Weight Certificate for BMDCA Draft Test

Name of Vet Clinic:     Date:

Dogs Call Name:    Weight of Dog:

Dogs BG#:

Owner or Handler's Name:

I verify that on this date __________ (date) that Dog __________ (Dog's name) weighed _________ (dog's weight).

Signature of Vet Clinic employee witnessing weight of dog:

__________________________________________________

Please print name and position of Vet Clinic employee signing this form:

__________________________________________________

Please use Vet Clinic Stamp, below, with Name, Address & Phone Number of the Clinic or have this information provided on the Vet Clinic's letterhead. All date and weight fields need to be filled in by hand, by the signee.

Revised 1-29-2017

Premium List
Bernese Mountain Dog Club of America Draft Tests

Hosted by the
Lone Star Bernese Mountain Dog Club

Three All-eligible Dog Draft Tests
Friday – Sunday, November 16-18, 2018
George Bush Park
16756 Westheimer Pkwy, Houston TX 77082
(corner of Westheimer Pkwy and S. Barker Cypress Rd)

Test 1 - Friday (11/16) Judges: Julie Bacon & Ruth Nielsen
Test 2 - Saturday (11/17) Judges: Julie Bacon & Larry Bohlig
Test 3 - Sunday (11/18) Judges: Larry Bohlig & Ruth Nielsen

Entries close at the Test Secretary's address
Monday, November 5, 2018, at 6:00 PM (CST)

Please make checks payable to LSBMDC
and mail fee with entry form to the Test Secretary:

Renee Jacquier
21415 Bentgrass Court
Katy TX 77450
### Officers of the Lone Star Bernese Mountain Dog Club

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### Draft Test Committee

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Katy TX 77450  
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These are All Eligible Dogs draft tests.

### Awards
Each passing dog will receive an award. Each entered dog will receive a ring favor.

### Weather
While the historical average temperatures for November in Houston are mild with average low of 54°F to a high of 70°F, there is always a chance for colder or hotter weather and rain! We have a saying in Texas - - If you don't like the weather, just wait a minute! Be prepared for the non-average weather and enjoy the normally beautiful November days. Remember to pack your rain gear because it is Texas after all!

### Refreshments & Lunch
Breakfast will be provided each morning: coffee, juice, donuts and pastries. Cold drinks and water will be available at the test site.

Lunch will be brought to the test site. Details will be available with confirmation of your entry.

### Judges’ Dinner
Everyone is invited to a dinner Saturday night, held at the home of Rick and Renee Jacquier. If you would like to attend, please help us plan ahead by letting us know how many in your party when you send in your entry.

### Spectators Welcome!
Un-entered dogs may be present but must be leashed or crated and under control at all times.

### Special Activities
AKC Canine Good Citizen (CGC) Testing and AKC Trick Dog Testing will be available after the draft test on Saturday. A $20 donation per evaluation will help offset the draft test expenses.

### Volunteers
Volunteers needed during the Draft Tests; no experience required. If you are willing to help at any time, please contact the Draft Test Chair, Denise McClure, edmundmcclure@comcast.net.

Please remember to pick up after your dog(s).
Bernese Mountain Dog Club of America
Draft Test Purpose

The Bernese Mountain Dog Club of America Draft Test is a series of exercises designed to develop and demonstrate the natural abilities of purebred Bernese Mountain Dogs in a working capacity involving hauling. The Bernese Mountain Dog has historically functioned as a draft dog in various capacities, and performance of these exercises is intended to demonstrate skills resulting from both inherent ability and training which are applicable to realistic work situations. Efficiency in accomplishment of tasks is essential. It is also desirable that the dog evidence willingness and enjoyment of his work in a combination of controlled teamwork with his handler and natural independence.

Judges

- Julie Bacon (Test 1 & 2)
  13513 Coates Ln
  Herndon VA 20171

- Larry Bohlig (Test 2 & 3)
  PO Box 463
  Foresthill, CA 95631

- Ruth Nielsen (Test 1 & 3)
  3909 Interlake Ave N
  Seattle WA 98103

Schedule

- Check-in time is 7:15AM CST*
- Equipment check starts at 7:30 AM CST*
- Course walk-thru to follow.
- Judging begins as soon as possible after the course walk-thru
- Lunch will be at the judges' discretion
- Awards will be presented at the conclusion of the test
* Start times subject to change at close of entries and will be published in the Draft Test catalog.

Classes Offered

- Novice, Open, Brace Novice, Brace Open

Class Entry Details

- There will be a limit of 24 entries for this Draft Test.
- Entry fees - $35 for each single dog team, $40 for a brace team
- A separate entry form must be filled out for each dog of a brace team and then stapled together. Even though two entry forms are required for each brace team, each brace team will be counted as one entry in the Draft Test entry limit.
- If more than 24 entries are received, they will be prioritized per the following order:
  1. Untitled BMDs
  2. Titled BMDs
  3. Untitled other dogs
  4. Titled other dogs
  Note that “titled” means titled in the entered class
- A random draw will be held for each group in the list including and following the one that causes a total entry in excess of the Test limit
- Teams entered in a class in which they have already earned the advanced level title will be drawn after teams without the advanced level title in that class
- Entrants must notify the Draft Test Secretary if a dog has earned a title in the entered class, including if the title is earned after the entry has been submitted
- Weight certificate forms are including in this Premium List and can also be found on-line: http://www.bmdca.org/Draft/pdf/BMDCA_Draft_Test_Weight_Certificate_Form.docx

Close of Entries

Entries close at 6 pm CST, Monday, November 5, 2018 at the Draft Test Secretary’s address, after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled or altered, except as specifically allowed in the current BMDCA Draft Test regulations.
**Regulations**


or may be ordered from BMDCA Ways and Means:
Sherry Von Engel, 10086 Buckskin Trail, Gloucester VA 23061.

The BMDCA and the DWC take dog aggression very seriously and have zero tolerance for inappropriate behavior on the part of dogs/owners and/or handlers. For a copy of the Misconduct Disciplinary Procedure, go to [http://bmdca.org/Draft/BMDCA_Draft_Discipline.php](http://bmdca.org/Draft/BMDCA_Draft_Discipline.php).

By participating in or attending this test, you understand and agree to the terms of the Misconduct Disciplinary Procedure. This procedure is a clarification of the Discipline Section of the BMDCA Draft Regulations.

**Attention Exhibitors**

- Handlers must provide their own rigs, harnesses, and tie downs or other means of securing a load on their particular draft rig. Handlers must bring their own weight. Weight will be verified via scale at the test site.

- Entered dogs must be 24 months old or older on the day of the Draft Test.

- Open and Open Brace entries must include a veterinary certificate stating the dog’s name and weight. This certificate must be dated within 60 days of the date of the test.

- Bitches in season are not permitted to compete.

- The two dogs of a brace team need not be owned by the same person or by the handler.

- Un-entered dogs may be present but, like entered dogs that are not in the ring, must be leashed or crated and under control at all times.

- Refund policy: Withdrawals prior to entry closing date will receive a full refund. Withdrawals after closing will only receive a refund if someone on the waitlist takes your place in the test.

**Veterinarians**

**Pet Vet Animal Hospital**
6763 Hwy 6 South, Houston TX 77083
281-561-0276
M-F 7:00AM – 6:00PM

**Blue Pearl Specialty & Emergency Pet Hospital**
19450 Katy Freeway, Suite 200, Houston TX 77094
281-675-6000
Open 24 hours / 7 days a week

**Test Site - George Bush Park**
16756 Westheimer Pkwy, Houston TX 77082
(corner of Westheimer Pkwy and S. Barker Cypress Rd)

Maneuvering course: Level ring with lawn-height grass
Freight haul: flat terrain, possibly one berm, grass and concrete
Parking is ample on concrete. There are two covered pavilions for crating with picnic tables and benches under cover. Permanent restroom facilities, electricity and running water. No overnight camping or parking in the park.

**Directions to the Test site:**
From I-10 (Katy Freeway) turn South onto Fry Road.
Stay on Fry until Westheimer Pkwy – turn left.
Follow through George Bush Park to the stop light.
Draft site is by the pavilions on this corner.

**Accommodations** (Please ask about pet policies)
Host Hotel: La Quinta Inn and Suites (7.5 miles from the Draft Test site)
22455 Katy Freeway, Katy, TX 77450 281-392-9800
12 rooms being held under LSMBDC until Nov 5th
Fenced in dog area, free breakfast

RV Park: Katy Lake RV Resort (9 miles from the Draft Test site)
20222 Morton Rd, Katy, TX 77449 281-492-0044
Katylakervresort.com
ENTRY AGREEMENT

I understand that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry. I agree that I am solely responsible for the actions of myself and the dog ("the dog") that accompanies me in relationship to this event.

In consideration of the acceptance of my entry and the opportunity to participate in this event, I agree to HOLD HARMLESS and INDEMNIFY the following listed parties from any claim for loss, damage or injury alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly by my actions or by the actions of the dog in relationship to this event: the Bernese Mountain Dog Club of America (BMDCA) and the event-giving club, their members, officers, and agents; the owner and/or lessee of the premises; any provider of services at this event; any employees or volunteers of the parties listed here, and any BMDCA Draft Judge judging at this event. I personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim. I agree to be responsible for any loss and expense (including legal fees) incurred by any of the listed parties based on claims related in any way to my participation or the actions of the dog in relationship to this event, whether the claims are made by third parties or by myself.

Additionally, I agree to assume the sole responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury (including death) to myself or to the dog in relationship to this event. I agree to RELEASE, INDEMNIFY and promise not to sue the parties listed above for any such loss, damage or injury (including death) to myself or to the dog in relationship to this event. I agree to RELEASE, INDEMNIFY and promise not to sue the parties listed above for any such claim. I agree to be responsible for any loss and expense (including legal fees) incurred by any of the listed parties based on claims related in any way to my participation or the actions of the dog in relationship to this event, whether the claims are made by third parties or by myself.

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Name of Participant  
(please print)  

Signature  
Date:  

Submitting this form constitutes your agreement to the terms of the Entry Agreement

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Please type / print clearly. Use one form per dog per class per day entered.

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Sex

Male

Female

Class

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Brace Novice

Open

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Dog is titled in entered class

Open Weight Certificate Enclosed

Fri November 16

Sat November 17

Sun November 18

Registered Name

(please include titles)

Call Name

Berner-Garde #

(BMDs only)

Date of Birth

Registration #

American Kennel Club

Canadian Kennel Club

Breeder

Sire

Dam

Actual Owner(s)

Owners Address

City

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Zip

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Call Name

Berner-Garde #

(BMDs only)

Date of Birth

Registration #

American Kennel Club

Canadian Kennel Club

Breeder

Sire

Dam

Actual Owner(s)

Owners Address

City

State

Zip

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