

## FIELD TRIAL TRAINING For Retrievers, Spaniels and HPRs

### CAPESTHORNE HALL, CHESHIRE

By kind permission of Sir William and Mr Nicholas Bromley-Davenport

**THURSDAY 6 JUNE 2024**

*The Kennel Club is delighted to host an exciting and unique opportunity to train in the outstanding setting of Capesthorne Hall, with some of the UK's top gundog handlers.*

#### RETRIEVER TRAINING DAY for 32 Any Variety Retrievers on Thursday 6 June 2024

Retriever Trainers:	Keith Broomfield (A2214) John Halsted (A1868)	David Lisett (A2581) Billy Steel (A128)
Entry Fee per Dog:	£75	

#### SPANIEL TRAINING DAY for 20 Any Variety Spaniels on Thursday 6 June 2024

Spaniel Trainers:	Aubrey Ladyman (A2775)	Eddie Scott (A2006)
Entry Fee per Dog:	£75	

#### HPR TRAINING DAY for 15 Any Variety Hunt, Point & Retrieve breeds on Thursday 6 June 2024

HPR Trainers:	Robert Irvine (NP4029) Shaun Patterson (NP)	Eddie Kania (A3037)
Entry Fee per Dog:	£75	

**CLOSING DATE:** TUESDAY 14 MAY 2024

**DRAW:** Will be announced on Wednesday 15 May 2024  
The Draw will be emailed to those who provide an email address.  
Please send SAE for postal draw results.

**ENTER ONLINE:** Entries can be made via Fosse Data: [www.ft.fossedata.co.uk](http://www.ft.fossedata.co.uk)

Postal entry forms are available on request, please contact: [FT.Secretary@thekennelclub.org.uk](mailto:FT.Secretary@thekennelclub.org.uk)

**PLEASE NOTE:** The Training Day will start at **08.45**, prompt.

## **STANDARD**

The training days are for handlers wishing to improve and further their field trial skills under the guidance and tuition of highly experienced gundog trainers.

Training will be undertaken on dummies only, starting pistols or shotgun blanks may be used during the training sessions.

The training is open to Open and Novice dogs, but it is advisable that in order to get the most out of the training experience, a good level of obedience must be in place. All dogs attending must be steady and familiar with gunfire.

The trainers will aim to equip owners with the techniques and skills that will improve their abilities as a handler, help identify and solve any problem areas and improve their partnership with their dogs.

## **DRAW**

A ballot will be held should the training be oversubscribed. The draws will be performed in accordance with The Kennel Club Ltd Rules, Field Trial and Gundog Working Test Regulations (J) - Reg. J6j.

## **WITHDRAWALS**

Withdrawals from the training day will be made in accordance with J6f. After an applicant has been successful in the draw for a place on the training day, or if reserve has accepted an offer of a place, if the place is not taken up, the applicant may become liable for the full entry fee.

## **KENNEL CLUB MEMBERSHIP**

If you are a member of The Kennel Club, your name will be published in The Kennel Club red Year Book for the current season. You will have been approved as a member by The Board and will have a unique membership number. Owning a registered dog does not automatically qualify you as a member of The Kennel Club.

## **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

1. Dogs entered at Gundog Working Tests held under Kennel Club J Regulations must be registered at the Kennel Club in accordance with Kennel Club Regulations for Classification and Registration B.
2. The Kennel Club reserves the right to refuse any entry.
3. Substitution of dogs is permitted, subject to the dog being appropriately qualified.
4. All dogs resident outside the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete number before entry to the event can be made.
5. If entries or nominations exceed the number of permitted runners, the right to a place shall be decided by ballot.
6. Should circumstances so dictate the Society, in consultation with the judges, may alter arrangements as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them will be reported to the Kennel Club.
7. No modification may be made to the schedule after publication except by permission of the Kennel Club, followed by advertisement in appropriate journals if time permits before the closing of entries.
8. Judges at a Test are prohibited from entering a dog which is recorded in their ownership or part ownership.
9. Videography and photography will only be permitted with the express agreement of the Chief Steward and the Host.

## **POSTPONEMENT OR CANCELLATION OF EVENTS**

We reserve the right to amend and reschedule the date of the Show or cancel where we need to do so in exceptional circumstances which are beyond the control of The Kennel Club. In the event of a postponement of the Show the entry fees will be transferred to the postponed date. The Kennel Club will have no further liability whatsoever, including (but not limited to) any direct or indirect consequential loss or damage, loss of enjoyment or travel or accommodation costs.

## **WELFARE OF DOGS**

Anyone 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 put their dogs' health and welfare at risk by any action default, omission or otherwise. Breach of The Kennel Club Regulations in this respect may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. The use of pinch collars, electronic shock collars, or prong collars, is not permitted. This shall apply at the venue or within the precincts of the event.

Bitches in season will not be permitted.

### **IMPORTANT NOTICE: DRIVING IN CAPESTHORNE ESTATE GROUNDS**

Please drive carefully with consideration for pedestrians, dogs and livestock. If you are delayed for any reason on your journey to Capesthorne, please contact Kate Broers on 07793 034044 or Anne Heading on 07710 230569. **Do not speed anywhere within the Capesthorne grounds.**