have the option to accept or decline being placed on the alternate list. Those who opt to decline shall have their entry fees returned upon written notification to the test secretary of their intention to withdraw from the alternate list. In the event an accepted entry cancels after the closing of entries, the test secretary shall contact alternates in the order of their placement on the alternate list. Upon such notification, alternates shall have the option to accept or decline the opportunity to participate in the test.

No entry fee will be refunded except that of an alternate who does not participate in the test. Exception: In the event that an accepted entry withdraws from the test and an alternate replaces that entry, refund will be made to the withdrawn entry. In the event an accepted entry is absent on the day of the test, it shall be the responsibility of the test secretary to determine if alternates are present, and to determine, by their position on the alternate list, which of the alternates will participate.

#### **Worker Draw:**

A worker draw will be used for this test in accordance with the parameters set forth in Ch. 1 Sec. 17d of the current Tracking Regulations and as determined by the Board of the Moraine Tracking Club and published in the January 2010 meeting minutes and newsletter. Up to 2 VST tracks may be set aside for the workers at this test.

#### **Test Day Draw for Order of Tracks:**

The draw will take place at the Test Headquarters with details to be provided on the Judging Program. The Test Secretary must be informed before the draw of any bitches in season and they will be assigned the last track. People cannot act as tracklayers for dogs if, within the last 10 days, they have boarded, laid a track for, or regularly trained the dogs whose tracks they are to lay. The Test Secretary must be notified prior to the drawing of tracks, and the judges will modify the draw to meet the requirements of the tracklayer. Drawing for VST tracks will be at 9:15 a.m. The VST test will begin at 9:30 a.m. local time.

The assignment of dogs to the tracks is the responsibility of the judges. It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. If any exhibitor, their dogs and/or children create an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engages in unsafe or disruptive behavior, they may, at the discretion of the Test committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of fees paid will be made. The Moraine Tracking Club, the Test Committee, the Village of Lincolnshire, Illinois, and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibility for any injury to people or dogs.

Dogs must be on lead at all times in any area of the tracking site. Moraine Tracking Club reserves the right to cancel the test due to extreme weather contitions.

PREMIUM LIST

EVENT #2025508002

# MORAINE TRACKING CLUB, LTD.

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# Variable Surface Tracking Test - VST Sunday, April 13, 2025

**Lincolnshire Corporate Center, Lincolnshire, Illinois** 

**ENTRIES CLOSE Thursday, April 3, 2025**, at 6 p.m. after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled or substituted.

## **ENTRY FEE: \$130.00**

Fee includes AKC Recording and Event Service Fees Make checks payable to Moraine Tracking Club, Ltd.

## **JUDGES**

Stephanie A Crawford (66279) 85 Hiner Rd Binghamton, NY 13904-1100 Charlene R. Dunn (46316) 8425 Whistling Duck Rd Fort Worth, TX 76118-7620

# This test is limited to 8 VST dogs

All AKC-recognized Breeds and all American dogs are eligible.

Bitches in season will be permitted to run and will be assigned to the last track(s)

Drawing for VST tracks will be at 9:15 a.m. The VST test will begin at 9:30 a.m. local time.



CERTIFICATION Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under the American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

American Kennel Club<sup>®</sup>

GINA M. DINARDO, Executive Secretary

#### MORAINE TRACKING CLUB, LTD. will award

A rosette, photograph, and plaque to passing teams.

## TRACKING TEST COMMITTEE

Mila Volpyansky, Chairman and Chief Tracklayer Teresa Higgins, Event Secretary 252 Prairie View Ln Wheeling, IL 60090 Home 847-459-4716, Cell 847-721-6105 teehiggs@aol.com

and the Officers and Directors and Members of the Moraine Tracking Club

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#### **DIRECTIONS TO TEST**

From north or south via I-94 (Tri-State Tollway): Exit at Rt. 22 (Half Day Road); go west on Route 22 (Half Day Road) to Milwaukee Avenue (Route 21). Turn left onto Milwaukee Avenue to Knightsbridge Parkway (second stoplight). Turn right into Lincolnshire Corporate Park. At end of boulevard, turn left into parking lot. (Parking lot is to the west of 300 Knightsbridge Parkway.)

#### **VETERINARIAN ON CALL**

Veterinary Specialty Center, 2051 Waukegan Road, Bannockburn, IL 60015 847-459-7535.

# MOTELS THAT MAY ACCEPT DOGS (call ahead):

# Please contact motel for current pet policy and directions.

Home2 Suites by Hilton, 350 Knightsbridge Parkway, Lincolnshire, IL 60069, 847-793-8877 (On Site).

Staybridge Suites, 100 Barclay Boulevard., Lincolnshire, IL, 800-950-0424 (On Site) Extended Stay America, 1525 Busch Parkway, Buffalo Grove, IL 847-215-0641 (approx. 1.5 miles)

Homestead Inn, 675 Woodlands Parkway, Vernon Hills, IL 847-955-1111 (approx. 1.5 miles)

LaQuinta Inn, 2000 Lakeside Drive, Bannockburn, IL 847-317-7300 (approx. 4 miles) Comfort Inn, 517 E. Hwy 83, Mundelein, IL 847-566-5400 (approx 5 miles) Super 8, 540 N. Milwaukee, Prospect Heights, IL 847-459-0545 (approx. 6 miles) Red Roof Inn, 340 Waukegan Road, Northbrook, IL 847-205-1755 (approx. 7 miles)

## Dogs who may not Compete:

No dog under the age of 6 months may compete in tracking events
No dog belonging wholly or in part to a judge, test secretary, superintendent,
official veterinarian, or any member of such a person's household may be
entered in any Tracking Test at which such person officiates or is scheduled
to officiate. Nor may they handle or act as agent for any dog entered at that
test. Moraine Tracking Club allows the tracking test secretary to enter dogs
owned or co-owned by the secretary and may handle dogs in the tracking
test.

## **Errors on Entry:**

Owners are responsible for errors on entry forms, whoever may make such errors. No entry fee will be refunded in event of errors. No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance. Entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered or substituted after the entries have closed. Mail both sides of the entry form, and fees, to Teresa Higgins 252 Prairie View Ln Wheeling, IL 60090. Make checks payable to Moraine Tracking Club. Phone or fax entries will not be accepted. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver. Illegible or incomplete entries will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Receipt of entries will be acknowledged via email; please provide a valid email address with entry. 100 percent of entry fees will be refunded (check destroyed) for any reason if written or email withdrawal request is received by the Test Secretary on or before the closing day and time.

## **Event Cancelation**:

The well-being of the dogs, exhibitors and spectators is of paramount importance, and in the event it is necessary to cancel or stop the event before completion, refund of entry will be made.

## Draw:

In accordance with AKC Regulations, entries in this tracking test will be accepted up until the official closing date, even though the advertised limit has been reached. Should the number of entries exceed the number of tracks available, a drawing to determine which entries will participate in the Test will be held at the home of the test secretary on Thursday, April 3, 2025, at 6 p.m. CDT. The drawing is open to the public. This drawing, conducted by the test secretary, shall be completely at random from among the entries received, except that preference shall be given to those entries which have not earned a VST title.

When the advertised limit has been drawn, all remaining entries shall be similarly drawn and assigned a position on the alternate list, subject to the same preferences set forth above. The test secretary will notify all entries of the result of the drawing within 48 hours by telephone or email. Alternates

## Moraine Tracking Club Event No. 2025508001

Variable Surface Tracking Test - VST

Sunday, April 13, 2025

Lincolnshire Corporate Center, Lincolnshire, Illinois

ENTRIES CLOSE, Thursday, April 3, 2025, at 6 p.m.

Make checks payable to Moraine Tracking Club Ltd. and send check and entry to Teresa Higgins, Event Secretary, 252 Prairie View Ln Wheeling, IL 60090

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E-MAIL ADDRESS AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and	Guidelines are availa	able on the American Kenr	nel Club Web site,	www.akc.org

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.)

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

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) 919-854-0136.

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.

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If Jr. Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Jr. Handler to the Owner?						