



WALK-UP WEEKEND Field Trial Championships

February 28th and March 1st 2026

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

Entries, including minors, close: 6.00pm 6th 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

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 13th 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.

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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 1st to 3rd placings**Saturday Novice Retriever Walk-Up****Judges:** TBA**Prize, Sash and certificate 1st to 3rd placings**

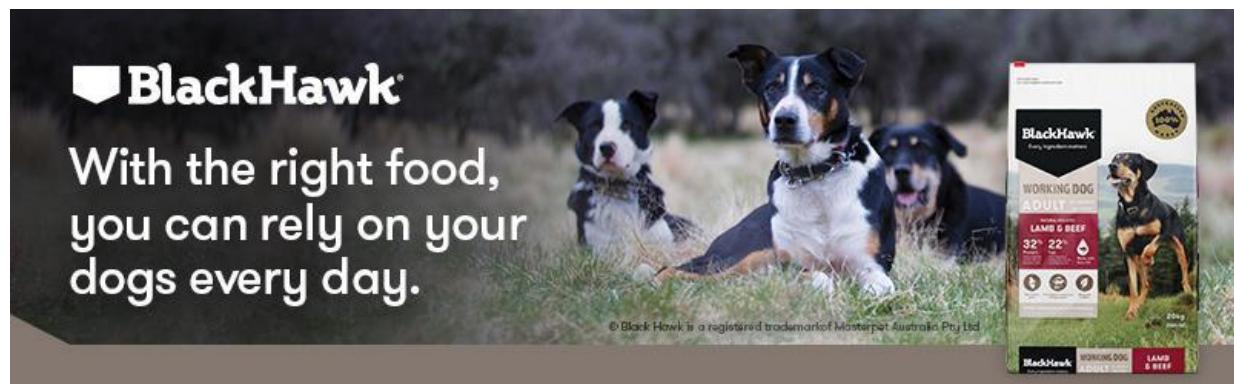
Entry Fee: \$20

Sunday Novice Retriever Walk-Up**Judges:** TBA**Prize, Sash and certificate 1st to 3rd placings**

Entry Fee: \$20

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 1st to 3rd placings**Additional Trophies****Reddawn Trophy****Top Overall Retriever****Iceypeak Trophy****Top Overall Novice****Trials Captains:** Graeme Palmer, Blair Milligan**FT Secretary:** Mike O'Donnell**Contact:** theworkingretrieverclub@gmail.com

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ENTRIES

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

Entries close 6th 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 if you would like to stay at the grounds.

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

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