



OFFICIAL PREMIUM LIST
THE GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB OF ALBERTA

LICENSED WORKING CERTIFICATE TEST

Irricana, Alberta

(Refer to map – signs will be posted)

Saturday, July 26, 2025

FEATURING: Working Certificate Tests,

Working Certificate Intermediate Tests & Working Certificate Excellent Tests

****You must have your WC title before entering WCI and have your WCI title before entering WCX****

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.

Permission has been granted by the Canadian Kennel Club for the holding of these events under the rules of the Canadian Kennel Club.

DOGSHOW.CA ONLINE ENTRIES ONLY

No other entry services accepted

If circumstances beyond our control require the cancellation of this event, the Golden Retriever Club of Alberta will refund entry fees.

DOGSHOW.ca ONLINE ENTRY SERVICE CHARGES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE

ENTRIES OPEN 9:00 AM MDT, Sunday, June 1, 2025

ENTRIES CLOSE 10:00 PM MDT, Sunday, July 13, 2025

(absolutely no exceptions)

Participants will be notified shortly after closing of the running order.

Annelise Freeman, Test Secretary

9547 Oakland Way SW, Calgary, AB T2V 4H9

403 471-7631 - freeman9547@gmail.com (for information only)



A service charge of 10% will be assessed. This includes entries sent online or post using a credit card or interac for payment.

Tests will start promptly at 8:00 am

All handlers, regardless of level, are required to check in with the Test Secretary no later than 7:30 am.

Handlers must be on site and ready for their level throughout the day.

NEW!! Official Catalogues for the WC only will be made available on-line to all handlers, the day before the test. There will be limited copies available at the test.

GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB OF ALBERTA

2025 GRCA Officers and Test Committee

President
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Test Secretary: Annelise Freeman

Test Marshalls: TBD

Test Committee: Leanne Tucker, Annelise Freeman, Laura Jones, Lisa Williams

CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB

400, 200 Ronson Drive, Etobicoke, ON M9W 5Z9

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WORKING CERTIFICATE JUDGES

Event # 2520232097

WC / WCI / WCX JUDGES

Laura Danforth
Po Box 601 Irricana AB, T0M 1B0

Lisa Williams
44 Sunmeadows Court SE, Calgary AB T2H 3X5

ENTRY FEES

Working Certificate	\$40.00
Working Certificate Intermediate	\$45.00
Working Certificate Excellent	\$50.00
*TCN Fee	\$10.50

DAY OF EVENT ENTRY WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

*Required for any dog without an individual CKC registration number or ERN Number.

ALL QUALIFYING DOGS WILL RECEIVE A ROSETTE FOLLOWING THE COMPLETION OF ALL STAKES

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. Entry fees will not be refunded after 10:00 pm, Sunday July 13, 2025. 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. Scratches will be refunded fully for a bitch in season, with a veterinarian's certificate. All other scratches will be refunded at the test committee's discretion, other than a fee of \$15.00.
3. The TCN Fee per test of \$10.50 must be submitted for any dog without an individual CKC registration number or ERN
4. "Day of Event" entries will not be accepted.
5. Running order will be determined by random selection after closing date and will be made available the day of the test.
6. Bitches in season shall not be eligible for entry in any Working Certificate Test and shall not be allowed on the test grounds.
7. Ducks and/or pheasants will be used on land and ducks will be used for all water tests.
8. 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.
9. Any dog not appearing within 15 minutes of being called to the line by the Marshall may be disqualified.
10. You are responsible for your own lunch.
11. 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 \$64.00 (plus GST). ERN numbers must be applied for within 30 DAYS of the FIRST day of entering a CKC event.
12. 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.
13. 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.
14. All exhibitors will be expected to follow all procedures as indicated by the test committee, Marshals, Judges, and/or GRCA officials.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

Any person participating in any capacity at a Hunt Test or Working Certificate Test held under the CKC rules and regulations shall not be subjected to any indignity of any kind during the progress of the tests and it shall be the duty and obligation of the Golden Retriever Club of Alberta to see that this rule is effectively carried out. On report to the Golden Retriever Club of Alberta of an alleged indignity of any kind the Test Chairman will report the infringement to the CKC and the Test Committee shall forthwith conduct an investigation and shall have the power to take action as it deems fit on receipt of a report indicating that this rule has been violated.

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 non-member of CKC. The fee is \$170.00 + 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, <http://www.ckc.ca> 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.

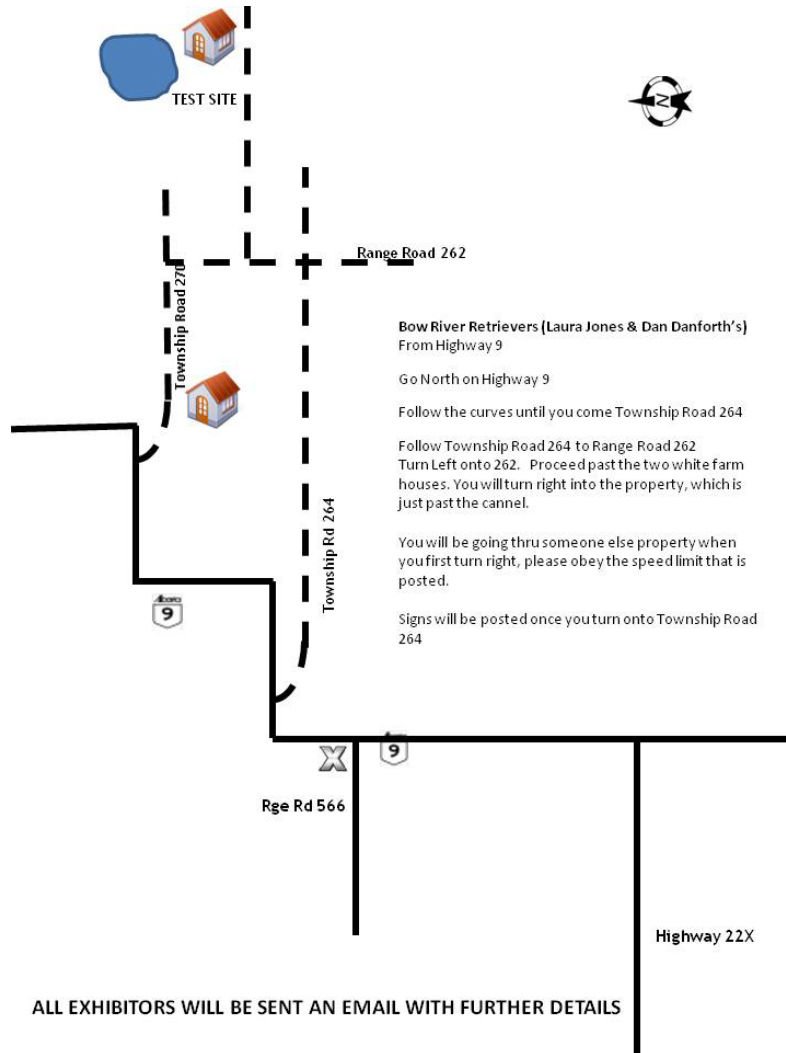
This fee does not have to be paid before entering this event.

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.

TEST LOCATION

Bow River Retriever Training Grounds
Irricana, AB
Located off Hwy 9
SIGNS WILL BE POSTED



ALL EXHIBITORS WILL BE SENT AN EMAIL WITH FURTHER DETAILS

**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**

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*

REMINDER TO ALL EXHIBITORS: No dog may be brought onto the grounds or premises of an event if it:

1. Is known to have distemper, parvovirus, kennel cough or other communicable disease;
2. Has recovered from distemper, parvovirus, kennel cough or other communicable disease within the last 30 days (prior to the event);
3. Has been housed within 30 days prior to the event on premises on which there existed distemper, parvovirus, kennel cough or other communicable event.

Clubs do have the right to remove a dog from the event premises and the exhibitor may be subject to disciplinary action if it is found that CKC rules have been contravened.