

DACHSHUND CLUB OF SAINT LOUIS



LICENSED EARTHDOG TESTS

TWO DAYS - THREE TESTS

Saturday and Sunday, October 19, 20 2019

Purina Farms-200 Checkerboard Drive, Gray Summit, MO

<https://www.purina.com/purina-farms>

Saturday-10/19/2019 AM
Event # 2019020405

Saturday-10/19/2019 PM
Event #2019020406

Sunday-10/20/2019
Event # 19020407

These Earth Dog Tests will be held under the "Regulations for Earth Dog Tests for Small Terriers and Dachshunds" of the American Kennel Club. A complete copy can be obtained by contacting The American Kennel Club, 8051 Arco Corporate Drive, Suite 100 Raleigh, NC 27617-3390 Telephone: 919-233-9767 or on their website at AKC.org

ENTRY CLOSING TIME AND ENTRY FEES

Saturday AM test and Sunday test

	<u>INTRO</u>	<u>MASTER</u>	<u>SENIOR</u>	<u>JUNIOR</u>
Entries Close at:	8:30AM	8:00 AM	9:30AM	9:30 AM
Gate Entry Fee	\$12.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Pre-Entry Fee (by 10/5/19)	\$10.00	\$18.00	\$18.00	\$18.00

ENDURANCE EARTHDOG (SE and ME) \$34 pre-entry, day-of-test \$38

SATURDAY PM Test entries CLOSE NET 15 minutes following the conclusion of the SATURDAY AM Earth Dog test in the following order: Master closes 15 minutes after the morning test is complete. Intro, Junior, and Senior will close in 15 minute increments thereafter.

Entries for all tests may be turned in at the event, or mailed to the Test Secretary: Gerry Snyder, 2505 Keim Road, New Athens IL 62264 LHDOX2@aol.com

*******Please note: Pre-entries close at 6PM on Friday, 10/5/2019. All entries received after that date must include full gate entry fees.****

DACHSHUND CLUB OF ST. LOUIS 2018 CLUB OFFICERS

President: Deneice (Denny) Van Hook
Vice President: Kevin Fritz
Secretary: Gerry Snyder
Treasurer: Pam Reed Crook

Test Committee: Kevin Fritz, Jackie Nicolas, Sally Burgess, Pam Reed Crook, Thomas Crook, Phillip Shaw and any other DCSL member at the event.

Test Chair: Kevin Fritz, 1500 Parkspur Ln, Fenton MO 63026

Test Secretary: Gerry Snyder 2505 Keim Road, New Athens IL 62264

JUDGING ASSIGNMENTS

	<u>Saturday AM</u> 10/19/2019	<u>Saturday PM</u> 10/19/2019	<u>Sunday</u> 10/20/2019
Intro to Quarry:	Linda Schweitzer Sewanee, TN	Denise Faulkner Saint Charles,MO	Russ Wischover Bedford IA
Junior Earthdog:	Denise Faulkner Saint Charles,MO	Russ Wischover Bedford IA	Linda Schweitzer Sewanee, TN
Senior Earthdog:	Jody Dean Wildwood,MO	Pam Giles Des Moines, IA	Denise Faulkner Saint Charles,MO
Master Earthdog:	Russ Wischover Bedford IA	Linda Schweitzer Sewanee, TN	Denise Faulkner Saint Charles,MO

RUNNING ORDER:

As much as possible dogs will be run in the order that entries are received with consideration given to dogs being handled by the same person. The test committee reserves the right to modify the running order to keep the event running smoothly.

AWARDS: Rosettes will be awarded for all qualifiers in Junior, Senior, and Master Tests. Ribbons will be awarded for qualifiers in Intro to Quarry.

DON'T BE LATE - LATE ENTRIES CANNOT BE ACCEPTED.

Senior Earth dog class is open only to dogs that have acquired the Junior Earth dog title before the closing of entries. Master Earth dog class is open only to dogs that have acquired the Senior Earth dog title before the closing of entries. Dogs may be entered in only one regular class for each test except dogs that have earned the Master Earth Dog title who can be entered in any class.

Be sure to bring the information needed to complete the entry forms. A copy of the dog's registration certificate contains the necessary information. Incomplete entry forms will not be accepted.

ELIGIBILITY: Dogs must be six months of age or older and be registered with the American Kennel Club. Spayed and neutered dogs, dogs with Limited Registration, and dogs of an eligible breed that have been granted Purebred Alternative Listing /Indefinite Listing Privilege (PAL/ILP) are eligible to participate. Dogs that are blind and/or deaf shall not be eligible. Bitches in season shall not be eligible to enter the test. All dogs six months of age or older from the following breeds are eligible to participate in these Earth dog Events.

AKC Recognized Earth Dog Breeds Australian Terrier, Bedlington Terrier, Border Terrier, Cairn Terrier, Cesky Terrier, Dachshund, Dandie Dinmont Terrier, Glen of Imaal Terrier, Lakeland Terrier, Manchester Terrier, Miniature Bull Terrier, Miniature Schnauzer, Norfolk Terrier, Norwich Terrier, Parson Russell Terrier, Rat Terrier, Scottish Terrier, Russell Terrier, Sealyham Terrier, Silky Terrier, Skye Terrier, Smooth Fox Terrier, Welsh Terrier, West Highland White Terrier, Wire Fox Terrier, Yorkshire Terrier.

A complete copy of the "Regulations for Earthdog Tests for Small Terriers and Dachshunds" can be obtained by contacting The American Kennel Club or by visiting www.akc.org.

The safety of the dogs is our primary concern. By entering this test, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this event.

FOR SAFETY REASONS, NO FLEXI-LEADS PERMITTED ON TEST SITE. All dogs must be on a short leash and under control while on test grounds except while testing.

Please bring weather appropriate gear. Tests are run rain or shine. In the event of natural disaster or other circumstances which may deem it too dangerous to safely hold the event, entry fees will not be refunded. **Bitches in season are not eligible for entry.** Pre-entry fees for bitches that come into season will be refunded until closing time of the class. After a class closes, entry fees will not be refunded.

Veterinary Services

Pacific Animal Hospital 450 Flier Dr, Pacific, MO 63069 636-257-2100

Veterinary Services after 5 PM on Friday or noon on Saturday

Animal Emergency Clinic 9937 Big Bend Rd, St Louis MO 63122 314-822-7600

Directions to the Animal Emergency Clinic: Take Hwy I-44 East to Big Bend Rd. Turn right on Big Bend. The Emergency Clinic is on the left-hand side.

FOOD: No meals will be offered at this test site, except for volunteers and judges, but there is a snack bar located on Purina Farms which may or may not be open during these tests. Come prepared.

Please bring adequate water for you and your dogs as the snack bar is a long walk from the earth dog dens.

LOCAL HOTELS

Hotel policies vary. Please check with local hotels on their pet policy when making your reservation. The committee reserves authority over behavior at the hotel in addition to the event grounds. Please be a courteous guest so hotels will continue to welcome exhibitors in the future.

MOTOR HOMES AND TENT CAMPING

Purina Farms offers limited electric hookups, with water available to fill your tank, at \$20 a night on a first come - first serve basis near the earth dog dens. **Purina no longer allows tent camping or sleeping in a car or truck.**

If arriving after 7PM on either Friday or Saturday please notify the test chair so Purina will have your name on file for late arrival. The guard will be there to assist anyone arriving prior to 7PM.

VOLUNTEERS: In order for these tests to run smoothly we would appreciate your help. **NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY.** We will be glad to train you. We will ensure the schedule is adjusted to allow time for all volunteers to run their own dogs.