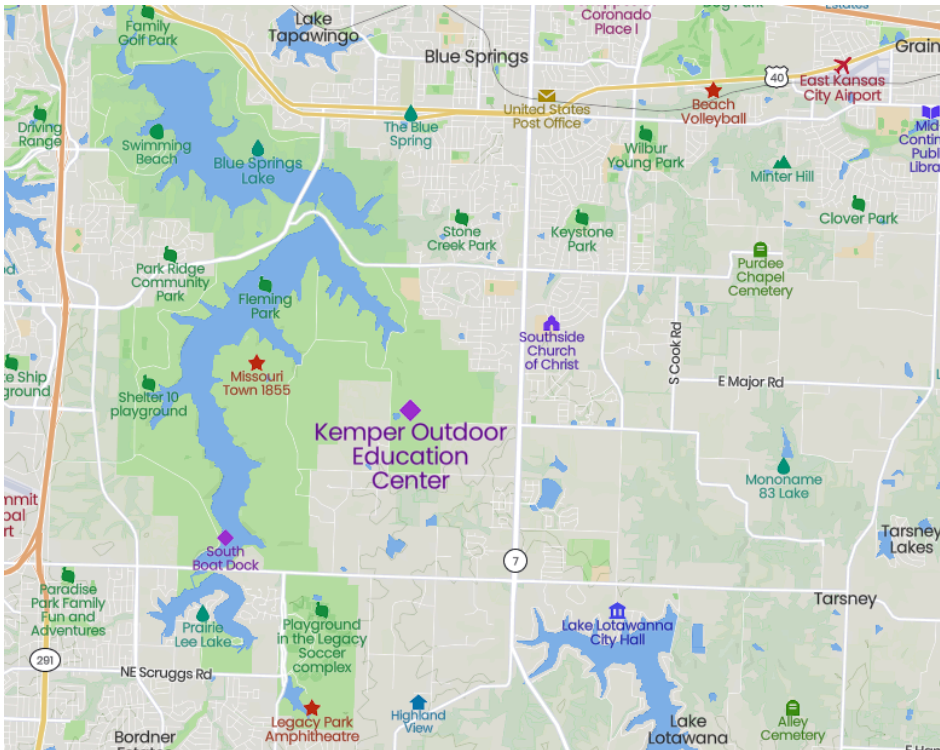
Kemper Outdoor Education Center is located at 8201 S Jasper Bell Rd, Blue Springs, MO 64015.

GROUND SURFACES MOSTLY GRASS. MILD TO MODERATE SLOPES.

PROPER FOOTWEAR FOR RUGGED AND WET TERRAIN IS RECOMMENDED



Map to test site.



From 1-70 & 7 Hwy in Blue Springs

1. Go south 5 miles on 7 Highway
2. Turn right on Cowherd Road (by Doug's Outdoor Power and Cell Phone Tower)
3. Turn right on Jasper Bell Road (first right)
4. Go a half-mile to Kemper Outdoor Education Center
5. Entrance on right (stone wall and iron gates at entrance)

From 291 Highway & Colbern Road in Lee's Summit

1. Go east 3 miles on Colbern Road
2. Turn left (north) on Cyclone School Road
3. Turn right on Lochkirk
4. There's a jog in Lochkirk- go right at stop sign, then left
5. Right on Cowherd (T -intersection)
6. Take first left turn (Jasper Bell Road)
7. Go 0.5 miles to Kemper Outdoor Education Center
8. Entrance on right (stone wall and iron gates at entrance)

From Johnson County, Kansas

1. Go east on I-435 to I-470 East
2. Take the Colbern Road/Douglas Street exit (exit 9)
3. Turn left
4. Turn right at stop light
5. Go east 3.75 miles on Colbern Road;
6. Turn left (north) on Cyclone School Road
7. Turn right on Lochkirk
8. There's a jog in Lochkirk - go right at stop sign, then left
9. Turn right on Cowherd (T -intersection)
10. Take first left turn (Jasper Bell Road)
11. Go 0.5 miles to Kemper Outdoor Education Center
12. Entrance on right (stone wall and iron gates at entrance)

From North of the Missouri River

1. Take I-29 south to I-70 east
 - Or I-35 south to I-70 east
 - Or I-435 east (toward St. Louis) to I-70 east
2. Go east on I-70 to the 7 Highway exit in Blue Springs
3. Exit and turn right
4. Go south 5 miles on 7 Highway
5. Turn right on Cowherd Road (by Doug's Outdoor Power and Cell Phone Tower)
6. Turn right on Jasper Bell Road (first right)

7. Go 0.5 miles to Kemper Outdoor Education Center
8. Entrance on right (stone wall and iron gates at entrance)

From the Southeast

1. Take 50 Highway or Colbern Road west
2. Go north on Missouri 7 Highway
3. Turn left on Cowherd Road (by Doug's Outdoor Power and Cell Phone Tower)
4. Turn right on Jasper Bell Road (first right)
5. Go 0.5 miles to Kemper Outdoor Education Center
6. Entrance on right (stone wall and iron gates at entrance)

NO PRACTICE WILL BE ALLOWED AT THE SITE.



NEWFOUNDLAND CLUB OF AMERICA WORKING TEST ENTRY

Test Location: Kemper Outdoor Education Center

Test Giving Club: Heart of America Newfoundland Club

CLASS	REQUAL	DATE 1	DATE 2	DATE 3

ENTER WD, WRD, WRDX, BDD, DD, TDD, DDX OR TDDX UNDER CLASS

Entries close at: 5:00 am/pm, On: 4/1/24. Entries postmarked before 3/1/24 (NCA Members) or 3/11/24 (non NCA-Members) will be returned.

Entries must be received by the test secretary, by mail, by the closing date and time.

Entries not received by the closing date and time will not be accepted even if postmarked before this date!

Send entries with \$ 50 Entry fee payable to: HANC

Return entries to the Test Secretary: Sarah McDowell
1439 E 515th Rd
Morrisville, MO 65710

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY:

****Information on this form will be use for record keeping and to generate a certificate of qualification should the dog and handler pass. (Only AKC, NCA & CKC titles are allowed)**

Attach a current copy of this dog's AKC Registration

Owner's Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Full Name of Dog: _____

AKC/ CKC/ ILP/PAL# _____ Date of Birth: _____ Sex: _____

Sire: _____

Dam: _____

Breeder (s): _____

_____ Call Name: _____

Handler's Name: _____

****Entry Form Must Be Signed To Be A Valid Entry**

**** I understand that I enter my dog in this NCA Working Test at my own risk.**

I have read the Test Regulations and understand them. I agree to abide by the Test Regulations, the NCA Constitution and By-Laws and further agree to be bound by the Entry Agreement included in the premium for this test.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

(Signature of Owner/ Agent duly authorized make this entry)

Day Phone: () _____ Home Phone: () _____

E-Mail: _____ NCA MEMBER: _____ YES _____ NO

NCA WORKING EVENT AGREEMENT

I (we) acknowledge that the NCA test regulations have been made available to me (us) and that I am (we are) familiar with their contents. 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. I (we) agree that I(we) will uphold the AKC Code of Sportsmanship, the NCA Code of Ethics, and (if applicable) the NCA Judges Code of Ethics. 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 ribbons or trophies, I (we) agree to hold this club, its members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents, or test secretary and the owner or lessor of the premises or grounds and the 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 test premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim or loss of the dog by disappearance, theft, damage or injury, be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the club or any of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person or any other causes. I (we) agree that any violation of the AKC Code of Sportsmanship, the NCA Code of Ethics and/or the Judges Code of Ethics will be handled pursuant to the Grievance policies listed on the NCA website.

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, or my vehicle arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this test, 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 other persons.

I agree to grant to this club, and its authorized representatives permission to record on photography film and/or video, pictures of my participation. I further agree that any or all of the material photographed may be used, in any form, as part of any future publications, brochure, or other printed materials used to promote NCA or the regional club, and further that such use shall be without payment of fees, royalties, special credit or other compensation.

- The Newfoundland Club of America, this regional club, its members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents, test committee, reserves the right to remove any animal in distress from a parked car or crate, and all persons attending this dog event hereby waive any claim for damages against the club for such removal. I understand that exposing a dog to an unsafe environment, distress, or harm's way is considered mistreatment and subject to appropriate discipline.

Signature: _____