



## **THE NORFOLK TERRIER CLUB**

### **LICENSED EARTHDOG TESTS**

**Sunday, May 6, 2018 AM AKC Event #2018676506**

**Sunday, May 6, 2018 PM AKC Event #2018676507**

**ENTRIES OPEN FOR NORFOLK TERRIERS AND NORWICH TERRIERS ONLY ON  
MARCH 7, 2018 AT 8 AM CST; OPEN TO ALL ELIGIBLE EARTHDOG BREEDS  
MARCH 23, 2018 AT 8 AM CDT; CLOSE APRIL 15, 2018 AT 6 PM CDT.**

#### **Purina Farms**

#### **Earthdog/Go To Ground Dens**

**200 Checkerboard Drive, Gray Summit, MO**

<http://www.purina.com/purina-farms/purinafarms.aspx>

These Earthdog Tests will be held under the Rules and Procedures of the American Kennel Club.  
*The Norfolk Terrier Club does not agree to binding arbitration as set forth on the official AKC entry form for this event.*

#### **THE NORFOLK TERRIER CLUB OFFICERS & GOVERNORS**

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#### **TEST COMMITTEE/SECRETARY**

Test Committee: Linda Federici, Annette Haile, Beth Jernigan, Beth Kravetz, Peggy Metcalf  
and members of The Norfolk Terrier Club

Test Chair: Linda Federici, 506 Irving Court, Moorestown, NJ 08057 [linif@comcast.net](mailto:linif@comcast.net) Cell 856-313-0806

Test Secretary: Linda Schulte, 7637 Lindbergh Drive, St. Louis, MO 63117 [lmschulte@yahoo.com](mailto:lmschulte@yahoo.com) Cell 314-520-6897

Event Emergency/Disaster Plan Coordinator: Shirley La Mear [SlaMear@fpweb.net](mailto:SlaMear@fpweb.net)

Judges: Shirley Hutchins AKC Judge #102650 2104 Hollywood Dr, Leesburg, FL 34748-5531

Karen-Kotke Partington AKC Judge #67705 9316 Pepperwood Ln, Highlands Ranch, CO 80126-2786

Marian Shaw, DVM AKC Judge #93347 PO BOX 168, Queenstown, MD 21658-0168

### ENTRY CLOSING TIME

	INTRO	MASTER	SENIOR	JUNIOR
Sunday AM:	9:00 AM	8:00 AM	9:00 AM	10: 00AM (or 30 min after IQ ends, whichever is later)
Sunday PM:	12:30 PM	12:30 PM	12:30 PM	12:30 PM

### JUDGING ASSIGNMENTS SUNDAY, MAY 6, 2018

	AM TEST	PM TEST
IQ:	Karen Kotke-Partington	Marian Shaw, DVM
JE:	Karen Kotke-Partington	Marian Shaw, DVM
SE:	Shirl Hutchins	Karen Kotke-Partington
ME:	Marian Shaw, DVM <b>LIMIT 10 BRACES</b>	Shirl Hutchins <b>LIMIT 10 BRACES</b>

### JUDGING TIMES

#### Test 1: Sunday, May 6, 2018 AM

Intro to Quarry :	9:15 AM
Junior :	when IQ is completed
Senior:	9:30 or when Master is completed (whichever is earlier)
Master:	8:30 AM Check in by 8:00 AM; draw for braces at 8:15 AM; must be present for draw; <b>LIMIT 10 BRACES</b>

#### Test 2: Sunday May 6, 2018 PM: Begins 30 minutes after end of Test 1. (*Times are approximate*)

Intro to Quarry:	1:30 PM
Junior:	when IQ is completed
Senior:	1:30 PM or when Master is completed (whichever is earlier)
Master:	1:00P PM Check in by 12:30 PM or 30 after AM trial closes; draw for braces at 12:45 PM or 45 minutes after AM trial closes; must be present for draw; <b>LIMIT 10 BRACES</b>

***NOTE: MASTER DOGS MUST BE PRESENT FOR DRAWING OF BRACES FOR EACH TEST***

## ENTRY FEES

	INTRO	MASTER	SENIOR	JUNIOR	EE*
Pre-Entry Fee Pre-entries close: 04-15-18	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$30.00
Day-Of Test Entry Fee	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$40.00

\*EE: dogs entering both Senior and Master in the same test

**NOTE: Early entry for Norfolk Terriers and Norwich Terriers ONLY from March 7 through March 22; open to all eligible earthdog breeds for pre-entry from March 23 through April 15 at 6PM CDT. All entries received after that date and time must pay the “Day-Of Test” entry fees.**

## RUNNING ORDER

Dogs will be run in the order that entries are received with consideration given to dogs being handled by the same handler. The Test Committee reserves the right to modify the running order to keep the event running smoothly.

## AWARDS

Light Green Ribbons will be awarded for qualifiers in Introduction to Quarry. Dark Green Rosettes will be awarded for qualifiers in Junior, Senior and Master tests. Title Rosettes are offered by The Norfolk Terrier Club for a new JE, SE or ME or EE title earned at the test.

Each Norfolk Terrier earning a qualifying score will receive a Specialty Rosette offered by The Norfolk Terrier Club.

Each Norfolk Terrier entered in the test will receive a blanket offered by The Norfolk Terrier Club.

Each Norfolk Terrier earning a title (JE, SE, ME, EE) will receive a “free standing glass moon bevel” offered by Jeff Partington and Karen Kotke-Partington in memory of CH Boxcar’s Murphy PA Macallam ME EE CGC

Each Norfolk Terrier and Norwich Terrier earthdog qualifier will receive a Purina Pro Plan small towel offered by Purina.



## NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

**Two Tests are being offered on SUNDAY, MAY 6:** Event #2018676506 (AM) & Event #2018676507 (PM)

All dogs must be on a short leash under control while on test grounds except while testing. **NO FLEXI-LEADS PERMITTED ON TEST SITE. NO PRONG/CHOKE COLLARS OR GENTLE LEADS.**

Dogs need be present only at the scheduled time of judging according to the judging schedule listed in the premium list.

Master dogs need to be present when their brace is called.

No loose dogs allowed on the grounds outside the judging areas.

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 after the closing time for each class.

No entry fees will be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by veterinarian or judge or barred from competition by action of the Test Committee.

No entry fees will be refunded for duplicate entries.

**Bitches in season are not eligible to compete in Earthdog Tests.** Pre-entry fees for bitches that come into season will be refunded until closing time of the class. The refund is of entry fees, less \$10 per test. A veterinarian's certificate must be presented to the Test Secretary prior to the closing of the class for which the bitch is entered. After a class closes, entry fees will not be refunded.

It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbances, repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Test Committee, be asked to leave the test site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.

Please bring adequate water for you and your dogs as the Visitor's Center and Event Center are a long walk from the earthdog dens. No meals will be offered at this test site; however, the snack bar at the Visitor's Center will be open.

Owners are responsible for errors in completing entry forms, whoever may make such errors, and no entry fee will be refunded in event of such errors or cancellation of entries after the published closing date/time.

Entry forms must be signed at the bottom by the owner or the owner's duly authorized agent, otherwise, entry cannot be accepted.

Incomplete, telephoned, faxed or email entries, entries sent by registered mail, or those made on any form other than an Official American Kennel Club Entry Form cannot be accepted.

**For Day-Of (Gate) entries: Be sure to bring the information needed to complete the entry forms.** All forms must be complete to be accepted. A copy of the dog's registration certificate contains the necessary information.

### Test Secretary:

Linda Schulte, 7637 Lindbergh Drive, St Louis, MO 63117 [lmschulte@yahoo.com](mailto:lmschulte@yahoo.com)

Home: 314-648-2869 • Cell/Day of Test: 314-520-6897



## LOCAL MOTELS WHICH ACCEPT DOGS

Hotel policies vary. Please confirm with the hotel regarding 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.

Norfolk & Norwich Host Hotel  
Holiday Inn West at Six Flags  
I-44 & Allentown  
4901 Six Flags Road  
Eureka, MO 63015  
636-938-6661

Comfort Inn  
1320 Thornton Street  
Pacific MO 63069  
636-257-4601

Check all of the pet-friendly lodging available in area on the Purina Farms list of hotels that take dogs:  
<https://www.purina.com/sites/g/files/auxxlc196/files/2018-02/PF%20160E%20LODGING.pdf>

## MOTOR HOMES AND TENT CAMPING

Purina Farms offers electric hookups, with water available to fill your tank, at their overflow lot for \$20/night. Purina also offers several full hookup sites with electric, sewer, and water for a \$35.00/night charge. These are located behind the Event Center. The 3 sites closest to the Earthdog dens are #45, 46, 47. These are \$20/night sites. To reserve a full hookup contact Kaite Flamm at Purina Farms: [kaite.flamm@purina.nestle.com](mailto:kaite.flamm@purina.nestle.com)

## EMERGENCY VETERINARIAN

Animal Emergency & Referral Center  
16457 Village Plaza View Dr.  
Wildwood, MO 63011

636-458-1777

## OTHER INFORMATION

Introduction to Quarry and Junior Earthdog Class is Open to all dogs. Senior Earthdog class is open only to dogs who have acquired the Junior Earth dog title before the closing of entries. Master Earthdog class is open only to dogs who have acquired the Senior Earthdog title before the closing of entries. Dogs may be entered into only one regular class each day except dogs who have earned the Master Earthdog title.

A complete copy of the "Regulations for Earthdog Tests for Small Terriers and Dachshunds" can be obtained by contacting The American Kennel Club or download <https://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/REEDOG.pdf>.

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.

## 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 which are blind and 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 breed list below are eligible to participate in these Earthdog Events.

## AKC RECOGNIZED EARTHDOG BREEDS

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

## **PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT**

The Gateway Terrier Association (GTA) will be holding TWO earthdog practices:

Wednesday, May 3 and Thursday, May 4

8:00 AM to 10:45 AM

Earthdog/Go To Ground Dens at Purina

All levels will be offered – from Intro to Quarry to Junior, Senior and Master

This opportunity is offered by GTA at no-charge and is open to all earthdoggers!

For information and **to sign up**, contact Denise Faulkner at [denwich@sbcglobal.net](mailto:denwich@sbcglobal.net).

*The Norfolk Terrier Club wants to thank the wonderful volunteers at GTA for their generous offer of time and expertise.*



## **CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS**

No event works without help, and we are not shy about asking for yours. Even if you have never been to an Earthdog Test, you can help out. We need people to help at the gate, help the judges, help with the rats. It is fun and interesting. And did we mention FUN?

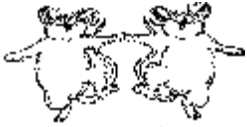
Our intrepid Volunteer Coordinator, Denise Faulkner at [denwich@sbcglobal.net](mailto:denwich@sbcglobal.net), wants to hear from you! Please make her day (and it will make yours and ours as well)!!

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB EARTHDOG TEST ENTRY FORM

**THE NORFOLK TERRIER CLUB**

Licensed Earth Dog Tests  
Events #2018676506 & #2018676507

Purina Farms, 211 Four Square Dr, Gray Summit, MO



- SUN AM May 6, 2018 -  Intro  JE  SE  ME  
 SUN PM May 6, 2018 -  Intro  JE  SE  ME

FEES (payable to NTC): PRE-ENTRY BY 04/15/18 Intro to Quarry - \$15 JE/SE/ME - \$20 EE - \$30  
 AFTER 04/15/18 Intro to Quarry - \$20 JE/SE/ME - \$25 EE - \$40 (all fees includes \$3.00 AKC Recording fee)  
 Day-of Test entries available for all days. Master limited to 10 Braces in AM and 10 Braces in PM.  
 Mail entries to: Linda Schulte, 7637 Lindbergh Dr., St Louis MO 63117

Please check appropriate test and class boxes listed above.				
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC No.	<input type="checkbox"/> AKC Litter No.	<input type="checkbox"/> ILP/PAL No.	<input type="checkbox"/> Foreign & List Country:	I enclose entry fees in the amount of \$ <input style="border: 2px solid black;" type="text"/>
Full Name of Dog: <small>AKC titles only.</small>				
Breed:	Reg. #:	Call Name:	Sex:	Date Of Birth:
Sire:				
Dam:				
Name of Breeder(s):				
Actual Owner(s): <small>(Print)</small>				
Owner's Address <small>(Street)</small> :				
City:		State:	Zip:	
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler: <small>(Print)</small>				
Agent/Handler's Address <small>(Street)</small> :				
City:		State:	Zip:	
<p>AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: <a href="http://www.akc.org">www.akc.org</a></p> <p><b>AGREEMENT</b></p> <p>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 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 THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN TIS 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.</p>				
Signature of owner or his Agent duly authorized to make this entry:				
Telephone:		Email :		