

New England Rhodesian Ridgeback Club  
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**PLEASE BRING SHADE & WATER FOR YOUR HOUNDS**

**PRACTICE RUNS : If time allows after 2<sup>nd</sup> CAT of day**

### **DIRECTIONS TO THE FIELD**

**Viveiros Field**

**Behind 795 Hixville Road, Dartmouth, MA 02747**

**From the west:**

I-95 North or South to I-195 East to Exit 11, Reed Rd in Dartmouth. Take a left off the exit and follow 1.5 miles to a right on Hixville Road. Follow Hixville Road 1.5 miles to the field on the left. Lure Coursing signs will be posted.

**From the North:**

Rt. 24 South to Rt I-195 East to Exit 11 as above. Lure coursing signs will be posted.

**From Cape Cod:**

I-195 West to Exit 11, go right off the exit and follow as above.

**ACCOMMODATIONS: MAKE RESERVATIONS EARLY!!**

**Residence Inn, 181 Faunce Corner Rd, Dartmouth [508-984-5858](tel:508-984-5858) (2 dogs)**

**Motel 6 821 Fall River Avenue, Seekonk, MA [508-336-7800](tel:508-336-7800)**

Also check out [www.bringfido.com](http://www.bringfido.com) for more pet friendly listings

## ***COMBINED PREMIUM LIST*** **New England Rhodesian Ridgeback Club**



**Saturday, April 29, 2017 Event # 2017507601**

**Sunday, April 30, 2017 Event # 2017507610**

**Viveiros Field**

**Behind 795 Hixville Road,**

**Dartmouth, MA 02747**

**ALL BREED LURE COURSING TEST**

**LICENSED BY THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB**

**Pre-Entries Close 6:00 PM, Thursday, April 27, 2017**

**at the Field Trial Secretary's address.**

**JC/QC Test Pre-entry Fee \$20.00 For The First Hound;**

**\$15.00 Subsequent Hounds Of The Same Owner;**

**Day of Trial Entry Fee for all entries: \$25.00**

**Make checks payable to "NERRC"**

**Day of Test Entries Close 30 Minutes Prior To Roll Call.**

***Test Hours 8:30 am Saturday and 8:00 am Sunday until completion.***

**Permission has been granted by The American Kennel Club (AKC) for the holding of this event under AKC Rules and Regulations.**

### **NERRC Officers**

President: Bonnie Johnson  
Vice President: Barbara Fergeson  
Secretary: Helen McCune  
Treasurer: Alan Fraser

### **Board of Directors**

Cheryl Cote, Meghan Terwilliger and Nikki Newton

### **JUDGING ASSIGNMENTS**

**Denise Gentile 42 Copper Hill, Guilford, CT 06437**

### **FIELD COMMITTEE**

Chairperson: Bonnie Johnson  
Field Trial Secty: Denise Gentile, 42 Copper Hill Dr, Guilford, CT 06437  
Lure Operators: Jay Gentile  
Field Clerks: Helen McCune  
Huntmasters: Bonnie Johnson  
Inspection/Paddock: Nikki Newton, Cheryl Cote

### **PRIZES**

**Qualifying Test:** Dark Green Ribbon

**ROLL CALL: 8:00 am Saturday all breeds**

**7:30 am Sunday all breeds**

**NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS:** Bitches in season and lame hounds will be excused. Hounds not present at time of Roll Call will be scratched after a 5 minute grace period. Each entry will be examined at inspection for breed disqualifications. Battery powered, continuous loop lure machines will be used. The lure will consist of white plastic bags or strips. Backup equipment will be available.

**ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACKNOWLEDGED BY MAIL  
ABSOLUTELY NO TELEPHONE OR EMAIL ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED**

**All dogs one year of age or older from the following breeds are eligible to participate in Lure Coursing Events.**

### **AKC Recognized Breeds**

Afghan Hound  
Basenji  
Borzoi  
Cirneco Dell'Etna  
Greyhound  
Ibizan Hound  
Irish Wolfhound  
Italian Greyhound  
Pharaoh Hound  
Portuguese Podengo Pequeno  
Rhodesian Ridgeback  
Saluki  
Scottish Deerhound  
Whippet

### **\* Foundation Stock Service Breeds**

Azawakh  
Norrbottenspets  
Peruvian Inca Orchids  
Portuguese Podengos (Medio & Grande)  
Sloughi  
Thai Ridgeback

### **\* May compete for suffix titles only**

- Dogs of these breeds recorded with the Purebred Alternative Listing
- Program/Indefinite Listing Privilege (PAL/ILP) or dogs with Conditional registration are eligible to participate.
- Spayed and neutered dogs are eligible to participate.
- Monorchid and cryptorchid dogs are ineligible to participate.
- Bitches in season are not eligible to participate.
- Hounds with breed disqualifications, as listed in the AKC Breed Standards, are ineligible to enter lure coursing trials and tests.
- Dogs with Limited Registration are eligible to participate.

It is strongly recommended that every Qualifying Hound have been run previously alone and that to the handler's satisfaction runs cleanly and keenly.

It is additionally recommended that every Qualifying Hound practices with other hounds prior to being presented for a qualifying courser test.

It is to be understood by all that training prior to running a hound with other hounds in competition is essential to ensure that the hound is prepared to run safely with other hounds.

### **Other Items to Note:**

NERRC reserves the right to alter the course plan as required by weather and/or field conditions on the day of the trial.

### **Tests Offered**

**Junior Courser:** Open to all eligible sighthounds. A hound running alone must receive a certification from a Judge on one date, and a second certification from a different Judge at a later date, with each Judge stating that the hound completed a (minimum) 600-yard course with a minimum of 4 turns. The hound must complete the entire course with enthusiasm and without interruption. Ribbons (Dark Green) will be awarded to all hounds that successfully complete the AKC Junior Courser Test.

**Qualified Courser:** Open to hounds that are at least 12 months of age (Qualifying Hound) running with another hound of the same breed - or another breed with a similar running style - (Testing Hound) shall receive certification from a licensed judge. The hound must complete the course with enthusiasm and without interruption, sufficiently course the lure and not course the Testing Hound. The judge will certify that the Qualifying Hound ran cleanly and did not appear to present a hazard to the Testing Hound at any point in the qualifying course. **This certificate is required to enter a hound in an Open Stake.**

**Hounds under disqualification from AKC, ASFA or CKC Field Trials may NOT be entered.**

**THERE WILL BE A \$5 FINE ASSESSED FOR ANY LOOSE HOUND INTERRUPTING A COURSE IN PROGRESS.**

# OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB LURE COURSING ENTRY FORM

Club: <b>New England Rhodesian Ridgeback Club</b>		Date: <b>April 29, 2017 Saturday</b>	
		Event # <b>2017507601</b>	
Location: <b>Vivieros Field Behind 795 Hixville Rd. Dartmouth, MA 02747</b>		Event type X Test <input type="checkbox"/> Trial	
Class: <input type="checkbox"/> JC <input type="checkbox"/> QC <input type="checkbox"/> Open <input type="checkbox"/> Special <input type="checkbox"/> Veteran <input type="checkbox"/> Single		Breed:	I Enclose Entry fees in the amount of : \$
Breeder:	Registration No:	Sex:	Date of Birth:
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC No. <input type="checkbox"/> AKC Litter No. <input type="checkbox"/> ILP No. <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign No. & list country			
Full Name of Dog:		Call Name:	
Sire:			
Dam:			
Actual Owner(s):			
Owner's Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler (if any at Trial):			
AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: <b><a href="http://www.akc.org">www.akc.org</a></b> <b>AGREEMENT</b> I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of this 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 trial, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this trial, and entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. The entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. 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 prize money, 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 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 there from, 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 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 the entry:			
Telephone:		E-mail Address:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Please separate my hounds		<input type="checkbox"/> Check if hound has been dismissed within the last 6 trials entered. Must be marked in order to qualify for a "clean" trial requirement.	

# OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB LURE COURSING ENTRY FORM

Club: <b>New England Rhodesian Ridgeback Club</b>		Date: <b>April 30, 2017 Sunday</b>	
		Event# <b>2017507602</b>	
Location <b>Vivieros Field Behind 795 Hixville Rd. Dartmouth, MA 02747</b>		Event type X Test <input type="checkbox"/> Trial	
Class: <input type="checkbox"/> JC <input type="checkbox"/> Open <input type="checkbox"/> Special <input type="checkbox"/> Veteran <input type="checkbox"/> Single		Breed:	I Enclose Entry fees in the amount of : \$
Breeder:	Registration No:	Sex:	Date of Birth:
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC No. <input type="checkbox"/> AKC Litter No. <input type="checkbox"/> ILP No. <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign No. & list country			
Full Name of Dog		Call Name:	
Sire:			
Dam:			
Actual Owner(s):			
Owner's Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler (if any at Trial):			
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## Qualified Courser Certificate

**Instructions:** This form is to be used when a hound successfully completes the Qualified Courser Test at an AKC® Lure Coursing event. A hound must have received this certification within one year of the closing date of the trial being entered to be eligible to compete in an AKC Lure Coursing Trial in the Open or Open Veteran stake. This form must be properly completed and submitted along with this hound's first entry in an AKC Lure Coursing Trial in either stake.

\* Hounds who have earned a Field Championship from either the American Sighthound Field Association (ASFA) or the Canadian Kennel Club (CKC) are exempt from this requirement. A copy of the applicable FC certificate must accompany the first entry of these hounds.

### To be completed by owner/agent:

Breed \_\_\_\_\_

AKC Registered Name \_\_\_\_\_

AKC Registration Number \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby certify that the hound running in the Qualifying Course is the hound identified above and the information provided is true and correct.

Printed Name of Owner/Agent \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Owner/Agent \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### To be completed by certifying judge:

I hereby certify that the above referenced hound passed the Qualified Courser Test by running clean with another hound of the same breed or one with a similar running style completing a course a minimum of 600 yards.

Judge's Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ Judge's Number \_\_\_\_\_

Judge's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



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**Whether or not you are a NERRC member, please consider  
volunteering at this trial weekend.**

If you have **experience** and are willing to work a job or want to learn a job, please fill out the form below and return it with your entry to the Field Trial Secretary.

1. I will **work** on:      \_\_\_\_ Saturday      \_\_\_\_ Sunday  
I will **apprentice** on:      \_\_\_\_ Saturday      \_\_\_\_ Sunday

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

2. I am running dogs of these breeds on **Saturday**: \_\_\_\_\_  
I am running dogs of these breeds on **Sunday**: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Check jobs you have ***experience*** with and are willing to do the day of the trial.

If you are willing to **apprentice**, check jobs you would like to learn. You will be paired with a person who knows the job, and you will get one-on-one attention.

	EXPERIENCED	APPRENTICE
Lure OP	_____	_____
Hunt master	_____	_____
Roll Call	_____	_____
Paddock	_____	_____
Field Clerk	_____	_____
Field Set up	_____	_____
Field Tear Down	_____	_____

**THANK YOU FOR VOLUNTEERING.**

**Everyone will appreciate your efforts, and the trial will run more smoothly**

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