



## **WALK-UP WEEKEND**

### **Field Trial Championships**

*February 28<sup>th</sup> and March 1<sup>st</sup> 2026*

*Location: Cheviot, North Canterbury  
Commencing 9.00am Saturday and 8.30am Sunday*

**Entries, including minors, close: 6.00pm 6<sup>th</sup> February 2026**

**PAYMENT MUST BE INCLUDED WITH THE ENTRY**

Draw for position of running will be made at the Trials Captain's briefing each day.  
Location of HQ and trial grounds will be emailed as soon as possible after closing of entries.

**Order of Running:** Saturday – 9:00am Retriever Walk-Up, Novice Retriever Walk-Up  
Sunday – 8.30am Novice Retriever Walk-Up, Retriever Walk-Up

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**Trials Captains:** Graeme Palmer, Blair Milligan  
**Trial Secretary:** Mike O'Donnell

Trials Captains' Briefing will be held 15 minutes prior to the commencement of each trial, at the trials HQ.

#### **Conditions of Entry:**

- 1) All championship dogs must be purebred & registered on the DogsNZ Register Part 1.
- 2) Full pedigree name and registration number must be supplied at time of entry.
- 3) All competitors and dogs compete at their own risk.
- 4) Engraving to be the responsibility & cost of the winner.
- 5) The committee reserves the right to make changes to meet unforeseen circumstances.
- 6) **A current dosing certificate must be provided prior to entry to the grounds.**
- 7) Schedule approved by, and the trials held under the Rules and Regulations of the NZGTA, a copy of which will be available at the Secretary's office.
- 8) Shotguns will not be used in this trial. An alternative shot device will be used.
- 9) Retriever Walk Up - this event will be a maximum of 12 dogs. If entries exceed 12 dogs, the club will hold a ballot at the Tai Tapu Pub on the 13<sup>th</sup> Feb 2025 at 6:30pm.
- 10) All competitors must be a member of the NZGTA (in addition to being a member of an affiliated club) in accordance with Clause 3.4.4 of the Constitution of the New Zealand Gundog Trial Association.

**Schedule approved by and trials held under the Rules and the Regulations of the New Zealand Gundog Trial Association. Approved 10 December 2025**

**Saturday Retriever Walk-Up****Judges:** Mike Weir, Bill Johnsen**One Challenge point to winner****Entry Fee:** \$20+\$5 NZGTA levy Total \$25**Prize, Sash and certificate 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> placings**

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**Saturday Novice Retriever Walk-Up****Judges:** TBA**Prize, Sash and certificate 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> placings****Entry Fee:** \$20

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**Sunday Novice Retriever Walk-Up****Judges:** TBA**Prize, Sash and certificate 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> placings****Entry Fee:** \$20

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**Sunday Retriever Walk-Up****Judges:** Bill Johnsen, Mike Weir**One Challenge point to winner****Entry Fee:** \$20+\$5 NZGTA levy Total \$25**Prize, Sash and certificate 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> placings**

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**Additional Trophies****Reddawn Trophy****Top Overall Retriever****Icepeak Trophy****Top Overall Novice**

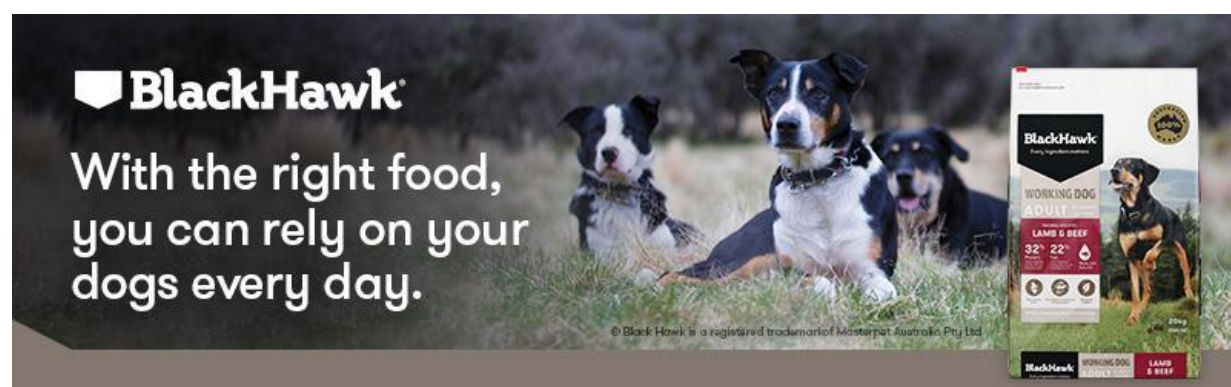
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**Trials Captains:**

Graeme Palmer, Blair Milligan

**FT Secretary:**

Mike O'Donnell

**Contact:**[theworkingretrieverclub@gmail.com](mailto:theworkingretrieverclub@gmail.com)

## **ENTRIES**

Entries to be submitted online: [CLICK HERE](#)

Entries close 6<sup>th</sup> February 2026 6.00pm

**PAYMENT MUST BE MADE AT THE TIME OF ENTERING – ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED UNTIL PAYMENT IS MADE. NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

Make payment by Direct Credit to:

The Working Retriever Club Inc  
Account – 01 0877 0832217 00  
Particulars – Your Name  
Reference – Walkup

**By entering this trial, I abide by the terms and conditions on this schedule and accept that The Working Retriever Club and organisers accept no liability for damage, loss or injury to competitors, dogs, spectators, or their property whilst at this event.**

### **Accommodation Options Nearby**

**Broadview Motel, Cheviot**

<https://www.broadviewmotel.co.nz/>

**Cheviot Hotel**

<https://www.cheviothotel.co.nz/>

Camping available at the trial grounds.

Huts with shared rooms available at the grounds on a first come first served basis.

Please contact the Trials Secretary at [theworkingretrieverclub@gmail.com](mailto:theworkingretrieverclub@gmail.com) if you would like to stay at the grounds.

**BYO BBQ and Drinks will be held at the grounds on Saturday following the trial.**