YANKEE CHAPTER TEST ENTRY RULES 2022

Test date preference will be based on a first come – first served basis. **Entries for the Spring and Fall tests, must be postmarked on or after February 15, 2022.** Emailed/Scanned Entry Forms will not be accepted.

Entry Forms, Test Fees and NAVHDA Member Number are required in order for you to reserve a spot in the test. Entries received without this information will be deferred until the information is received.

Owners (or at least one owner of co-owned dogs) and any handler must be current NAVHDA International members in order to enter into a test and run a dog.

No handler may run more than 2 dogs in either the spring or fall test.

All dogs must be registered with NAVHDA. Only the dog registered for a test will be able to participate. No substitutions will be allowed.

No entry fees will be refunded except (a) if an entry is filled with a replacement entry prior to four weeks before the test date; (b) for a medical condition backed up by a doctor's or veterinarian's note; or (c) for entries on waiting list for which no room was found in a test.

If a dog is pulled from a test, the waiting list will be used to fill the slot on a first come - first served basis based on the postmarked date of entry.

The Test Secretary will only process test entry forms; please **do not** send membership applications. All membership applications need to be sent to Kathleen Weller, Yankee Chapter Membership Coordinator, 39 Lisbon Road, Brunswick, Maine 04011.

The test entry form can be found on the NAVHDA website. NAVHDA.org – Menu/Testing/Testing Forms/Test Entry Form. The current link is:

https://www.navhda.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/11/TEST-ENTRY-FORM-2021-0111.pdf

The link may change if and when NAVHDA updates the form.

Fill out the test entry form and mail it to the Test Secretary. Please ensure all information you enter on the Test Entry Form is accurate. This information is used to fill out the Judges' Cards and to send final results into NAVHDA International. If you are missing information, fill it as much as possible and we can update the form when the information becomes available. NAVHDA Member # is a required field for submitting your Entry Form.

All names, whether dog or human, need to be their registered (with NAVHDA) name. The NAVHDA dog registration number is your dog's NAVHDA number that is on the Registration Certificate Pedigree you received from NAVHDA. If your dog is not

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registered, then do so by contacting the main office at (847) 253-6488 or email navhda@navhda.org. Your NAVHDA member number is located on the mailing label just above your name on the Versatile Hunting Dog Magazine. You can also locate both of these numbers online in the NAVHDA site.

The test entry fee can be mailed, payable to Yankee Chapter of NAVHDA, Inc, or you can pay via PayPal. To reserve your place in a Test; Entry Forms and Fees must be received. If your Entry Form is received without payment, you Entry Form <u>will not be processed</u> until payment is received.

Entry Fees will be deposited as they are received.

Mail the Entry Form, along with your Entry Fee, or pay via PayPal, to: Nick Racioppi 9 Pasture Road, Woolwich, ME 04579

YC Chapter Test Entry Fees:

Natural Ability -- \$95 Utility Prep Test / Utility Test -- \$110