Ottawa Valley NAVHDA Test Entry Rules

ENTRIES

Applications can be made via Emailed/scanned entry forms or entry forms posted to the test Secretary:

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Payment can be either in the form of an e-transfer (only for Canadian residents) to the club's treasurer or a check mailed to the test Secretary. *Completed Entry forms, test fees and your 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/payment is received with the exception of puppies from litters that have not yet been born or registered. Once the number of applications reaches the maximum of the NAVHDA sanctioned test capacity chart, any additional entry will be assigned on a reserve list. The test Secretary will inform all applicants accordingly.

TEST ENTRY FEES

Up to date test entry fees are listed on OVNAVHDA web site:

https://www.ovnavhda.org/test-date-and-entry-form/

ELIGIBILITY

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.

REFUNDS

No entry fees will be refunded except in the following situations:

- (a) if an entry is filled with a replacement entry prior to 30 days before the test date
- (b) for a medical condition backed up by a doctor's or veterinarian's note
- (c) for entries on waiting list for which no room was found in a test.

FORMS

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.

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 in to NAVHDA International.

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 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 envelope. You can also locate both of these numbers online in the NAVHDA site.

RUNNING ORDER

The running order will be determined about two weeks prior to the test date. It will be based on many factors such as male vs female, NA vs UPT vs UT, operational constraints and consultations with the senior judge. Please note that the running order is always subject to change and can only be finalised on the morning of the test. As well, regardless of the running order, all handlers and their dogs need to be present on site at the time the test begins/judges' introduction.