
ENTRY METHOD

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON April 1, 2024 at 9am EDT 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 22, 2024 at 6pm EDT 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.

DAY OF EVENT ENTRIES: Day of event entries will be permitted at this Fetch testing if the event is not full from 9:00am-9:30am on April 28, 2023.

PREMIUM LIST



Hosted by Elizabeth Staley, FETCH Judge
At 4 The Dogs



Socialization • Manners • Sports

Novice Tests ONLY

April 28, 2024 Event # 2024764589 **April 28, 2024** Event # 2024764590

4 The Dogs Training

714 N Fifth St, Hampton, VA 23664

ENTRY LIMITS

40 entries per Fetch event

To be held Outdoors in a fully fenced (6ft wood panel) yard.

Testing Hours:

Sunday- 10am – 3pm

Check-in 10 min before your time block



**AMERICAN
KENNEL CLUB**

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

OFFICERS OF 4 The Dogs

PresidentElizabeth Staley
Vice PresidentN/A
Secretary.....Elizabeth Staley. 714 N Fifth St, Hampton, VA 23664
Treasurer.....N/A

TRIAL CHAIRPERSON	TRIAL SECRETARY
Deirdre Simon 107 STONEHURST RD HAMPTON, VA 23669-2423 4thedogstraining@gmail.com 618-204-0554	Elizabeth Staley, Event Secretary 714 N FIFTH ST HAMPTON, VA 23664-1508 (419) 306-7919 4thedogstraining@gmail.com

EVENT COMMITTEE

Elizabeth Staley, Deirdre Simon, Brenda Dorman, Scott Floyd,
Addison Floyd

JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

Renee Sainato #107114
Hampton, VA
April 28, 2024 Test #1

Christine Nicole Stapleton #113407
Hampton, VA
April 28, 2024 Test #2

FOR AKC CLUBS: VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Veterinarian (on-call) Peninsula Animal Referral Center, 1120 George Washington Memorial Hwy, Yorktown, VA 23693 ([\(757\) 942-8885](tel:7579428885))

. Directions Take I-64 West to exit 258B (Hwy 17N/J Clyde Blvd). Travel .7mi and the hospital is on the right.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/ Ambulance/Police- Hampton City
911

LOCAL HOSPITAL – Sentara Careplex, 3000 Coliseum Dr, Hampton, VA 23666 (6.5 miles away)

TEST LEVELS OFFERED & Dates

Sunday April 28, 2024 Test 1	Sunday April 28, 2024 Test 2
Novice	Novice
Testing begins at 10 a.m. for Novice – entries will be assigned time blocks. DOS will run at the end.	Testing begins at 10 a.m. for Novice – entries will be assigned time blocks. DOS will run at the end.

Move-Ups to the next higher level WILL NOT be offered.

DOG 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.

ENTRY FEES

It is up to the club/judge to decide if entries will be accepted at the test.

For pre-entries: \$25 per entry DOS \$30 per entry

Mail entry forms and fees to: Elizabeth Staley, FETCH Event
Secretary
714 N FIFTH ST
HAMPTON, VA 23664-1508

Please make checks payable to the **4 The Dogs**.

No entries will be accepted by phone or fax. Hand delivery entries will be accepted. E-mailed SIGNED entries with PayPal payment accepted. E-mail completed entry forms to 4thedogstraining@gmail.com and send Paypal payment plus additional \$1.50 per entry (26.50 per entry) to **paypal.me/4thedogstraining**. Payment AND entry fees are due to be a valid entry.

Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Elizabeth Staley at 4thedogstraining@gmail.com. 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 \$35.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

WAIT LIST INFORMATION

We will be offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of **10 entries per day** will be placed on the club's wait list. All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to **April 22, 2023**. No entries may be withdrawn with a refund after closing on April 22, 2023. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. Any wait listed entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial will receive a full refund.

SIGN-IN and CRATING Areas

There will be a secretary table for check-ins and information.

Dogs will be crated in vehicles out of view of the Fetch test area.

Parking is on a residential street. Please **ONLY** potty your dogs in designated areas.

ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

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.

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Qualifying Score.....Dark Green

New Title Rosettes will be offered!

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

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 searches 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. 4 The Dogs 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. 4 The Dogs 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 4 The Dogs or any official thereof.

Collars, Leashes, and Harnesses. Dogs must wear a collar. 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.

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 75% refund with a vet note.

Bitches in season will be refunded the full entry fee.

Notification in writing must be given to the trial secretary no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class of the day of the trial.

RINGSIDE

Judges are not required to wait for dogs. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at the search 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 ring when required.

EXHIBITOR CHECK-IN: At check-in you will receive your armband number. Once the time and location for check-in is determined all exhibitors will be notified by email.

Exhibitors MUST check-in EACH day they are entered.

Claims will be arbitrated as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations." Additionally, clubs should include any specific local or state health requirements; for example, proof of rabies vaccination.

HOST HOTEL INFORMATION

Red Roof Inn

1925 Coliseum Dr, Hampton, VA 23666

[937-328-1478](tel:937-328-1478).

Pets Stay FREE. 2 pets allowed, each no larger than 80 pounds.

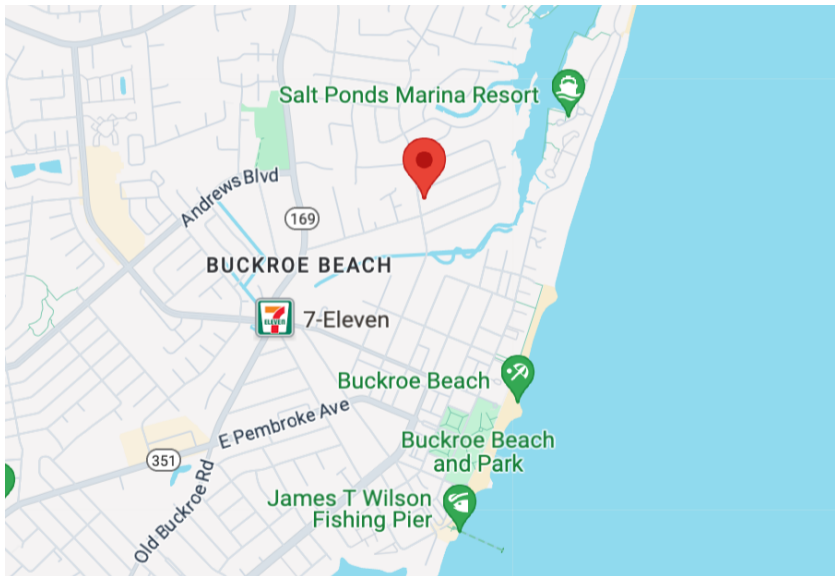
NO RV PARKING AVAILABLE

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

Directions from the East: Take I-64 West take Exit 267 Settlers Landing Rd. Keep left to stay on Settlers Landing Rd/Woodland Rd Turn right onto Old Buckroe Rd 2.3 mi. Turn right onto Rogers Ave. .3mi Turn left onto N Fifth St.

Directions from the West: Take I-64 West take Exit 267 Settlers Landing Rd. Turn left to stay on Settlers Landing Rd/Woodland Rd Turn right onto Old Buckroe Rd 2.3 mi. Turn right onto Rogers Ave. .3mi Turn left onto N Fifth St.

MAP



AKC Official Entry Form

Sunday Date 4/28/24	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice
Sunday Date 4/28/24	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice

Entry fees: \$25 per class
Make checks payable to 4 The Dogs

classes : _____ x \$25 = _____

Trial Secretary will add a \$35.00 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 (PRINT CAREFULLY):

In case of Emergency – Name: _____

Phone #: _____