



3440 Torrey Road
Flint, MI 48507



Testapalooza

Saturday, November 15, 2025 from 1:00 to 4:00. Each test will be \$15 or 2 for \$25. We will be offering these testing opportunities for you and your dog:

Canine Good Citizen test is designed to reward dogs who have good manners at home & in the community. The Canine Good Citizen Program is a two-part program that stresses responsible pet ownership for owners and basic good manners for dogs. All dogs who pass the 10-step CGC test may receive a certificate from the AKC.

AKC Community Canine is the advanced level of AKC's Canine Good Citizen (CGC) program. As with CGC, AKC Community Canine has a 10-step test of skills that dogs must pass to earn the official AKC Community Canine title. This is a title that appears on the dog's title record at AKC. Dogs must already have a Canine Good Citizen title and be AKC registered in order to take this test.

AKC Trick Dog tests are for any dog that is AKC registered. Having a Canine Good Citizen title will count as 5 tricks for your Novice Trick Dog Title. Tricks are a great way to bond with your dog. Tricks help improve your dog's overall obedience, manners, muscle tone, stamina, flexibility, balance, concentration, and confidence. They provide you with yet another useful way to channel your dog's energy into something positive.

AKC Urban CGC requires that the dog demonstrate CGC skills and beyond in a setting that includes traffic, crowds, noises, smells and other distractions that are present in a city or town. As with Canine Good Citizen, AKC Urban CGC is a 10-step test of skills that dogs must pass to earn the official AKC Urban CGC title. Dogs must already have a Canine Good Citizen title & be AKC registered in order to take this test.

Therapy Dog International is a volunteer organization dedicated to regulating, testing and registration of therapy dogs and their volunteer handlers for the purpose of visiting nursing homes, hospitals, other institutions and wherever else therapy dogs are needed. To belong to Therapy Dogs International (TDI®) all dogs must be tested and evaluated by a Certified TDI Evaluator. A dog must be a minimum of one (1) year of age and have a sound temperament. Each dog must pass a TDI temperament evaluation for suitability to become a Therapy Dog. The test will also include the evaluation of the dog's behavior around people with the use of some type of service equipment (wheelchairs, crutches, etc.).

There will be a workshop available at 11:00 a.m. to learn more about the tests and to practice skills needed. Workshop will be \$30 (which will include one free test!). For more information or to register email dodgermom@comcast.net