# OFFICIAL PREMIUM LIST THE GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB OF ALBERTA'S

## WORKING CERTIFICATE TEST Sunday, August 5, 2018

Irricana, Alberta (Refer to map – signs will be posted)

# FEATURING:

1 Working Certificate Tests 1 Working Certificate Intermediate Tests 1 Working Certificate Excellent Tests

Open to Retrievers, Irish Water Spaniels, Poodles, Airedale Terriers and Barbets No entries may be accepted, altered, cancelled, or substituted after the official closing date and time except as provided in the official rules and regulations.

These events are held under the rules of the Canadian Kennel Club.

## MAIL, COURIER OR DROP OFF ENTRIES (TEST SECRETARY)

Lisa Williams 44 Sunmeadows Court SE, Calgary, AB T2X 3H5 403-256-7579 - mydogs3@shaw.ca (for information only) \*\*\*\* PHONE, EMAIL OR FAX ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED\*\*\*\*

#### ENTRIES CLOSE 7:00 PM MDT, Sunday, July 15, 2018 (absolutely no exceptions) REVISED JULY 29, 2018

Should the total amount of entries exceed 30 dogs, the GRCA reserves the right to add two more judges to the panel. Participants will be notified shortly after closing of the running order.

Tests will start promptly at 8:30 am with the WC land tests, followed immediately by the land tests for WCI and WCX. Water tests will be held after all land tests have been completed. Handlers are requested to check in with the Test Marshall no later than 8:15 am. All handlers please ensure you are on time for your level.

# **GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB OF ALBERTA**

#### 2018 GRCA Officers and Test Committee

President Pauline Buchanan

Vice President Kathy Conway Treasurer Anne Glasgow Secretary Tammy Taylor

Chair Person: Leanne Tucker

Test Secretary: Lisa Williams

Test Marshall: Laura Jones Test Committee: Jackie Hastie, Laura Jones, Leanne Tucker

#### CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB 400, 200 Ronson Drive., Etobicoke, ON M9W 5Z9

CKC ZONE DIRECTOR FOR ALBERTA Sharon Derrick 60 Riverview Close SE, Calgary, AB, T2C 4C4

#### CKC WC REPRESENTATIVE FOR ALBERTA Lionel Whittaker 4529 Mead Court NW, Edmonton, AB T6R 0T1

#### JUDGES

Kathy Miner 31 North Valley Bay Calgary AB Lisa Williams 44 Sunmeadows Court SE, Calgary, AB T2X 3H5

#### ENTRY FEES

Working CertificateWorking Certificate IntermediateWorking Certificate Excellent\$40.00\$40.00\$45.00

DAY OF EVENT ENTRY WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

Fee\* \$10.50 (+5% GST) \*Required for any dog without an individual CKC registration number or ERN.

MAKE CHEQUES PAYABLE TO: Golden Retriever Club of Alberta

No postdated cheques will be accepted.

#### Rosettes will be awarded to all qualifying dogs.

Entries close **Sunday, July 15, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.** or when entry limits have been reached. Listing fee per test of \$8.95 must be submitted for any dog without an individual CKC registration number or ERN. **Please fill out separate entry forms for each dog and each test**. Confirmation of receipt of entry will NOT be sent. Bitches in season will NOT be permitted to run. No entry will be accepted unless all particulars called for on the entry form are completed in full. Incomplete entries will be returned. No entry will be accepted unless accompanied by the Entry Fee. Telephone/Electronic entries cannot be accepted, except in the event of a postal disruption. Exhibitors must abide by errors made in entering their dogs regardless of how or by whom the entries were made. The committee reserves the right to refuse any entry subject to CKC rules. Any NSF cheques will be subject to a **\$25.00** service charge. Entry fee plus service charge for NSF cheques must be paid in cash prior to test.

It shall be the duty and obligation of the Golden Retriever Club of Alberta to see that a judge, club official, volunteer, or any participant at an event held under these rules, is not subject to indignities of any kind. The Working Certificate Test Committee Chair shall promptly report to the CKC any infringement of this regulation, and the Discipline Committee shall have the authority to take such action as it deems fit on receipt of a report indicating that this has occurred.

#### RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION OF LANDOWNERS AND THE GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB OF ALBERTA

By entering this event, each participant agrees to assume all risks and hazards incidental to participation in the event and agrees to release, save harmless and indemnify the owner(s) of the property upon which the event is held, together with their officers, agents, employees and representatives from all claims, actions, costs, expenses and demands in respect to death, injury, loss or damage to the person, dog, or property of the participant howsoever caused, arising out of or in connection with the participant's use or entry upon the property. It is understood that this agreement is binding upon the participant and all of his heirs, executors and assigns.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

- 1. Working Certificate Test Rules and Regulations Books are available from the Canadian Kennel Club, 200 Ronson Drive, Suite 400, Etobicoke ON M9W 5Z9.
- 2. Entries must be typewritten or clearly printed. Owners are responsible for errors on entry forms. The Golden Retriever Club of Alberta does not assume any responsibility for incorrect information or errors due to illegibility of information on any entry form.
- 3. Make cheques payable to Golden Retriever Club of Alberta. No post-dated cheques will be accepted
- 4. A separate entry form for each dog in each test is required (official CKC entry form).
- 5. Entry fees will not be refunded after 7:00 pm, Sunday July 15, 2018. In the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by a judge or barred from competition by action of the Test Committee or the Canadian Kennel Club, or because it has been entered incorrectly, or if it is impossible to open or complete the test, no refund of entry will be made.
- 6. "Day of Event" entries will not be accepted.
- 7. In the event of a possible mail strike, please courier or hand-deliver to the Test Secretary prior to closing date.
- 8. Running order will be determined by random selection after closing date and will be made available the day of the test.
- **9.** Bitches in season shall not be eligible for entry in any Working Certificate Test and shall not be allowed on the test grounds.
- 10. Entry and listing fees paid for any dog withdrawn because of estrus, injury, illness or death shall be refunded in full. An appropriate veterinary certificate must be given to the Test Secretary **BEFORE** the start of the tests to qualify for a refund. All other refunds must be requested in writing within 14 days of the event, explaining the reason for the scratch. Scratches will be refunded at the discretion of the Test Committee, all but a fee of \$15.00.
- 11. Pigeons, Pheasants and/or ducks will be used on land and ducks will be used for all water tests.
- 12. For the WC, WCI and WCX Tests, all tests will be run at the same location and all land retrieves for all tests will be run before water tests.
- 13. All Throwers, Judges and Competitors should wear dark or camouflage clothing. Handlers shall not wear white or light clothing at any time, but handlers may wear handling jackets for the blind in the WCX.
- 14. Any dog not appearing within 15 minutes of being called to the line by the Marshall may be disqualified.
- 15. You are responsible for your own lunch.
- 16. Effective Jan.1992, all dogs that are foreign born and foreign owned and enter Canada for the sole purpose of entering CKC events no longer require a CKC registration number but will require an event registration number (ERN). Each dog must have its own number. To obtain an ERN number, send a photocopy of the dog's foreign registration certificate with cheque or VISA/Mastercard number. Provide your complete address for return of ERN number. Cost \$58.50 (plus GST). ERN numbers must be applied for within 30 DAYS of the FIRST day of entering a CKC event.
- 17. Electric collars (either dummy or live), prong or pinch type collars shall not be worn by any dog on the grounds, at any time during the event.
- 18. There shall be no training of dogs on the test grounds, except for single training bumpers which are thrown by hand by the handler, within 24 hours of the commencement of the event or at any time during the event.

### **ATTENTION: CANADIAN EXHIBITORS**

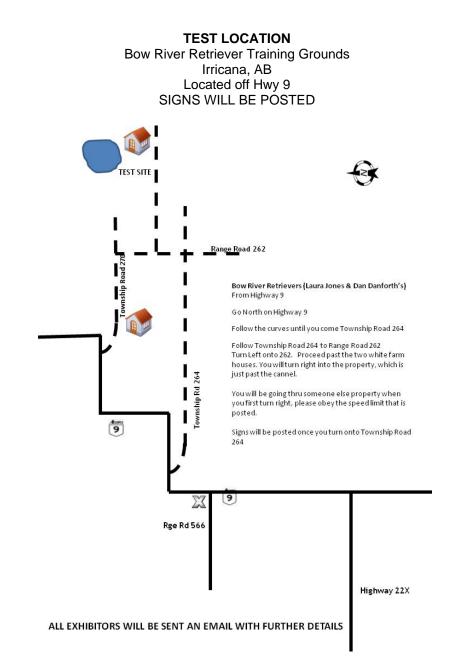
#### CKC Non-Member Participation Fee

- a) An annual non-member participation fee for awards and titles will be charged to a Canadian nonmember of CKC. The fee is \$59.40 + GST.
- b) In order to protect the awards/titles earned, the non-member will have a choice either to become a CKC member or to pay the non-member participation fee. Failure to comply within 30 days of notification will cause all awards and titles to be cancelled.
- c) "these fees apply only to dogs wholly owned by Canadian resident non-CKC members and are not applicable to CKC members"

\*Please note that the CKC Membership Application and the Non-Member Participation Fee forms are available on the website, <a href="http://www.ckc.ca">http://www.ckc.ca</a> under CKC Services and then Forms On-line. If submitting a Membership Application, please ensure that you also complete the Non-Member Participation Fee form so that we are aware of the dogs involved.

#### This fee does not have to be paid before entering this event.

MOTELS CLOSE TO THE TEST GROUNDS Super 8 Motel, 450 Westlake Road, Strathmore 403-934-1808 or 1-800-800-8000 Super 8 Motel, 815 Eastlake Blvd., Airdrie 403-948-4188 There are also several hotels within the Calgary area that are closer to the test grounds. \*Please confirm ability to have a dog in the room when you book



THE LAND USED TO HOST THESE TESTS IS PRIVATE LAND. ACCESS TO THIS LAND IS PERMITTED ONLY DURING THE TESTS AND IS NOT TO BE APPROACHED AT ANYTIME FOR ADDITIONAL TRAINING GROUNDS