



Official Premium List

The Bernese Mountain Dog Club of Canada

“ALL BREED DRAFT TEST “

The BMDCC will be hosting this event
in association with the “Tye Kennel Club’s Performance Dog
Weekend” held at the Cowichan Exhibition Grounds
7380 Trans Canada Hwy, Duncan, BC V9L 6B1

September 20, 2014

**Limited Entry, All Breed &
Miscellaneous Class
DD, DDX, Brace DD, Brace
DDX**



TYEE KENNEL CLUB
PERFORMANCE SPECTACULAR



Something for every one and every dog

Entries Open Friday August 1, 2014
Entries close Tuesday September 2, 2014
at 12.00 am PST or when the limit is reached, even if official closing date has
not arrived. Should the limit be reached, an alternate list will be created, with
Bernese Mountain Dogs going first in order of receipt and all other breeds in
order of receipt.

These events held under the rules of the Canadian Kennel Club.

BMDCC CLUB OFFICERS



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V9X 1K3 Phone: 250-722-7074 dawgplay@telus.net

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Stewards, Ground Crews, Hospitality and Ribbons, Volunteer members of the CKC

Coral Denis, Ingrid Miller, Lisbeth Plant

Judges

DD, DDX, Brace DD, Brace DDX

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**Total entry will be limited to 12 DD, 4 DDX, 1 BDD and 1BDDX
Entries not filled by DDX, BDD or BDDX will be filled with DD at a ratio of 2:1**

**Entries will close automatically when the limit is reached, even if the official closing date
has not arrived.**

A list of alternatives will be maintained.

**This is a 3 Judge test. Dogs with qualifying scores will
receive the appropriate number of rosettes.**

SPONSORS



Coral and David Denis (Alpenblick Kennel) would like to donate a Bernese keepsake to the “Oldest Qualifying Bernese” in memory of “**Alpenblick’s Island Marcus CD, DDX**”.

A leash holder from the estate of “**Jane Sherris**” will be awarded to the “Oldest Qualifying Bernese” earning a versatility title. This will be awarded in memory of “**Jane and Buntzen**”.



Bill and Lisbeth Plant would like to donate a Keepsake for the “Youngest qualifying Bernese” in memory of :

“**Highrun's Whitey Wascal
CD DD HIT**”.



ACCOMMODATION



Best Western Cowichan Valley Inn
6474 Trans Canada Highway, Duncan, BC. V9L 6C6
Phone: 1-250-748-2722
Toll Free: 1-800-927-6199

<http://www.cowichanvalleyinn.com/>

Travelodge Silver Bridge Inn
140 Trans Canada Hwy Duncan, BC,
V9L3P7, Canada,
Phone: 1-866 835 2352

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Prevost Veterinary Clinic
1057 Canada Ave
Duncan, BC V9L 1V2
(250) 746-7178

(after hours this is forwarded to an emergency service)

<http://www.prevostvetclinic.com/>





September 20 & 21, 2014

Cowichan Exhibition Grounds
7380 Trans Canada Hwy
Duncan, BC

4 CKC Agility Trials on grass

Show Secretary Lee Hartfield - reddobe@doberman.ca

4 CKC Obedience Trials & 4 CKC Rally Obedience Trials

1 CKC CGN Test (September 21)

Obedience & Rally will be indoors in fully matted rings/ CGN is outdoors

Contact Leslie Gardiner - dlgardiner@shaw.ca

Show Secretary www.westerndogshows.com

4 CKC Herding Trials

Contact Kristin Thomson - karab@telus.net



2 CKC Lure Coursing Field Trials

Vancouver Island Lure Coursing Association

Contact Blair Shinski - blair60@telus.net

1 CKC All Breed Draft Test (September 20)

Bernese Mountain Dog Club of Canada

Contact Ingrid Miller - iemiller@shaw.ca





Tyee KC Versatility Award

to be eligible dogs must be entered in 3 or more events

more information is available on the Tyee KC website

Links to all Premium Lists will be available at www.tyeeclub.com when they are available.
The Tyee KC is pleased to welcome Mixed-Breeds and Unrecognized-Breeds to our Agility, Obedience,
Rally Obedience and CGN events as long as they obtain a CCN number from the CKC.

Event Co-Ordinator Heidi Gervais - kulanareddogs@shaw.ca

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- ◆ 8.00 am Check In
- ◆ 8.30 am Cart and Equipment check
- ◆ 9.00 am Test Begins

Break for Lunch will be around 12.00 at the discretion of the judges

AWARDS AND PRIZES

- ◆ Each entrant will receive a gift bag
- ◆ Each dog receiving a qualifying Score will earn a red rosette from Each judge
- ◆ Each dog qualifying for a new title (DD, DDX, Brace DD, Brace DDX) Will receive a memento from the BMDCC

Draft Test Catalogue
Advertising, Greetings, Best Wishes.....

The Draft Test Catalogue will be available at the test.
If you would like to submit a photo, greeting, or advertisement for
publication in the catalogue, the following prices will apply:

FULL PAGE **\$50.00**
1/2 PAGE **\$25.00**
1/4 PAGE **\$15.00**
BUSINESS CARDS **\$10.00**

Catalogue pages will be 8 1/2" x 11"
Ad dimensions - Full Page (7" x 9.5"),
Half Page (7" x 4.5"),
Quarter Page (3.5" x 4.5").
All ads will be in colour.

Please send uncompressed images for ads with
resolution of 150 dpi in either PDF or JPG format to
Dave Van Klaveren dawgplay@telus.net
Deadline for submission of ads & photos is
September 12, 2014

Please make cheques payable to:

**The Bernese Mountain Dog Club of Canada
and mail to:**

Dave Van Klaveren, 2723 Cedar Road, Nanaimo
BC. V9X 1K3 Phone: 250-722-7074

Please note:
All cheques/money orders are Payable in Canadian Funds



Official Canadian Kennel Club Entry Form

The Bernese Mountain Dog Club of Canada

Test Date: September 20, 2014 Entries Close: September 2, 2014

Please mark which test you are entering:

- Draft Dog Test
- Draft Dog Excellent Test
- Brace Draft Dog Test
- Brace Draft Dog Excellent Test

Entry Fee: **\$75.00** Listing Fee (if applicable): **\$8.52**

Total Enclosed: \$ _____
All fees payable to: **The Bernese Mountain Dog Club of Canada**
(All cheques/money orders payable in Canadian funds)

Mail Entries to: Dave Van Klaveren, 2723 Cedar Rd, Nanaimo, B.C.
V9X 1K3 Phone: 250-722-7074 dawgplay@telus.net

Registered Name of Dog: _____

Breed: _____ Call Name: _____

Sex: Male Female (if female, will she be in season on test day? Y N
Date of Birth: D ____ M ____ Y ____ Place of Birth: Canada Elsewhere

Check One and Enter Number:

- CKC REG # _____ Foreign # _____
- CKC ERN # _____ Country _____
- CKC Misc Cert # _____ Listed _____

Breeder (s): _____

Sire: _____

Dam: _____

Registered Owner (s): _____

Owner's Address: _____

E-mail (if applicable) _____

Name of Owner's Agent (if any) at Test: _____

Agent's Address: _____

Mail Info to: Owner Agent

I CERTIFY that I am the registered owner (s) of the Dog or that I am the authorized agent of the owner (s) whose name (s) I have entered above and accept full responsibility for all statements made in this entry. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to be bound by the rules and regulations of the Canadian Kennel Club and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list.

Signature of Owner or Agent Date Phone Number

ENTRY INFORMATION

Eligibility: (section 6.1.1) Draft dog tests shall be open to all purebred dogs of sufficient height and weight that are physically capable of performing all the exercises in a particular class. All dogs must be 18 months of age or over on the day of the event.

Entry Fee: \$75.00 per dog.
Make cheques payable to: The Bernese Mountain Dog Club of Canada
(All cheques/money orders payable in Canadian Funds)

Mail Entries to: Dave Van Klaveren, 2723 Cedar Rd, Nanaimo, B.C.
V9X 1K3 Phone: 250-722-7074 dawgplay@telus.net

Entries: entries must be complete, signed and submitted on the official CKC entry form.

Listing Fee: \$8.52 Per Dog

Foreign Dogs: if a dog is not registered individually with the CKC, it may be entered as a "Listed" dog, provided it has an event registration number (ERN), or obtains this from the CKC within 30 days.

Closing Date: entries close **September 2, 2014 at 12.00 pm PST** or when the limit is reached, even if official closing date has not arrived. A list of alternates will be maintained.

Group Option: the Draft Dog Field Work, Draft Dog Excellent Freight Haul and/or the Draft Dog Excellent Backpacking Exercises may be performed using the Group Option as stated in Section 11.2 using recommended methodology as stated in Appendix A.

RULES & GENERAL INFORMATION

Section 17.7 It shall be the duty and obligation of the test-giving club to see that a judge, club official, steward, volunteer or competitor in a Draft Dog test is not subject to indignities. The Draft Dog Test Committee Chair shall promptly report to the CKC any infringement of this regulation and the Disciplinary Committee shall have authority to take action as it deems fit on receipt of a report indicating that this has occurred. A copy of this regulation shall be prominently placed in every premium list and catalogue.

Confirmation of Entry: all entrants will be notified by e-mail, post, or telephone of their placement. There will be an entry limit of 20 (combined Individual & Brace) Draft Dog competitors and 4 (combined Individual and Brace) Draft Dog Excellent competitors with entries accepted on a first come, first served basis.
In the event that the (combined Individual and Brace) DDX class does not fill, every DDX slot will be substituted for up to 2 DD Entries. In the case the DD class does not fill, every 2 DD slots can be substituted for 1 DDX entry.

Refunds: it is the option of the exhibitor to request a refund for a bitch that has come into season, should they desire. A veterinarian's certificate will be required for the refund to be issued

Bitches In Season: bitches in season will be allowed to compete, but all exercises will be judged after all other dogs have been tested. Bitches in season must be kept away from the "test site" prior to testing.

Re-qualifications: are acceptable pending "space available". Re-qualifications shall be judged as the last team in the section for which they are entered.

Equipment: entrants must supply their own equipment. The freight load used in the maneuvering exercises and freight hauls will be supplied by the test committee.

Test Regulations: all dogs entered in the Draft Dog level must perform the control exercises, regardless of obedience titles held.

Entrants Please Note:

It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to be familiar with rules pertaining to the event in which they are competing. Copies of the CKC Draft Test regulations are available from the Canadian Kennel Club (416) 675-5511.

The Draft Test Committee will exercise due care and diligence for the welfare of all dogs entered but will not be responsible for nor assume any liability in the event of any accident or other misfortune to any dog, exhibitor or patron.

Complete information regarding this test will be sent out with the entry acknowledgements. If you require specific information please contact the Test Secretary.

12 EXERCISES FOR THE DRAFT DOG TEST & BRACE DRAFT DOG TEST

12.1 Control Exercises

12.1.1 Purpose

The Control Exercises demonstrate the dog's ability to be a safe and obedient companion and worker.

12.1.2 Control will be demonstrated in a ring approximately 12.2 meters (40 feet) by 15.2 meters (50 feet). Three basic exercises will be performed:

- Heel Off Lead
- Stand Stay for 1 minute
- Down Stay for 3 minutes

12.1.3 With the exception of harnessing, hitching, and unhitching, any handler who intentionally touches his dog or the equipment to assist in an exercise will be marked failed.

12.1.4 Exercise 1 – Heel Off Lead

The dog shall be on the handler's left side and shall remain within arm's reach of the handler at all times. The lead judge shall use at least one of each of the following commands: "forward", "slow", "fast", "normal", "right turn", "left turn", "about turn", and "halt" in any order predetermined by the judge and the same for each dog. Dog and handler shall receive a "Pass" score providing the dog responds to the handler's command and remains within arm's reach of the handler. A stand at heel at the halt is acceptable.

12.1.5 Exercise 2 – Stand Stay

On command from the lead judge, the handler will stand his dog, positioning the dog comfortably if he chooses. The lead judge will give the command 'Leave your dog'. The handler shall give the dog one command to 'stay' by voice, hand signal or a combination, then will leave the dog and walk forward about 1.8 m(6 ft) and turn to face the dog. The dog shall remain in position, shifting of his weight will be allowed. The dog must remain standing from the time the handler leaves until after a one minute period when the judge tells that handler to return to the dog. Upon the handler's return, the dog will remain in position until the judge give the command 'Exercise Finished'.

12.1.6 Exercise 3 – Group Down Stay

This is a group exercise, with handlers across the width of the ring. No more than 10, nor less than 2 dogs, or 1 brace and 1 dog shall be judged at one time. On command from the lead judge, the handler will put the dog in the down position prior to removing the leash and placing it behind the dog along with the exhibitor number. The dog may be downed manually.

The lead judge will give the command "Leave your dog." The handler will give the dog one command to "stay" by voice, hand signal, or a combination, then will leave the dog and walk briskly to the opposite side of the ring where he will turn to face the dog. The dog must stay in position from the time the handler leaves throughout a 3 minute period, and until the handler has been told by the judge to return to the dog, the handler has returned and the dog is in heel position and the judge has said "Exercise Finished." A person may enter more than one dog in this level. The same handler who handled each dog in the first 2 exercises must handle each dog in the Group Down, except that where a handler has handled more than one dog in the first 2 exercises, there must be an additional handler for each dog when judged together in the Group Exercises.

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12.2 Carting Exercises

12.2.1 Purpose

The Carting Exercises demonstrate the dog's usefulness as a draft animal in manoeuvring loads safely and quietly on a wheeled vehicle over a moderate distance and smooth terrain.

12.2.2 Any dog who sits or lies down while working will be marked as failed.

12.2.3 With the exception of harnessing, hitching, and unhitching, any handler who intentionally touches his dog or the equipment to assist in an exercise will be marked failed.

12.2.4 A cart or wagon will be the most suitable vehicle for this test.

12.2.5 Exercise 4 – Harness and Hitching

Handler harnesses and hitches dog in ring. The cart or wagon and harness may be brought in by an assistant or the ring steward; alternatively, the handler will put the dog on a stand stay and get the harness and vehicle himself. During the harnessing and hitching, the handler's skill and the dog's willingness will be judged.

12.2.6 Exercise 5–Manoeuvres

The lead judge will direct the handler to perform a series of manoeuvres to test the ability of the dog to be a carting companion. The lead judge shall use each of the following orders at least twice: 'forward', 'left turn', 'right turn', 'halt'. The lead judge shall use the following order at least once: 'slow'. The 'change of pace' must be shown for a distance of no less than 1.2 meters (4 feet).

12.2.7 Exercise 6-Figure 8

The lead judge will direct the handler to manoeuvre through a figure 8 course. Upon completion the lead judge will give the order 'exercise finished'.

12.2.8 Exercise 7 – Backup

The dog must be backed up while hitched for a distance of at least 1.2 m (4 ft). Both dog and vehicle must move backwards.



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BREEDER'S PERFECT PUPPY PROGRAMME

The puppy is 8 weeks old, just gone to his new home. Everybody loves him and indulges him. He quickly learns that behaviours like jumping up, barking, biting on hands and stealing old socks results in that he gets attention, and he is have a great time engaging his new owners in chase games. Chewing on furniture and other 'forbidden' items is also fun and results in attention and sometimes even chase games, too! After a few months, he may also start chasing cars or joggers, barking every time the door bell rings, jumping on visitors – or barking incessantly at them – chewing things when home alone, growling at the children, fighting with other dogs, chasing cats....

- Oh dear. A few months down the road, these behaviours are now well established and causing problems. The puppy has become a troublesome teenager.

IT'S A MATTER OF SURVIVAL

According to the American Veterinary Society for Animal Behaviour, the most common cause of death in North American dogs under the age of 3 years old is euthanasia for behaviour problems.

In spite of the breeder's best efforts, having used parent animals with excellent temperaments and made every effort to place the puppies in the best homes, problems can and do still develop. Once the puppies go to their new homes, it becomes increasingly difficult for the breeder to influence the puppies' lives.

PREVENTION IS BETTER THAN CURE!

SOLUTION: TEACH OWNER FROM THE FIRST DAY how to socialize and train the new puppy **SUCCESSFULLY**.

Our Breeder's Perfect Puppy Programme:

- Litter Stimulus Package from 3 weeks of age
- 10 days of daily classes for the new owners, starting immediately the puppies go to their new home.

For details, please go to
www.cowichan canine.ca
and click on

Classes – Breeder's Perfect Puppy Programme



- First, Do No Harm -