

NORTHERN NEWFOUNDLAND CLUB



SCHEDULE OF A CERTIFIED DRAUGHT TEST

To be held at : **Sherwood Forest NNR**

ON

Sunday 15th February 2026

Tests: Beginners, Lv 1, Lv 2 & Lv 3

**Test commence at 10.00 am PROMPT
(Judges briefing at 9.30 am PROMPT)**

The Test Manager for this event will be:

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Payment Options:

1. **Online Banking:** Rother Valley Working Newfoundlands. Sort Code: 60-40-09
Account number: 42479746 Payment Reference: Your Name
- please attach proof of transaction to the Test Manager with the entry form.
2. **Cheques:** Please make payable to Rother Valley Working Newfoundlands.

Please note that the Online payments changed. Payment now goes to the Host working group.

**ALL ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY 06/02/2026
NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED**

NB Those wishing to spectate at the event should contact the Test manager after the closing date for entries to ensure that the tests are still to take place.

EVENT JUDGES

Draught Test: Sunday 15th February 2026

Beginner: Sue Dobson and Yvonne McGillivray

Level 1: Nicola Wheeler and Sue Sanders

Level 2: Nicola Wheeler and Sue Sanders

Level 3: Lynn Whiting and Greg Roffe

TEST RULES/ REGULATIONS

All owners of entrants are encouraged to study the requirements of the tests for which they are entered. Full test rules/regulations, including permitted actions, will be available on the day; alternately you may obtain a copy from the N.N.C. (Contact the Test Manager for details).

ENTRY REGULATIONS

1. Minimum age for entry (on day of test) are:

Draught	Beginners	12 months
	Level 1	18 months
	Level 2	24 months
	Level 3	24 months
	Level 4	30 months (8 years & over not allowed)

2. Entry Fees:

	<u>NNC MEMBER</u>	<u>SNC/NC MEMBER</u>	<u>NON MEMBER</u>
1st Entry (per dog for each level)	£8.00	£10.50	£12.00
Subsequent Entries (Per dog for each additional Level)	£4.00	£4.00	£6.00

3. No dog may enter tests unless he/she has been successful in preceding tests organised by one of the 3 breed clubs; Northern Newfoundland Club, Southern Newfoundland Club or Newfoundland Club.
4. The tests will commence at **10.00 am prompt** and will continue throughout the day (unless specified otherwise on the schedule).
5. All entrants must attend the Judges briefing at the appointed time (**9.30 am prompt**). Entrants who miss the briefing will only be admitted under special circumstances and at the discretion of the Test Manager.
6. Owners must always be responsible for the control of their dogs. Exercising dogs within the defined Test area is **prohibited**. All dogs within 25m of the test area must be kept on a lead.
7. Except for dogs test, no other dog may enter the test area. Any entrant in breach of this regulation will be liable to disqualification.

8. The Committee/Organisers reserves itself the right to refuse any entries.
9. Every entry form must be completed fully and accompanied by the correct fees or it will not be accepted. Entry fees will not be refunded except by permission of the Committee. New members apply for membership to the Test Manager or Secretary. Membership is subject to Committee approval.
10. Should any judge be prevented from fulfilling his/her engagement, the Committee reserves the right to appoint another judge in his/her place. Entrants may withdraw from the tests, but no entry fee will be returned.
11. The Club cannot accept any responsibility for any accident/injury or loss to persons, dogs, or other items at the event.
12. Passes for entrants will not be sent out. Any person wishing to receive acknowledgement of entry should enclose a S.A.E. when entering.
13. A dog and its owner/handler will be immediately disqualified and be removed from the event if it is:-
 - A. Suffering from an infectious or contagious disease.
 - B. Interfering with the safety or chance of success of any entrant.
 - C. Of such temperament or is so much out of hand as to be a danger to itself or any other person or animal.
 - D. Likely to cause suffering if it continues to take part in the tests.
 - E. A bitch which is in season.
 - F. If the owner/handler carries out any punitive correction or harsh handling at any time within the boundaries of the event.

If the dog is disqualified for any of the above reasons and if the dog has already passed a test at the event, then the pass will be rescinded, and a report provided by the Test Manager to the Working Sub-Committee.

If a bitch comes into season unexpectedly after entries have closed and thus cannot attend, their owner can apply to have 90% of the entry fee returned. The application must be accompanied by a confirming veterinary certificate.

14. Whilst every effort will be made to test all entrants on the day of the event, due to circumstances beyond the control of the Committee/Organisers if this is not possible, all entries that have registered on the day will have a full refund.
15. Parents are responsible for and must always control their children.
16. All owners must clear up after their dogs at all times.
17. **THE JUDGES' DECISION IN ALL MATTERS RELATING TO THE TESTS ARE FINAL.**

However, in the event of a disagreement between two judges, the Test Manager will act as a Referee. The Committee will adjudicate on any dispute that remains unsolved on the day or has been notified in writing to the Test Manager within 7 days.

Note: If you have any views or suggestions that you feel could help improve test events organised by the Club, please write to the Chairperson of the Northern Newfoundland Club's Working section.

NORTHERN NEWFOUNDLAND CLUB

PATRON
VISCOUNT DEVONPORT

TREASURER
Mrs J WOODHALL

SECRETARY
Mr S HIETSCHOLD

WORKING SUB-COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON
MRS S SANDERS

Venue Location:

SHERWOOD FOREST NNR
Edwinstowe, Nottinghamshire
NG21 9RN

DIRECTIONS:

Please use What3words to take you directly to the Sherwood carpark:-

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Sherwood Forest is located within easy distance of both the A1 and M1.

From South via M1, take J29 and then the 617 to Mansfield. Follow signs for Mansfield Woodhouse, where you can join the A6075 which takes you directly to Edwinstowe.

From North via M1, take J30 and then A616 towards Newark. Follow A616 until you see signs for Sherwood Forest.

From A1 exit at Tuxford and follow A6075 to Edwinstowe, via Ollerton.

PARKING:

Entrants please use the Sherwood Forest Carpark **NG21 9QB**
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Parking is usually £6 per day. (Parking is free for Blue badge holders and for RSPB members)

Once parked the Main Sherwood entrance is a short walk from here at NG21 9RN
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