



ALBERTA RETRIEVER CLUBS ASSOCIATION

OFFICIAL PREMIUM LIST CKC APPROVED RETRIEVER FIELD TRIALS

AUGUST 22-24, 2025 at BEARBERRY, AB

These events held under rules of **The Canadian Kennel Club**

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Open to all Retrievers, Irish Water Spaniels and Poodles 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	Lois Aitken
	Directors	Jim Nichols, Tom Murray, Ron Bischke
Field Trial Chairman:	Doug Shepherd	
Field Trial Secretary:	Laura Danforth Box 601 Irricana AB T0M 1B0	
Field Trial Committee:	Dan Danforth, Laura Danforth, Doug Shepherd, Lois Aitken, Jim Nichols	

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. **Scratches** will be refunded in full for a bitch in season and dogs withdrawn because of an injury or illness. Other scratches may be refunded at the field trial committee's discretion less a \$10.00 fee.

[Retriever Field Trial Entry forms](#) on Canadian Kennel Club website www.ckc.ca. (under Forms tab/Shows & Trials/Exhibitors)

Temporary Competition Number (TCN): 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 TO FIELD TRIAL SECRETARY

- Original entry forms are not required when emailing entries

ENTRIES CLOSE: WEDNESDAY August 13, 2025 AT 6:00 PM

Laura Danforth, Field Trial Secretary
Box 601
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Phone: (403) 510-1275
Email: laura@bowriverretrievers.com

Make cheques payable to **ALBERTA RETRIEVER CLUBS ASSOCIATION or ARCA**.
INTERAC e-Transfers to 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 prior to TSX closing on CanuckDogs.com on Tuesday August 19, 2025. 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 Wednesday August 20, 2025. A system of rotation will be used in the All-Age stakes.

STAKES, TIMES AND JUDGES – updated March 22, 2025

FRIDAY, August 22, 2025

OPEN 1 7:30 AM	Mike Zelman Greg Buchan	3 Schooner Landing 3118 Assiniboine Ave	Head of Jeddore, NS Regina SK	B0J 1P0 S4S 1E3	<u>FEE</u> \$90**
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SATURDAY, August 23, 2025

OPEN 2 7:30 AM	Brian Griffin James Young	307 Commonage Rd 2160 Koshal Way SW	Vernon, BC Edmonton, AB	V1H 1G4 T6W 3S3	\$90**
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SUNDAY, August 24, 2025

JUNIOR/QUALIFYING 7:30 AM	Ron Bischke Phil Cross	2030 19 Avenue North 24 Somme Cres	Lethbridge, AB Lancaster Park, AB	T1H 4G4 T0A 2H0	J \$75 Q \$80
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NOTE: Junior and Qualifying stakes will be run under same judges; no double staking of dogs. 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 Judges' discretion.

Ducks and/or Pheasants will be used in all stakes

NOTICE TO COMPETITORS AND SPECTATORS

Release and Indemnification of Landowners and Alberta Retriever Clubs Association: 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."

Canadian Resident non-CKC members running a wholly owned dog cannot be awarded a placement unless they pay a non-member participation fee or membership fee to the CKC within 30 days.

ACCOMODATIONS

CAMPING

Schott's Lake Campground (10 minutes). www.schottslake.com

Burnstick Lake Campground (20 minutes) www.burnsticklakecampground.ca

Bearberry Cabins (dry camping) (15 minutes) www.bearberrycabins.com

Greenwood Campground – Town of Sundre (15 minutes) www.sundre.com

Dry Camping at HQ \$40 flat rate for trial weekend. Contact Laura Danforth laura@bowriverretrievers.com to reserve site.

HOTELS/MOTELS/CABINS

Schott's Lake Conference & Resort (10 minutes). www.schottslake.com

Bearberry Cabins (15 minutes) www.bearberrycabins.com

Many hotels and motels in Sundre (15 minutes) and Olds (45 minutes)

VETERINARIAN

PIONEER VETERINARY SERVICES

Sundre: 403-638-3774 709 Main Avenue West Sundre AB T0M 1X0 sundre@pioneervet.ca

Olds 403-556-6882 6110 Imperial Way Olds AB T44 1M5 olds@pioneervet.ca

Map to HQ and Trial Grounds

Bow River Retrievers Training Grounds at Bearberry AB

33334 Hwy 584 Mountainview AB

