## THREE ALL-BREED AKC LICENSED AGILITY TRIALS

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## EVERGREEN BELGIAN TERVUREN CLUB

(Licensed Club of American Kennel Club)



# Sept 25-27, 2015

Fun Fur Paws 22352 Stargate Place Mt Vernon WA 98274

## ENTRY LIMITS

Friday – 330 runs Saturday & Sunday – 660 runs (330 runs per judge) Indoors on groomed dirt Two rings 85 x100

This event is accepting entries for Mixed Breed Dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program

Judges: Marquand Cheek (53139) 4516 Vista Del Valle Dr, Moorpark, CA 93021 PeggyCobb (97745) PO Box 1849, Mount Vernon, WA 98273



CERTIFICATION Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of these events under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. James Crowley, Secretary

Opening Date Monday August 3, 2015 8:00 AM PDT Closing Date Friday September 11, 2015 6:00 PM PDT Mail entries to Judy Marquardt, PO Box 3336, Arlington WA 98223 Enter this trial online at <u>www.r2agilityonline.com</u>

#### OFFICERS OF EVERGREEN BELGIAN TERVUREN CLUB

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## AGILITY EVENT COMMITTEE (including all EBTC Officers & Board Members)

Agility Trial Chair Trial Secretary	Tracy Harris, 1417 12 <sup>th</sup> St, Anacortes WA 98221, 360.708.5635 Judy Marquardt, PO Box 3336, Arlington WA 98223, 360.651.0723
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Committee Members	Dawn Andrews, Janett Anson, Michael Marquardt, Norma Schnars

#### JUDGE AND ASSIGNMENTS

Marquand Cheek (53139) Friday: All Classes; Saturday & Sunday: All Ex/Master Classes

Peggy Cobb (97745) Saturday & Sunday: All Novice/Open Classes

#### VETERINARIANS ON CALL

AFTER HOURS & WEEKENDS24 Hour Pet Emergency Center<br/>14434 Avon Allen Rd, Mount Vernon WA 98273<br/>360-848-5911, 877-848-5913STAFFED 24/7Chuckanut Valley Veterinarian

896 N Burlington Blvd, Burlington WA 98233 360-757-3722

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites and any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

#### EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/Ambulance/Police Mt Vernon WA

911

#### ENTRY FEES

First entry of each dog per day (includes \$3.50 AKC recording fee)......\$24.00 Each additional entry of same dog per day (includes \$3.00 AKC recording fee).....\$12.00 Catalog (Please pre-order using entry form. A limited number will be available at the trial.).....\$10.00

Entries open Monday August 3, 2015 at 8:00 AM PDT and close Friday Sept 11, 2015 at 6:00 PM PDT. All entries must be received by the trial secretary prior to closing after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show rules.

Entries may be paper or online. Enter ONLINE at <u>www.r2agilityonline.com</u> or MAIL entry forms and check to: Judy Marquardt, PO Box 3336, Arlington, WA 98223. Please make checks payable to "EBTC". Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Questions may be directed to Judy Marquardt at judy.marguardt@frontier.com.

#### ONLINE VS. PAPER ENTRY PRIMARY LIMITS

EBTC is accepting online entries through the R2Agility Online system. During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries designated as either online entries or paper entries will be as follows: Online entries: 165 Paper entries 165. If either form of entry has not filled at the end of the 48 hour time period, the club reserves the right to decrease or increase either the online or paper limits accordingly.

Paper entries received within 24 hrs of the opening date and time must::

1) include postage or be metered;

2) be delivered by a multi-state or multi-national postal or carrier service, including but not limited to USPS,
FedEx, UPS & DHL. If above conditions are not met, the entries are not valid and must be returned to the sender.
3) Express mail must be designated "no signature required."

#### DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to any dog fifteen (15) months of age or older that is registered with the AKC or has AKC Limited Registration, PAL/ILP, or an AKC Canine Partners listing number. Approved FSS breeds are also eligible to participate. Dogs with a PAL/ILP or a Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete. Wherever the word "dog" is used in these regulations it includes both sexes.

Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind or deaf shall not be eligible and neither are bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything attached to it for medical purposes. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of register able breeds that may participate.

#### CLASSES & DIVISIONS

#### Friday: All levels of STD and JWW and T2B (any level) Saturday: All levels of STD, JWW, and FAST Sunday: All levels of STD and JWW

It is the exhibitor's responsibility to enter their dog in the correct class. The Trial Secretary cannot make any changes (except move-ups as noted) after the closing date of the trial. Be sure to check your entry form and confirmation letter carefully and make certain you have entered the correct classes.

NOTE: Do NOT enter a class "higher" than you are eligible for on the assumption you will complete a title before this trial. "Move-downs" after closing date for entries are not allowed.

If this is your first entry in Preferred class you must start in the Novice class, or if you have not yet used your onetime lateral transfer the dog may enter in the same level as it runs in the regular classes but must jump 4" lower. Once a cross-over has been invoked, the dog may no longer compete in the lower Preferred class levels. The handler always has the option of starting their dog at the Novice Preferred level.

A complete set of rules for all classes is available from the American Kennel Club (8051 Arco Corporate Dr Suite 100, Raleigh, NC 27617-3390) or from the AKC web site (<u>www.akc.org</u>).

## HEIGHT DIVISIONS

Note: A dog must be entered only in Preferred or only in Regular for any "set of trials" (weekend). Entries may not be split between Regular and Preferred. You cannot change between Regular and Preferred after entries close.

Regular (can jump higher)	Preferred (must jump this height)	Height at withers
8″	4″	For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers
12″	8"	For dogs 14 inches and under at the withers
16″	12″	For dogs 18 inches and under at the withers
20″	16″	For dogs 22 inches and under at the withers
24″	20″	For dogs over 22 inches at the withers
26″	NA	At discretion of handler

#### HEIGHT CARD REGULATIONS

When filling out the entry form there is a section on the form for exhibitors to designate whether the dog needs to be measured. This lets the Trial Secretary know whether to include your dog on the *Dogs To Be Measured* list. It is no longer required that you submit a copy of the dog's height card with an entry form or show it during day of show check-in, although exhibitors are required to have the official form/card with them at the trial to present upon request.

All dogs without height cards must be measured by the judge before running. Measuring will begin 30 minutes before judging begins each day and will also be available after the excellent classes are complete.

If the measurement of your dog at the trial puts your dog into a different jump height than entered, you must notify the Trial Secretary **immediately!** 

#### ENTRY CONFIRMATIONS

Final confirmation of entry and schedule of judging will be sent after closing date to the **e-mail** address on the Official AKC entry form or your regular address if an e-mail address is not provided. Class run order will be sent **via e-mail** or regular mail if no e-mail is available. If the exhibitor has not received a copy of the schedule within seven days of the show, please contact the Trial Secretary.

PLEASE be sure to set your spam filter to accept email from judy.marquardt@frontier.com. We will not resend or do any extra work to get your ISP to allow us to send messages to your email address!

#### MOVE-UPS

Move-ups as a result of titles earned after entries close must be submitted to the Trial Secretary in writing (e-mail is preferable). **Deadline for move-ups is 6:00 PM PDT on Monday Sept 22, 2015.** Move-ups are not official until e-mail confirmation of the move-up has been sent to the participant.

Day-to-day moves-ups will be accepted at the trial. Move-ups must be submitted in writing no later than 30 minutes after the last class each day.

#### REFUNDS

A refund of the entry fee, less the AKC recording fees and judging fee per day will be given for bitches that come into season after entries close, provide that written notification from a veterinarian is provided to the Trial Secretary by the start of the day. No other refunds will be given after closing. No refunds will be given for amounts less than \$10.

#### WAIT LIST

This agility trial is offering a waitlist (20 entries) to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the official closing date/time listed on the first page of this premium. All entries, including wait list entries, must be received before the official closing date. Any entries withdrawn, with notification to the Trial Secretary in writing (email is acceptable) received by 6 PM Monday September 21, 2015 will be replaced by a wait listed entry if any are available. If and Only if a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry will a full refund be issued for the withdrawn entry. Any unfilled waitlist entry will also receive a full refund.

#### JUDGING SCHEDULE

#### Judging Begins no earlier than 9:00 AM Friday; 8:00 AM Saturday and Sunday

Friday: Ex STD/Ex JWW, Op STD/Op JWW, Nov STD/Nov JWW, T2B Saturday: Ex FAST, Op FAST, Nov FAST, Ex JWW/Ex STD, Op JWW/Op STD, Nov JWW /Nov STD Sunday: Ex STD/Ex JWW, Op STD/Op JWW, Nov STD/Nov JWW

The schedule and run order is subject to change based on the number of entries and efficient running of the trial. Changes will be noted in the final confirmation of entry and schedule of judging to be sent to all exhibitors.

Note: On Saturday and Sunday rings will run concurrently with Excellent/Master classes in Ring 1 and Open/Novice classes in Ring 2.

#### PRIZES AND AWARDS

Ribbons will be awarded in each jump height division in each class to qualifying runs and first through fourth place. A qualifying score is required for all awards. All awards must be claimed at the show.

Qualifying Score: Dark Green Rosette
 First Place: Blue Ribbon
 Second Place: Red Ribbon

➢ Third Place: Yellow Ribbon
➢ Fourth Place: White Ribbon

#### New title ribbons will be given for any dog completing a title at this trial. Please ask for yours!

**Each day of the trial, the EBTC offers special rosettes** for high-scoring dog and handler teams in the following categories. The awards are calculated on the fastest yards per second from qualifying Standard and JWW scores. There will be sign-up sheets at the trial for Senior and Youth Handlers.

Friday: ≫ EXCELLENT DOG Saturday: ≫ BELGIAN TERVUREN , ≫ BELGIAN Other Than TERVUREN, ≫ NOVICE DOG, ≫ SENIOR HANDLER, ≫ YOUTH HANDLER Sunday: ≫ OPEN DOG, ≫ YOUTH HANDLER

A MACH, PACH, OR PAX rosette will be awarded to all dog and handler teams that complete their title at these trials. If you are getting close to earning your MACH, PACH, or PAX title, please let the Trial Secretary know so we can be prepared to celebrate appropriately.

#### **OBSTACLES AND RING SIZE**

Obstacles shall meet the specifications outlined in the current edition of *Regulations for Agility Trials*, available at <u>www.akc.org</u>. The equipment for this event is provided by R2Agility.

All classes will be held indoors on groomed dirt with ring sizes of 85' x 100'.

#### WALK-THROUGHS, AND WARM-UP

Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, prior to the start of the class. A walkthrough period will be held prior to each class. A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, shall be provided for all exhibitors.

#### CHECK-IN

There will be no formal check-in. Armbands will be available in a binder in the registration area. Please check-in your dog on the gate sheet before your walk-through starts.

#### VOLUNTEERS

We will be using the whiteboard for all positions. Volunteers will also receive a ticket for the volunteer raffle for each class worked. The Volunteer raffle will be for future entries to an EBTC trial. Draws for will be made after each day is complete. Thank you for your help!

### WORKERS FOOD

Food will be available for volunteers or by donation for non-workers. There are NO fast food restaurants nearby.

#### DIRECTIONS TO SHOW LOCATION

From I-5 NORTHBOUND or SOUTHBOUND:

- Take Exit #218 (Starbird Road)
- Go east on Starbird Road to the 4-way stop at Bulson Road
- Turn left onto Bulson Road
- At the intersection with Tyee Road, turn left to remain on Bulson Road
- Turn right onto Stargate Place, at the sign for Fun Fur Paws

Follow Stargate Place to the arena and parking area.

#### MOTELS ACCEPTING WELL BEHAVED DOGS

Exhibitors that need accommodations should make them early as this is the weekend of the Oyster Run. Rates and pet deposit are subject to change. Please confirm all details when making reservations.

Best Western Plus Skagit Valley (Cottontree Inn), 360-428-5678 Best Western College Way Inn, 360-424-4287 Days Inn Mount Vernon, 1-877-411-3436 Mount Vernon Quality Inn, 360-428-7020 Tulip Inn, 360-428-5969

### OVERNIGHT PARKING

Overnight RV camping is available on the site. Make your reservations early as hook-up sites are limited! Email questions to judy.marguardt@frontier.com.

Please mail the FORM BELOW, INCLUDING PAYMENT, to Judy Marquardt, PO Box 3336, Arlington WA 98223 no later than SEPTEMBER 11, 2015.

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CAMPING FOR Please note: Toilet facilities are available. There is NO dump station on site. Be courteous when running a generator: quiet hours are 9PM				
Name:P	none:			
Email:				
Vehicle Description:	License:			
Nights you will be staying: 🗆 Thursday 🗀 Friday 🗀 Satur	day			
Hook-ups (\$25 per night)				
No hook-ups (\$10 per night)				
Total amount enclosed:	Check #			
Make checks payable to EBTC. You may include the check with your mail-in entry form! Camping fees are refundable if you do not attend the trial or make other plans for accommodations, but you must let us know by the trial date. No refunds after the trial date.				
Please fill out this form and send it with your check to:				
Judy Marquardt, PO Box 3336, A	Arlington, WA 98223			

#### TRIAL REGULATIONS & NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

The trial will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Friday and 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday. Consult your final confirmation for order of classes and times of judging.

Conditional, unsigned, incomplete, illegible, telephone, faxed, or e-mailed entry forms cannot be accepted. Entries not on official AKC forms or photocopies of AKC forms and/or without the signed agreement and rules that accompany the official AKC entry form are not acceptable.

Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. Postdated checks do not constitute a valid entry.

No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed for reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, act of God, public emergency, act of public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.

Entry fees will not be refunded in the event of errors or cancellation of entries (with the exception of bitches in season) after the published closing date, or in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, sick, lame, excused by the Veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by the Trial Committee.

It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and children. Any exhibitor whose dogs(s) and/or child(ren) create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Show Committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.

No puppies under 4 months of age are allowed in the trial area.

The safety of dogs is of primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of the sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all obstacles safely.

The AKC does not permit head halters, pinch/prong collars, electric and dummy electric collars on trial grounds. Body harnesses are OK.

All dogs must be on leash at all times except when in the ring or when in the designated agility warm-up area.

Leashes may not have anything attached to them or dangling from them. Painted or stitched designs or information on collars can be only the dog's name and/or identifying information.

Exhibitors are responsible for being at the ring gate when it is their turn to run. We will NOT wait for exhibitors.

The Evergreen Belgian Tervuren Club, Frontier Park, and the Trial Secretary assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, or spectators, or to any of their dogs or property, and further assumes no responsibility for injury to any child not under the control of his or her parents or guardian.

PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOGS(S). Failure to do so will be considered a benchable offense.

This club does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

There is plenty of crating space in the stalls next to the rings. Dogs in the stalls must be crated. Stall doors must be left open at all times. Please expect to share your stall with other exhibitors and their dogs.

AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

Evergreen Belgian Tervuren Club

Three All-breed Agility Trials, Sept 25-27, 2015

Fun Fur Paws, Mount Vernon WA 98274 Opens 8/03/15 8AM; Closes 9/11/15 6PM

Mail entries & payment to: Judy Marquardt, PO Box 3336, Arlington, WA 98223; 360.651.0723 judy.marquardt@frontier.com Indicate below if your dog needs to be measured

Entry Fees per dog per day: \$24 first entry, \$12 additional entries					
Friday:	STD	□ JWW	□ T2B	Catalog \$10.00	
Saturday	□ STD	□ JWW	□ FAST		
Sunday	STD	□ JWW			
Make checks navable to "FBTC"					

Make checks payable to EBIC

IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out!

ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED

#### Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes Check one jump height, and check class selections :: Only one selection per class (STD. JWW. T2B)

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JWW	Nov A	Nov B	Open	Exc	Master	JWW	NovP	OpenP	ExcP	MasterP
FAST	Nov A	Nov B	Open	Exc	Master	FAST	NovP	OpenP	ExcP	MasterP
T2B	T2B					T2B	T2BP			

This Dog Needs To Be Measured Yes	□No	SEX	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
BREED		VARIETY	CALL NAME

AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)

AKC® NO □	Enter Complete Registration # below	DATE OF BIRTH
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ACTUAL OWNERS		
OWNERS ADDRESS		□ NEW ADDRESS
CITY, STATE ZIP + 4		
HANDLER		ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable

Exhibitor or owner MUST sign on the signature line beneath the instructions.

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org.

#### AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse 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 negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or 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, INTREPRETATION 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

Handlers may opt to enter in a higher **height division** for all **Regular** titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs entered in the **Preferred** classes **must** compete at the required jump height and <u>may not</u> compete in a jump height division <u>higher or lower</u> than their proper height division.

All dogs that have not been officially measured for an **Agility Jump Height Card** may still compete; however, they must be measured by a Judge of record, an Agility Field Representative, or a Volunteer Measuring Official, prior to running. If measured by the Judge of record, that measurement will be valid for this trial or back-to-back trials only. If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog(s) measured prior to running.

Dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners<sup>SM</sup> program may be eligible to enter all-breed AKC agility trials at the club's option. These dogs should be listed as All American Dog and must include their AKC number on the entry form and check the AKC No. box.

Junior Handlers should enter their Junior Handler number on the front of this form. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, it may be obtained from the American Kennel Club (919) 233-9767. If the Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

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 above. 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 by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on the reverse side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the forgoing representation and agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

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

SIGN	HERE	Х
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Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

In Case of Emergency - Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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