RETRIEVER WORKING CERTIFICATE TEST
WC / WCI / WCX

OFFICIAL PREMIUM LIST

Open to all Retrievers, Irish Water Spaniels, poodles, Airedale Terriers, & Barbets.
This event will be held under the rules of the Canadian Kennel Club.

Saturday September 28th, 2024

Start Time: First Test Dog at 10:00 am

(suggest you arrive 15 – 30 minutes before)

Judges: **WC / WCI / WCX: Kelly Crosbie / Colin Davies**

Headquarters: North Lavant Community Hall,
2082 Black Creek Road, Joe's Lake, Lanark Highlands

LIMITED ENTRY – Maximum 30 dogs, all stakes combined

Entries Open: 8:00 pm on Friday August 30th

Entries Close: 11:59 pm on Saturday September 21st

A wait list will be maintained in the event of pre-closing scratches.
No entries may be accepted, altered, cancelled or substituted after the official closing.

Bring your own food, drinks and snacks – none available on site.

LANARK HIGHLANDS RETRIEVER CLUB OFFICERS

President: Kelly Crosbie
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WORKING CERTIFICATE TEST COMMITTEE

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JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

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ENTRIES AND FEES

Entry Fees: Working Certificate (WC): $ 50.00 per dog

Working Certificate Intermediate (WCI): $ 55.00 per dog

Working Certificate Excellent (WCX): $ 60.00 per dog

Online entry via www.dogshow.ca, from 8:00pm on Friday August 30th.

A service charge of 5% will be assessed. This includes entries sent online, by fax or post using a credit card or interac for payment.

Exhibitors must abide by errors made in entering their dogs regardless of how or by whom the errors were made. The committee reserves the right to refuse any entry subject to CKC rules.

Bitches in season will not be permitted on test grounds. Entry fees will be refunded when a veterinarian's certificate is presented before the start of the test.

Temporary Competition Numbers: All owners of <u>unregistered</u>, CKC-recognized breeds entering events are required to obtain a Temporary Competition Number (TCN). TCNs are replacing the current system of entering events with dogs as "listed", and allow dogs to temporarily participate in CKC events while they pursue permanent registration or an Event Registration Number (ERN). A TCN must be obtained before submitting an entry for an event. The same TCN must be used for all event entries for a dog until the dog is permanently registered or has an ERN. A TCN cannot be used for Listed Breeds with an MCN (Miscellaneous Competition Number) or dogs that will require a PEN (Performance Event Number) or CCN (Canine Companion Number).

TCNs can be obtained:
- Online through CKC Portal (Note individuals who have not yet used the online Portal will be required to create a Portal account before they can submit a TCN application online), **or**
- By submitting a completed paper application by mail to CKC or by contacting the Shows and Trials Division, toll free.

RUNNING ORDER AND GAME

Running order will be determined by draw after closing, with sexes mixed. When multiple entries are received with the same handler, dogs will be separated in the running order where possible.

Running orders and test site addresses, plus a digital copy of the catalogue will be emailed or otherwise made available to participants after closing. Printed copies of the catalogue will not be available on site, but running order will not be available.

Ducks will be used for the land and water series of the tests.

ROSETTES

Rosettes will be presented to dog / handler teams passing the test.

OTHER INFORMATION

- Handlers running WCX will be required to handle a gun or replica. At all levels the gun/replica shall be treated as a real firearm. Gun safety is paramount, and unsafe gun handling can result in the handler's removal from the test.
- All participants and spectators must wear dark or camouflage clothing (except that handlers are allowed to wear white during the blind portions of the WCX).
- Refunds will be given for bitches in season or dogs determined by a veterinarian to be unfit to compete. A Veterinarian Certificate should be submitted before the start of the test.
- CKC Working Certificate rules state that there shall be no training of dogs on the grounds of a test, except for single training bumpers which are thrown by hand by the handler, either within 24 hours of the commencement of the event, or at any time during the event.
- CKC Working Certificate rules state that electronic collars (either dummy or live) as well as prong or pinch type collars shall not be worn by a dog on the grounds of a

Working Certificate Test at any time during the event with the exception of those collars designed to curb barking which may be worn by a dog while kenneled.

- The marshal is in control of the stake. Do not approach the judges directly. Ask questions during the handler's meeting at the start of each test. Otherwise, direct inquiries through the marshal.

- Handlers are advised that they may be asked to help operate a gun station when they are not running. Please pitch in if asked to facilitate the smooth running of the test.

- No meals, drinks, or snacks will be available on site. Please bring your own.

- Please respect the landowners that have so graciously allowed us on their land by obeying all signage or directions and removing all garbage and debris. Close all gates and park ONLY where advised.

CKC NON-MEMBER PARTICIPATION FEE

The Non-Member Participation fee applies to dogs wholly owned by a resident of Canada who is not a member of the CKC. It is not applicable to CKC members or dogs owned with a CKC member. In order for the title to be awarded, the non-member will have a choice to either become a CKC member or pay the Non-Member Participation Fee. Failure to comply within 30 days of notification will result in the title being withheld and the dog cannot be moved up to the next level. (For a Membership application, please go to www.ckc.ca under CKC Services and Forms On-Line). The Non-Member Participation Fee is paid in the calendar year (January-December) in which the dog achieved its title and/or titles.

VETERINARY SERVICES

Mississippi Veterinary Services – 2809 County Road 29, Pakenham (613) 624-5554

Perth Veterinary Clinic – 118 Sunset Blvd, Perth, ON K7H 3C6 (613) 267-7373

Emergency: VCA Canada Vet. Hospital – 900 Boyd Avenue, Ottawa (613) 725-1182

HOSPITALS

Almonte General Hospital – 75 Spring St, Almonte, ON K0A 1A0 (48 km)

Perth & Smiths Falls District Hospital – 33 Drummond St W, Perth (48 km)

INDIGNITIES

CKC's Rules & Regulations state "It shall be the duty and obligation of the event-giving club to see that a judge, club official, volunteer, or any participant at an event held under these regulations, is not subject to any indignities. The Working Certificate Test Committee Chair shall promptly report to the CKC any infringement of this regulation, and the CKC 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."
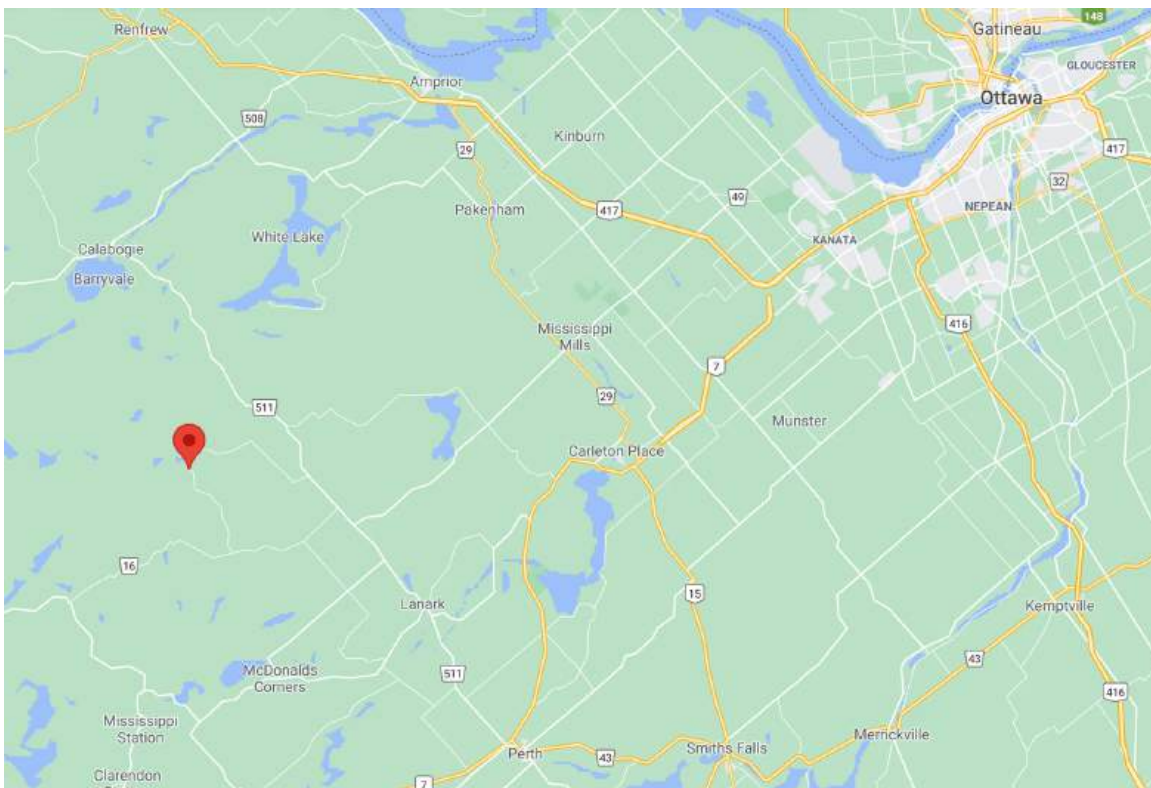
DIRECTIONS

Headquarters: North Lavant Community Hall, 2082 Black Creek Road, Joe's Lake.

Directions from Ottawa:
- Take Hwy 417 heading West
- Take exit 155 from Hwy 417 and turn left onto March Road (Regional Road 49).
- Go through the town of Almonte and take Wolfgrove Road (Hwy 16) to Hopetown.
- Turn right at Hopetown onto Hwy 511.
- At Brightside turn left onto French Line Road.
- French Line Rd becomes Lavant Darling Road, which becomes Black Creek Rd.
- Headquarters is at 2082 Black Creek Road.

For detailed directions, we strongly recommend you consult www.google.ca/maps.

Details of actual test location will be emailed to entrants a few days before the test.