

Premium List - 2006 National Specialty
American Belgian Tervuren Club, Inc.

(Member of the American Kennel Club - Outdoors/Unbenched)



Variable Surface Tracking Test
April 30, 2006

#2006131634 (Eisenhower Elementary School)

#2006131635 (Gettysburg High School)

& #2006131636 (Gettysburg Area Middle School)

Eisenhower Elementary School - 120 East Broadway, Gettysburg, VA

Gettysburg Middle School - 37 Lefever Street Gettysburg, VA

Gettysburg High School - 1130 Old Harrisburg Road, Gettysburg, VA

Show Hours: 6AM - 5PM

Entries Close: Wednesday, 6PM, April 5, 2006

Test is open to all AKC Registered Belgian Tervuren Only

Entry Limit: 3 Dogs

VST Test Secretary - Dan Tratnack

985 Bald Rock Road

Verona, VA 24482-2925

540-248-3443 dtratnack@cfw.com

Entries Close April 5, 2006

American Belgian Tervuren Club National Specialty

Sunday, April 30 – Saturday, May 6, 2006

Tentative Schedule of Events

Sunday, April 30

- Herding – Keepstone Farm – Berryville, VA
- VST – Gettysburg Schools – Gettysburg, PA

Monday, May 1

- Agility – Hotel Carlisle – Carlisle, PA

Tuesday, May 2

- Agility #2 – Hotel Carlisle – Carlisle, PA
- TDX & TD – Redding Farm – Gettysburg, PA
- Welcome Reception – Hotel Carlisle – Carlisle, PA

Wednesday, May 3

- Sweepstakes – Hotel Carlisle – Carlisle, PA
- Health Clinic – Hotel Carlisle – Carlisle, PA
- Suzanne Clothier Seminar – Hotel Carlisle – Carlisle, PA

Thursday, May 4

- Obedience – Hotel Carlisle – Carlisle, PA
- Conformation – Dogs – Hotel Carlisle – Carlisle, PA
- Suzanne Clothier Private Lessons – Hotel Carlisle – Carlisle, PA
- Honor & Rescue Parade – Hotel Carlisle – Carlisle, PA

Friday, May 5

- Conformation – Bitch Classes - Hotel Carlisle – Carlisle, PA
- Annual Meeting – Hotel Carlisle – Carlisle, PA

Saturday, May 6

- Best of Breed – Hotel Carlisle – Carlisle, PA
- Awards Banquet – Hotel Carlisle – Carlisle, PA

ACCOMMODATIONS (Exhibitors should contact hotels directly to confirm rates and pet policies. Additional hotels and campgrounds available upon request from test chairman.)

Hotel Carlisle (host hotel) – 1700 Harrisburg Pike, Carlisle, PA, 717-243-1717 or 1-800-692-7315.

Comfort Inn – 871 York Rd. 717-337-2400. \$99 per night, no charge for dogs. (7 miles)

Holiday Inn Express — 869 York Rd. 717-337-1400. \$99 per night, no charge for dogs. (7 miles)

Gettysburg Travel Lodge – 613 Baltimore St. 1-800-578-7878. \$99 per night, \$25 one time pet fee. (7 miles)

Red Carpet Inn – (Mom & Pop) 2450 Emmitsburg Rd. 717-334-1345. From \$74, \$5 per night pet fee. (7.8 miles)

Western Inn – (Mom & Pop) 2520 Emmitsburg Rd. 717-334-1339. \$55 per night, \$5 per dog one time fee. (13 miles)

ROUTES TO THE VST TRACKING TEST

From Hotel Carlisle – Take I-81 south to Chambersburg. Exit 47-A/PA 34 South. Take PA 34 South approx. 22 miles. Turn left on Goldenville Rd, go 1.0 miles. Turn right on Table Rock Rd. Go 1.1 miles to Redding Farm. Drawing will be held at Redding Farm.

From U.S. Rt. 15 – Take York Rd. (Rt. 30) west toward Gettysburg. Turn right on Shealer Rd (Hampton Inn on corner). At 1.1 miles, Shealer becomes Boyd's School Road. Continue 0.8 miles to Table Rock Rd. Turn right. Go 1.4 miles to Redding Farm (on right). Drawing will be held at Redding Farm.

ENTRY FEES

Includes \$1.50 AKC Event Services Fee and \$.50 AKC Recording Fee

VST Tracking Test Entry Fee.....\$90

Make all checks payable (US Funds) to **ABTC-2006**. Mail check & entry form(s) on the enclosed AKC entry form or facsimile to:

Dan Tratrack
985 Bald Rock Road
Verona, VA 24482-2925
540-248-3443
dtratrack@cfw.com

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AWARDS

Hand Beaded Ribbons made and donated by Karen Collins

Each dog that passes in the VST test will receive a duffel bag with the ABTC logo, a dark green qualifying rosette and a hand beaded ribbon.

The American Belgian Tervuren Club, Inc. offers these prizes through the generosity of donors to the trophy fund. All donors' names will be listed in the specialty catalog.

GENERAL INFORMATION & TEST RULES

- 1) Eligibility - This test is for dogs that have earned the TD or TDX title. A dog may continue to compete in this test after it has earned the VST title. However, the test secretary shall give priority to entries for dogs that do not hold the VST title. Entries are limited to 3 dogs
- 2) Bitches in season - Bitches in season MAY participate, provided that the test secretary and judges are notified of same prior to the drawing of tracks. The last track(s) laid shall be for the bitch(es) in season. If there is more than one bitch in season, a second draw for these bitches will be held. Bitches in season will be allowed to participate in a test only after all the other dogs and bitches have been tested.
- 3) Drawing for entry acceptance - A drawing will be held on Wednesday, April 5, 2006 at 6:30 pm at the home of the trial secretary to determine which entrants will participate in the test and the position of excess entrants on the alternate list. The order of drawing for entries for the VST test, as per AKC Tracking Regulations, will be as follows: Draw 1: Belgian Tervuren without a VST title. Draw 2: Belgian Tervuren with a VST title.
- 4) Drawing for track position - The draw for running order of the tracks for the VST test will be held at 9:00 am on Sunday, April 30, 2006 at The Redding Farm. Judging will begin as soon after the draw as the first track is ready.
- 5) Test Hours & Rules - The VST test hours are from 6:00 am to 5:00 pm on Sunday, April 30, 2006. All campus rules and regulations will be observed. Dogs must remain on lead and under control at all times.
- 6) Refunds - Entry fees will be refunded to alternates who decline to be placed on the alternate list. Also, entry fees of alternates who do not participate in the test will be refunded. Entry fees will not be refunded to a scheduled entrant who is absent on the test day unless an alternate is present and runs in the place of the absent dog.
- 7) Please note - According to the AKC Tracking regulations, "A dog that is allowed to run free and off-lead, at any time before the test, during a test, after failing or after the completion of its track, shall be failed and excused."
- 8) Practicing at the test sites - You may practice at the test sites, however, we ask that no dogs be on the test sites within 3 days of the test. Only test officials and personnel should be at the school on the Saturday before the test. Please keep dogs on lead and clean up after them.

OFFICERS OF THE CLUB

President..... Linda Friedow
Vice President.....Patricia Biggins
Treasurer..... Andrea Meinhart
Secretary..... Sally Davis
1762 Bedford Cir., Fort Collins, CO 80526
AKC Delegate Janina Laurin
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VST TEST COMMITTEE

VST Test Chairman & VST Test Secretary – Dan Tratnack

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Amy Kutcher, Elly McCarthy, Pat Mock, Carolyn Wikerson

JUDGES

Ms. Allison Platt (#7307)

2818 Westfield Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21214-1233

Ms. Donna Thompson (#3630)

1144 Reynolds Road, Cross Junction, VA 22625-1723

SHOW VETERINARIAN - ON CALL

Gettysburg Animal Hospital, 996 Old Harrisburg Rd., Gettysburg, PA (717) 334-2177

Animal Emergency Medical Center

11 Willow Mill Park Rd., Mechanicsburg, PA

717-796-2334

PHOTOGRAPHER

Pup Art Photography

1317 Jefferson Avenue, Downers Grove, Illinois 60516

Directions to draw on Sunday morning.

The drawing for running order of the tracks will be held at the hay barn at the Redding Farm near the test site.

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ENTRY FEE: VST \$90 (This includes all AKC recording & event fees)

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BREED	SEX
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DOG SHOW CLASS **2 3** (check below)
 VST

NAME OF JUNIOR HANDLER	JR HANDLER NUMBER
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AKC REGISTERED NAME (Include AKC titles only)

<input type="checkbox"/> AKC REG. NO. <i>Enter number here</i> <input type="checkbox"/> AKC LITTER NO. <input type="checkbox"/> ILP NO. <input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG. NO. & COUNTRY BREEDER	DATE OF BIRTH <hr/> PLACE OF BIRTH <input type="checkbox"/> USA <input type="checkbox"/> CANADA <input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN
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SIRE

DAM

ACTUAL OWNERS

OWNERS ADDRESS NEW ADDRESS

CITY, STATE, ZIP + 4

HANDLER (<i>Junior Handler see back</i>)	FEE ENCLOSED
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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 event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, 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. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

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

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. 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 prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, 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 about the event 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, injury or damage to this dog.

Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend 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 this event, however such injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, 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.

INSTRUCTIONS

(Variety) If you are entering a dog of a breed in which there are varieties for show purposes, please designate the particular variety you are entering, i.e. Cocker Spaniel (solid color black, ASCOB, parti-color), Beagles (not exceeding 13 in., over 13 in. but not exceeding 15 in.), Dachshunds (long-haired, smooth, wirehaired), Collies (rough, smooth), Bull Terriers (colored, white), Manchester Terriers (standard, toy), Chihuahuas (smooth coat, long coat), English Toy Spaniels (King Charles and Ruby, Blenheim and Prince Charles), Poodles (toy, miniature, standard).

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If this entry is for Junior Showmanship, please give the following information:

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

JR.'S DATE OF BIRTH _____

AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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The above number MUST be included. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, this may be obtained from the American Kennel Club. Phone: (919) 854-0195.

By signing the entry form I (we) certify that the Junior Showman does not now, and will not at any time, act as an agent/handler for pay while continuing to compete in Junior Showmanship.

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If Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

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