

**Tracking Dog Test limited to 5 entries**  
**Tracking Dog Excellent Test limited to 3 entries**  
**Variable Surface Tracking Test limited to 4 entries**

**ENTRIES CLOSE: 5:00 PM, Wednesday, April 27, 2011**, after which time no entries may be accepted, canceled or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Sec. 6 of the Dog Show Rules. Entries will be drawn by lottery per Chapter 1, Sec. 13b of the Tracking Regulations as relating to specialty clubs. Open to all breeds - Rottweilers given preference.

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**PREMIUM LIST**  
**TRACKING DOG, TRACKING DOG EXCELLENT,**  
**and VARIABLE SURFACE TRACKING TESTS**

**AMERICAN ROTTWEILER CLUB**



**2011 AMERICAN  
ROTTWEILER CLUB  
NATIONAL SPECIALTY**

**Sunday May 8, 2011**

Fair Hill Natural Resources Management Area  
North Appleton Road  
Elkton, Maryland 21921



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**AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION**

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James P. Crowley, Secretary



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Carol Jones

15911 Jerald Rd

Laurel, MD 20707

301-490-4080

[carol.s.jones@comcast.net](mailto:carol.s.jones@comcast.net)

## Judges

### TD/TDX:

Sue Ammerman 2232 Olde Meadow Ct.  
E. Petersburg, PA 17520  
Jack Sappenfield 615 Olive Branch Rd  
Durham, NC 27703

### TD/VST:

Carol Pernicka 27848 Arikaree Rd.  
Loveland, CO 80534  
Marge Schultz 2603 Ruth St.  
Little Canada, MN 55117

## Entry Fees

TD ..... \$85

TDX ..... \$135

VST \$135

## Test Location

TD/TDX: Fair Hill NRMA North Appleton Rd. Elkton, MD (test headquarters)

VST: Cecil College 1 Seahawk Dr. North East, MD

School of Technology 900 NE Rd North East, MD

Cherry Hill Middle School 2535 Singerly Rd Elkton, MD

## Awards

Those teams passing will receive a 7" ARC Armetale plate, rosette, and a grooming towel, presented by Purina\*.

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## Veterinarian

VCA Newark Animal Hospital  
1360 Marrows Rd Newark, DE 19711  
302-737-46966

## NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

**CERTIFICATION:** An original statement, dated within one year and signed by a person who has been approved by the American Kennel Club to judge tracking tests (or a Provisional Tracking Judge), certifying that the dog is considered ready for such a test must be included with the entry form for a dog who has not passed a Tracking Dog test.

### FAX, TELEPHONE AND UNSIGNED ENTRIES CANNOT BE ACCEPTED

Entries not on official AKC entry forms and photocopies of entry forms without the Agreement and Rules on the reverse side of the Official AKC Entry Form are NOT ACCEPTABLE

**ERRORS ON ENTRY BLANKS:** Owners are responsible for errors on entry forms, whoever may make such errors. No entry fee will be refunded in event of errors or cancellation of entry after the published closing date.

**NO ENTRY SHALL BE MADE** and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any condition as to its acceptance. Entries cannot be accepted, canceled, altered, or substituted after the entries have closed.

**ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT FEES.** The fee for TD is \$85. The fee for TDX is \$135. The fee for VST is \$135.

**MAIL ALL ENTRIES AND CERTIFICATIONS TO:** Carol Jones 15911 Jerald Rd. Laurel, MD 20707. Make checks payable to the American Rottweiler Club. Please provide separate forms of payment for each dog entered in the test if you are entering multiple dogs.

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**NUMBER OF TRACKS:** 5 TD, 3 TDX, and 4 VST tracks. If the limit for entries is not reached in one test and the limit for entries is exceeded in the other test, the number of tracks may be exchanged as allowed in the tracking regulations.

**REFUNDS:** Entry fees will be refunded for entrants who withdraw and give the Test Secretary sufficient time to contact an alternate to fill that dog's vacancy; the entry fee is NOT refunded if there is no alternate to take the available spot. Fees for alternates who do not participate will be refunded within seven (7) days following the Test.

**BITCHES IN SEASON** may participate in this test, per Chapter 2, Section 8 of the Tracking Regulations.

**FOOD:** There will be complimentary refreshments available the morning of the test. Lunch will be provided after the tests on Sunday.

**NOTE:** The test site is a public park so handlers should be ready for distractions. This area has been known to have a lot of ticks so please be prepared. Exhibitors are requested to not practice at the test site within three days of the test without first contacting the Test Chairperson to find out which areas may be used.

## ACCOMMODATIONS

**Lancaster Host Resort (Specialty Headquarters - ~1 hr from test site)**  
2300 Lincoln Hwy E, Lancaster, PA ..... 717-299-5500

**Ramada Inn Perryville**  
61 Heather Ln Perryville, MD..... 800-311-5192

**Best Western North East**  
39 Elwoods Rd North East, MD..... 410-287-5450

**Days Inn**  
900 Churchmans Rd Newark, DE..... 302-368-2400

**Red Roof Inn**  
415 Stanton Christiana Rd Newark, DE..... 302-292-2870

**Motel 6**  
223 Belle Hill Rd Elkton, MD..... 410-392-5020

## DIRECTIONS TO Fair Hill Natural Resources Management Area

Test Headquarters: Appleton Rd parking lot #3. - 1.2 miles north of intersection of Rt. 273 and Appleton Rd.

From Lancaster Host Resort (2300 Lincoln Hwy E Lancaster, PA):

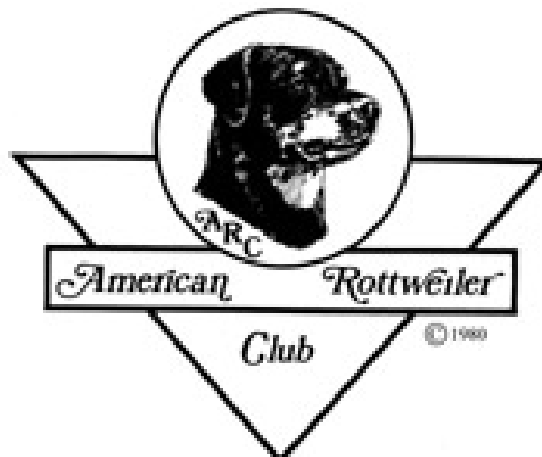
Proceed east on US. 30/Lincoln Hwy E for approx. 1 mile. Turn right on PA 896. Continue on PA 896 for approx. 30 miles. Make a slight right turn onto Appleton Rd. Proceed 2.5 miles to parking lot on right.

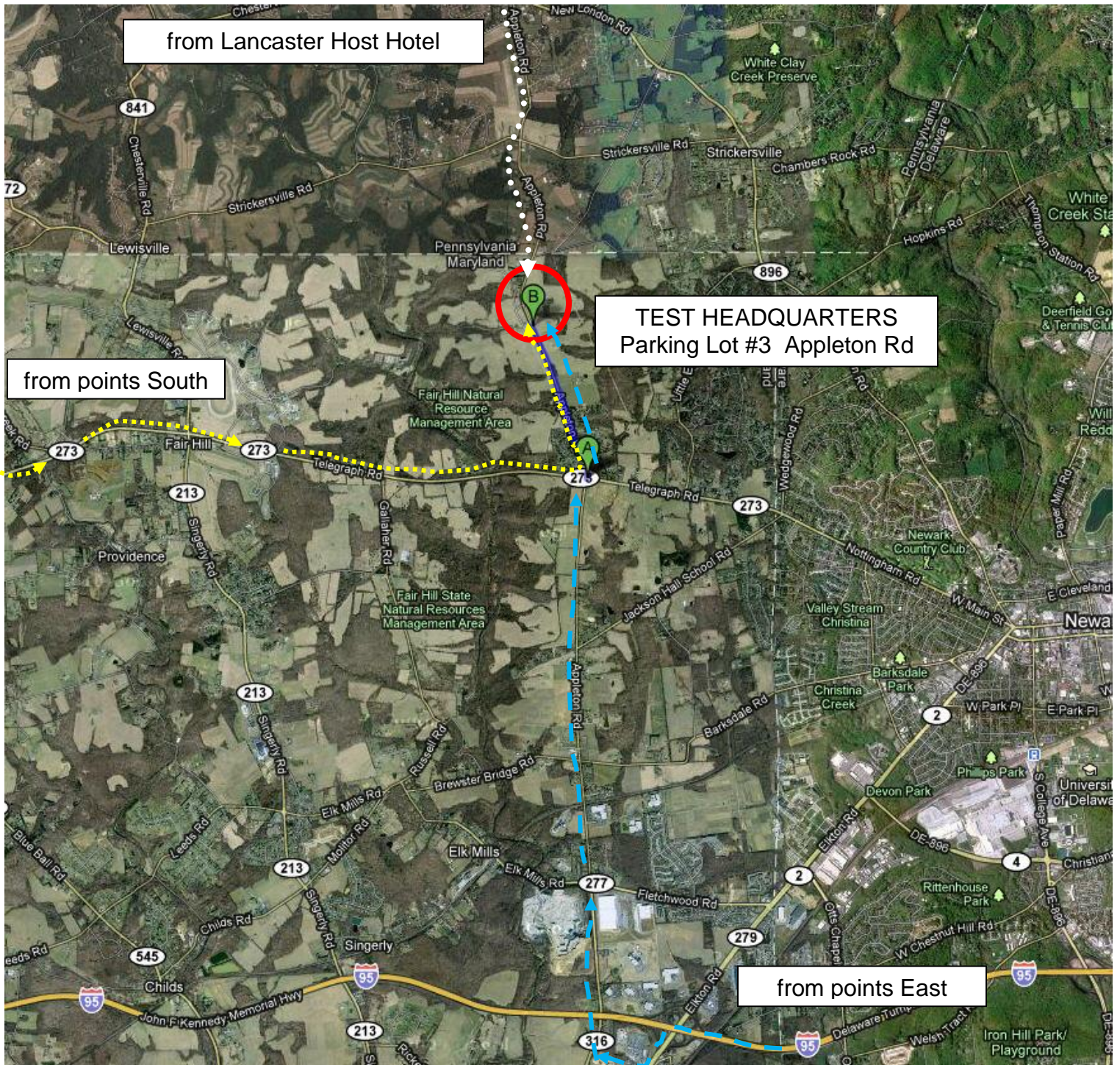
From the South:

Take I-95 North to exit 100. Turn left at end of ramp onto MD 272. Travel 5.3 miles north on MD 272 to traffic light at MD 273. Turn right onto MD 273 E/Telegraph Rd. Continue 9.0 miles east then turn left on Appleton Rd. Proceed 1.2 miles to parking lot on left.

From the East:

Take I-95 South to exit 109A towards Elkton. Merge onto MD 279 W/Elkton Rd. Travel 0.5 miles and turn right at Belle Hill Rd. Turn left to stay on Belle Hill Rd. Go 0.5 miles and turn right on MD 316 N/Appleton Rd. Travel 5.7 miles to parking lot on left.





from Lancaster Host Hotel

TEST HEADQUARTERS  
Parking Lot #3 Appleton Rd

from points South

from points East



**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 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 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.**

**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. (Event Class) Consult the classification in this premium list. If the event 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 an event 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.)

5. Mixed Breed dogs entering classes for Agility, Obedience, and Rally trials should mark Breed as AKC Canine Partners Listed Dog "All-American Dog/Mixed Breed." Variety, Breeder, Sire, Dam information shall remain blank for mixed breed entrants.

If this entry is for Junior Showmanship, please give the following information:

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

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) 233-9767.

**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?





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# AKC Code of Sportsmanship

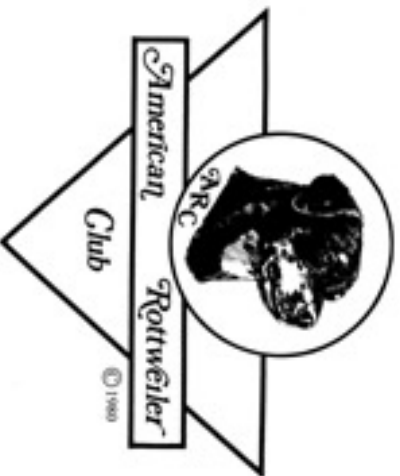
*PREFACE: The sport of purebred dog competitive events dates prior to 1884, the year of AKC's birth. Shared values of those involved in the sport include principles of sportsmanship. They are practiced in all sectors of our sport: conformation, performance and companion. Many believe that these principles of sportsmanship are the prime reason why our sport has thrived for over one hundred years. With the belief that it is useful to periodically articulate the fundamentals of our sport, this code is presented.*

- Sportsmen respect the history, traditions and integrity of the sport of purebred dogs.
- Sportsmen commit themselves to values of fair play, honesty, courtesy, and vigorous competition, as well as winning and losing with grace.
- Sportsmen refuse to compromise their commitment and obligation to the sport of purebred dogs by injecting personal advantage or consideration into their decisions or behavior.
- The sportsman judge judges only on the merits of the dogs and considers no other factors.
- The sportsman judge or exhibitor accepts constructive criticism.
- The sportsman exhibitor declines to enter or exhibit under a judge where it might reasonably appear that the judge's placements could be based on something other than the merits of the dogs.
- The sportsman exhibitor refuses to compromise the impartiality of a judge.
- The sportsman respects the AKC bylaws, rules, regulations and policies governing the sport of purebred dogs.
- Sportsmen find that vigorous competition and civility are not inconsistent and are able to appreciate the merit of their competition and the effort of competitors.
- Sportsmen welcome, encourage and support newcomers to the sport.
- Sportsmen will deal fairly with all those who trade with them.
- Sportsmen are willing to share honest and open appraisals of both the strengths and weaknesses of their breeding stock.
- Sportsmen spurn any opportunity to take personal advantage of positions offered or bestowed upon them.
- Sportsmen always consider as paramount the welfare of their dog.
- Sportsmen refuse to embarrass the sport, the American Kennel Club, or themselves while taking part in the sport.



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