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# TWO RIVERS AGILITY CLUB OF SACRAMENTO
# TRACKING DOG EXCELLENT TEST
AKC Licensed Event 2027584201

TRACS
Two Rivers Agility Club of Sacramento

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 31, 2027

MATHER REGIONAL PARK
RANCHO CORDOVA, CALIFORNIA

**ENTRIES LIMITED TO: 3 DOGS**
Dogs registered in the AKC Canine Partners Program are accepted at this test.

**ENTRIES CLOSE:**
6:00 PM, Thursday, January 21, 2027

**Entry fee: $150.00**
(Includes $0.50 AKC recording fee and $5.00 event fee)

**Draw for Entry:**
6:15 PM, Thursday, January 21, 2027
Starbucks, 2000 El Camino Real, Palo Alto CA 94306
TRACS is participating in the 'AKC Rule: Chapter 1, Section 17d Test Worker Option.'
TRACS is setting aside 1 track in this test for workers that qualify for this draw.

**American Kennel Club Certification**
Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under the American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

Sheila Goffe, Secretary

**CLOSING DATE:** Entries will be accepted until 6:00 PM on Thursday, January 21, 2027, after which time entries will not be accepted, canceled, altered or substituted. Overnight and express mail entries **MUST** specify **NO SIGNATURE REQUIRED**.

**ENTRY FEE:** $150.00 payable in US dollars (includes $5.50 AKC recording fee). Make checks payable to TRACS.

**ELIGIBILITY**: All AKC recognized breeds that have earned a TD or TDU title are eligible to enter this test. A dog may continue to participate in this test after it has earned the TDX title. Priority shall be given to dogs that do not hold the TDX title.

**DRAW FOR ENTRY:** A random drawing of all entries received by the closing date and time will take place to determine which entries will participate in the test. The drawing will be at 6:15 PM on Thursday, January 21, 2027, at Starbucks, located at 2000 El Camino Real, Palo Alto CA 94306. Entrants will be notified of the results of the draw immediately by email.

**TEST WORKER OPTION:** One (1) track will be reserved for test workers who have earned sufficient required credit at past TRACS/SDTC tests. If necessary, a random drawing may be held to determine which test worker is chosen. The remaining test worker entrants will automatically be included in the drawing with all the other tracking entries received. See the TRACS website at agiltracs.org for details of the test worker preference process.

**ALTERNATE LIST:** An alternate list will be maintained and will consist of entries received by the closing date but not pulled in the initial draw. Drawing for the alternate list will immediately follow the drawing for entries that are to run.

**REFUND POLICY:** The entry fee shall be refunded to any entrant if the secretary is notified prior to the draw of such withdrawal and an alternate is available to run the track, and for all alternates not given the opportunity to run a track.

**IMPORTANT - 10-DAY RULE:**

- No exhibitor may show a dog under a judge at a tracking test if the exhibitor has participated in a training session taught by that judge within ten (10) days prior to the date of the event (Chap 1, Section 12, paragraph 8).
  **AKC Tracking change announced 11/23/20, effective 01/01/21**
- People cannot act as tracklayers for dogs if, within the past 10 days, they have boarded, laid a track for, or regularly trained the dogs whose tracks they are to lay. The tracklayer must not be a person with whom the dog has resided or a member of the household or a member of the immediate family of the dog's handler. The judges will determine the order in which the tracks are run and the number of each track. (Chap 2, Section 9, paragraph 4).
  **AKC Tracking change announced 11/23/20, effective 01/01/21**

**TEST HOURS:** 6:30 AM to 3:00 PM. Judging will begin as soon as tracks have aged sufficiently.

**DRAW FOR RUNNING ORDER:** All entrants must be at the test site by 9:30 AM the morning of the test, at which time there will be a draw for running order. Entrants not present at that time will be marked absent and an alternate will be allowed to run in their place.

**AWARDS:** A rosette ribbon will be awarded to each passing team.

**BITCHES IN SEASON**: If you know that your bitch will be in season the day of the test, notify the test secretary ahead of time. When you arrive at the test site, park your vehicle away from the other cars and notify the test secretary that your entered bitch is in season. The last track to be laid will be reserved for the bitch in season. If there is more than one bitch in season, a second draw for those bitches will be held. Bitches in season will only be allowed to participate after all other dogs and bitches not in season have been tested. They must be kept away from the rest of the entered dogs. Failure to comply will result in the handler and dog being excused from the test site and any award withheld.

**DOGS ON LEASH:** Dogs must be kept on leash at all times. Failure to comply will result in the dog and handler being excused from the test site and the withholding of any awards.

**DO NOT LEAVE ANY DOGS IN CLOSED VEHICLES.** If any dog is seen to be suffering from extreme temperatures or is confined without supervision, the authorities will be notified to handle the situation. Violators may be reported to the bench show Committee for disciplinary action. All persons attending this show hereby waive any claim against TRACS and its members, in the event a motor vehicle must be entered to rescue a dog from over-heating or suffocation due to improper ventilation.

**RISK:** The owner or agent entering a dog in a Tracking Test does so at his/her own risk and agrees to abide by all the Rules and Regulations of the American Kennel Club. The Two Rivers Agility Club of Sacramento assumes no responsibility for any personal injury or death of any person; theft of personal property; theft, injury or death of any animal; or any loss of or damage to any property while at this test or on the test site or in transit to/from the site.

**VACCINATIONS:** Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites and communicable diseases and have appropriate vaccinations. Rabies vaccine is required in the State of California.

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

## SITE INFORMATION

**DIRECTIONS: From Sacramento,** take Hwy 50 towards Placerville. Take Zinfandel Dr. South exit. Continue on Zinfandel Rd until you reach Douglas Rd. Continue straight on Zinfandel Rd through the signal. Go 2/10 mile and turn left into Mather Field Rotary Park where we will meet for the draw. **From Placerville,** take Hwy 50 towards Sacramento and follow the above directions. Tracking test headquarters is under the gazebo at the Mather Field Rotary Park.

*Mather land availability has undergone many recent changes. For official purposes, we are allowed to use only the land immediately north of the headquarters, and the strip of land starting at the south east corner of Mather Blvd and Arnold Rd (near the church), extending south to the large ditch, and ending near Convair Liner Rd (interior road with yellow gate). However, it appears that the public continues to access areas of land formerly owned by the park in an unofficial capacity. Use discretion when practicing at the park. Please respect all "No Dogs" posted signs.*

**SPECTATOR/DRIVING ACCESS**. We are no longer officially allowed any vehicle access on any of the interior roads. We will likely need to drive to the west side of the park when staging for some of the tracks, and there is likely to be a significant walk for exhibitors and spectators (if allowed) into and out of the areas**. In addition, the area available for exercising dogs during the event has changed -** please look for marked area and/or inquire before exercising your dog at the site.

**PRACTICING:** Limited practicing on the test site is permitted with these restrictions. No training on the grounds is permitted on the day of the test. Please refrain from using the fields at least 3 days before the test. Please respect all "No Dogs" posted signs.

**PARKING FEES:** Participants and spectators are responsible for payment of all daily parking fees and must observe all parking regulations. Parking regulations are enforced 24 hours, 7 days per week, 365 days per year (including Sundays & holidays). The fee is $5 per day payable in cash or credit card on site.

**HOTELS: Please verify pet policies with hotels.**

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| Motel 6 | La Quinta – Rancho Cordova |
| 10694 Olson Dr | 11131 Folson Blvd |
| Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 | Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 |
| (916) 635-8784 | (916) 638-1111 |

*The AKC is committed to creating a safe and respectful sport environment for all. If you need to talk to someone, or need help, please call 800. 656.HOPE (National Sexual Assault Hotline) or text HOME to 741-741 for free, 24/7, confidential services from trained crisis counselors.*

**OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB ENTRY FORM**
**TWO RIVERS AGILITY CLUB OF SACRAMENTO**
TRACKING DOG EXCELLENT TEST
**Event #**2027584201

Sunday, January 31, 2027
Mather Regional Park, Rancho Cordova, CA
Entries limited to 3 dogs.

**Entry Fee** –$150 (includes $5.50 AKC Recording Fee)
**Entries Close: Thursday, January 21, 2027 at 6:00 p.m.**

Make checks payable to: **Two Rivers Agility Club of Sacramento (TRACS).**
**Mail to:** Karey Krauter, 374 Stanford Ave., Palo Alto, CA 94306
Overnight & Express mail entries MUST specify NO SIGNATURE REQUIRED

I ENCLOSE $ _____ for entry fees
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 (PLEASE PRINT)

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| BREED | VARIETY | SEX |
| CLASS **TDX** | | |
| NAME OF JUNIOR HANDLER (if any) | JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER | |
| FULL NAME OF DOG | | CALL NAME |
| Enter number here<br>☐ AKC® NO.<br>☐ PAL/ILP NO.<br>☐ FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY | DATE OF BIRTH<br>PLACE OF BIRTH<br>____USA ____Canada ____Foreign | |
| BREEDER | | |
| SIRE | | |
| DAM | | |
| ACTUAL OWNER(S) | | |
| 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. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry

TELEPHONE #

E-MAIL Address (all acknowledgement of receipt of entry may be sent to this e-mail address):

AKC Rules, Regulations, and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org

***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 to have been cause 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 RO 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 EFFET 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. (Dog Show Class) Consult the classification in this premium list. If the dog show 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 a show 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:
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 of the Junior Handler to the Owner? _____