



CKC CANINE GOOD NEIGHBOUR TEST (CGN)

All Breed

Hosted by - Prairie Dachshund Club

Friday, June 21, 2024

(after the completion of all Conformation Shows)

LIMITED TO 18 SPOTS

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“This program identifies and rewards responsible and caring owners and their canine partners! The purpose of the CGN Program test is to ensure that our dogs are accepted as valued members of the community and can be counted on to present good manners at home, in public places and in the presence of other dogs. The program was created to assist canine owners in combating anti-dog sentiment and to enhance community awareness of responsible dog ownership and the benefits associated with dog ownership.”

(Taken from the Canine Good Neighbour Program Participant Handbook, available from the CKC by calling the order desk at 416-675-5511 or www.ckc.ca)

This test is not a competition calling for precision performance by the handler and the dog. Rather, it assesses the handler and dog's relationship together with the handler's ability to control the dog. We recommend that you read the CGH Participant Handbook so that you will be familiar with what you and your dog will be required to do.



Canadian Kennel Club

Canine Good Neighbour

The Canine Good Neighbour Program is a 12 - step test, that when completed successfully, will ensure that one of our most favoured companions, the dog, is accepted as a valued member of our communities right across the nation. Canine Good Neighbours can be counted on to present good manners at home, in public and in the presences of other dogs.

The test is non-competitive and allows dog and handler to demonstrate confidence and control in 12 steps. It assesses the handlers and dog's relationship, together with the handler's ability to control the dog. Dogs are evaluated on their ability to perform basic exercises as well as their ability to demonstrate good manners in everyday situations.

You and Your Dog Must Complete These 12 Steps:

- 1) Accepting a friendly stranger
- 2) Politely accepts petting
- 3) Appearance and grooming
- 4) Out for a walk
- 5) Walking through a crowd
- 6) Sit/Down on command and stay in place
- 7) Come when called
- 8) Praise/Interaction
- 9) Reaction to a passing dog
- 10) Reaction to distractions
- 11) Supervised isolation
- 12) Walking through a door/gate