



Judge Hosted (Terry Fisk) Fetch Tests Saturday April 13, 2024

Western Horizons Working Dog Club Field
13322 Johnson Road, Phelan, CA 92371

Two Fetch tests on the same day run simultaneously
Fully fenced, groomed dirt test area

Levels to be tested – Novice
Entry limited to 45 dogs per Fetch event

April 13, 2024 Event # 2024762872 **April 13, 2024** Event # 2024762873

Test Hours: 9 AM to 1 PM

CERTIFICATION

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations. Gina DiNardo, Secretary

Trial Chairperson	Trial Secretary
Terry Fisk PO Box 293768 Phelan CA 92329 firecreek@earthlink.net (760) 868-0676	Terry Fisk PO Box 293768 Phelan CA 92329 firecreek@earthlink.net (760) 868-0676
Ribbons and awards – dark green ribbon for qualifying participants Medallions for titles	

Event Committee	
Mary Haus, Robin Thompson, Shelby Thatcher, Andria Witmer, Bella Yuan	
Judges and Assignments	
Ellen Grove # 114554 Lancaster, CA April 13, 2024 Trial 1 Novice	Juanita Forrest # 114455 Lancaster, CA April 13, 2024 Trial 2 Novice
Emergency Veterinarian	Fire, ambulance, police call 911
Animal Emergency Clinic 12180 Ridgecrest Rd STE 122, Victorville, CA 92395 (760) 962-1122	Desert Valley Hospital 16850 Bear Valley Rd, Victorville, CA 92395 (760) 241-8000

ENTRY INFORMATION

PRE-ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON March 10, 2024 at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.

PRE-ENTRIES CLOSE ON April 10, 2024 9 PM, PST after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted. Entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

Entry Fee: \$25.00 per dog per test

Online entry (preferred method): <https://form.jotform.com/240548991570061>

Mail in entry to: Terry Fisk - PO Box 293768 Phelan, CA 92329-3768

Make checks payable to: WHWDC

DAY OF EVENT ENTRIES: Day of event entries will be taken from 11 AM to Noon if entry limits have not been met. Please remember to bring your AKC registration number and payment (cash or check).

There will be no wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries. Move-ups will not be allowed.

Online entries will select time blocks during the application process. Emails will be sent to confirm pre-entry time blocks. Please check in at the secretary table, pick up your paperwork and be ready to test well within your selected time block.

Day of test entries will be first come basis from 11 AM to 1 PM if entry limits have not been reached.

No entries will be accepted by phone, email, fax, or hand delivery. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Trial Secretary, Terry Fisk at firecreek@earthlink.net. No entry shall be made, and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

Illegible entries will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and the Trial Secretary will add a \$25.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

TRIAL INFORMATION

Trial 1 and trial 2 will run simultaneously. Participants will complete their first test with one judge, leash up their dog and briefly step away from the start line. The second judge will step in and the participant will complete their second test in the same ring.

No dogs at the secretary table. No unentered dogs on the test property. Please do not congregate by the entry or exit gates. Dogs will be crated out of view of the Fetch test area, or far enough away as to not cause a distraction to the dog being tested.

COLLARS AND LEASHES

Dogs must be on leash at all times while on the event grounds unless testing. All dogs must wear an appropriate collar while testing. Dogs may wear slip collars, buckle collars, and Martingales in the AKC Fetch test. They may not wear prong collars, e-collars, head collars, muzzles, or body harnesses. Leashes should be 4 ft. to 6 ft. long and should be made of fabric, leather or Biothane. No flexi leashes allowed on the event site.

DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all dogs SIX (6) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP), an AKC Canine Partners listing number or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate. Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete.

Condition of the Dog. Dogs with physical challenges (including amputees) are eligible to participate provided that, in the opinion of the judge, they display no signs of physical discomfort and can safely complete the Fetch test. Dogs with bandages, sutures, or visible wounds are not eligible. Deaf dogs are allowed to enter so long as the handler is in control of the dog at all times, the dog can complete the requirements of the test, and the dog does not appear to be under undue stress in the opinion of the judge.

Please do not bring dogs showing signs of illness (coughing, sneezing, vomiting, diarrhea, etc.).

Bitches in season - Bitches in season may be tested as the last dog(s) at the end of the day.

Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Event Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show grounds.

Judges are not required to wait for dogs. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at the test area when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility to provide service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the test area when required.

REFUNDS

No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee. Dogs pulled after closing because of injury or other medical condition are not eligible for a refund. Dogs withdrawn prior to the closing date will receive a refund of the entry fee minus a \$5.00 processing fee per entry.

SAFETY, BEHAVIOR and LIABILITY

The safety of the dog is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all tests safely. It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. The American Kennel Club and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. The American Kennel Club reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against the American Kennel Club or any official thereof.

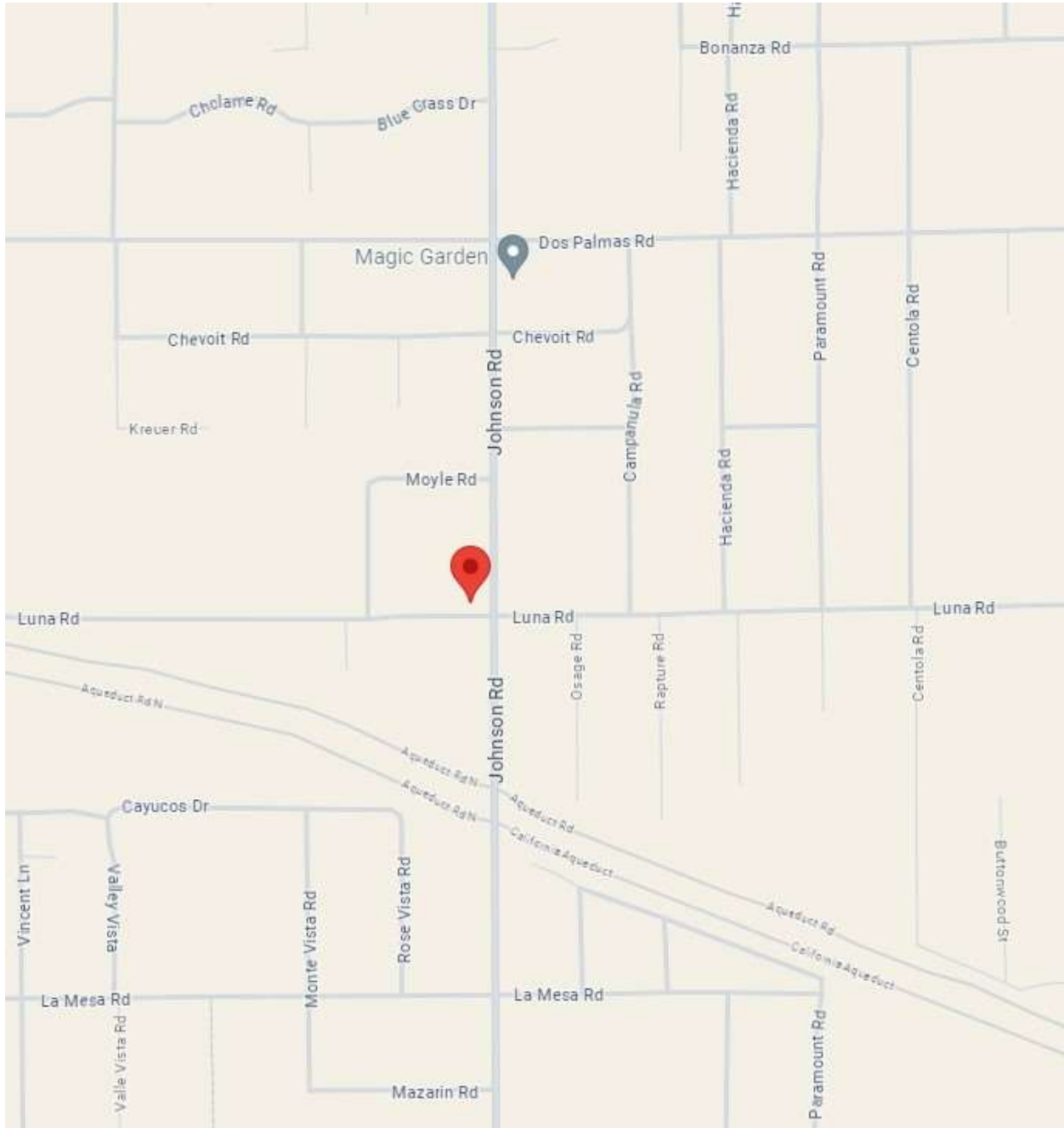
DRIVING DIRECTIONS <https://maps.app.goo.gl/hRosbz3VEKR9WLoA8>

Hwy 18 (Palmdale Road) in Phelan, CA, take Johnson Road South to Luna, turn right on Luna Road. The test location will be the first property on the right.

From Phelan, CA – Phelan Road, take Johnson Road North to Luna, turn left on Luna Road. The test location will be the first property on the right.

PARKING

Parking is permitted on the property, space permitting or on the side of Luna Road (dirt road). Do not park in front of the test field. It will be designated by cones. Please drive 5 MPH or less. Please be respectful of the property, buildings, trees, shrubs, etc.



ENTRY FORM	
Trial #1 Saturday April 13, 2024	Trial #2 Saturday April 13, 2024
<input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE	<input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE

Entry fees \$25.00 per class – Make checks payable to WHWDC
 Mail to: Terry Fisk – PO Box 293768 Phelan CA 92329-3738

of classes entered _____ x \$25.00 = _____ = \$ _____
total due

Trial Secretary will add a \$25.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

AKC Registered Name		Registration Number	
		<input type="checkbox"/> AKC/PAL/ILP/CP <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign	
Call name	Date of birth	Sex	
Breed			
Owner			
Owner's Address			
City		State	Zip
Telephone	Email		
Handler name (if different from owner):		Junior Handler # (if applicable):	

Fields marked in blue are REQUIRED. Fields marked in gray must be completed if the information is known.

Be sure to read the Agreement and sign on the reverse. No form will be processed without your signature!

Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site at: www.akc.org/fetch

AGREEMENT

I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. 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 of 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 person. I (we) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us). 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 THIS 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.

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry.

SIGN HERE

X: _____

Phone #: _____

Email: _____

In case of Emergency – Name: _____ **Phone #:** _____