



UNITED RETRIEVER CLUB
BORDER COUNTIES & COTSWOLD AREA

WORKING TEST SCHEDULE 2019

Prizes kindly sponsored by Skinners

NOVICE & OPEN

To be held at Badminton on **SUNDAY 14th APRIL**

By kind invitation of The Duke of Beaufort

By permission of Mr P Barrett

Entries Close: Saturday **6th April 2019**

Judges: Mr P Bruton and Mrs K Pinker

OPEN (Team qualifier for Area Finals) *The BC&C team for the Area Finals will be selected from the BC&C area members competing in this test.*

To be held at Rockhampton on **SUNDAY 12th MAY 2019**

By kind invitation of Mr & Mrs M Goode

Entries Close: Saturday **4th May 2019**

Judges: Mr N Coates and Mr S Hagain

NOVICE

To be held at Ozleworth on Sunday **2nd June 2019**

By kind invitation of Mr A Stone

By permission of Mr A Hall

Entries Close: Saturday **25th May 2019**

Judges: Mr H Willmott and Mr J Price

WATER TRAINING

To be held at Westbury on Sunday **16th June 2019**

Entries for this close on Saturday **8th June 2019**

Send entries and fees to Colin Selwood including SAE to 4, Bromley Lane, Stanton Drew, Bristol, BS39 4DE or phone 07799354533 for more details.

There is a separate entry form specifically for the water training event. Please **do not** use the working test entry form.

INTERMEDIATE & VETERAN (Unclassified)

To be held at Stone Hill Wood (near Malmesbury) on Sunday **30th June 2019**

By kind invitation of Mrs S Kilmorey

Entries Close: Saturday **22nd June 2019**

Judges: Mrs M Jarrod and Mrs H Smith

PUPPY, SPECIAL PUPPY (UNCLASSIFIED),

NOVICE DOG/NOVICE HANDLER, (UNCLASSIFIED), JUNIOR HANDLER (Unclassified)

To be held at Waterley Bottom on SUNDAY **14th July 2019**

By kind invitation of Mr & Mrs K Brown

Entries Close: Saturday **6th July 2019**

Judges: Ms V Pritchard and Mrs K Pennell

NOVICE & OPEN WALKED-UP (limited to 24 dogs per Test)

To be held at Glewstone on Sunday **18th August 2019**

By kind invitation of Mr & Mrs A Jackson

Entries Close: Saturday **10th August 2019**

Judges: Mr C Perry and Mr A Fisher

WORKING TEST REGULATIONS/DEFINITIONS

PUPPY	Less than 18 months of age on day of Test
SPECIAL PUPPY (Unclassified)	From 18 to 24 months of age on day of Test
NOVICE DOG /NOVICE HANDLER (Unclassified)	Neither dog nor handler to have won any award including C of M at a Field Trial, or 1st, 2nd, 3rd or Reserve in any Open or all aged Working Test, or 1st in any Working Test.
JUNIOR HANDLER (Unclassified)	Open to dogs of any standard but restricted to the handler being 17 or under (on the day of the test).
NOVICE	Any dog or bitch of any age not having won: a) A Place or C of M at a Field Trial b) 1st, 2nd, 3rd in any Open Working Test c) 1st in Novice Test 1st in Puppy stake or 1 st in Novice Dog/ Novice Handler is discounted for this purpose
INTERMEDIATE (Unclassified)	Any dog or bitch not having won: a) 1 st in intermediate, Open or All Aged Test b) 1st, 2nd, 3rd in any Field Trial except for NDNH Field Trial where 1st would be excluded
VETERAN (Unclassified)	Open to all dogs 8 years or older on day before the test.
OPEN	Open to all URC members. Preference in any draw will be given to dogs of members which have qualifications, and which make them ineligible to run in any other category of Test. Preference in the draw will be given to host area members.
NOVICE & OPEN WALK UP	Rules/Definitions as Novice and Open above

Tests run in conjunction with Training Classes or to assess ability or progress of dog or handler and specifically designed as such do not count as a disqualification for recognition in URC events.

Entries: All entries to reach the Working Test Secretary: ~~Ms Sue Leeson, 81 Church Road, Christian Malford SN15 4BW~~ by the closing date, enclosing a SAE for the draw or their e-mail and any other information. Tests open to **URC members only**. In the case of joint owned dogs all

owners must be Club members. A members' dog may be handled by a non-member. PLEASE NOTE: Handlers to run not more than 2 dogs in any one Test

PLEASE NOTE:

When a competitor is running two dogs in any working test, the committee has decided that officials and helpers on the day will be instructed not to agree to look after any dog during the competition. It is the handlers' responsibility to arrange a 'carer' for the dog not under the judge's direction.

Please do not ask any official or helper to look after a dog.

LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

Entry Fee: £8 per dog

SEPARATE CHEQUE FOR EACH DOG, made payable to the United Retriever Club

Entry Form: SEPARATE FORM FOR EACH TEST

Start Time: Tests meet at 9am for a 9-30am start, unless otherwise stated on the running order. Afternoon tests will not start before 1 pm, but this will depend on numbers and will be confirmed on running order as Test times may change at a later date.