



JACK OF DIAMONDS ALL BREED FUN DAY COMPETITION

Saturday September 26, 2020

Reidell Farm, 740 Brawley Rd West, Ashburn, ON L0B 1A0

OUR CLUB

The Jack Russell Terrier Club of Canada Inc. (JRTCC) is the national club for Jack Russell Terrier fans. Founded in 1989 and incorporated in 1991, the Club is an affiliate of the Jack Russell Terrier Club of Great Britain. The Club and its affiliates are dedicated to preserving the working Jack Russell Terrier (JRT), and proudly maintain the national registry for the Jack Russell Terrier in Canada. Our guiding principle is to promote the breed's historic conformation while keeping the working ability in the forefront. In other words, our goal is that the Jack Russell Terrier should remain a bright, alert, well-rounded dog, with the form, endurance and drive to go to ground after their quarry. Our members include internationally recognized breeders, working terrier people and pet owners.

WHAT IS A FUN DAY?

A Fun day gives you and your dog the opportunity to practice skills you've used before and learn new ones in a friendly challenge. You can learn what games your dog loves most. You get the chance to learn techniques and practice in a helpful environment. It's all about the FUN! This is also a fundraising event for our club, all proceeds go directly to our club.

LOCATION:

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EVENTS OFFERED

- Lure Coursing
- Barn Hunt
- Agility Tunnels
- Ball Retrieval
- Radical Recall
- Brush Hunt
- Go to Ground
- Scent Detection Containers
- Fun classes for children and adults (costume, and trick)

ENTRY DEADLINE

Opening Date for Entries: August 30, 2020

Closing Date for Entries: September 26, 2020, or when entry limits are reached.

REGISTRATION

Registration is done using Trial Vault, a web-based application that is accessed through web browsers like Chrome, Firefox, Safari, and Internet Explorer on desktop, laptops, and mobile devices.

Are you new to Trial Vault? Visit <https://tinyurl.com/y2246xjf> to access a simple tutorial on how to enter your dogs on Trial Vault:

Once you review the tutorial, please visit <https://www.trialvault.dog/home> and create your own account.

Once you have created your account, select our Fun Day on the right side of the screen, under "trials". Once you have selected our fun day, proceed by entering our dog in events. Trial Vault will automatically select the correct height and age classes for your dog.

After you have selected events, please select "Day Pass" in the "Extras" section to complete your registration. If you have any questions, please contact us at jrtccanada@gmail.com

ENTRY COSTS AND PAYMENT OPTIONS

- Day Pass for All Events \$40 (for one dog), every additional dog is \$20
- Payment can be made through Paypal or e-transfer to jrtccanada@gmail.com

IMPORTANT ENTRY LIMITS

In an effort to respect provincial regulations to limit the spread of COVID we are limiting entries to 40 dogs. All entries after that will be placed on a waiting list. Your entry is only guaranteed after we receive your payment.

PAYMENT OPTIONS

Option # 1: Online Bank e-transfer

Send your online Bank e-transfer to JRTCCanada@gmail.com

(please use September2020 as the password)

Option # 2: Paypal

Send your payment to treasurer@jrtcc.ca

Option #3: Cash

If the trial does not fill prior to September 26, we will accept cash for registration on the day of the trial. Please provide exact amount of cash to reduce extra handling of money. To secure your entry, please pre-register and use Paypal or e-transfer.

LUNCH

Big Dave's Food Truck will be available for lunch menu options. They offer homemade pizza, sandwiches, burgers, pulled pork and more! There are also other fast food restaurants within a 10-minute drive. Check out their menu here: <https://www.facebook.com/bigdavesfood>

SILENT AUCTION

We will be hosting a silent auction throughout the fun day. Items will be placed on display for interested bidders to place bids. A minimum bid will be included, along with a minimum increase requirement on each bid sheet.

SCHEDULE

8:00 AM	Arrival, Registration & Volunteer Check in
9:00 AM to 12:00 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Agility Tunnels○ Barn Hunt○ Go to Ground○ Lure
12:00 AM to 1:00 PM	Fun Classes
1:00 PM to 4:00 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Ball Retrieval○ Brush Hunt○ Radical Recall○ Scent Detection Containers
4:30-5:00	Ribbons

VOLUNTEER POSITIONS

If you are able to make a commitment, please contact us at jrtccanada@gmail.com to let us know what volunteer position you are interested in.

Volunteer Retriever/ Registration Desk Assistant/Runner: The Volunteer Retriever goes and finds the volunteers for the next event as the course builders are building the course. Simply yelling names is not effect. You should actually speak to each volunteer and make sure that they know what job they were assigned. Assistant with registration. Takes score sheet(s) from the judge to the trial secretary to be recorded.

Timer: Start the timer for the competitor walk throughs and time competitor runs using electronic timing equipment. You will be responsible for timing the length of each run and reporting it to the scribe or scribe assistant. This person will also time the walk through for each event and blow the whistle at a pre-determined time to signal that the course is closed for walking.

Judge Steward: You will be responsible for keeping things moving by making sure the competitors are at the line ready to go when it's their turn. Responsible for getting competitors to the ring in a timely fashion.

Course Builder(s)/Takedown: Responsible for building and maintaining the course to the design specifications of the judge. Course builders also make sure the enclosure is secure and safe for competitors and dogs. We will need a minimum of three course builders. Course builders should be able to lift bales of straw.

EVENT DESCRIPTIONS

Lure Coursing

This is a timed event in which the terrier chases a lure in an open course. The course is not fenced in, however the catch pen area is fenced in. Each class entry will include 2 runs. All runs must be run back to back. Enter as many times as you like, however, only your best of two runs will be considered for ribbon placement. All other runs considered fun runs.

Barn Hunt

With your help, your terrier must locate and work the rat in the barn/hay bales. Three to Four tubes will be placed among the hay bales; only one tube contains a rat. The handler/terrier team will be given a maximum of three (3) minutes to locate the rat. Timing starts when the terrier is released from the assigned starting area. Handlers may encourage/coach the terrier, but no touching is permitted.

Agility Tunnels

This course consists of only open tunnels, which are taken in the order designated by the Judge. Refusals do not count, but taking the wrong end of the tunnel, popping out of the tunnel after entering or taking the wrong tunnel are all 5 faults. Scored by a combination of time and faults. New at this fun day, we will offer a "try it" tunnel class. If this is your first time with agility tunnels, and you have never tried or practiced it before, the "try it" class is for you. You have a two-minute time limit per run, for every tunnel your dog enters, you earn a point.

Ball Retrieval

This is a timed event in which the terrier works individually over distance. A line is marked off at 50 feet from the designated start. The ball must be tossed by the handler, or someone designated by the handler, to end up beyond the line. 3 throws only. Timing begins when the terrier crosses the start line toward the ball and it ends when the terrier returns to the start with the ball.

Radical Recall

This is a timed event in which the terrier must return to the handler, first without distractions, second with distractions, and third with distractions when the handler is not visible. Each class entry will include 2 runs. All runs must be run back to back. Enter as many times as you like, however, only your best of two runs will be considered for ribbon placement. All other runs considered fun runs. An assistant to hold the dog back is recommended as the main handler will need to call the dog from the course.

Brush Hunt

This is a timed event in which the terrier uses its natural instincts outdoors to successfully locate and work the quarry above ground in a fully enclosed area. One encased quarry will be hidden within the brush area. No scent will be laid. The handler and terrier will start inside the fenced area, at the entrance gate. Timing begins when the terrier is released by the handler, who remains at the gate, until instructed by the judge.

Go To Ground

A timed event which stimulates the natural instinct to hunt. The terrier enters an artificial 'den' to demonstrate its working ability by following the scent of the 'contained' rat at the end of the tunnel.

Scent Detection Containers

This is a timed event where your dog, on leash, will search 10 containers and give an “alert” (a visual cue to the handler to indicate that their dog has found the correct location of the scent). For the introductory level there is one scent to alert (wintergreen).

Fun Classes (There is no entry fee and you'll win bragging rights.)

Costume class (ages 18 and under)

With Halloween just around the corner, we have decided to add a little fun for everyone. Sponsored by Reidell Farms, there is no entry fee. It will be held during the lunch break and we welcome all children and their dogs to get creative. Everyone gets a prize with ribbons for the top 4, selected by our impartial judging team.

Costume class (adults)

With Halloween just around the corner, we have decided to add a little fun for everyone. Sponsored by Reidell Farms, there is no entry fee. It will be held during the lunch break and we welcome all adults and their dogs to get creative. Everyone gets a prize with ribbons for the top 4, selected by our impartial judging team.

Trick class (all ages)

Think your dog has a special talent? During the lunch break from our regular competition there will be a chance for you and your dog to be judged. Join the fun and show us what you've got. There is no entry fee and you'll win bragging rights.

COVID RULES

1. If you are feeling sick, stay home. The Ontario COVID 19 Self-Assessment Tool is available on the following link: <https://covid-19.ontario.ca/self-assessment/>.
2. Follow all Provincial and Municipal guidelines with regard to COVID-19 precautions.
3. Wash and/or disinfect your hands regularly. Please refrain from touching anything that isn't yours. Stay on guard against touching anything that may have been touched by others. Carry your own hand sanitizer or wipes – and USE THEM!
4. Maintain social/physical distance.
5. Bring your own mask. Provincial guidelines recommend wearing a mask when social distancing cannot be maintained.
6. Masks are mandatory in all enclosed areas with the exception of the participants in agility during their run. Please be advised that we will not be providing masks or gloves to competitors.
7. Bring your own food, snacks, water, drinks, etc.
8. Be respectful to everyone and patient with everyone! Follow all trial rules and health precautions!

NOTICE TO PARTICIPANTS AND GENERAL INFORMATION

Refunds:

There will be no refunds in the event a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless of the reason for such dismissal, or in the event of inclement weather. Refunds will be issued for bitches that come into heat, or dogs who are injured, providing the Trial Secretary receives a veterinarian's certificate at least 48 hours before the start of the trial. All entries must be "received by" or "postmarked by" the closing date.

Facilities:

This is an outdoor event that will proceed rain or shine. We will have a porta potty on site.

Awards:

Placement Ribbons for 1st through 4th will be available in each class.

Dogs:

All dogs must be kept in an x-pen, crate or on leash when not in the ring.
Handlers are responsible to clean up after their dogs

Handlers:

Any handler displaying inhumane or aggressive treatment of any dog, physically or verbally, while on site, will be asked to leave the trial grounds. There will be no refund of fees in such instances.

PARTICIPATION WAIVER AND RELEASE Submission of Online Entry acknowledges that you have read the premium for this event and agree to all terms within it. This includes but is not limited to the refund policy outlined in the premium and ALL COVID 19 MEASURES.

GENERAL WAIVER AND RELEASE FORM

I hereby enter the above at my own risk and I hereby engage to be responsible for any injury, loss or damages that may occur to, or be caused by, any animals, vehicles, or trappings exhibited by me, and I further agree to be absolutely responsible for the physical condition of any animal under my control or ownership and will release, indemnify and save harmless (Trial Site and /or Owner of Property) and the JRTCC from any damage, expense and/or liability arising out of, or resulting from, any act of the Exhibitor or their agents or employees. I hereby certify that my dog(s) are free from contagious disease.

Signature _____

Date _____

WAIVER/RELEASE FOR COMMUNICABLE DISEASES INCLUDING COVID-19

ASSUMPTION OF RISK / WAIVER OF LIABILITY / INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT

In consideration of being allowed to participate at this event sponsored by the Jack Russell Terrier Club of Canada and related events and activities, the undersigned acknowledges, appreciates, and agrees that:

1. Participation includes possible exposure to and illness from infectious diseases including but not limited to MRSA, influenza, and COVID-19. While particular rules and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious illness and death does exist; and,
2. I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, both known and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation; and,
3. I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation as regards protection against infectious diseases. If, however, I observe and any unusual or significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and,
4. I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS (the Jack Russell Terrier Club of Canada and the Reidell Farns) their officers, officials, agents, and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and lessors of premises used to conduct the event (“RELEASEES”), WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL ILLNESS, DISABILITY, DEATH, or loss or damage to person or property, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IF FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

Name of participant: _____

Participant signature: _____

Date signed: _____

FOR PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY AGE (UNDER AGE 18 AT THE TIME OF REGISTRATION)

This is to certify that I, as parent/guardian, with legal responsibility for this participant, have read and explained the provisions in this waiver/release to my child/ward including the risks of presence and participation and his/her personal responsibilities for adhering to the rules and regulations for protection against communicable diseases. Furthermore, my child/ward understands and accepts these risks and responsibilities. I for myself, my spouse, and child/ward do consent and agree to his/her release provided above for all the Releasees and myself, my spouse, and child/ward do release and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees for any and all liabilities incident to my minor child's/ward's presence or participation in these activities as provided above, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THEIR NEGLIGENCE, to the fullest extent provided by law.

Name of parent/guardian: _____

Parent guardian/signature: _____

Date signed: _____