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- ▲ Promotes an ideal weight
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- ▲ Promotes a healthy heart



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GRC 2014 National Specialty

August 2nd and 3rd 2014 – OUTDOORS Guelph University – Kemptville Campus Concession & Prescott Streets, Kemptville, ON

SPONSORED BY:



- July 31, 2014** ** OVGRC WC/I/X Tests
- August 1, 2014** Parade of Title Holders, Parade of Veterans
**GRC all-breed Agility Trials , ** OVGRC sponsored Certificate of Conformation Assessment (CCA)
- August 2, 2014** National Specialty
Baby Puppy Sweepstakes, Puppy Sweepstakes, Veteran Sweepstakes, Three Generation Sweepstakes, Junior Handling Competition, National Specialty Obedience Trial & National Specialty Obedience Rally Trial
- August 3 ,2014** Regional Specialty
Baby Puppy Sweepstakes, Puppy Sweepstakes, **Two All-Breed Obedience Trials & Two All-Breed Obedience Rally Trials
** separate Premium List on www.grcnational.com

ENTRIES CLOSE: 5:00 p.m. FRIDAY July 11, 2014

NOTE: DAY OF ENTRY OPTION NOT AVAILABLE FOR OBEDIENCE OR OBEDIENCE RALLY TRIALS

These events are held outdoors under the Rules of The Canadian Kennel Club. CKC EVENT numbers 140915 through 140927

OFFICIAL PREMIUM LIST

CLUB OFFICERS

President Darwin Boles
1st Vice President Kim Sheehan
2nd Vice President Janet McLean
Secretary Bruce Gibbons
Treasurer Jane Christy

SHOW COMMITTEE

Show Chair (Conformation) Pat Enright penright8888@gmail.com
Show Superintendent John Hodgkinson
Chief Ring Steward (Conformation) Joy Hodgkinson
Trial Chair (Obedience & Rally) Darwin Boles
Chief Ring Stewards/ (Obedience & Rally) Darwin Boles

OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

Cranberry Hill Animal Hospital
 2895 Hwy #43
 Kemptville, ON K0G 1J0
 613-258-5745

**** Veterinary services and payment of same are the sole responsibility of the individual and not that of the GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB OF CANADA.**



OFFICIAL SHOW PHOTOGRAPHER
 Dogs In Design Photography
 613-314-2816 ddphotographies@gmail.com

No photographs may be taken for the purpose of resale at the GRCC event by anyone other than the official show photographer. No photographs of wins/dogs with judges may be taken at the GRCC event by anyone other than the official photographer.

THE CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB

CEO	Obedience Representative	CKC Director East Ontario
Mr. Lance Novak 400-200 Ronson Drive Etobicoke, ON M9W 5Z9 416 675-5511	Ms. Frances Holmes 112 Grey Stone Dr. Carp, ON K0A 1L0 613 831-5242	Mr. Bob Rowbotham 505 Airport Road, RR#4 Quinte West, ON K0K 3E0 613 395-4828

OFFICIAL ENTRY

GRCC National Specialty - OBEDIENCE RALLY

All cheques are to be payable to SEVERN SHOW SERVICES and mailed to

Severn Show Services, 7339 Fourth Line Rd., RR#4 Kemptville, ON K0G 1J0

August 2—Trial 1—EVENT # 140925 \$30.00—SPECIALTY ONLY _____

Exhibition Only /Dog/Trial \$11.30 Listing Fee /Dog/Trial \$9.49 CATALOGUE \$20.00 _____

FEES: Entry Fee (s) \$ _____ Listing Fee \$ _____ Exhibition Only \$ _____

CLASSES ENTERED

Novice A _____ Advanced A _____ Excellent A _____

Novice B _____ Advanced B _____ Excellent B _____

Jump : HEIGHT _____ WIDTH _____

Registered Name of Dog : _____
 Breed: _____ Male () Female ()
 CKC Registration # _____ CKC Miscellaneous _____
 CKC ERN # _____ Listed () ERN # _____
 CKC PEN # _____ Date of Birth _____ (dd/mm/yy)
 Puppy? Yes () No () Place of Birth Canada () Elsewhere ()
 Breeder: _____
 Sire: _____
 Dam: _____

OWNER & AGENT INFORMATION Confirmation to Owner () Agent ()

Registered Owner (s): _____ CKC Mem# _____
 _____ CKC Mem # _____

Owner's Address: _____

Name of Agent /Handler _____

Agent's Address _____

Street Address City Prov Postal Code

I certify that I am the registered owner (s) of the dog or that I am the authorized agent of the actual owner (s) whose name (s) I have entered above and accept full responsibility for all statements made in this entry. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to be bound by the rules and regulations of The Canadian Kennel Club and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list.

Signature of Owner/Agent Phone # e-mail address



**NATIONAL & REGIONAL SPECIALTY
OBEDIENCE TRIALS**



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August 2 – Trial # 1, EVENT # 140921 \$30.00 - NATIONAL SPECIALTY _____

August 2 - Trial #2, EVENT # 140922 \$30.00 – REGIONAL SPECIALTY _____

FEES: Entry Fee (s) \$ _____ Listing Fee \$ _____ Ex. Only or Unofficial \$ _____

CATALOGUE \$20.00 _____

CLASSES ENTERED

Jumps: HEIGHT _____ WIDTH _____

Pre-Novice	Intermediate Novice	Utility B
Novice A	Open A	*Versatility \$20.00
Novice B	Open B	* Veteran \$20.00
Novice C	Utility A	*Brace/Team \$20.00

NOTE:TEAM CLASS is only available for EVENT 140921 - National Specialty

Registered Name of Dog : _____

Breed: _____ Male () Female ()

CKC Registration # _____ CKC Miscellaneous _____

CKC ERN # _____ Listed () ERN # _____

CKC PEN # _____ Date of Birth _____ (dd/mm/yy)

Puppy? Yes () No () Place of Birth Canada () Elsewhere ()

Breeder: _____

Sire: _____

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Signature of Owner/Agent

Phone #

e-mail address

**GRCC NATIONAL SPECIALTY
CONFORMATION JUDGE ALL CLASSES**

Kenneth Matthews 907 Chuckanut Dr., Bellingham, WA 98229
EVENT 140915
Betsy Horn Humer Box 226, Pungoteague, VA 23422
EVENT 140916

**GRCC NATIONAL SPECIALTY
OBEDIENCE AND OBEDIENCE RALLY JUDGES- ALL CLASSES**

Bruce Gibbons RR#4, 869 River Rd, Kemptville, ON K0G 1J0
EVENT 140922
Betsy Horn Humer Box 226, Pungoteague, VA 23422
EVENTS 140921 & 140925

**GRCC NATIONAL & REGIONAL SPECIALTY
SWEESTAKES AND JR HANDLER JUDGES**

Tiffany Waite 38158 Mun 50N, Ste. Anne, MB R5H 1R2
EVENT 140919
Carol Brechbill 1089 Ormond Rd., RR#1 Winchester, ON
EVENT 140920

ENTRY FEES

Entry of each dog owned by a CKC member \$30.00
Listing Fee (per show for dogs without an individual CKC #) \$ 9.49
Exhibition Only \$11.30
Sweepstakes (all), Veteran, Non-Regular or Unofficial Classes \$15.00
Parades (all) \$ 5.00
Show catalogue - PREORDERED **ONLY** none for sale at the events. \$20.00

ALL CHEQUES ARE TO BE CURRENTLY DATED, PAYABLE TO SEVERN SHOW SERVICES AND SENT TO THE SHOW SECRETARY ** Fees can also be paid directly to Severn Show Services via Internet Banking. Contact the Show Secretary for further information.


SHOW SECRETARY

Belle Severn, Severn Show Services

7339 Fourth Line Rd., RR#4

Kemptville, ON K0G 1J0

613 489-3158 or severnshowservices@gmail.com



Dog Show Entry Service

Phone: 1-800-293-2935

Phone: 1-519-754-0393

Fax: 1-519-754-0796

Web: www.theentryline.com

Visa, MasterCard, American Express

Entries accepted until 5:00 pm E.S.T. on official closing day. (Possibly earlier for Obedience/Rally)

This is a privately owned business that charges a fee for its service.

SPECIALTY CONFORMATION SHOW S

REGULAR CLASSES: The following CKC Regular Classes will be provided for both sexes: Baby Puppy, Junior Puppy, Senior Puppy, 12 to 15 Months, 16-18 Months, Bred by Exhibitor, Canadian Bred ,Open, Veterans 7-9, 10-11 and over 12, Specials Only, and Exhibition Only **Competition for Sexually Altered Dogs** will be offered for sexually altered dogs over six months of age and will be judged after the judging of Best Puppy in Breed in the regular classes

NON-REGULAR CLASSES:

Dogs entered in Non-Regular Classes must be entered in one of the CKC Regular Classes, Specials Only or Exhibition Only.

- Stud Dog Class** shall be for Stud Dog and two or more of his Get
- Brood Bitch Class** shall be for Brood Bitch and two or more of her progeny
- Brace Class** shall be for 2 dogs of the same breed and identical ownership.
- UNOFFICIAL CLASSES:**
- GUN DOG** shall be for any dog or either sex that has earned a title at a WC Test, Hunt Tests or a placement at a Field Trial

FIELD DOG AND FIELD BITCH CLASS— Shall be for a dog of either sex with a CKC/AKC ,MH, CKC/AKC Licensed Field Trial Placement

- Parade of Titleholders** is open to any titleholder of any country.
- Parade of Veterans** shall be for all dogs and bitches over seven years of age.

Note: **Parade of Titleholders and Parade of Veterans** - Owners are requested to submit a resume of their dog's accomplishments at the time of entry - limit 100 words.

In addition to the shows and trials that will be taking place during the Specialty weekend, we have lined up a series of great activities and events. While these activities are listed here in the Premium List, for complete instructions and registration forms you are directed to the Specialty Website i.e. www.grccnational.com

The specialty website will also provide you with a calendar outlining the daily events and activities.

THURSDAY July 31st.

- . **OVGRC WC/I/X Tests (Separate Premium List on Specialty Website)**
- . **Obedience and Conformation Fun Matches on show site in support of Smiling Blue Skies**

FRIDAY August 1st.

- . **GRCC All-breed Agility Trials (separate Premium List on Specialty website)**
- . **OVRGC Certificate of Conformation Assessment (CCA) (separate Premium List on Specialty website)**
- . **BBQ dinner (registration on Specialty website)**
- . **Parade of titleholders and Veterans**
- . **Seminar hosted by Smiling Blue Skies on research related to Canine Cancer (registration for seminar is located on Specialty website)**

SATURDAY August 2nd.

- . **Breakfast seminar hosted by Royal Canin (registration on Specialty website)**
- . **Vendor Gallery all-day**
- . **Puppy-picking and Rearing seminar (registration on Specialty website)**
- . **Comprehensive health clinics all day**
- . **GRCC AGM**
- . **GRCC National Banquet**

SUNDAY August 3rd.

- . **Vendor Gallery all day**
- . **Seminar on Pigmentary Uveitis hosted by OVRGC and GRCGT and delivered by Dr. Wendy Townsend (registration on Specialty website)**
- . **Comprehensive health clinics all day**
- . **Two all-breed Obedience and Rally Obedience Trials (Premium list located on Specialty website)**

**NATIONAL & REGIONAL SPECIALTY
OBEDIENCE TRIALS**



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August 2 – Trial # 1, EVENT # 140921 \$30.00 - National Specialty ___

August 2 - Trail #2, EVENT # 140922 \$30.00 - Regional Specialty ___

FEES: Entry Fee (s) \$ _____ Listing Fee \$ _____ Ex. Only or Unofficial \$ _____ Catalogue \$ _____

CLASSES ENTERED

Jumps: HEIGHT _____ WIDTH _____

Pre-Novice	Intermediate Novice	Utility B
Novice A	Open A	Versatility \$20.00
Novice B	Open B	Veteran \$20.00
Novice C	Utility A	* Brace/Team \$20.00

NOTE: TEAM CLASS is only available for EVENT 140921 - NATIONAL SPECIALTY

Registered Name of Dog : _____

Breed: _____ Male () Female ()

CKC Registration # _____ CKC Miscellaneous _____

CKC ERN # _____ Listed () ERN # _____

CKC PEN # _____ Date of Birth _____ (dd/mm/yy)

Puppy? Yes () No () Place of Birth Canada () Elsewhere ()

Breeder: _____

Sire: _____

Dam: _____

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Signature of Owner/Agent

Phone #

e-mail address

Attention Exhibitors

Please note that fees are due and payable in Canadian dollars. Due to fluctuating currency rates, discounted cheques will not be accepted. Personal cheques will be accepted; however, they are to be payable in Canadian funds. If you send your cheque in U.S. funds, it must be made out for the full amount of the entry and no exchange will be refunded to the exhibitor. Please do not mark cheques, "Payable in Canadian Funds" or "At Par". They will not be cleared by the banks. To simplify the process, we urge you to purchase bank drafts or money orders payable in Canadian funds.

Non-Member Participation Fee

The Non-Member *Participation Fee* applies to dogs wholly owned by a resident of Canada who is not a member of the CKC, it is not applicable to CKC members or dogs co-owned with a CKC member. In order for the title to be awarded, the non-member will have a choice of either becoming a CKC member or paying the Non-Member Participation Fee. Failure to comply within thirty (30) days of notification will result in the title being withheld and the dog cannot be moved up. For a membership application, please go to www.ckc.ca under CKC Services and Form on-line. The Non-Member Participation Fee is fee paid in the calendar year (January-December) in which the dog achieved its title.

Attention All Foreign Exhibitors

To obtain an ERN do the following: Send a photocopy of the dog's registration certificate reflecting current ownership - with a written request for an ERN .

Include full payment . Accounts may be paid with personal or business cheque, money order, Visa or MasterCard.. For Non-Members please note that if paying by cheque, the cheque must be certified. Non-residents of Canada please note that discounted cheques or money orders will not be accepted due to fluctuating currency rates .

Provide your full return address. Faxed requests will be accepted. Please include your VISA/ MasterCard number, expiry date, cardholder's name and signature An ERN must be obtained within 30 day of obtaining points, awards or scores to avoid cancellation. If factors beyond your control prohibit this or present a problem, send a written request for a 30 day extension.

Forward your request to: THE CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB,

Shows & Trials Division, 100-89 Skyway Avenue,

Etobicoke, Ontario M9W 6R4

FAX: 416 675-6506



The Golden Retriever Club of Canada wishes to thank Royal Canin, our official sponsor, for their generosity in providing prizes for the following wins:

Best In Specialty Show, Best Puppy in Show, Best of Winners, Best Puppy om Breed, Winners Dog, Winners Bitch, Reserve Winners Dog, Reserve Winners Bitch, Best in Sweepstakes, Best Opposite in Sweepstakes and High in Trial.

MOTELS ACCEPTING GUESTS WITH DOGS

The following motels have indicated that they will accept guests with dogs under certain conditions. Please check with the motel when making your reservation. Dogs must be crated and under control at all times. Owners will be held responsible for any damage.

The University of Guelph Kemptville Campus is the official host of the GRCC National Specialty. The University is offering us a variety of accommodation and meal packages. Please refer to www.grccnational.com and click on "Lodging and Directions" for registration instructions and an electronic registration form prepared by the University.

OTTAWA

Monterey Inn 613 226-5813
Southway Inn 613 737-0811

KEMPTVILLE Knights Inn 613 258-5939 *Offers a 'NATIONAL SPECIALTY RATE'

SMITHS FALLS

Homesteader Country Inn 613 283-0223
Best Western 613 284-0001
Rogers Motel 613 283-5200

Please make your reservation early. Motels request that you be responsible and CLEAN UP after your dog.

SHOW CATALOGUE ADVERTISING

The Specialty Show Catalogue will be 8 1/2" X 11" format and would make a lovely keepsake of these events. **GST/HST is to be added**

Inside Back Cover	B&W	\$75.00	Colour	\$100.00
Full Page	B&W	\$40.00	Colour	\$75.00
Double Full Pages	COLOUR ONLY \$125.00			
Half Page	B&W	\$35.00	Colour	\$50.00
Business Card	B&W	\$25.00	Colour	\$35.00

IN MEMORY OF ads are also available in any of the above sizes and cost.

**** Advertising will not be set up without payment. Fees for advertising can be paid by cheque payable to Severn Show Services and sent to Belle Severn, 7339 Fourth Line Rd., RR#4, Kemptville, ON K0G 1J0 or by e-banking. All advertising is to be submitted by the entry closing date of JULY 1 to severnshowservices@gmail.com and must be 'camera ready', jpg or pdf format. Late submissions may not make the Show Catalogue printing deadline. A proof of your advertisement will be sent for approval prior to printing. For further information on advertising, please contact elliebeals@rogers.com**

REGIONAL SPECIALTY OFFICIAL ENTRY

GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB OF CANADA CONFORMATION

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Severn Show Services, 7339 Fourth Line Rd., RR#4 Kemptville, ON K0G 1J0

<u>Date</u>	<u>Regular</u>	<u>Sweeps</u>	<u>Listed</u>	<u>Unofficial</u>	<u>Ex. Only</u>
August 3	\$30.00	\$15.00	\$9.49	\$20.00	\$11.30

FEES: Entry Fee (s) \$ _____ Ex. Only _____ Listing Fee \$ _____ Catalogue \$ _____

BREED _____ VARIETY _____ SEX _____

REGIONAL SPECIALTY - CLASSES ENTERED

<input type="checkbox"/> Baby Puppy	<input type="checkbox"/> Open	<input type="checkbox"/> Sweeps 6 – 9 mos.	<input type="checkbox"/> Brace
<input type="checkbox"/> Jr. Puppy	<input type="checkbox"/> Specials	<input type="checkbox"/> Sweeps 9 – 12 mos.	<input type="checkbox"/> Stud Dog
<input type="checkbox"/> Sr. Puppy	<input type="checkbox"/> Ex. Only	<input type="checkbox"/> Sweeps 12 – 15 mos.	<input type="checkbox"/> Brood Bitch
<input type="checkbox"/> 12 – 15 Mos.	<input type="checkbox"/> Vet. 7-9	<input type="checkbox"/> Sweeps 15 – 18 mos.	<input type="checkbox"/> Field Dog/Bitch
<input type="checkbox"/> 16 – 18 Mos.	<input type="checkbox"/> Vet. 10-11	<input type="checkbox"/> Sweeps Baby	<input type="checkbox"/> Gun Dog/Bitch
<input type="checkbox"/> Bred By Exh.	<input type="checkbox"/> Vet.: 12+	<input type="checkbox"/> Vet Sweeps 7-9	<input type="checkbox"/> Vet Sweeps 12+
<input type="checkbox"/> Cdn. Bred		<input type="checkbox"/> Vet Sweeps 9-12	<input type="checkbox"/> Altered

Registered Name of Dog: _____

CKC Registration # _____ CKC Miscellaneous _____

CKC ERN # _____ Listed () ERN # _____

CKC Misc. Cert # _____ Date of Birth _____ (dd/mm/yr)

Puppy? Yes () No () Place of Birth Canada () Elsewhere ()

Breeder: _____

Sire: _____

Dam: _____

OWNER & AGENT INFORMATION Confirmation to Owner () Agent ()

Registered Owner (s): _____ CKC Mem# _____

_____ CKC Mem # _____

Owner's Address: _____

Name of Agent /Handler _____

Agent's Address _____

Street Address City Prov Postal Code

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Signature of Owner/Agent Phone # e-mail address

CHAMPIONS and CHAMPIONSHIP POINTS

CKC RULE BOOK-SECTION 15

15.1.1 A dog awarded Winners at a conformation show shall be credited with a number of championship points (ranging from 0 to 5) and the number of championship points credited to a dog awarded Winners shall be as provided hereunder.

15.1.2 The schedule to be employed in the determination of the number of points awarded Winners shall be as follows:

*DOGS COMPETING	1	2	3 to 5	6 to 9	10 to 12	13 & more
POINTS ALLOCATED	0	1	2	3	4	5

* Includes the dog awarded Winners.

No. of dogs competing at GROUP LEVEL	Dogs Placed First	Dogs Placed Second	Dogs Placed Third	Dogs Placed Fourth
13 or more	5	4	3	2
10 to 12	4	3	2	1
6 to 9	3	2	1	1
5	2	1	1	1
4	2	1	1	1
3	2	1	0	0
2	1	0	0	0
1	0	0	0	0

15.1.8 In addition to championship points allocated at the breed level, a dog awarded Winners which also places in the regular Group Competition shall be credited with the following additional points provided that a dog was defeated at the Group level.

15.1.9 A dog may not be credited with more than 5 championship points in a single show



JUNIOR HANDLING

Will be held at the National and Regional Specialties. All Junior Handlers must handle a Golden Retriever. Entries will be taken at the Show Secretary's table up to one (1) hour prior to the event.

GRCC National and Regional OBEDIENCE TRIALS OFFICIAL CLASSES

The following CKC official classes will be provided:

Pre-Novice	Novice A	Novice B	Novice C	Novice Intermediate
Open A	Open B	Utility A	Utility B	

Please ensure jump heights are indicated on the entry form for Novice Int., Open & Utility.

UNOFFICIAL CLASSES : Brace Class **Team Class*** for **GRCC National ONLY**, Veterans Class Bitches in season may not compete and must be withdrawn. Entry and Listing Fee will be refunded provided that written notice is given to the Secretary prior to the start of the Trial.

GRCC National Specialty RALLY OBEDIENCE TRIAL Official Classes:

The following CKC official classes will be provided:

Novice A	Novice B	Advanced A	Advanced B	Excellent A	Excellent B
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OBEDIENCE PERPETUAL TROPHIES

HIGHEST SCORING DOG IN TRIAL - Rysa Cuanor Perpetual Trophy donated by Nan & Katherine Gordon (Rysa Goldens).

THE HIGHEST QUALIFYING CANADIAN SHOW CHAMPION IN NOVICE A OR OPEN A - The Carolee's Dear Whiskey CD Memorial Perpetual Trophy donated by Shirley Goodman, Carolee Perm. Reg., for the Canadian Show Champion of record that obtains the highest qualifying score in Novice A or Open A, In case of a tie, a run-off will decide the winner. These trophies will remain Club property.



OBEDIENCE TROPHY AND PRIZE LIST

Appropriate prizes and rosettes will be awarded for qualifying scores in the following classes:

High in Novice A	High in Novice B	High in Novice C	High in Novice Int.
High in Open A	High in Open B	High in Utility A	High Utility B
Best Obedience Brace	Best Obedience Team ** Offered only in the National Specialty	Best Obedience Veteran.	Best
Highest Score in Trial.			

High in class for each Rally Obedience class

Rosettes will be awarded to dogs placing second, third and fourth in all Regular classes. All awards are limited to dogs earning Qualifying Scores only. A **NEW TITLE** rosette will be offered to dogs who earn their title



The Eileen Battley "Hat Trick" Award offers recognition to all Golden Retrievers that successfully participate in a minimum of three events, one of which must be field, at a Golden Retriever National Specialty and/or designated National events. Applications and complete requirements will be available at the National Specialty and are on www.grcc.net

PUPPY SWEEPSTAKES

Eligibility

This honour will be awarded to the Golden Retrievers who, during the GRCC National Specialty, receives a placement, pass or qualifying score in three events, one of which must be field:

Field – WC/I/X pass; Hunt Test pass or Field Trial Placement or CM. Conformation – Placement in Regular or Altered classes. Placement in

Veterans or Field classes; BOB, BOS, Best Puppy, Judge’s Award of Merit.

Obedience – Qualifying score in a CKC Regular (title eligible) classes only. This includes Veterans jumping at three-quarters of their regular height.

Agility – Qualifying score in a Regular and Select classes.

Tracking – Pass – all stakes, including Urban Tracking.

Rally O – Qualifying score.

The Eileen Battley "Hat Trick" Award application must be received by the Club within 90 days of the final day of all the National Specialty events.

Baby Puppy Sweeps shall be for any dog 3 months up to but not including 6 months of age. To enter this class the dog must be entered in the Baby Puppy Class. There will be two classes in all, divided by sex..

The winners of these classes, Best Baby Puppy Male and Best Baby Puppy Female will compete for Best Baby Puppy in Sweepstakes. A rosette will be awarded to the first, second, third and fourth places in the class and Best Baby Puppy in Sweepstakes.

Puppy Sweeps For any dog 6 months up to but not including 18 months of age. To enter this event the dog must be entered in one of the CKC regular classes.

There will be four classes in all, divided by sex.

Junior Class at least 6 months of age up to but not including 9 months.

Senior Class at least 9 months of age up to but not including 12 months.

12-15 Mos. at least 12 months of age up to but not including 15months.

15-18 Mos. at least 15 months of age up to but not more than 18 months.

The winners of all six classes will compete for Best in Sweepstakes. A rosette will be awarded to first, through fourth place in each class as well as to Best in Sweeps and Best Opposite Sex in Sweeps.

CONFORMATION PRIZE & TROPHY LIST

An appropriate prize and rosette will be awarded for each of the following:

Best of Breed	Best of Opposite	Best of Winners
Best Puppy in Breed	Best Baby Puppy in Breed	Winners Dog
Winners Bitch	Best Stud Dog	Best Brood Bitch
Veteran Male	Veteran Female	Best Veteran
Best Brace	Best Canadian Bred	Best Field Dog
Winners Altered Male	Winners Altered Female	Best Gun Dog
		Best Altered in Breed

Rosettes will be offered for

- ◆ First to Fourth in all regular and First in non-regular classes,
- ◆ First to Fourth in Sweepstakes classes and for Best in Sweeps and Best Opposite Sex in Sweeps. An appropriate prize will be given for all first place in the Regular and Non-Regular classes
- ◆ Each participant in the Parade of Titleholders and the Parade of Veterans.

Judges Award of Merit: One award of merit for every 10 dogs/bitches competing for Best of Breed will be awarded at the discretion of the judge after Best of Breed judging

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

Veterans Sweeps shall be for any dog 7 years of age and up. To enter this class, the dog must be entered in one of the CKC regular classes, Specials or Exhibition Only. There will be three classes in all, divided by sex.

7-9 years at least 7 years of age up to but not including 9 years the day of the event at

9-11 years least 9 years of age up to but not including 12 years on the day of the event.

12+ at least 12 years of age and above on the day of the event

For both Puppy and Veterans Sweepstakes the class winners will compete for best in Sweepstakes with the prize money distributed as follows:

50% of the entry fees for each sweeps class will go to the winner of each class;

15% of the total sweeps entry fees will go to the Best in Sweeps;

10% of the total sweeps entry fees will go to the Best Opposite Sex in Sweeps

25% will be retained for administrative purposes.

THREE GENERATION SWEEPSTAKES

Entries consist of three (3) dogs in a three generation DIRECT line. For example: Mother-son/daughter-grandson/grandmother or Father-son/daughter . The three dogs are shown together (handled separately) to be judged on similarity of type. Dogs may be neutered/spayed and breeder (s)/owner (s) **DO NOT** need to be identical. To enter this class, the dogs must be entered in one of the CKC regular classes OR Exhibition Only.

**Pigmentary Uveitis and Dr. Wendy Townsend at the
2014 Golden Retriever National Specialty in Kemptonville, Ontario**

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APPLICATION HAS BEEN MADE FOR ONE AND A HALF (1.5) HOURS OF
CREDIT FOR THE OVMA CONTINUING EDUCATION RECOGNITION
PROGRAM.**

Pigmentary uveitis, also known as Golden Retriever uveitis, is an important cause of blindness in Golden Retrievers. It was first described in scientific literature in 2000 and listed by the American College of Veterinary Ophthalmologists (ACVO) in 2001 as a condition presumed to be inherited in Golden Retrievers.

Unlike other forms of uveitis, pigmentary uveitis is not associated with any known systemic disease or underlying cause. It is typically a disease of middle-aged and older Golden Retrievers, with most diagnosed starting at five years of age. (ACVO, 2007). Approximately 10% of older Golden Retrievers are affected. Pigmentary uveitis causes them to lose vision due to glaucoma or formation of cataracts. Current therapies can slow progression of the disease, but there is, as yet, no cure or prevention for the condition.

Early Detection

Many ophthalmologists believe that early detection provides the best opportunity for effective treatment. However, signs of PU are often subtle and may be confused with less serious conditions such as conjunctivitis. Therefore, many now feel that every Golden Retriever should have a yearly eye examination by an ophthalmologist, even in the absence of symptoms. These exams should begin prior to breeding for breeding dogs, but pet owners may wish to begin these yearly exams at about 3-5 years of age.

Breeding Considerations

Because PU often develops after the prime reproductive years, it is therefore difficult to control in breeding programs. Further, mode of inheritance is not yet understood, so the most prudent strategy is to minimize the genetic contribution of affected dogs and close relatives.

Research

Dr. Wendy Townsend, DVM, MS, Assistant Professor of Ophthalmology at Purdue University College of Veterinary Medicine is the leading researcher into pigmentary uveitis. Dr. Townsend is currently working to identify the gene that causes PU so that breeders can make informed decisions, at risk dogs can be identified, and better therapies can be developed.

Dr. Townsend will be attending the Golden Retriever National Specialty in Kemptonville, Ontario in August where she will be speaking about this disease and continuing her research. She will be delivering a detailed presentation on Sunday morning, August 3rd.

Dr. Townsend will be examining dogs at no charge and collecting DNA samples to further her research on Saturday August 2nd and Sunday August 3rd. Registration details will be posted on www.grccnational.com. In the meantime, for more information please contact Susan Roberts at: lynwoodgoldens@storm.ca

This is our opportunity to learn more about this awful disease and to contribute to Dr. Townsend's vital research towards finding a cause. Please join us!!!

Note: there will also be a PU clinic at the GRCGT Regional Specialty at Milton on August 8th and 9th.

**GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB OF CANADA
CONFORMATION CHALLENGE AND PERPETUAL TROPHIES**

The following trophies are presented annually at the GRCC NATIONAL SPECIALTY and are the property of the Club. They will remain in the possession of the Club except in the case of Challenge Trophies which are won outright.

BEST OF BREED - The Glenmorag Challenge Trophy - donated by Olive & Jim Taylor. To be competed for annually and to be awarded to the dog/bitch judged Best of Breed. For permanent possession, it must be won three times in succession by the same owner and the same dog/bitch. In the event the GRCC ceases to hold a Specialty show, the trophy will revert to the donors.

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX - N.C. MacDonald Challenge Trophy donated by N.C. MacDonald.

BEST CANADIAN BRED - De Navilly Challenge Trophy donated by Mr. Fred Coombs.

BEST PUPPY - Master Food Challenge Trophy donated by Maple Leaf Mills.

BEST OF WINNERS - Tetlak-Gineal Challenge Trophy donated by Walter & innie Tetlak

BEST VETERAN - Goldenshores Forever Young Best Veteran Trophy - donated by Kim Bryk. To be awarded to the dog or bitch judged Best Veteran at the National Specialty. Intended to honour our ageless Golden Retrievers who will stay Forever Young in our hearts.

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX VETERAN - BISS BVISS MBVIS GrCh YBF Golden Only One "Buck" Memorial Trophy - Sponsored by Mary Bluehardt in memory of "Buck", National Specialty Best in Breed winner.

BEST JUNIOR HANDLER- CAN.AM.CH.AMBERCROFT'S MISS AVALINE PERPETUAL TROPHY
donated by Marion Lee

FIRST IN FIELD TRIAL CLASS-CAN .AM.CH.GAYHAVEN LLDIEL, CAN/AM CDX CHALLENGE TROPHY donated by H. & D. Lavene

FIRST IN GUN DOG CLASS DONATED BY Redgold Golden Retrievers in memory of OTCH U-CD Buchanan Blu Keeza UTD WCX JH AM CD TD WCX JH

THE NAN GORDON MEMORIAL TROPHY donated by Katherine Gordon and is awarded to the dog who, during the Golden Retriever Club of Canada National Specialty:

- 1.) Obtains a pass in a WC, WCI or WCX; JH, SH or MH test and
- 2) Obtains a qualifying score in an official Obedience class and
- 3) Obtains a placement in the Specialty show.
- Puppies are not eligible
- Dog does not have to be owner handled
- Open to all dogs from any country