



# DACHSHUND CLUB OF AMERICA

Run for the Rosettes

## 2017 NATIONAL SPECIALTY

### EARTHDOG TEST

**May 15, 2017**  
**Gem City Agility Club**  
**Dayton, Ohio**

#### CERTIFICATION

*Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for holding this event under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. - James P. Crowley, Secretary*



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Earthdog Test Premium List

**DACHSHUND CLUB OF AMERICA**

(AKC Member Club)

**NATIONAL SPECIALTY EARTHDOG TEST**

**(DACHSHUNDS ONLY)**

EVENT #2017074318

**Monday May 15, 2017**

This Earthdog Test is held under the rules and procedures of the American Kennel Club

**This test is open to AKC Registered Dachshunds ONLY**

**TESTS OFFERED**

**Regular Classes**

**Junior Earthdog:** 30 feet, three 90 degree turns. Open to all eligible dogs, regardless of legs or titles earned.

**Senior Earthdog:** 30 feet, three 90 degree turns, with false den, false exit; dogs must be recalled out of the den. Open to all dogs that have completed a JE, SE or ME title.

**Master Earthdog:** 30 feet, three 90 degree turns, with false den, false exit; dogs must accurately indicate entrance and honor another working dog. Open to all dogs that have completed an SE or ME title.

**Non-Regular Class**

**Intro to Quarry:** 10 feet, one 90 degree turn

**\*\*\*DOGS THAT HAVE EARNED THE MASTER EARTHDOG (ME) TITLE**

**MAY ENTER MULTIPLE REGULAR CLASSES IN ONE TEST.**

**NO OTHER DOGS WILL BE PERMITTED TO ENTER MORE THAN ONE REGULAR CLASS.\*\*\***

**JUDGES**

**INTRO TO QUARRY:** Carrie Hamilton 9621 Bachelor Rd, Kutztown, PA 19530

**JUNIOR EARTH:** Trudy Kawami 540 54<sup>th</sup> St, Brooklyn, NY 11220

**SENIOR EARTH:** Cheryl Shultz 3817 Seven Oaks Dr, Corona, CA 92881

**MASTER EARTH:** Cheryl Shultz 3817 Seven Oaks Dr, Corona, CA 92881

Earthdog Test Secretary

**Linda C. Givens**

5304 W. Riverview Ave, Dayton, OH 45406

Phone: 937-469-41775 – Email: [khachsmom094@gmail.com](mailto:khachsmom094@gmail.com)

**THE DACHSHUND CLUB OF AMERICA DOES NOT AGREE TO ARBITRATE CLAIMS AS SET FORTH ON THE OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORM FOR THIS EVENT.**

**Dachshund Club of America Officers**

President:	Carl Holder	1130 Redoak, Lumberton, TX 77657
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Corresponding Secretary:	Cheryl Shultz	3817 Seven Oaks Drive, Corona, CA 92881
Recording Secretary:	Vicki Spencer	2650 Holland Drive, Owensboro, KY 42303

**Earthdog Test Committee**

**Krista Williams, Chairperson**

1270 Kildale Sq. N, Columbus OH 43229

Phone: 740-360-6201 Email: [krissydox@insight.rr.com](mailto:krissydox@insight.rr.com)

**Committee Members:**

Ann Kraft, Deneice Van Hook, Jamie Sexton, Connie Fisher, Walt & Mary Jones, and any other member of the Dachshund Club of America present

**PRIZE LIST**

**THE DACHSHUND CLUB OF AMERICA, INC.** offers, OPEN TO ALL DACHSHUNDS for outright award, its Brass Sunburst Medallion to any dog completing its title at this event. Qualifiers in each regular class will receive a rosette; qualifiers in Intro to Quarry will receive a flat ribbon.

**ENTRY FEES**

**All Pre-entries are due by 8:00 PM Eastern Daylight Time; Friday, May 12, 2017 Day of Entries will be accepted up to ½ hour before the class starts**

Intro to Quarry: .....	\$18.00
Junior Earthdog:.....	\$25.00
Senior Earthdog: .....	\$25.00
Master Earthdog: .....	\$25.00
Additional entries (ME titled dogs – regular classes):.....	\$25.00

**Please make checks payable to: DCA 2017**

Overnight entry delivery should be sent to Linda C. Givens, Test Secretary

**\*\*\*Please Note: SIGNATURE MUST BE WAIVED FOR FEDEX/UPS/EXPRESS MAIL DELIVERIES.\*\*\***

**CLOSING TIMES AND ORDER OF JUDGING FOR BOTH TESTS**

(Please check in with Secretary prior to start of class)

Intro to Quarry:	10:00 AM	Judging begins no sooner (NST) than 10:30 AM.
Master Earthdog:	8:30 AM	Bracing 8:45 AM., Judging begins 9:00 AM.
Senior Earthdog:	10:30 AM	Judging begins ½ hr. after conclusion of Master
Junior Earthdog:	10:30 AM	Judging begins ½ hr. after conclusion of Master

The running order in each class will be determined by the order in which the entries are received. Where possible, multiple entries in the same class by the same handler will be separated. Master bracing will be random draw. Dogs not present when called will be moved to the end of the class, with the exception of the Master Earthdog Class. Any dog not present within five minutes after its brace is called will be marked absent.

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## EXHIBITOR INFORMATION

Information may also be found [at http://www.dachshundclubofamerica.org/](http://www.dachshundclubofamerica.org/)

- ▶ **Dogs must be at least 6 months old.** AKC registered dogs, dogs with ILP or PAL numbers of eligible breeds that are spayed or neutered, or have a Limited Registration may participate. Only completed entry forms, including Registration, ILP or PAL numbers will be accepted.
- ▶ **Bitches in season are not eligible for entry.** Entry fees paid for a bitch that comes into season will not be refunded.
- ▶ **Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee.** The Test Secretary shall add a \$25.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.
- ▶ **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.
- ▶ **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.
- ▶ **No dogs shall be allowed within 100 feet of test areas** while classes are being run.
- ▶ **Excessive barking** will result in exhibitors being asked to quiet their dogs. Repeated requests to control barking may result in the exhibitor being asked to leave the grounds.
- ▶ **No dog will be allowed inside the test area** until his or her judging time.
- ▶ **Spectators shall be allowed outside the test area** provided that they are quiet and do not distract the dogs.
- ▶ **All dogs are to be on leash or confined to exercise pens** while on the test grounds. Please be considerate of others when setting up ex-pens. Space should be condensed as much as possible. You may be asked to reduce the number or size of your pens.

### RV Parking and Overnight Camping

The grounds will be available from 5:00 pm EDT Friday, May 12, 2017.

### VETERINARIAN MED-VET

2417 Springboro West, Dayton, Ohio 45439 (937) 294-2714

Lunch will be provided by Smokin Barrels BBQ

The gates will be closed for security reasons at 9 pm.

**Self-contained RVs and tent/vehicle campers** are permitted. Parking will be adjacent to the small fenced agility ring. No dog/handlers are permitted in this area at any time. Anyone dumping on the grounds will be asked to leave. No refund will be given. Fee is \$10.00 per night. **No hook-ups are available.** Judges and committee members will have a designated parking area next to the registration building.

**Generator exhaust must be vented away from dogs and fellow campers.**

### Test Site & Facilities

Gem City Agility Club grounds is a completely fenced 10 acre site. There will be port-a-potties available. The first building (named the Faulkner Bldg.) is designated for registration and administration. Awards ceremonies will take place outside this area. There is no space for crating, so please be prepared to crate inside your vehicle, or use ex-pens. All parking will be in the field adjacent to the small fenced ring and next to the roped off test area. Test committee members and judges will be permitted to park along the driveway in designated areas. There will be adequate trash cans located throughout the area, so **please remember to pick up after your dogs.** Please pick up any trash and dispose of it in the cans as well.

**Bring water, shade and shelter** for you and your dogs. These tests will be run rain or shine

**REMEMBER:** Buckeye Dachshund Club's 2 tests  
Saturday May 13<sup>th</sup> and a single test Sunday May  
14<sup>th</sup>. Premiums may be had at:  
**[www.buckeyedachshundclub@wordpress.com](http://www.buckeyedachshundclub.wordpress.com)**

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KENNEL CLUB

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AKC # <input type="checkbox"/>		AKC Litter # <input type="checkbox"/>		Foreign & List Country: <input type="checkbox"/>
AKC #		AKC Litter #		IL P/PAI #
I enclose entry fees in the amount of \$				
Full Name of Dog: <small>AKC titles only</small>				
Breed:	Reg. #:	Call Name:	Sex:	Date Of Birth:
<b>DACHSHUND</b>				
Sire:				
Dam:				
Name of Breeder(s):				
Actual Owner(s): (Print)				
Owner's Address (Street):				
City:		State:	Zip:	
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler: (Print)				
Agent/Handler's Address (Street):				
City:		State:	Zip:	
AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: <a href="http://www.akk.org">www.akk.org</a>				
<b>AGREEMENT</b>				
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 any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. 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 injury, 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, injury, 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.				
Signature of owner or his Agent duly authorized to make this entry:				
Telephone:		Email :		



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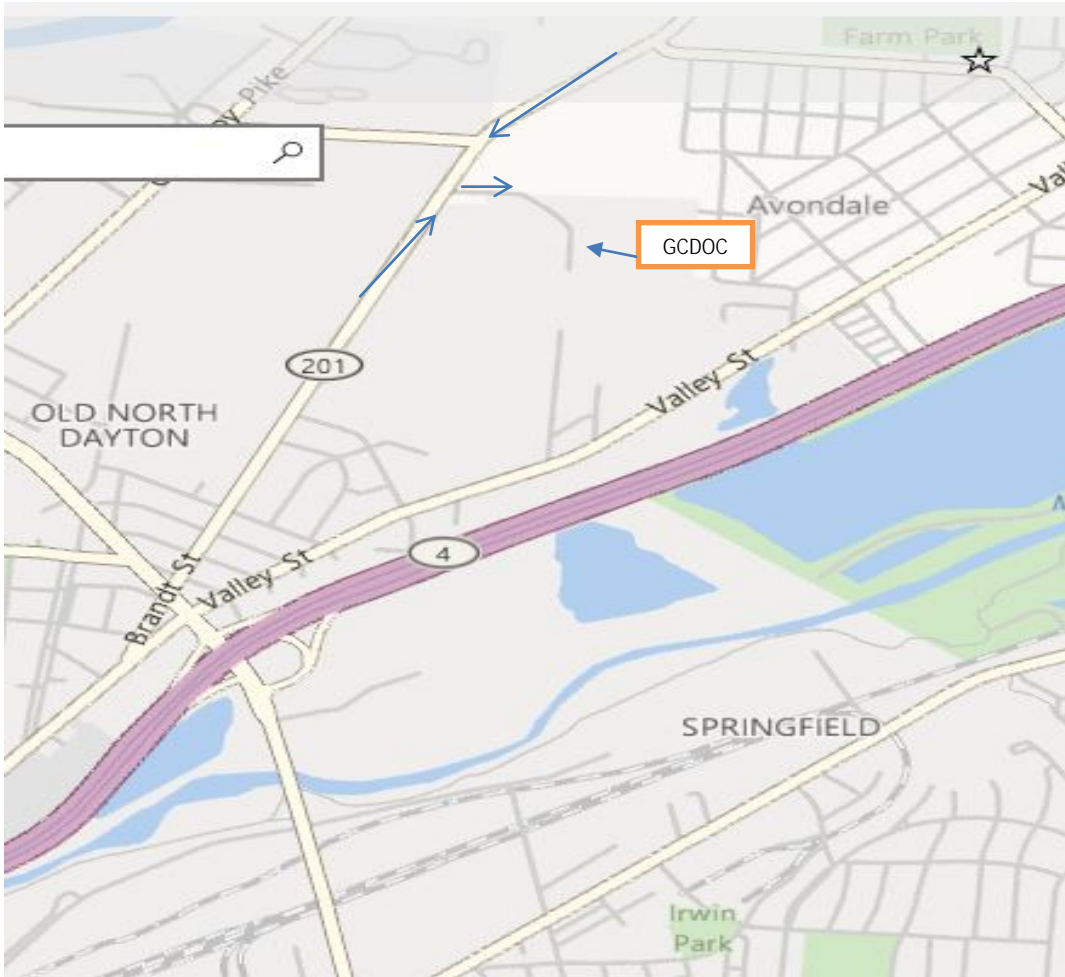
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<b>DACHSHUND</b>				
Sire:				
Dam:				
Name of Breeder(s):				
Actual Owner(s): (Print)				
Owner's Address (Street):				
City:		State:	Zip:	
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler: (Print)				
Agent/Handler's Address (Street):				
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## Map to 542 Valleycrest Dr., Dayton, OH 45404



### **DIRECTIONS TO 542 Valleycrest Dr, Dayton, OH (Be sure your GPS matches these directions)**

From the North or West, take I-75 south to Stanley Ave. Turn East to Brandt Pike (OH rt. 201) Turn north (left) onto Brandt and proceed to Valleycrest Dr. on the right **immediately** north of Dayton Trailer Sales.

From the South, take I-75 North to Route 4, follow Rte. 4 to the Stanley/Findlay St. exit, Turn left on Stanley to Brandt and follow the above directions.

From the East, take I-70 west to Ohio Rte. 4 and exit south. Leave Rte. 4 at Stanley Ave. and follow above directions. OR exit Rt.4 at Harshman and go west to Brandt. Turn left onto Brandt and go to just before the trailer sales. (This will be after North Dayton Garden Center)

Be advised, construction on I-75 and I-70 may cause lengthy delays. Please plan accordingly.

**Practice** will be held Friday, May 12<sup>th</sup>, at 2:00 pm; Saturday, May 13<sup>th</sup>, after the conclusion of both tests; and Sunday, May 14<sup>th</sup>, after the conclusion of the test for **Dachshunds only**.

### **Accommodations close to Earthdog site**

Please call to inquire about current pet policy

**Red Roof Inn:** 7370 Miller Lane, Dayton, OH (937) 898-1054

**Fairfield Inn:** 6960 Miller Lane, Dayton, OH (937) 898-1120

**Dayton Courtyard Inn:** 7087 Miller Lane, Dayton, OH (937) 890-6112

**Drury Inn,** 6616 Miller Lane, Dayton, OH 45414 (937) 454-5200

**Residence Inn:** 7070 Poe Ave., Dayton, OH (937) 898-3308

**Days Inn Huber Heights:** 7761 Old Country Ct., Dayton, OH 45424 (937) 233-1836

**La Quinta Hotel:** 2540 University Blvd., Fairborn, Ohio 45324 (937) 490-2000

**Red Roof Inn:** 2580 Col. Glenn Hwy., Fairborn, OH 45324 (937) 426-6116

(Please respect the motel and pickup after your dogs; do not leave them unattended in the room.)

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