

UPCOMING EARTHDOG TRIALS IN TEXAS!!

Dallas/Ft. Worth Dachshund Club: Oct 21-22, Red Oak, Texas
Contact: Zandra Clay zandraclay@gmail.com

Tejas Earthdogs of Southeast Texas: Nov 4-5, Santa Fe, Texas
Contact; Doreen Workman doreen77@earthlink.net

**THREE GREAT WEEKENDS OF EARTHDOG TRIALS TO
 FINISH OUT THE YEAR!!**



Border Terrier Club of America, Inc.
AKC Member Club
AKC EARTHDOG TESTS
 Licensed by the American Kennel Club
 AKC Events #2006205116 and #2006205117
Saturday and Sunday, October 14 & 15, 2006
Raveneaux Ranch 6100 FM 1467
May, Texas 76857
Show Hours: 7:00 A.M. – 6:00 P.M.



Classes Offered:
Introduction to Quarry (Intro) Non-regular class – Open to dogs who have not earned an Earthdog title. No title available for participation. Not a pre-requisite for entry to any other class.
Junior Earthdog (JE)– Open to dogs that have not qualified in a Senior Earthdog test.
Senior Earthdog (SE)– Open to dogs that have earned a junior Earthdog title.
Master Earthdog (ME)– Open to dogs that have earned a Senior Earthdog title.
All dogs entered in ME must be present at test site no later than 8:30 AM each day for bracing.

ENTRY FEES:			
Intro pre-entry:	\$10.00	Day of Trial:	\$16.00
JE, SE pre-entry:	\$12.00	Day of Trial:	\$16.00
Masters, pre-entry only:	\$18.00	Move-ups for Sunday:	\$18.00

CLOSING TIMES AND ORDER OF JUDGING			
Saturday & Sunday:			
Masters	by pre-entry only	Judging begins at 9:00 AM	
Intro	8:45 AM	Judging begins 30 minutes after Masters completes	
Seniors	9:30 AM	Judging begins 30 minutes after Masters completes	
Juniors	10:30 AM	Judging begins 30 minutes after Seniors completes	

Pre-entries close at Show Secretary's residence at 6:00 PM on Friday, Oct. 6, 2006, after which time pre-entries cannot be canceled, substituted or accepted. No entries will be taken over the phone or electronically. Master Earthdog is by pre-entry only. Dogs earning their SE title on Saturday may enter Sunday's Master class provided the test secretary is notified no later than 8:30 AM Sunday.

Make checks payable to BTCA. Send entries and fees to:
 Danielle Eiker
 5540 Rearn Drive
 The Colony, Texas 75056
 972-951-3133
 Email: snowwhite329@yahoo.com

Date	Intro	JE	SE	Master
10/14	Duane Pulford	JoAnn Wolf	Tristin Ridderhoff	Duane Pulford
10/15	Tristin Ridderhoff	Duane Pulford	Duane Pulford	JoAnn Wolf
Duane Pulford		2048 26 th Ave NW	Rochester, MN 55901	
Tristin Ridderhoff		603 E. Chandler Rd.	Round Rock, TX 78664	
JoAnn Wolf		11106 Blossom Bell Drive	Austin, TX 78758	

CERTIFICATION: Permission has been granted by the AKC for the holding of this event under the AKC club rules and regulations. James Crowley, Secretary

OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President.....JoAnn Frier-Murza
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EARTHDOG TEST COMMITTEE

Earthdog Chairman.....Robbie Johnson
6100 FM 1467 East May, TX 76857 325-641-2912 RavenRotts@aol.com
Secretary.....Danielle Eiker
5540 Rearn Drive The Colony, TX 75056 972-951-3133 snowwhite329@yahoo.com
Committee Members:.....Ellis Johnson
Danielle Eiker, Robbie Johnson, Cassie Becker, Cathy Meyer

TROPHIES

Each passing entrant will receive a BTCA rosette. Prizes will be given for each dog achieving their title.

ATTENTION EXHIBITORS

1. No dogs under 6 months of age will be allowed to enter.
2. No bitches in season will be allowed to run. Entry fees paid for a bitch that comes into season will not be refunded.
3. Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified or excused by the Judge or Veterinarian, or barred by the Test Committee. No entry fees will be returned if the Test cannot start or be completed due to an Act of God or any cause beyond control of the Test Committee.
4. The owner or handler entering a dog in these Tests does so at his or her own risk and agrees to assume responsibility for any damage caused by him/her or by his/her dog. He/she also agrees to abide by all rules set forth in this Premium list.
5. Barking dogs outside the Test Area are to be removed from the area but not disciplined for barking.
6. No dog will be allowed in the Test Area until his or her judging time.
7. Lunch break will be at judge's discretion.
8. **USE OF FLEXI-LEADS WITHIN TEST/TRIAL PRECINCT IS PROHIBITED.** The test/trial precincts are within 100 feet of the test/trial area.

DIRECTIONS TO SHOW SITE

Coming East Bound or West Bound on I-20, take the Cisco Exit and head South on Highway 183. Pass through Rising Star and May. Approximately 7 miles South of May, turn left onto FM 1467. Go 2.2 miles and Raveneaux Ranch will be on the right hand side of the road. There is a large ram's skull on the gate and a wooden sign that says "Johnson". Coming from Austin, take Hwy 183 North through Brownwood to FM 1467 and turn right and go 2.2 miles and it will be on the right.

MOTELS

America's Best Value Inn	Brownwood, Texas 76801	(325) 646-3511	
Days Inn	515 E. Commerce	Brownwood, Texas 76801	(325) 646-2551
Gate 1 Inn	4410 Hwy. 377 South	Brownwood, Texas 76804	(325) 643-5463

Exhibitors note: The above motels are listed for your convenience. Please verify locations and directions to the motel and if they allow pets.

Please clean up after your dogs, be courteous and do not leave dogs unattended in the rooms. **We reserve the right to have event committee jurisdiction over motel rooms listed above.** We appreciate your cooperation.

CAMPING

If you wish to camp, you may do so but there are no electric hookups, water or sewer services. R.V.'s with generators are allowed as well. Raveneaux Ranch is a working ranch so please pick up all trash and cigarette butts as they pose a danger to the livestock. If you find an open gate, leave it open and if you find a closed gate, close it behind you. Please call 325-641-2912 to make reservations for camping.

LUNCH

Lunch can be purchased both days and will consist of hot dogs, chips and drinks. You may drive into Brownwood for lunch as there are several fast food restaurants there. It is about 13 miles to Brownwood, going South on Highway 183.

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Dr. David Geeslin,
325-643-2275
1001A North Fisk Avenue
Brownwood, Texas 76801

Directions to Vet: Take Highway 183 South into Brownwood. At the first red light, turn right onto Highway 377. At the second stop light turn left. You will see the Small Animal Veterinary Clinic on the left.

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB ENTRY FORM
EARTHDOG TEST

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***** One entry form per dog per day required. *****

I enclose \$ _____ for entry fees.

IMPORTANT - Read carefully instructions on reverse side before filling out.

BREED	SEX
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AKC REGISTERED NAME OF DOG	CALL NAME OF DOG
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Enter Number Here ____ AKC Reg. No. ____ AKC Litter No. ____ ILP No. ____ Foreign No. & Country	Date of Birth
	Place of Birth ____ USA ____ Canada ____ Foreign

BREEDER:

SIRE:

DAM:

ACTUAL OWNER(S):

OWNER'S ADDRESS:

CITY: STATE ZIP CODE

NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT (IF ANY) AT SHOW: _____

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 trial/test, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the Premium List for this Trial/Test, 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.

SIGNATURE of Owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry

TELEPHONE:

EMAIL:

****NOTE: ENTRY FORMS MUST CONTAIN BOTH FRONT AND BACK. ENTRIES CONTAINING ONLY THE FRONT WILL BE RETURNED TO THE SENDER****

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I (we) acknowledge that the 'Rules Applying to Dog Shows' and the 'Rules Applying to Registration and Discipline' and 'Regulations for Earthdog Tests for Small Terriers and Dachshunds' have been made available to me (us), and I am (we are) familiar with their contents. I (we) agree that the club holding this Earthdog Test 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 Test and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prize, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold this club, its members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or show secretary and the 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 aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes.

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 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 Earthdog 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 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 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.**

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