### CONDITIONS OF ENTRY: PLEASE READ CAREFULLY…

1. Dogs entered at Kennel Club Licensed Field Trials must be registered at the Kennel Club in accordance with Kennel Club Regulations for Classification and Registration B.

2. The Society may reserve to itself the right to refuse any entry, except that this shall not apply in terms of the preference in the draw regulations (ref. J.5.g).

3. No substitution will be allowed

4. All dogs resident outside the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete number before entry to the show/event can be made. All overseas entries without an Authority to Compete number will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor.

5. If entries or nominations exceed the number of permitted runners, the right to compete in a Trial shall be decided by ballot.

6. A society which runs two or more stakes of the same denomination in a season which are drawn on the same date may ask a member, who has been successful in the draw for more than one stake, which of the Stakes he/she wishes to run in. Similarly, where a society holds two or more stakes in a season of the same denomination which are not drawn on the same date, it may have discretion to give priority in any subsequent draws to members who were not successful in the previous draw/s

7. Should circumstances so dictate, the Society, in consultation with the Judges, may alter arrangements as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them must be reported to the Kennel Club at the earliest opportunity.

8. No modification will be made to this Schedule except by permission of the Kennel Club, followed by advertisement in appropriate journals if time permits before the closing of entries.

9. Judges at a Trial are prohibited from entering a dog which is recorded in their ownership or part ownership.

10. For withdrawals J7f applies.

11. Preference in the draw for Novice stakes will not be given to members who have already been offered a run by the Club in a similar Novice stake in the current season.

12. A separate entry form is required for each stake entered. Incomplete or illegible entry forms may be returned, or the applicant notified and given the opportunity to submit a new form. Please send a separate SAE for the result of each draw and please use self seal envelopes. Or send email address

If competitors submit an out of date entry form they are required to sign a copy of the current form before the trial commences.

13. All persons attending the Stake are under the jurisdiction of the Judges and Officers of the Club and must conduct themselves accordingly.

14. The Club accepts no responsibility for injury, loss or damage to person or property however occasioned.

15. All dogs must be kept on a lead except when in line or used for picking-up under the direction of the Judges or the Steward of the beat. No bitches on heat to be brought to the Trial ground.

16. Videography and photography will only be permitted with the express permission of the Chief Steward and the host.

NOTE:

1. Out of respect for our hosts' generosity, competitors are asked to ensure that their dogs are competent in picking all game and are capable of maintaining the standards required.

2. Competitors must make their own arrangements for lunch, which may be taken in the field.

3. DOGS IN CARS ON HOT DAYS - Your dog is vulnerable and AT RISK if left in a vehicle in high temperatures and even on days considered as slightly warm. Please take care of your dog. If your dog is found to be at risk forcible entry to your vehicle may be necessary without liability for any damage caused.

WELFARE OF DOGS: A competitor whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met, and should not knowingly put their dogs’ health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. A breach of this Regulation may be referred to the General Committee for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.



President: Mr Rupert Hill

FIELD TRIAL SCHEDULE - 2019/2020

(Held under Kennel Club Limited Rules and Field Trial Regulations ‘J’)

ENTRIES TO:

(RETRIEVERS) Mrs M-J Opie The Threshing Barn, Holland Farm Barns, Bradstone,

Devon. PL19 0QT

Tel : 07932 032265 e-mail: gundogdummies@gmail.com

(SPANIELS) Mrs Margaret Cox, Harley Cottage, St Breward, Bodmin, Cornwall PL30 4LN

Tel: 01208 850490/07887665114 e-mail: margaret.cox@tiscali.co.uk

ENTRY FEES: RETRIEVERS: All Novice Stakes £30. All Open Stakes £40.

Non-members: £40 & £50

SPANIELS: All Novice & Open £30. Non members £45.

(PLEASE READ CONDITIONS ON BACK PAGE BEFORE ENTERING).

PAYMENT: Cheques payable to the West Dartmoor Working Gundog Club and enclose a separate cheque for each entry and separate entry form for each Trial.

THE DRAW: Will usually take place on the evening of the closing date for each Trial at the appropriate FT Secretary’s address unless otherwise stated.

Please inform the FT Secretary if you wish to attend.

Please enclose a separate SAE or send e-mail address for the result of each draw, time of meet and directions to ground.

TROPHIES: All trophies to be held for one year, or until requested for the next nominated trial.

DEFINITIONS:

J2.d.(1) Open: A Stake in which dogs have the opportunity of gaining a qualification towards the title of Field Trial Champion (K regulations refer) and towards entry in the Championship or Champion Stake for its breed; in which entry is open to all dogs of a specified breed or breeds except that such Stakes may not be confined to Any Variety Spaniel [except Spaniel (English Springer) and Spaniel (Cocker)]. It may be limited to a prescribed number of runners (J3 refers), in which case these shall be decided by a draw conducted in accordance with Regulation J6.h so that preference is given to previous performance.

J2.d.(3) Novice: A Stake which is confined to dogs which have not gained a place which would qualify them for preference in the draw for Open Stakes.

PREFERENCE IN THE DRAW FOR OPEN STAKES

J7.i (1) Retrievers: A First, Second, Third or Fourth in a 24 Dog Open Stake, First, Second or Third in a 12 Dog Open Stake. First in All-Aged or Novice Stakes.

J7.i (2) Spaniels: A First. Second or Third in an Open Stake or a First in an All-Aged or Novice Stake. To qualify for preference in the draw in an Open Spaniel Stake, the dog must have gained the appropriate places in a Stake open to its breed.

J7.i (4) refer to J7.j(1) for open stakes preference and J7.j(2) for novice stakes

The foregoing places must have been gained in a Stake qualifying for entry in the Kennel Club Stud Book. If a competitor enters more than one similarly qualified dog his first 'preferred dog' must be balloted for in the normal manner. 'Second' and subsequent dogs must then be placed in separate ballots *before* entries are drawn from other categories.

**FIELD TRIALS 2019/20**

**Stake 1 Open AV Spaniel except Spaniel (Cocker), limited to 16 dogs**

To be held at Castle Hill, North Devon

By kind invitation of the Castle Hill Syndicate

Date Wednesday 9th October 2019

Judges Mr A P Jones (A3412) & Mr J M Davies (A3316)

Prizes *1st £25 2nd £15 3rd £10*

*Skinners Dog Food Vouchers to 3rd Place*

Trophies *The Joyce Damerell Memorial Trophy to the Winner*

*The Brigadoon Goblet for Guns’ Choice*

Entries Close Tuesday 24th September 2019

Directions Will be sent with the draw

**Stake 2** **Open Stake for AV Retriever, limited to 12 dogs**

To be held at Delamore Estate, Cornwood, Ivybridge, Devon

By kind permission of Mr JM Parker

Date Tuesday 17th October 2019

Judges Mr SW Ashby (2549), Mr MR Larkin (3043), Mr SR Hagain (3522) &

Mr K Sandercock (2498)

Prizes *1st £25 2nd £15 3rd £10*

*Skinners Dog Food Vouchers to 3rd Place*

Trophies *The Roborough Gamefinder Trophy for the winner*

*The Skelbrook Cup for 2nd*

*The Honey Bowl for the Highest Placed Golden Retriever*

Entries Close Via FTMS (preferred) 29th September. Paper entries by 28th Sept . Draw on 30th September using FTMS random selection

Directions Will be sent with the Draw

**Stake 3 Novice Stake for AV Retriever, limited to 12 dogs**

To be held at Morval, Nr Looe, Cornwall

By kind permission of Mr Roy Flood

Date Saturday 26th October 2019

Judges Mrs JA Rainey (59), Mr TJ Shipp (1916), Ms Sally Ashby (3818) and Mr SF Robson (3119)

Prizes *1st £25 2nd £15 3rd £10*  *Skinners Dog Food Vouchers to 3rd Place*

Trophies *The Beauyan Perpetual Trophy for the winner*

*The Wadland Brothers Trophy for the runner up*

Entries Close Via FTMS (preferred); 12th October. Paper entries 11th October. Draw will take place using FTMS random selection 13th October.

Directions Will be sent with the Draw

**Stake 4** **Novice Stake for AV Spaniel, limited to 16 dogs**

To be held at Delamore Estate, Cornwood, Ivybridge, Devon

By kind permission of Mr JM Parker

Date Thursday 28th November 2019

Judges Mr K A Powell (A2870) & Mr J McAndrew (NP)

Prizes *1st £25 2nd £15 3rd £10 Skinners Dog Food Vouchers to 3rd Place*

Trophies *The Skinners Trophy and The Ford Creek Trophy to the Winner*

*The Upstart Trophy to the Runner Up*

*The Kevin McKeown Memorial Trophy to the best local handler in the awards*

*The Nancarrow Trophy for the Guns’ Choice*

Entries Close Wednesday 13th November

Directions Will be sent with the draw

**Stake 5** **Open Qualifying Stake for AV Retriever, limited to 12 dogs**

To be held at Lyneham Estate, Yealmpton, Devon

By kind permission of Mrs S Harvey & Mr D Harvey

Date Saturday 4th January 2020

Judges H Vilendal (3077), GJ Bird (3147), BJ Barker (2456) and CE Wood (3228)

Prizes *1st £25 2nd £15 3rd £10 Skinners Dog Food Vouchers to 3rd Place*

Trophies *The José Bastard Memorial Trophy*

*The Kingstonwell Game Farm Challenge Cup*

*The Norman Doddridge Tankard for Guns’ Choice*

Entries Close Via FTMS (preferred); 14th December 2019. Paper entries 13th December.

Draw will take place using FTMS random selection 15th December.

**Priority in this draw will be given to members who were not successful in our previous open stake draw**

Directions Will be sent with the Draw