

## Message from the Director

Western Regional Members,



Maggie KS vom Trocken Bach  
V1 Hündin at 2018 Kleemann  
(Kneeling) Lotta Hensel & Michael Hammerer  
(L to R) Frank O'Leary, Hubertus Krieger, Holger Hansel,  
Gerd Schad, Francois Aldrich, and Marianne O'Leary

With most of the winter behind us and hopes of spring approaching training and testing is on everyone's mind. We are so lucky we are not in the mid-west where it is unbelievably cold!!!!!!!

The Western Region Board of Directors has been busy finalizing the judging teams for the 2019 testing schedule. The Judges for the spring tests and most of the fall tests are posted and can be viewed:

[\*To view the 2019 WR Testing Schedule & Judges, please click here.\*](#)

The information sheet for the Spring Derby in High River, Alberta, Canada is available. If you are planning to test in the Derby please enter now. These will be the only NADKC Derby in the Western Region so enter now and don't be left out. Please use the WORD.doc we developed for the Western Region as your entry form. This fillable form will work in you Internet Explorer or Chrome browser, it will not work in Fire Fox. [\*Please click here for the Entry Form.\*](#)

If you are participating in the Derby and would like to work your dog in the fields where your test is being held please contact Randy to schedule a time to make that possible.

Also, the fall test is filling up. Please make your plans early and get your entries in to secure your spot in the test. Most of the Judges for the fall tests are posted on the test schedule. We do not anticipate the third Judges creating any conflicts. When entering please be mindful of any possible conflicts and avoid them.

To the WR members that have paid your NADKC dues



Marianne & Darwin Jan 27 '19  
one month short of Darwin's  
twelfth birthday

for 2019 we thank you. For those of you that have not already paid your dues please do so now to avoid missing the deadline of February 15<sup>th</sup>. Unfortunately, if you miss the deadline there will be a twenty-five dollar reinstatement fee added to your dues.

The **NADKC Annual Meeting** will take place in Bud Lake, New Jersey, on April 11 – 14<sup>th</sup>. *[For additional information please click here.](#)*

We hope that you are all able to re-engage in your training and enjoying your dogs.

Best Regards,  
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