

# Join us for our Silver Anniversary

## The 25th Annual Northgate Terrier Trials

August 30 – September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024

Friday Night Racing and Pizza Party at the Barn!



### \*JUDGES\*

Conformation Saturday: Kevin Allen

Conformation Sunday: John Broadhurst

GTG/Super Earth: Jim Eslinger/Kasey Eslinger

Obedience/Rally: Sara Jacobs

Racing: Doug Loranger

TNT Tunnel: Stephanie Poppe

Agility Games: Wendy Kerr

Brush Hunt: Bud Moomau

*Trial Chairs: Douglas & Susan Tack, [northgatejrts@comcast.net](mailto:northgatejrts@comcast.net)*

*Location: Northgate Farms, Port Murray, NJ*

*Sanctioned by: The Jack Russell Terrier Club of America*

*Exhibitors and owners of terriers must be current JRTCA members*





## WELCOME TO NORTHGATE 2024!

We will continue to work diligently to keep everyone safe from COVID-19, following the current New Jersey regulations at the time of the trial! Please bear with us as there may be unforeseen delays to keep everyone happy and healthy.

**Northgate** is a drug-free and smoke-free venue. If you must use legal vices, please remember to pick up cigarette butts and other waste, as nicotine is poisonous to dogs. The use of illegal drugs is strictly prohibited.

To keep costs down, we will be transitioning to a different ribbon type for 1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> place awards. 1<sup>st</sup> place winners will still receive a **Northgate** prize.

**Here are some of the fun events we have planned for you and your terrier:**

**FRIDAY AFTERNOON EVENTS, 2-4 PM**  
**WINNERS TO RECEIVE STRAY RESCUE OF ST. LOUIS SWAG!!**  
**\$10 PER EVENT (pay-at-the-gate)**

**BRUSH HUNT CHALLENGE:** Beginners welcome, an NJ themed brush hunt! Judged by Mary Mott.

**TNT CHALLENGE:** A favorite from last year to warm up for the weekend! Judged by Whitey Cox & Kevin Pyle.

**AGILITY CHALLENGE:** Fast & clean; guide your terrier through a fast but clean standard run on your way to a fun and successful weekend! Judged by Wendy Kerr.

**NOSEWORK CHALLENGE:** Learn about nosework with your terrier OR get ready for nationals with your experienced worker! Both beginner and advanced classes will be offered. Judged by Natalene Lamming.

**EARTHDOG HIGH POINT:** To be eligible, an **Earthdog** must compete in a minimum of four events on **Saturday**. The Earthdog Conformation and Brush Hunt classes are MANDATORY. You may enter as many other classes as you like, but only the top four finishes will count toward the High Point. Any ties will be broken by the fastest Brush Hunt time. Score cards can be picked up with your entry packet. Please make a note on your entry form that you would like to join the fun! Sponsored by the Earthdog Coalition.

**FRIDAY NIGHT RACING:** We are bringing back Friday Night racing and the pizza party! Starting at 6:00 PM at our lit racetrack. Reminder: racing will be held on Friday night & Sunday morning.

**SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:** We thank you for your support and these are always appreciated.

The following sponsorship opportunities are available:

- **NEW - Friends of Northgate: \$250, includes: Division Sponsorship, Weekend Ringside Parking, Weekend Lunch (for 1, non-transferrable), Northgate Gift, & an arms-length of (regular) Raffle Tickets**
- **Division: \$100, includes: Weekend Ringside Parking**
- **Champion Class: \$35 (Champion/Reserve or Best/Reserve)**
- **Regular Class: \$20**

Please indicate on your entry form if you would like to sponsor. All sponsorships will be acknowledged and announced at the trial.



## NORTHGATE TERRIER TRIALS: AUG 30 - SEPT 1, 2024

**Trial Packet Pickup 2:00-4:00 PM (Friday) & after 8:00 AM (Saturday & Sunday).**  
**Please use the same packet for the entire weekend.**

As we are busy getting ready for your arrival, we ask that no one arrive before 12:00 noon on Thursday, August 31<sup>st</sup>.

### TRIAL SCHEDULE (FRIDAY)

ENTRY DESK OPEN: 2:00-4:00 PM

PIZZA PARTY AT THE BARN: 5:00 PM until the pizza is gone.

CHALLENGE CLASSES: 2:00-4:00 PM

RACING: 6:00 PM

### TRIAL SCHEDULE (SATURDAY) - ALL TIMES APPROXIMATE

ENTRY DESK OPENS: 8:00 AM

CONFORMATION: 10:00 AM, will start with the *Working Terrier Division*

GO-TO-GROUND: 8:30 AM

SUPER EARTH: 8:30 AM

AGILITY GAMES: 10:00 AM

BRUSH HUNT: 10:00 AM

OBEDIENCE: 9:00 – 11:00 AM (Saturday Only)

RALLY: 1:00 – 3:00 PM (Saturday Only)

TNT TUNNEL: 10:00 AM

RAFFLE: At completion of the day's events

### TRIAL SCHEDULE (SUNDAY) - ALL TIMES APPROXIMATE

ENTRY DESK OPENS: 8:00 AM

RACING: 8:00 AM

CONFORMATION: Approx. 11:00 AM - will start with the *Working Terrier Division*  
immediately after racing

GO-TO-GROUND: 8:30 AM

SUPER EARTH: 8:30 AM

AGILITY GAMES: 10:00 AM

BRUSH HUNT: 10:00 AM

TNT TUNNEL: Approx. 11:00 AM, immediately after racing

### PLEASE SUPPORT OUR RAFFLE!

The famous Northgate Raffle will be held Saturday at the conclusion of Conformation. Donation of Raffle items is greatly appreciated. Thanks for making this a continued success! Raffle proceeds will be donated to the Stray Rescue of Saint Louis.

### GENERAL NOTES

- Ribbons awarded through 6th place. First place prizes will be awarded for every class.
- All dogs MUST be leashed or crated except when competition requires off-leash work.
- Please pick up your trash, clean up after your dogs and leave the grounds as clean as you found them.
- Absolutely no puppies under 3 months of age are allowed on the grounds. Persons violating this rule will be asked to leave the trial grounds and will not receive a refund on any entry fees.
- Abuse of dogs or severe disciplining of dogs on trial grounds is strictly prohibited.
- For a complete list of rules, please see the General Rules section.
- Bitches in heat are NOT allowed on grounds.

PLEASE NOTE: In compliance with JRTCA policy, refunds will only be given for bitches in heat (must have veterinary note) or demise of terrier. No exceptions will be made.



## GENERAL RULES

1. All sanctioned classes are open to Jack Russell Terriers only.
2. Exhibitors and owners of terriers entered must be current JRTCA members and must not be a member of a conflicting JRT organization or register their JRTs in any all-breed registry or conflicting JRT organization. If an exhibitor is found to be in violation of this policy, entry will be disqualified, and no refunds will be given. If a violation is confirmed after the trial, placements will be voided from all JRTCA records. Exhibitors must submit a completed entry form including a signed waiver for every trial they enter.
3. Entries MUST be within the 10-15" JRTCA height standard for all sanctioned classes (with the exception of pups who have not yet met the 10" height standard); measuring devices will be available on the trial grounds.
4. Puppies (under 12 months) are not eligible for championship in any division but their own. Puppies are eligible to compete only if they have reached their four-month birthday (not 16 weeks). A puppy's age is the actual age the pup is on the day of the trial.
5. Bitches in season may not compete in any division. Pre-entry fees of bitches in season will be refunded with a veterinarian certificate, or as otherwise agreed upon by the Trial Chairperson.
6. Spayed or neutered terriers may compete in Miscellaneous Conformation. They may not compete in Puppy, Family\*, Open or Working Conformation. \*Note: For Family Classes, Brood Bitches and Stud Dogs entered may not be spayed/neutered. The offspring at their sides may be intact or spayed/neutered.
7. A terrier bred by a sanctioned JRTCA Judge may not be shown under that Judge in the conformation division.
8. Terriers owned or co-owned by the Trial Chairperson, or any member of their household, may not be entered in any phase of the competition, with the exception of Child and Youth Handling.
9. Terriers owned by judges may not be entered in the division in which they are judging but may enter the competition in any other division.
10. Terriers owned by stewards may be entered in any division if they find a substitute to perform their duties or have someone else show their terriers.
11. Requests for the measurement of a terrier entered in any class number may be made only by another exhibitor in that same class number or by the Judge EXCEPT in Racing. Requests for the measurement of a terrier in Racing may be made by the Judge or by an exhibitor with a terrier entered in the same class number; OR, if classes are split by gender, may call for the measurement of a terrier of the opposite gender in the same age and height category. (Example: The owner of an under adult dog entered in Racing may call for the measurement of an under adult bitch as the potential exists for them to race each other in the Championship Races.) Exhibitors racing puppies may call for the measurement of a puppy in a different age category as long as it is in the same height category. The person making the request for measurement must name the terrier or terriers they wish to have measured, but requests for measurement of entire classes will not be honored. The measurement of the terrier will be considered the terrier's official height for the duration of the trial. Only JRTCA height cards issued after September 1999 will be honored.
12. Excessive use of squeaky or fur-like baiting devices by exhibitors is prohibited in the Conformation ring and may result in the exhibitor being excused from the class. "Excessive use" will be at Judge's discretion.
13. Exhibitors participating in the JRTCA Working Terrier classes, or Certificate Go-To-Ground and Super Earth must submit the appropriate JRTCA certificates with pre-entries or at the time of post-entry. The Judge may require a copy of the certificate be presented to the Ring/Den steward at time of judging. Registered terriers may submit a copy of NHC application signed by a JRTCA Working Judge within 30 days of the date it was issued.
14. Puppies under the age of three months are not permitted on the trial grounds. Any person violating this rule will be excused from all classes entered and asked to leave the trial site. (This applies to RV's and Campers, if at the same address as the trial grounds). (01/22)
15. All dogs must be leashed or crated except when competition requires off-leash work. No liberty leashes allowed.
16. Overly aggressive dogs, or an owner's failure to control their dog, may result in disqualification at the discretion of the Judges or the Trial Chairperson(s).
17. The abuse or severe disciplining of dogs on the trial grounds is prohibited. Anyone displaying such behavior will be asked to leave the trial site, and no entry fees will be refunded.
18. Dogs other than JRTs on the grounds may be excluded or permitted at the discretion of the Trial Chairperson.
19. Exhibitors are responsible to double check the classes they have entered and be on time. No refunds will be given for missed classes.
20. The owner/handler of a terrier entering any class does so at his/her own risk and agrees to abide by the rules of the JRTCA and the trial. A copy of the JRTCA Rule Book can be obtained by contacting the JRTCA office (410-561-3655) or it can be downloaded from the JRTCA website ([www.therealjackrussell.com](http://www.therealjackrussell.com)). (01/22)
21. Unsportsmanlike conduct, or the use of foul and abusive language, will not be tolerated. Anyone demonstrating such conduct will be asked to leave the trial site and no entry fees will be refunded. In addition, such conduct will be subject to penalties which may include the suspension of membership, restriction from entering the JRTCA National Trial, and/or fines. Trial Chairpersons have the right to refuse any entry at their sole and absolute discretion.
22. All dogs brought to JRTCA sanctioned trials must be current on vaccinations. No dogs of any age may be brought to a trial who have suspicion of contagious or infectious disease. Proof of vaccinations should be made available upon request.
23. Judges may not eat, smoke, vape, or use cell phones while judging their event.
24. ALL JUDGES DECISIONS ARE FINAL IN ALL DIVISIONS.



## DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

**NORTHGATE FARM is located at 79 Mt. Lebanon Rd., Port Murray, NJ.** If you use a GPS to get to Northgate, type the address as 79 Mount Lebanon Road, Glen Gardner, NJ using Glen Gardner as the town. As you use the following directions, watch your odometer. Roads are not well marked.

### FROM NORTHEAST AND NYC:

1. I-80 West to exit 26, Rt. 46 West towards Budd Lake.
2. Go 5.0 miles and turn left at the traffic light onto Naughtright Rd.  
*Notes: It is called Sand Shore Road on the right side. There is an Exxon and Chrysler dealer on the corner.*
3. Go 2.7 miles and turn right onto Flocktown Rd.
4. Take this to the end, 1.7 miles, and turn left onto Schooley's Mtn Rd.
5. Take the first right onto Pleasant Grove Rd in 0.2 miles.
6. Go 3.3 miles on Pleasant Grove Rd., turn left on Mt. Lebanon Rd.
7. After 1.6 miles on Mt. Lebanon Rd., turn right into Northgate Farm.

### FROM WEST/NORTHWEST, PA & POCONOS:

1. I-80 East to Exit 4. Take Rt. 46 East towards Hackettstown.
2. After a few miles, you will turn right onto Rt. 31 going towards Washington.
3. In Washington, turn left onto Rt 57.
4. After 3 miles, you will turn right at a stoplight onto Point Mountain Rd.
5. After 0.5 miles, you will go over another bridge and the road will fork. Stay to the left, on Pt. Mountain Rd. for another 2 miles.
6. You will turn left at the top of the Mountain onto Mount Lebanon Rd. Northgate Farms is 0.5 miles on the left.

### FROM THE SOUTH:

1. I-78 to Rt 31 North (Clinton area in western NJ – Exit 16 on Rt 78).
2. Take Rt. 31 North for 7.5 miles and turn right just after the McDonalds/A&P onto Rt 632 (Asbury-Anderson Rd.) Take this all the way to the end and turn right onto Rt. 57.
3. You will only go 0.2 miles on Rt. 57 and you will turn right onto Pt. Mountain Rd.
4. Go over the bridge, and when the road splits, stay to the left on Pt. Mountain Rd.
5. You will go a total of 2.5 miles on Pt. Mountain Rd., and then turn left onto Mt. Lebanon Rd.  
*Note: Old church and cemetery on corner of Pt. Mountain & Mt. Lebanon Roads.*
6. Northgate Farms in 0.5 miles on the left.

### PRE-ENTRIES

Pre-entries must be postmarked no later than **August 23, 2024**. Payment must be enclosed to qualify for pre-entry rates.

### TRASH REMOVAL

You must have ALL garbage ready for pick up on Sunday night. If you are camping, please note that this is the last pick up due to bears in the area. Do not leave trash of any kind for us on Monday morning. Thank you!



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### PLACES TO STAY

Dogs must not be left unattended in rooms under any circumstances!

#### **Courtyard – Lebanon**

300 Corporate Drive, Lebanon, NJ

908-236-8500

20 minutes to trial site

Dogs allowed in rooms

Northgate Block Rate:

\$129/King

\$139/2 Queens (Per Night)

Ask for Nina if you have rate problems.

Dog fee waived!

#### **Hampton Inn Clinton**

16 Frontage Drive, Clinton, NJ

908-713-4800

20 minutes S. of trial site

Call for rates & reservations

**\*Dog fee\***

#### **Towne Place Suites by Marriott**

1638 Route 31 North, Clinton, NJ

908-323-2621

15 minutes to trial site

Call for rates & reservations

Block rates are listed under Northgate Terrier Trials. Book early, rooms are held until August 1st. Please be responsible pet owners and clean up after your dogs, so that we can continue to use these hotels in the future. RV camping is permitted at this site, but there are no hook-ups; you must be self-contained. The fee is \$15 per night. Please indicate on the entry form if you will be camping. Please remember, final trash pickup is SUNDAY EVENING.

### **12 and ↑ Division**

The 12 and ↑ division is open to all terriers 12 years and up as of August 30<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

A terrier can be entered in as many 12 and up classes each day as you would like for a flat price of \$25.00 each day per terrier.

12 and up terriers CANNOT cross enter into Seniors within the same division.

### **Earthdogs are back! Events Saturday & Sunday**

There is a specific Earthdog class in Conformation, GTG, Super Earth, Brush Hunt, and Thunder Tunnel.

For the Agility and Rally O / Obedience Divisions, please enter the appropriate class and the judge will separate the Earthdogs out of the judging results.

Ties are broken by the best time recorded in Brush Hunt.

### **High score awarded! (Sat. only)**

**Earthdog Points  
are as follows:**

First = 7

Second = 5

Third = 4

Fourth = 3

Fifth = 2

Sixth = 1



## DIVISION A – RACING

Note: JRTCA updated racing rules will be posted at the venue.

FRIDAY NIGHT at 6:00 PM & SUNDAY MORNING at 8:00 AM

IMPORTANT: All terriers must be muzzled for racing. Handlers must supply muzzles.

**Please do not use figure eight, open-ended, or Baskerville muzzles.**

*Veteran and Senior classes split by sex if entries warrant.*

### SECTION 1: FLAT RACES

**Class 1:** 12 and ↑, 10" up to 15" (non-sanctioned) (Flats only)

**Class 2:** Senior Dogs and Bitches, 9 years and older, 10" up to 12 ½"

**Class 3:** Senior Dogs and Bitches, 9 years and older 12 ½" up to 15"

**Class 4:** Puppies, 6 up to 9 months, up to 12 ½"

**Class 5:** Puppies, 6 up to 9 months, over 12 ½" up to 15"

**Class 6:** Puppies, 9 up to 12 months, up to 12 ½"

**Class 7:** Puppies, 9 up to 12 months, over 12 ½" up to 15"

**Class 8:** Dogs, 1 year and older, 10" up to 12 ½"

**Class 9:** Dogs, 1 year and older, over 12 ½" up to 15"

**Class 10:** Bitches, 1 year and older, 10" up to 12 ½"

**Class 11:** Bitches, 1 year and older, over 12 ½" up to 15"

**Class 12:** Veteran Dogs and Bitches, 6 years and older, 10" up to 12 ½"

**Class 13:** Veteran Dogs and Bitches, 6 years and older 12 ½" up to 15"

### SECTION 2: STEEPLECHASE (HURDLE) RACES

*Puppies and Seniors run over low hurdles up to 8"*

**Class 14:** Senior Dogs and Bitches, 9 years and older, 10" up to 12 ½"

**Class 15:** Senior Dogs and Bitches, 9 years and older 12 ½" up to 15"

**Class 16:** Puppies, 6 up to 9 months, up to 12 ½"

**Class 17:** Puppies, 6 up to 9 months, over 12 ½" up to 15"

**Class 18:** Puppies, 9 up to 12 months, up to 12 ½"

**Class 19:** Puppies, 9 up to 12 months, over 12 ½" up to 15"

*Adults run over high hurdles 8" to 16"*

**Class 20:** Dogs, 1 year and older, 10" up to 12 ½"

**Class 21:** Dogs, 1 year and older, over 12 ½" up to 15"

**Class 22:** Bitches, 1 year and older, 10" up to 12 ½"

**Class 23:** Bitches, 1 year and older, over 12 ½" up to 15"

**Class 24:** Veteran Dogs and Bitches, 6 years and older, 10" up to 12 ½"

**Class 25:** Veteran Dogs and Bitches, 6 years and older 12 ½" up to 15"

NO RACING  
SATURDAY



## DIVISION A – RACING (Continued)

### SECTION 3: CHAMPIONSHIP RUN-OFFS

*Puppy and Senior, run-offs immediately following class 19 (no entry fees, run-offs only).*

**Class 26: 10" up to 12 ½" Senior Championship and Reserve**

Open to 1st place winners of classes 2 and 14

**Class 27: Over 12 ½" up to 15" Senior Championship and Reserve**

Open to 1st place winners of classes 3 and 15

**Class 28: Up to 12 ½" Puppy Championship and Reserve**

Open to 1st place winners of classes 4, 6, 16, and 18

**Class 29: Over 12 ½" up to 15" Puppy Championship and Reserve**

Open to 1st place winners of classes 5, 7, 17, and 19

**Class 30: 10" up to 12 ½" Adult Championship and Reserve**

Open to 1st place winners of classes 8, 10, 20, and 22

**Class 31: Over 12 ½" up to 15" Adult Championship and Reserve**

Open to 1st place winners of classes 9, 11, 21, and 23

**Class 32: 10" up to 12 ½" Veteran Championship and Reserve**

Open to 1st place winners of classes 12 and 24

**Class 33: Over 12 ½" up to 15" Veteran Championship and Reserve**

Open to 1st place winners of classes 13 and 25





## **DIVISION B – JRTCA WORKING TERRIER CONFORMATION**

Judged on JRTCA Breed Standard. Open to any JRTCA registered terrier owned by a JRTCA member, which holds a JRTCA Natural Hunting Certificate. Terriers entering the Working Section may not cross-enter in the Open Section; no cross entering is permitted within the Working Section.

*Note: Classes 94 + 95, Child & Youth Handler, will be held prior to the start of Division B.*

**Class 34: Bred by Exhibitor Working Terrier Dog** Open to any adult working JRT dog owned and bred by the exhibitor; must be handled by the breeder under whose kennel prefix the terrier is registered or a member of the breeder's immediate family

**Class 35: Bronze Medallion Dog** Open to any Dog which has earned the JRTCA Bronze Medallion for Special Merit in the Field

**Class 36: Working Terrier Dog, 10" up to 12 ½"**

**Class 37: Working Terrier Dog, Over 12 ½" up to 15"**

**Class 38: Veteran Working Terrier Dog** Open to any working JRT dog 6 years and older

**Class 39: BEST WORKING TERRIER DOG & RESERVE**

Open to 1st and 2nd place winners of classes 34 through 38

**Class 40: Bred by Exhibitor Working Terrier Bitch** Open to any adult working JRT bitch owned and bred by the exhibitor; must be handled by the breeder under whose kennel prefix the terrier is registered or a member of the breeder's immediate family

**Class 41: Bronze Medallion Bitch** Open to any Bitch which has earned the JRTCA Bronze Medallion for Special Merit in the Field

**Class 42: Working Terrier Bitch, 10" up to 12 ½"**

**Class 43: Working Terrier Bitch, Over 12 ½" up to 15"**

**Class 44: Veteran Working Terrier Bitch** Open to any working JRT birth 6 years and older

**Class 45: BEST WORKING TERRIER BITCH & RESERVE**

Open to 1st and 2nd place winners of classes 40-44

**Class 46: JRTCA WORKING TERRIER CHAMPION & RESERVE**

Open to 1st and 2nd place winners of classes 39 & 45

**Class 47: BEST BRONZE MEDALLION**

Open to 1st & 2nd place Winners from Classes 35 & 41 (Non-Sanctioned).



## DIVISION C – FAMILY / PUPPIES

### SECTION 1: FAMILY

*Judged on the Breed Standard and consistency of type.*

**Class 48: Stud Dog and Get** Open to sire with at least two, but not more than three offspring at a parent's side. Stud Dog must be an intact male. Offspring may be intact or spayed/neutered.

**Class 49: Brood Bitch and Produce** Open to dam with at least two, but not more than three offspring at a parent's side. Brood Bitch must be an intact female. Offspring may be intact or spayed/neutered.

#### **Class 50: BEST FAMILY AND RESERVE**

Open to 1st and 2nd places from classes 48 and 49.

### SECTION 2: 3 TO 4 MONTH PUPPY CONFORMATION

**Class 51: Pups 3 up to 4 months** Class is designed to give young puppies experience in the ring. Will be split by sex if entries warrant (non-sanctioned)

### SECTION 3: 4 TO 6 MONTH PUPPY CONFORMATION

**Class 52: Dog Pups, 4 up to 6 months**

**Class 53: Bitch Pups, 4 up to 6 months**

#### **Class 54: BEST 4-6 MONTH PUPPY AND RESERVE**

Open to 1st and 2nd places from classes 52 and 53

### SECTION 4: 6 TO 12 MONTH PUPPY CONFORMATION

**Class 55: Dog Pups, 6 up to 9 months, smooth**

**Class 56: Dog Pups, 6 up to 9 months, r/b**

**Class 57: Dog Pups, 9 up to 12 months, smooth**

**Class 58: Dog Pups, 9 up to 12 months, r/b**

#### **Class 59: BEST 6-12 MONTH DOG PUPPY AND RESERVE**

Open to 1st and 2nd place winners of Classes 55 through 58

**Class 60: Bitch Pups, 6 up to 9 months, smooth**

**Class 61: Bitch Pups, 6 up to 9 months, r/b**

**Class 62: Bitch Pups, 9 up to 12 months, smooth**

**Class 63: Bitch Pups, 9 up to 12 months, r/b**

#### **Class 64: BEST 6-12 MONTH BITCH PUPPY AND RESERVE**

Open to 1st and 2nd place winners of Classes 60 through 63

#### **Class 65: PUPPY CONFORMATION CHAMPION & RESERVE**

Open to 1st and 2nd place winners in classes 59 and 64



## DIVISION D: OPEN ADULT CONFORMATION

Judged on JRTCA Breed Standard. No cross-entering is permitted within the Open Section. Terriers entering the Open Section may not cross-enter in the Working Section.

**Class 66: Bred by Exhibitor Dog** Open to any adult JRT dog owned and bred by the exhibitor; must be handled by the breeder under whose kennel prefix the terrier is registered or a member of the breeder's immediate family.

**Class 67: Dogs, 1 year and older, 10" up to 12 ½", smooth**

**Class 68: Dogs, 1 year and older, 10" up to 12 ½", r/b**

**Class 69: Dogs, 1 year and older, over 12 ½" up to 15", smooth**

**Class 70: Dogs, 1 year and older, over 12 ½" up to 15", r/b**

**Class 71: BEST OPEN DOG & RESERVE**

Open to 1st and 2nd place winners of Classes 66 through 70

**Class 72: Bred by Exhibitor Bitch** Open to any adult JRT bitch owned and bred by the exhibitor; must be handled by the breeder under whose kennel prefix the terrier is registered or a member of the breeder's immediate family.

**Class 73: Bitches, 1 year and older, 10" up to 12 ½", smooth**

**Class 74: Bitches, 1 year and older, 10" up to 12 ½", r/b**

**Class 75: Bitches, 1 year and older, over 12 1/2" up to 15, smooth**

**Class 76: Bitches, 1 year and older, over 12 1/2" up to 15", r/b**

**Class 77: BEST OPEN BITCH & RESERVE**

Open to 1st and 2nd place winners of Classes 72 through 76

**Class 78: BEST OPEN TERRIER & RESERVE**

Open to 1st and 2nd place winners in classes 71 and 77



## **DIVISION E: MISCELLANEOUS CONFORMATION OPEN TO ADULT SPAYED/NEUTERED TERRIERS\***

\*except where noted

**Class 79: Earthdogs** (non-sanctioned)

**Class 80: Veteran Dog/Bitch** Open to any terrier 6 years & older. Judged on Breed Standard and the condition of the terrier.

**Class 81: Senior Dog/Bitch** Open to any terrier 9 years & older. Judged on Breed Standard and the condition of the terrier.

**Class 82: BEST VETERAN/SENIOR AND RESERVE**

Open to 1st and 2nd place winners in classes 80 and 81

**Class 83: Junior Dogs\*** Open to any dog 12-24 months. Judged on Breed Standard. May not be Neutered. Can also cross enter into the appropriate Open or Working Dog class (non-sanctioned).

**Class 84: Junior Bitches\*** Open to any bitch 12-24 months. Judged on Breed Standard. May not be Spayed. Can also cross enter into the appropriate Open or Working Bitch class (non-sanctioned).

**Class 85: BEST JUNIOR TERRIER AND RESERVE:**

Open to 1st and 2nd place winners in classes 83 and 84 (non-sanctioned).

**Class 86: Spay/Neuter** Open to adult spayed/neutered terriers judged on Breed Standard

**Class 87: Spay/Neuter Working Terrier** Open to any adult terrier with an NHC that is spayed or neutered. Judged on Breed Standard

**Class 88: New Jersey Bred** Open to any adult Terrier bred in the state of New Jersey.

**Class 89: New Jersey Bred Puppy** Open to puppies 4-12 months old bred in the state of New Jersey (non-sanctioned).

**Class 90: Suitability to Red Fox**

**Class 91: Suitability to Groundhog**

**Class 92: Suitability to Raccoon**

**Class 93: Timeless Working Terriers** Open to all Terriers ages 9 and up who have earned an NHC (non-sanctioned).

**BEST OF THE REST:**

Open to 1st and 2nd place winners of classes 86-93 (non-sanctioned).



## DIVISION F - YOUTH (FREE)

*Quality of the terrier NOT to be considered.*

**Class 94: Child Handler** Open to any youth aged 5 through 9 handling a JRT, 6 months or older. Judged on child's ability to present his/ her dog and beginning knowledge of the Jack Russell Terrier.

**Class 95: Youth Handler** Open to any youth aged 10 through 16 handling a Jack Russell Terrier. Judged on youth's ability to present his/her dog and knowledge of the Jack Russell Terrier.

**Class 96: Youth G-T-G** For youths aged 10-16 handling a Jack Russell Terrier. Judged on youth's ability to present his/her dog and knowledge of Go-To-Ground. To be run through the 10-foot Novice liner; time not considered.

### **YOUTH HIGH SCORE & RESERVE:**

Awarded to the Highest scoring youth and runner-up in Classes 95-96.

The points are awarded as follows:

1<sup>st</sup> = 8 points

2<sup>nd</sup> = 6 points

3<sup>rd</sup> = 5 points

4<sup>th</sup> = 4 points

5<sup>th</sup> = 3 points

6<sup>th</sup> = 2 points

Participation = 1 point.



## DIVISION G—OBEDIENCE/RALLY

*Exhibitors with multiple entrants: please alternate with the next in line. Saturday Only.*

### OBEDIENCE

Will use companion dog sports obedience rules. Open to any adult terrier.

**Class 97: Pre-Novice A** Open to beginner obedience dogs. All exercises done on lead: Healing, figure 8, stand for exam, recall, 1-minute sit or down. Cannot cross enter into Pre-Novice B. Not eligible for Best and Reserve.

**Class 98: Pre-Novice B** Open to all terriers. Same exercises as Pre-Novice A: Healing, figure 8, stand for exam, recall, 1-minute sit or down. Class eligible for Best and Reserve.

**Class 99: Novice** Open to all terriers. Heeling pattern done on leash. Off lead figure 8, off lead stand for exam, off lead recall over a jump, off lead honor. Eligible for Best and Reserve.

**Class 100: Open** Open exercises all done off lead. Heeling pattern, running broad jump, drop on recall, retrieve on the flat, retrieve over high jump, go out turn and sit. Eligible for Best and Reserve.

**Class 101: Earthdogs** To be judged individually: heel free, fig. 8, drop on recall, retrieve on flat, retrieve over high jump and broad jump (non-sanctioned).

### OBEDIENCE BEST & RESERVE

Scores from 2 of the 3 obedience classes, (Pre-Novice B, Novice, Open classes.)

### RALLY

This is more relaxed than Drilled Obedience. Try your skills at this sport that consists of a sequence of numbered stations, where a sign indicates an obedience exercise that the team must perform (E = Earthdogs).

#### **Class 102/102 E: Rally 1A (Novice)**

1-15 obstacles done on lead, same as Rally 1B, not eligible for the Best and Reserve. For the dog that is just beginning in Rally. Cannot cross enter into Rally 1B.

#### **Class 103/103 E: Rally 1B**

1-15 obstacles done on lead. Open to all dogs not entered in Rally 1A.

#### **Class 104/104 E: Rally 2**

Open to all dogs; 1-18 obstacles all done off lead.

### RALLY BEST & RESERVE:

Rally 1B & Rally 2 combined scores. Time will break ties.

### RISING STAR AWARD:

Given to the terrier/owner who shows the most promise in obedience/rally as determined by the judge (non-sanctioned).



## DIVISION H – GO-TO-GROUND

Directions: Under each class, there will be a set amount of time to reach the quarry, how many times the terrier may leave & re-enter (if any), and how long the terrier must work the quarry, continuously (without a break) once reached.

During work, the terrier may switch from one type of work to another (examples: baying to concentrated stare or digging to baying).

**Note: To keep Go-To-Ground moving efficiently, for those of you who have multiple terriers, please alternate with the other people in line. Thank you!**

*For GTG & Super Earth Divisions, once puppies/adults have moved up to the championship classes, they may not enter the open classes.*

**Class 105: Pre-Novice Puppy** Open to Jack Russell puppies 4 up to 6 months. Entry in Pre-Novice Puppy class does not affect the puppy's eligibility to enter the Novice Class after 6 months of age.

*Time to reach quarry: one (1) minute. Mark quarry for: fifteen (15) seconds.*

*May leave earth & re-enter several times.*

**Class 106: Novice Puppy** Open to Jack Russells 6 up to 12 months that have not scored 100% in this class at a previous JRTCA trial. Entries earning a score of 100% at this trial may, upon payment of the entry fee, enter the Open Puppy Class at this trial.

*Time to reach quarry: one (1) minute. Mark quarry continuously for: thirty (30) seconds.*

*May leave earth & re-enter several times.*

**Class 107: Open Puppy** Open to Jack Russells 6 up to 12 months that have scored 100% in a Novice Go-To-Ground class at this or a previous JRTCA trial. Open to any puppies that have previously achieved 100% in this class. Puppies earning a score of 100% at this trial may, upon payment of the entry fee, enter the Puppy Championship GTG class at this trial (Class 108).

*Time to reach quarry: 1 second per foot of tunnel. Mark quarry for: one (1) minute.*

*May leave earth & re-enter once.*

**Class 108: Puppy Championship** Open to Jack Russells, 6 up to 12 months that have earned 100% in an Open Go-To-Ground class at this or a previous JRTCA trial. A copy of a 100% Open score sheet shall be submitted with pre-entry or be shown to the Den Steward at the time of the class. First and second place winners will be Puppy Go-To-Ground Champion and Reserve.

*Time to reach quarry: 1 second per foot of tunnel. Mark quarry for: one (1) minute.*

*May leave earth & re-enter once.*



## DIVISION H – GO-TO-GROUND (Continued)

**Class 109: Novice Adult** Open to Jack Russells one year of age or older that have not scored 100% in this class at a previous JRTCA trial. Entries earning a score of 100% at this trial may, upon payment of the entry fee, enter the Open class at this trial.

*Time to reach quarry: one (1) minute. Mark quarry for: thirty (30) seconds.*

*May leave earth & re-enter several times.*

**Class 110: Open Adult** Open to Jack Russells one year or older that have scored 100% in a Novice Go-To- Ground class at this or a previous JRTCA trial.

*Time to reach quarry: 1 second per foot of tunnel. Mark quarry for: one (1) minute.*

*May leave earth & re-enter once.*

**Class 111: 12 and ↑, 10" up to 15"** Open to any adult Jack Russell 10" up to 15", 12 years and over. No trial certificate required.

*Time to reach quarry: thirty (30) seconds. Mark quarry for: one (1) minute.*

*May not leave the earth. Non-sanctioned, cannot cross-enter Seniors.*

**Class 112: Novice Adult Earthdog** Open to Earthdogs one year of age or older that have not scored 100% in this class at a previous JRTCA trial. Entries earning a score of 100% at this trial may, upon payment of the entry fee, enter the Open class at this trial.

*Time to reach quarry: one (1) minute. Mark quarry continuously for: thirty (30) seconds.*

*May leave earth & re-enter several times. Non-sanctioned.*

**Class 113: Open Adult Earthdog** Open to earthdog one year or older that have scored 100% in a Novice Go-To-Ground class at this or a previous JRTCA trial.

*Time to reach quarry: thirty (30) seconds. Mark quarry for: one (1) minute.*

*May leave earth and re-enter once. Non-sanctioned.*

**Certificate Classes:** Open to any adult Jack Russell one year and over, which holds a JRTCA Trial Certificate. A copy of the certificate must be submitted with pre-entry or be shown to the Den Steward at the time of the class. First and second place winners will be Go-To-Ground Champion and Reserve.

For Certificate Classes: *Time to reach quarry: 1 second per foot of tunnel. Mark quarry for: one (1) minute. May not leave the earth.*

**Class 114: 10" up to 12 ½" Adult Championship Certificate**

**Class 115: Over 12 ½" up to 15" Adult Championship Certificate**

**Class 116: 10" up to 12 ½" Veteran Championship Certificate**

**Class 117: Over 12 ½" up to 15" Veteran Championship Certificate**

**Class 118: 10" up to 12 ½" Senior Championship Certificate**

**Class 119: Over 12 ½" up to 15" Senior Championship Certificate**





### **GTG AWARDS:**

**MELISSA CLAYTON MEMORIAL PERPETUAL TROPHY** – Awarded to the overall fastest time in ANY certificate GTG class on SATURDAY. (Donated by the GTG Terriers at the Rainbow Bridge in loving memory of Melissa and Hooligan).

**ROBIN HILL PERPETUAL TROPHY** – Awarded to the Veteran Terrier with the overall fastest Championship Certificate GTG time on Sunday. (Donated by Jim & Marie Evans in loving memory of Brody).

## **DIVISION I – SUPER EARTH**

Directions: A challenging GTG course with a series of false entrances and/or false tunnels and dens. Open to any Jack Russell Terrier, 1 year and older.

For Super Earth Classes: 1 second per foot of tunnel to reach quarry; may leave and re-enter earth several times until the quarry is reached, then must work quarry for one full minute without a break in work and without leaving quarry. May switch from one type of work to another without penalty. (New: Also applies to certificate classes).

Note: To keep Super Earth moving efficiently, for those of you who have multiple terriers, please alternate with the other people in line. Thank you!

**Class 120: Open Adult** Open to adult JRTs one year and older.

**Class 121: Open Adult Earthdog** Open to adult Earthdogs one year and older.

**Class 122: 12 and ↑, 10" up to 15" Super Earth** Open to any JRT ages 12 and up, 10" up to 15", no JRTCA Super Earth Trial Certificate needed to enter.

*Non-sanctioned, cannot cross-enter Seniors.*

**Certificate Classes:** Open to any adult JRT, one (1) year and over, which holds a JRTCA Super Earth Trial Certificate. A copy of the Certificate must be submitted with pre-entry or be shown to the Den Steward at the time of the class. First and second place winners will be Super Earth Champion and Reserve.

**Class 123: Adult Champion Super Earth Certificate 10" up to 12 ½"**

**Class 124: Adult Champion Super Earth Certificate 12 ½" up to 15"**

**Class 125: Veteran Champion Super Earth Certificate 10" up to 12 ½"**

**Class 126: Veteran Champion Super Earth Certificate 12 ½" up to 15"**

**Class 127: Senior Champion Super Earth Certificate 10" up to 12 ½"**

**Class 128: Senior Champion Super Earth Certificate 12 ½" up to 15"**



## DIVISION J: FUN & FIELD

*Fastest time of the day and reserve to be awarded each day for:  
TNT Tunnel & Brush Hunt.*

### SECTION 1: TNT TUNNEL

*This is a timed event/competition with the terrier working its way through a tunnel maze that may have dead ends and/or obstacles to maneuver. The tunnel has a clear side so you can see the progress of your terrier as it makes its way to the caged quarry. The terrier runs the tunnel twice; the best time is the final time that counts toward ribbon placements (non-sanctioned).*

**Class 129: Puppies, 4 up to 12 months**

**Class 130: Adults, 1 year and older, 10" up to 12 ½"**

**Class 131: Adults, 1 year and older, 12 ½" up to 15"**

**Class 132: Veterans, 6 years and older, 10" up to 15"**

**Class 133: Seniors, 9-11 years, 10" up to 15"**

**Class 134: 12 and ↑ 12 years and older, 10" up to 15"**

**Class 135: Earthdogs**

### SECTION 2: BRUSH HUNT

*How fast can your terrier find a rat or other quarry in the brush? Your dog will be timed from release in a natural, but fenced-in area where there will be quarry protected by a cage hidden in the area. The judge will call time once the quarry is located and the dog starts working the quarry (non-sanctioned).*

**Class 136: Beginners** (open to first-time Brush Hunt competitors. Honors system)

**Class 137: Novice** (open to adult terriers who have not placed 1<sup>st</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> in Brush Hunt)

**Class 138: Puppies, 4 up to 6 months**

**Class 139: Puppies, 6 up to 12 months**

**Class 140: Adults, 1 year and older, 10" up to 12 ½"**

**Class 141: Adults, 1 year and older, 12 ½" up to 15"**

**Class 142: Veterans, 6 years and older, 10" up to 15"**

**Class 143: Seniors, 9-11 years, 10" up to 15"**

**Class 144: 12 and ↑ 12 years and older, 10" up to 15"**

**Class 145: Earthdogs**



## DIVISION K: AGILITY GAMES

*These games are designed to test your terrier's agility ability in a fun and refreshing way! Come try something new, or hone your skills in a trial-like setting! (non-sanctioned)*  
*Please note: There will be no food allowed in the ring. Classes split by height if entries warrant. Division A: 10"-12 ½", Division B: 12 ½"-15", and Division E: Earth Dogs. Veterans (6 years+) can jump at 4".*

### Saturday

**Class 146 A/146 B/146 E: Game #1, Tunnelers, On & Off Lead** The Tunnelers class is a numbered course comprised of only tunnels. Objective: to demonstrate the dog's ability to respond quickly to directional commands from the handler while negotiating a course comprised of only tunnels.

*5 faults for running course on-lead; 5 faults for an off-course, and 15 faults per missed obstacle.*

**Class 147 A/147 B/147 E: Game #2, Full House, On & Off Lead** The objective is to accumulate the highest amount of points within the allotted time. Collect points until the buzzer sounds, the dog has 5 seconds to make it back over the start line. The clock will stop when any part of dog crosses the start line. The terrier must successfully complete 3 single jumps, 2 "circle" obstacles (tunnel, chute, tire jump) and 1 "Joker" (weaves, double jump, teeter, or A-frame). You will have 40 seconds to complete the required "Full-house" and collect as many more points as you can.

*5 faults for running course on-lead.*

### Sunday

**Class 148 A/148 B/148 E: Game #3, Colors, On & Off Lead** A minimum of 8 and maximum of 12 obstacles per course are placed within the ring. The terrier must complete all obstacles in the prescribed sequence marked by the cones. The objective of Colors is to run one of two overlapping mini-agility courses of 8 to 12 obstacles, which will be equal in terms of length and challenge. Each course will be marked by a different set of colored cones.

*Faults: 5 for running course on-lead; 5 for an off-course, and 15 for a missed obstacle.*

**Class 149 A/149 B/149 E: Game #4, Jumpers, On & Off-Lead** This class consists of 12-17 jumps and/or tunnels with at least one lead change. Scoring is time plus faults, with lowest score getting 1st regardless of number of faults.

*Faults: 5 for running course on-lead; 5 per knocked bar, 5 for an off-course, & 15 for a missed obstacle.*

**AGILITY HIGH SCORE & RESERVE:** To be awarded to the high score terrier and runner up with the highest combined scores of the 4 games in both the 10"-12 ½" division and in the 12 ½"-15" division on **Sunday**. Ties to be broken by the fastest time in Jumpers. Free.