



## **ALBERTA RETRIEVER CLUBS ASSOCIATION**

### **OFFICIAL PREMIUM LIST CKC APPROVED RETRIEVER FIELD TRIALS**

**SEPTEMBER 5 - 7, 2020 near IRRICANA, AB**

These events held under rules of **The Canadian Kennel Club**  
**Lance Novak**, Chief Executive Officer, The Canadian Kennel Club,  
200 Ronson Drive, Suite 400, Etobicoke ON M9W 5Z9  
**Sharon Derrick**, CKC Zone Director for Alberta  
**Rob Littlemore**, CKC Field Trial Representative for Alberta

Open to all Retrievers and Irish Water Spaniels which are eligible for registration or are registered in the CKC stud book.  
All dogs must be six (6) months of age or over on the first day of the event.

**Club Officers:**  
President Doug Shepherd  
Vice President Dan Danforth  
Secretary/Treasurer Laura Danforth

**Field Trial Chairman:** Dan Danforth  
**Field Trial Secretary:** Laura Danforth Box 601 Irricana AB T0M 1B0  
**Field Trial Committee:** Dan Danforth, Laura Danforth, Doug Shepherd

**ENTRIES:** Please complete **one entry form per dog, per stake, per day** in which you wish to enter your dog(s). All entries must contain complete information as required by the CKC rules. All entries must be accompanied by the entry fee in full. **Scratches** will be refunded for a bitch in season totally. Other scratches maybe refunded at the field trial committee's discretion, less a \$10.00 fee.

Entry forms on National Retriever Club of Canada website [www.nrcc-canada.com](http://www.nrcc-canada.com) (under Official Business tab/Download Forms) and Canadian Kennel Club website [www.ckc.ca](http://www.ckc.ca). (under Events tab/Event Forms)

**Temporary Competition Number (TCN):** Starting March 2<sup>nd</sup> all owners of unregistered CKC recognized breeds entering events are required to obtain a *Temporary Competition Number* (TCN).

Dogs not registered in Canada must obtain a TCN before submitting an entry for a field trial. TCN's can be obtained from the CKC online, by paper application, or by contacting the Shows & Trials division toll free at 1-855-364-7252. A TCN fee of \$10.50 must be included with your entry for the trial. CKC Registration or ERN must be applied for within 30 days of the trial or all awards will be cancelled.

**MAIL OR EMAIL OR DROP OFF ENTRIES TO FIELD TRIAL SECRETARY RESIDENCE**  
**ENTRIES CLOSE: FRIDAY AUGUST 28, 2020 AT 8:00 PM**

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Make cheques payable to **ALBERTA RETRIEVER CLUBS ASSOCIATION** or **ARCA**.  
INTERAC e-Transfers to [laura@bowriverretrievers.com](mailto:laura@bowriverretrievers.com).

**Full payment for email entries is required before start of trial.**

Draw to follow at Field Trial Secretary's residence. Running Order will be posted on NRCC website prior to TSX closing on Wednesday September 2, 2020. Starting Dog in the All Age Stakes to be determined using the TSX closing method. Starting Dog number will be based on the two digits right of decimal of the TSX closing on Thursday September 3, 2020. A system of rotation will be used in the All-Age stakes.

## STAKES, TIMES AND JUDGES

### SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 5, 2020

<b>JUNIOR/QUALIFYING</b>	Colette Prefontaine	Box 695	Didsbury, AB	T0M 0W0	<b>FEE</b>
7:30 AM	Jim Nichols	39 Spruce Cres	St Albert, AB	T8N 0H4	\$55/\$60

### SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 6, 2020

<b>OPEN 1</b>	Barry Grundy	Box 696	Black Diamond, AB	T0L 0H0	\$70**
7:30 AM	Rob Littlemore	142 Highgrove Terrace	Sherwood Park, AB	T8A 6G8	

### MONDAY SEPTEMBER 7, 2020

<b>OPEN 2</b>	Ron Bischke	2030 19 Avenue North	Lethbridge, AB	T1H 4G4	\$70**
7:30 AM	Dee Parsons	258250 128 St	East Foothills, AB	T1S 3Z9	

NOTE: If Junior/Qualifying and Open are held on the same grounds, the tests will not overlap.

\*\* Includes \$5.00 NRCC All-age dog fee to support National host clubs.

**PLACINGS:** First - 5 points, Second - 3 points, Third - 2 points, Fourth - 1 point.

**PRIZE LIST:** Standard CKC rosettes to the first four placings in each stake.  
Certificates of Merit will be awarded at the Judge's discretion.

**Ducks and/or Pheasants** will be used in all stakes

## NOTICE TO COMPETITORS AND SPECTATORS

**Release and Indemnification of Landowners and Alberta Field Trial Club:** 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 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.

**RULE 21.7 of the Field Trial Rules States:** "It shall be the duty and obligation of the trial-giving club 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 Retriever Field Trial 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. A copy of this regulation shall be prominently placed in every premium list and catalogue."

**RULE 4.1.6 of the Field Trial Rules States:** "The trial secretary shall assume the responsibility of collecting all listing fees for the CKC, which shall be stated in the premium list."

**CAMPING:** Founders Park, Irricana AB 403-371-7376 [www.townofirricana.ca](http://www.townofirricana.ca)

**ACCOMODATIONS:** Days Inn Calgary North Balzac 292243 Wagon Wheel Blvd. Balzac AB. 403-516-3297 or Toll Free 1-877-516-3297. 30 km west of trial grounds at CrossIron Mills Mall

Many hotels and motels in Airdrie.

## **Retriever Field Trial Covid-19 Protocols**

Please read the following protocols which have been established to promote health and safety of everyone while attending the trial. **It is assumed that sending in your entry means you accept and will abide by these protocols.**

- If you are sick, please do not attend the trial. Anyone returning from international travel and required by law to self-isolate may not attend the trial. Entries will be refunded.
- All attendees (handlers, judges, marshalls, gunners, helpers, visitors) are required to follow protocols that apply to the region (province) where the event is held.
- All attendees are encouraged to bring their own personal protection equipment (face covering, gloves, sanitizer) and essential supplies. All attendees may wear gloves or face coverings at their discretion when helping, in the gallery, or running a dog.
- We encourage all those participating to be respectful of the community they are visiting. If food or lodging is required, please research and arrive prepared.
- Practice physical distancing with individuals that are outside your bubble. Avoid congregating to the extent possible, only small groups of 2 to 6 people, keep 2 m apart, avoid handshaking and hugging, and limit your time together, especially in the gallery.
- Where maintaining physical distance is not possible, it is recommended using a non-medical mask or face covering.
- Avoid touching dogs or equipment that are not your responsibility.
- Park with sufficient distance between vehicles if possible.
- Follow the marshall's instructions regarding running order and entering the holding blinds.
- Any special instructions from the judges will be posted in the last holding blind.
- Handlers will be invited to the line in smaller groups. It is possible, depending on your number, that you will not see the test dog run from line. You will have the opportunity to see other dogs run from the holding blind.
- Anyone on line should maintain adequate distance from the handler as blowing a whistle could project a vapour.
- Handlers will deposit birds in a bucket, for judges' inspection after the handler leaves the line to ensure physical distance is maintained.
- Judges are encouraged to bring their own equipment – judge's books, chairs, coolers, pens/pencils, flagging tape, sunscreen, bug spray.
- Hand sanitizer will be made available.
- All shared equipment will be wiped between users.
- If anyone is uncomfortable using any shared or provided items/equipment, they are encouraged to bring their own.

Please do not be offended if you are reminded of these protocols during the event. "We are all in this together".

Due to Covid-19:

- NO area for camping will be provided by ARCA and NO Tailgate

# Map to Trial Grounds

Headquarters at Bow River Retrievers (BRR) Training Grounds

