

APPLICATION TO HOLD A BTCA SPONSORED EARTHDOG TEST

Regional Club offering test: _____ or Group of Members, check here (_____)

Local member sponsors only: Submit a detailed budget for your test including: Expenses (judge, equipment, postage, copying, grounds, AKC fees, etc.) and Income (entry fees). The BTCA will not be responsible for the purchase of liners or other long-term investments.

Regional clubs only: Your club is responsible for all financial obligations. At the conclusion of the trial, you are responsible for submitting \$.50 for each IQ class entry and \$1.00 for each regular class entry to reimburse the BTCA for expenses, along with your secretary's report.

The Border Terrier Club of America is the sponsor of your earthdog event. The BTCA Board will use this application to determine that your event will qualify under AKC rules. The BTCA will consider the applicant's previous record of offering tests and will, in general, approve the applications as they are offered.

The BTCA will provide ribbons and rosettes. Promptly return all unused ribbons to the Earthdog Ribbon Coordinator and supply a secretary's report to the Earthdog Committee Chairman. Policy 7-07 details the policy and procedure for hosting a BTCA Sponsored Earthdog Test. This may be downloaded at the BTCA web site in the Policies and Procedures.

(Pay close attention to the policy regarding reimbursement of expenses and AKC recording fees.)

Chair: _____ Test Date(s) _____

Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Ph: (____) _____ Fax: (____) _____

Test Secretary: _____

Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Ph: (____) _____ Fax: (____) _____

Committee (must be BTCA members): _____

Tests Offered: _____

Test Judges: _____

Location of tests: _____

Describe the test area: _____

Past History of den tests/training sessions in your area: _____

Number of entries expected in each class: Intro: _____ Junior: _____ Senior: _____ Master: _____

Attach the AKC completed application form along with supporting information. Upon BTCA approval, the AKC form will be signed by the BTCA and forwarded to the AKC. You will be notified.

Send this application to Earthdog Committee Chair: **Jo Ann Frier-Murza**
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