



**Official Premium List for
Bernese Mountain Dog Club of Canada
Draft Dog Test**

Thursday, September 20th, 2018

This test is held under the rules of the Canadian Kennel Club

LIMITED ENTRIES: This test is for Bernese Mountain Dogs only. 24 teams in total for this test with a maximum of 18 DD and 6 BDD entries

LOCATION: Chilliwack Heritage Park, 44140 Luckakuck Way, Chilliwack BC, V2R 4A7. Map and Directions will be sent with judging schedule to all participants.

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All Entries will be acknowledged by email only.

BMDCC Club Officers

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Test Committee: Nicole Wiebe, June Ward, Bev Mattson, David Denis, Diane Jones

ENTRY FEES (GST included)	
Draft Dog.....	\$75/dog
Brace Draft Dog.....	\$75/brace
Listing Fee (per dog per trial).....	\$8.93/dog
Exhibition Only (per day).....	\$8.00/dog

This event will be held OUTDOORS. Please provide shade/water for your dogs. If you are crating your dogs in your vehicles, you must provide adequate ventilation and water or adequate warmth/protection if the weather is inclement. Please be prepared for any kind of weather. The trial will go on regardless of the weather unless it is deemed unsafe to continue.

Mail entries to the Test Secretary as noted above.
All entries must be mailed in a separate envelope.

A separate entry is required for each dog entered in a test; multiple entries in one envelope will NOT be accepted. If you are entering a brace team – please ensure that you attach BOTH entries for the brace team in one envelope. A brace team is the only multiple entry that will be accepted!!!

Entries Close: EITHER at 9:00 p.m. (MST) Thursday, August 30th, 2018 or when the respective limits are reached. (Refer rule 6.9.1)

Note: If limit is not reached, day of entries will be accepted but must be received no later than 1 hour prior to ring start time

GENERAL INFORMATION

NOTE: A Canadian DD title is required on both dogs entered in the BDD. ***Remember: the CKC is now offering the following new titles in draft dog: DDA and BDDA - even if you have your DD or BDD you can enter to try for the new titles. Please refer to the rule book for the qualifications for these new titles.***

MAKE ALL CHEQUES/MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE TO BERNESE MOUNTAIN DOG CLUB OF CANADA (BMDCC)

PLEASE NOTE: Only entries received via Canada Post or US Postal Service will be accepted

No postdated cheques. No Entry will be accepted without payment in full. Tendering of a N.S.F. cheque in payment of entry fees is considered non-payment of entry fees and is an offence punishable by disciplinary action and cancellation of awards. **All N.S.F. cheques will be assessed a \$50.00 service charge NO EXCEPTIONS.**

The owner of a dog entered in this test is entirely responsible for any errors in the entering of the dog, regardless of how, or by whom the entry was made.

Rule 6.1.4 and 6.1.5.: A listing fee as established by The Canadian Kennel Club (\$8.50) must accompany the entry of a dog for which a Canadian Kennel Club individual registration number or Event Registration Number (ERN) or Performance Event Number (PEN) is not shown on the entry form. A dog that is eligible for a Performance Event Number (PEN) cannot be entered as a listed dog.

Event Registration Numbers: Effective Jan/1992 all dogs that are foreign-born and foreign-owned and enter Canada for the sole purpose of entering CKC (Canadian Kennel Club) events will no longer require a CKC registration number but will require an ERN - **Event Registration Number**. This ERN does not register a

dog with CKC for breeding purposes as defined in the Animal Pedigree Act but rather enables a foreign-owned dog to be awarded titles by the Canadian Kennel Club. Each dog must have its own number. To obtain an ERN, mail or fax a photocopy of the dog's registration certificate with certified cheque, money order, VISA or MasterCard number (expiry date, cardholder's name and signature). Provide your complete address for return of the ERN to you. **Cost is \$62.40 + 5% GST.** ERN MUST BE APPLIED FOR WITHIN 30 DAYS OF FIRST DAY OF ENTERING A CKC EVENT. A CKC ERN registration form can be downloaded from the CKC website: <http://www.ckc.ca>

PLEASE NOTE TO ALL NON-MEMBERS OF The Canadian Kennel Club.

Effective January 1st, 2011 an annual non-member participation fee for all awards and titles will be charged to a Canadian nonmember of CKC. The fee will match the ERN fee \$62.40 + 5% GST. In order to protect the awards/titles earned, the non-member will have a choice either to become a CKC member or to pay the Non-member participation fee. Failure to comply within 30 days of notification will cause all awards and titles to be cancelled. This fee applies only to dogs wholly owned by non CKC members and not dogs co-owned by a CKC member.

Entries shall not be accepted from any person who is not in good standing with The Canadian Kennel Club on the day of entries closing. U.S. entrants may pay fees by money order payable in Canadian funds OR by personal cheque in U.S. funds for the full amount of the fees. **Personally discounted cheques will not be accepted** and please **do not mark cheques "Payable in Canadian Funds" as these will not be accepted.**

RECEIPT OF ENTRIES AND ASSIGNMENT OF POSITIONS

We will be accepting entries by CANADA POST OR US POSTAL SERVICE ONLY. EACH ENTRY MUST BE MAILED IN A SEPARATE ENVELOPE. No hand delivered, telephone, faxed, courier or emailed entries will be accepted. **All entries must be sent NO SIGNATURE REQUIRED**

Once the advertised limit has been reached, all remaining entries will be assigned a position on the "Alternate List" in the order that they are received. On closing date the club will notify all applicants by **email** of their position in the test or on the Alternate List.

Dog Show Rule books, Drafting Test regulations are available from the Canadian Kennel Club via their website or you may order a hardcopy at a cost of \$6.30 per copy. The Show Superintendent will be in full charge of the show, which will be governed by CKC rules.

REFUNDS

After the respective tests have been filled, entries are automatically closed even though the published "Closing Date" may not have been reached (Refer rule 6.5.13). An entry received after entries have closed (but before the posted closing date) will be assigned a position on the Alternate List. If a dog is withdrawn after entries are closed, **refunds will only be permitted where there is an "Alternate" available and actually fills the vacancy on test day.** Anyone on the "Alternate List" may request a refund at any time prior to test day. Entry fees will be refunded within 10 days following the test for those on the alternate list who did not participate in the test.

EQUIPMENT CHECK TIMES AND START TIMES FOR THE DD/BDD will be sent in confirmation email just prior to the test day

LUNCH: Lunch will be available to purchase from Grandma's Kitchen which is located on the grounds. Lunch is \$12 and will include soup, open bun, dessert, coffee, tea, and water.

*****The Draft Dog Field Work, Draft Dog Excellent Freight Haul and/or the Draft Dog Excellent Backpacking Exercises may be preformed using the Group Option as stated in Section 11.2 using the recommended methodology as stated in Appendix A of the official Draft Dog Test Rules and Regulations (Effective January 1, 2016).*****

BITCHES IN SEASON ARE ALLOWED TO COMPETE

Bitches in Season will run last and must not be on the test site during the test until it is their time to run. Please see Rule 6.11

REQUALIFICATIONS

Requalifications are accepted pending "space available". Re-qualifications shall be judged as the last team in the section for which they are entered. There will be a space on the entry form for re-qualification.

DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

In attending this test, competitors, spectators and guests acknowledge they do so at their own risk and that of any dog. They also agree they will not hold liable the C.K.C., Bernese Mountain Dog Club of Canada, Chilliwack Heritage Park, test officials, or the Judges for any loss, damage or injury, however arising, to themselves, their dog(s), or any chattels.

DISCIPLINE-INDIGNITIES (Rule 19.7)

It shall be the duty and obligation of the test-giving club to see that a judge, club official, steward, volunteer or any competitor at a Draft Dog Test, is not subject to **indignities** of any kind. The Draft Dog Test Committee Chair shall promptly report to CKC any infringement of this regulation, and the CKC shall have the authority to take such action as it deems fit on receipt of a report indicating that this has occurred.

ROSETTES AND PRIZES WILL BE PRESENTED TO ALL PASSING TEAMS IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE END OF THE TEST.

PARKING: Parking near the trial site is limited. Competitors will be able to drive up and unload their vehicles before the test has begun and then may need to move their vehicles to the main parking lot.

ACCOMMODATIONS:

Coast Chilliwack Hotel (Host Hotel)
45920 First Avenue
Chilliwack, BC V2P 7K1
(604) 792-5552
www.coasthotels.com

Travelodge by Wyndham
45466 Yale Road West
Chilliwack, BC V2R 3Z8
(604) 426-0272
www.wyndhamhotels.com

Comfort Inn
45405 Luckakuck Way
Chilliwack, BC V2R 3C7
(604) 858-0636
www.choicehotels.com

OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN:

Cottonwood Veterinary Clinic
#101B 45793 Luckakuck Way
Chilliwack BC, V2R 5S3
(604) 824-5848
www.cottonwoodclinic.ca

Exhibitors Please Note: It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to be familiar with the rules pertaining to the event in which they are competing. **Do not leave dogs unattended, please "Stoop and Scoop" and all dogs must be on leash. Please bring suitable shade equipment and water for your dogs.**

DIRECTIONS TO CHILLIWACK HERITAGE PARK:

From Host Hotel: Head West on First Ave and then continue South onto Yale Road for 450m. Turn west onto the Trans-Canada Highway (Highway 1) and travel 6.2 km to Lickman Rd. Turn South onto Lickman Rd and then it's your first left onto Luckakuck Way. Follow Luckakuck Way around to the entrance of Chilliwack Heritage Park which will be your first right.

From US Border (Sumas Crossing) via Highway 1: Head North on Sumas Way for 4.2 km, then turn East onto Trans-Canada Highway (Highway 1). Continue along the Trans-Canada Highway for 23.5 km towards Lickman Rd. Head South onto Lickman Rd and then take your first left onto Luckakuck Way. Follow Luckakuck Way around to the entrance of Chilliwack Heritage Park which will be your first right.

****MAP AND SPECIFIC DIRECTIONS TO TEST SITE(S) WILL BE PROVIDED IN JUDGING SCHEDULE TO ALL PARTICIPANTS****