

PREMIUM LIST



American Belgian Tervuren Club

Member of the American Kennel Club

National Specialty Tracking Tests

Combined TD/TDX Tests

Tracking Dog Event # 2023131643

Tracking Dog Excellent Event# 2023131644

Entry limited to three (3) TD and two (2) TDX tracks

(Note: If the limit for entries is not reached in one test and the limit exceeded in the other test, the number of tracks may be exchanged up to the limit set by AKC Tracking Regulations, Chapter 1, Section 13.)

TUESDAY, May 9, 2023

TD Drawing at 8:00 AM; TDX Drawing at 10:00 AM (The first track will run as soon as practical after each draw.)

Entries are open to Belgian Tervuren **ONLY**

Hillview Recreation Area

North Entrance

25544 Wren Rd, Hinton, IA 51024

(approximately 15 miles from host hotel)

ENTRIES CLOSE 6:00PM WEDNESDAY, March 29, 2023

CERTIFICATION

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of these events under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

Gina DiNardo, Secretary



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VETERINARIAN - ON CALL
 South Sioux Animal Hospital
 1550 College Way, South Sioux City, NE 68776
 (402)494-3844
 Monday-Friday 8:00 am - 5:30 pm
 Saturday 9:00 am - 12:30 pm

ENTRY FEES TD \$75 TDX \$125
 (Entry fee includes \$.50 AKC Recording fee & \$3.00 AKC Event Service Fee.)

Make checks payable to ABTC2023. Send official AKC entry form, tracking certification for TD Test and entry fee to:

Sharon Brewer, 10709 S 26th St Bellevue, NE 68123 Note: All express or overnight deliveries must be mailed to the above entry only. Express mail deliveries must include signature waiving Test Secretary's signature for receipt.

ENTRIES CLOSE WEDNESDAY, March 29, 2023, AT 6:00 PM.

AWARDS Each passing team will be awarded a Rosette, Leather Lead, and Slip Lead with the 2023 ABTC National Specialty Logo. Awards are donated through the generosity of our breed's Champion Trackers. A list of donors will be printed in the catalog. (The ABTC National Specialty Committee reserves the right to substitute any trophy for a like item as necessary.)

A special thank you to ABTC member Kat Farres for the beautiful handcrafted gift bags and draw items that will be given to all exhibitors and volunteers at our tracking test.

Please plan to join us at a local restaurant for lunch and camaraderie following the conclusion of the test. Details and directions will be available at the test.

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB ENTRY FORM
BOTH SIDES OF ENTRY FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED

American Belgian Tervuren Club
 TD/TDX Hillview Recreation Area, 25544 Wren Rd, Hinton, IA 51024
 Tuesday, May 9, 2023

MAIL Entries and Fees to:

**Sharon Brewer,
 Test Secretary
 10709 S 26th St
 Bellevue, NE 68123**

Entries close March 29, 2023 at 6:00 PM

I ENCLOSE \$..... **for entry fees**

Please typewrite or print. IMPORTANT—Read carefully instructions on reverse side before filling out. Numbers in the boxes indicate sections of the instructions relevant to the information needed in that box.

BREED Belgian Tervuren		VARIETY (1)		SEX	
DOG (2) (3) SHOW CLASS			CLASS (3) DIVISION Weight, Color, Etc.		
ADDITIONAL CLASSES		Obedience TRIAL CLASS		JUMP HEIGHT	
NAME OF (See Back) JUNIOR HANDLER (if any)				JR. HANDLER NUMBER	
FULL NAME OF DOG					
AKC REG NO. AKC LITTER NO. ILP NO. FOREIGN REG NO & COUNTRY			DATE OF BIRTH		
			PLACE OF BIRTH USA CANADA FOREIGN		
BREEDER					
SIRE					
DAM					

ACTUAL OWNER(S)(4) _____
 OWNER'S ADDRESS _____
 CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
 NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT (IF ANY) AT THE 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 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.

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent _____
 Duly authorized to make this entry _____
 Telephone # _____
 Email _____

By providing your email address, you agree to receive your judging program and confirmation electronically

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 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 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 THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN ITS PREMIUM LIST) 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

1. (Variety) if you are entering a dog of 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 (longhaired, 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).

2. The following categories of dogs may be entered and shown in Best of Breed competition: Dogs that are Champions of Record and dogs which, according to their owners records, have completed the requirements for a championship, but whose championships are unconfirmed. The showing of unconfirmed Champions in Best of Breed competition is limited to a period of 90 days from the date of the show where the dog completed the requirements for a championship.

3. (Event Class) Consult the classification in this premium list. If the event class in which you are entering your dog is divided, then, in addition to designating the class, specify the particular division of the class in which you are entering your dog, i.e. age division, color division, weight division.

4. A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for an event closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner it must be entered in the name of its new owner in any event for which entries closed after the date of acquirement, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to the AKC. (For complete rules, refer to Chapter 11, Section 3.)

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

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

JR'S DATE OF BIRTH

AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER

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) 816-3776

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.

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP

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

Attention Exhibitors

Bitches in Season will be allowed to participate subject to the conditions set forth in Chapter 2, Section 8 of the Tracking Regulations.

Drawing The procedures specified in Chapter 1, Section 13, of the Tracking Regulations, shall be observed. A drawing of the entries and assignments of position on the alternate lists will be held at the test secretary's office at 10709 S 26th St, Bellevue, NE 68123 on March 29, 2023 at 7:00 PM CDT. The Test Secretary will contact all entrants by email shortly after the draw and the judging program will be sent by email no less than 7 days prior to the test.

Certification for TD Test A TD certification issued within 2 years of the date of the test must be included with the entry form for all dogs not having a TD title.

An exhibitor may enter more than one dog. The holding of other titles including "TD", "VST" or "TDX" shall not bar a dog from competition in the tests. Dogs without a "TD" or "TDX" will be accepted first.

An Alternate list will be maintained. Entry Fees will be refunded to alternates who decline to be placed on the Alternate List. Also, entry fees will be refunded to alternates who do not participate in the Test. Entry fees will NOT be refunded to a scheduled entrant who is absent on the day of the Test unless an alternate is present and runs in place of the absent dog.

Risk The Owner or agent entering a dog in a Tracking Test does so at his/her own risk and agrees to abide all the Rules and Regulations of the American Kennel Club. The American Belgian Tervuren Club assumes no responsibility for any personal property, theft, injury, or death of any animal or loss of or damage to any property while at this Test, or the Test site, or in transit to or from the site.

Disaster and Emergency Preparedness Plan The ABTC has prepared such a plan for this event and it is available to ALL participants upon request, and will be available at the Test Site.

Directions to the TD/TDX site Take I-295/US-20 Bus E to Exit 147B towards Tyson Event Center/ Downtown. Keep right at the fork, following signs for US-Bus 20 for about 1.5 miles. Exit onto S Lewis/ US-75 Bus N going northbound and stay on US-75 N for about 1.2 miles. Turn left onto Wren Rd (gravel road, small street sign) and go approximately 2 miles to the park entrance on your left. Proceed down the hill to the parking lot by the lake. We will be meeting in this parking lot for the draw. A dog exercise area will be designated immediately adjacent to the parking lot. Do not walk dogs in the fields or any other parts of the park.

ABTC, the show secretary, members of the show committee, their agents, employees, etc. assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by spectators, exhibitors, handlers, their employees or children, etc. or to any of their dogs or property. Entrants and spectators to this show do so entirely at their own risk.

This show is governed by The American Kennel Club. Exhibitors should read the AKC agreement on the entry form in the premium list.

This club does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the official AKC entry form for this event.

MOTELS

Host Hotel

South Sioux City Marriott Riverfront

385 East 4th Street

South Sioux City, NE 68776

Phone (492) 494-4000

(800) 798-7980

When you book your reservation, state that you are with the ABTC 2023 National Specialty Group

All owners/exhibitors should be aware that ABTC considers the entire motel and grounds to be within the trial limits. You will be responsible for all damage to your room and may be subject to disciplinary action in accordance with the rules of the AKC. Any abuse of the motel/ adjoining grounds will be brought to the attention of the Trial Committee. Any exhibitor's entries may be refused for previous misuse of the motel facilities. This is an AKC supported measure.

Please visit the National Specialty Website at <https://www.abtcnationalspecialty.org/abtc2023>