

LANCS & MERSEYSIDE



Field Trial Schedule

Retrievers & Spaniels (2022 Season)

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Dear All, We are pleased to share our upcoming events schedule for the 22/23 season.

Please ensure your membership is up-to date via visiting the website and renewing your membership, you will need a debit card to process the payment.

Thanks to those who pay via standing order, we will update your membership status by 31/3/22

Please ensure any relevant Dog qualifications gained are updated in the website. This is your responsibility to check!

*****All events are operated under KC Rules and Regulations' J'. The membership are advised to check our website <http://www.lmfts.co.uk> or our Facebook page for regular updates.**

Members should also ensure that their contact details, dog details and membership payment is upto date. This can be done by logging into the members are of the website.

It is important that all members attending our events follow government guidelines, social distancing, and club rules, including any local rules applicable to your area. There is a requirement to minimise contact and handling of items on the day.

Many Thanks

Stuart Woodcock Retriever Sec on behalf of the committee.

Retriever Working Test Schedule

**We politely encourage members to enter the events online via our website –
www.lmfts.co.uk**

**Competitors should make themselves aware of any specific requirements made by
the Society.**

Working Test 1

30th April 22 - Open AV Retriever (Walked Up)

Venue: Wolfen Hall, Chipping, PR3 2NZ by kind permission of the Morris family.

Meet 9am for approx 9:30am start.

Judges: Mr K Broomfield(A), Mr Wayne Skett (B), Mr P Dixon(NP), Mr P Thompson(NP),

*****Online Entry only please*** @ www.lmfts.co.uk**

Working Test 2

15th May - Puppy (upto 18Months) & Novice Working Test.

Venue: Meols Hall, Southport by kind permission of Mr Aubrey.

Meet 09:00 am for approx 9.30am start

Judges: Mr T O'Hare (B), Mr P Goulden(NP), Mr Mike Nelson(NP), Mr K Knowles(NP),

*****Online Entry only please*** @ www.lmfts.co.uk**

*****Please note*****

You are only entered into the event once you receive a confirmation email.

DO NOT SEND PAYMENT – Pay on the day!

The Field Trial Secretary's contact details are located at the end of this schedule

Retriever Field Trial Schedule

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12 Dog Open AV Retriever Field Trial to be held on 18th October at Wolfen Hall, Chipping, PR3 2NZ by kind permission of Mr and Mrs Len and Mary Beth Morris and by kind invitation of the Guns.

Judges:

Closing Date:

Draw Date:

Draw Location: Total Management System at the secretary's home address.

Meet: 9:00am – Competitors will be contacted regarding the Meet details.

16 Dog Novice AV Retriever Field Trial to be held on 1st November 2021 at Meols Hall, Southport. PR9 7LZ, by kind permission of Mr Nicholas Aubrey and by kind invitation of the Guns.

Judges:

Closing Date:

Draw Date:

Draw Location: Total Management System at the secretary's home address. (Video Screen Recorded)

Meet: 9:00am – Competitors will be contacted regarding the Meet details.

Our Club will be looking for Open Standard dogs to compete in the Chatsworth Interclub Event.

We will also be competing with Burns and Becks Four Way Match

Online Entries are preferred via www.lmfts.co.uk

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Spaniel Working Test Schedule

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Working Test 1

Spaniel Novice and Open AV Working Tests - Sat 30th of April

Venue: Lupton Shoot, Kirby Lonsdale - by kind permission of Mr G Malaney and Head Keeper, Mr C Bibby.

Judges: Mr Matt Armstrong (B) Mr Garret Marson (N/P)

Meet time no later than 9 O'clock, at the Plough in Lupton.

This event will also serve for the selection of our inter-club event with Muncaster GDC

£7 Members

£9 Non-Members

Working Test 2

Inter Team Test LMFTS v Muncaster GDC

Saturday 11th June at Winster by kind Permission of Mr Brian Scowcroft and gamekeeper Mr Nick Thompson.

Judges: Mr Steve Charlton (A) Mr Jim Dransfield (N/P)

Meet TBC subject to selection

£7 Members

£9 Non-Members

Please note

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Spaniel Field Trial Schedule

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**Competitors should make themselves aware of any specific requirements made by
the Society.**

**Field Trial 1 - 16 Dog Open AV Spaniel (excluding Cocker-Spaniel) to be held on 21st
November 22 at Venue, Winstar by kind Permission of Mr Brian Scowcroft and
gamekeeper Mr Nick Thompson.**

Judges: TBC

Closing Date: TBC

Draw Date:

Draw Location: Total Management System at the secretary's home address. (Video Screen
Recorded)

Meet: 9:00am – Competitors will be contacted regarding the Meet details.

Field Trial 2 - 16 Dog Novice AV Spaniel Venue to be confirmed.

Judges: TBC

Closing Date: TBC

Draw Date:

Draw Location: Total Management System at the secretary's home address. (Video Screen
Recorded)

Meet: 9:00am – Competitors will be contacted regarding the Meet details.

Estimated 2022 Field Trial Entry Fees

Retrievers

Open: £60
Novice: £40
Non-Members +£20

Spaniels

Open: £45
Novice £35
Non-Members +£20

Prizes

Trophy's, Cash and Sponsored Donations

Kindly Sponsored by Skinners



All trophies should be engraved and returned to the General Secretary after 10-11 months of being awarded.

PLEASE NOTE: Working test awards do not count as qualifications for field trials.

Definition of Stakes

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 (Cocker) and (English Springer)]. It may be limited to a prescribed number of runners (J4 refers), in which case these shall be decided by a draw conducted in accordance with Regulation J7.i. and J7.j. so that preference is given to previous performance.

Novice - Retrievers, Spaniels and breeds which hunt, point and retrieve: A stake which is confined to dogs which have not gained a place which would qualify them for first preference in the draw for Open stakes. Pointers and Setters: A stake which is confined to dogs which have not gained a first, second or third in open stakes or first or two seconds in All Aged, Novice or Puppy stakes prior to the close of entries.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

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 subject to kennel club regulations.

3 Dogs may be substituted on the day, at the clubs discretion in accordance to the kennel club guidelines.

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 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 Trial 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 permission of the Chief Steward and the host.

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 Board for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

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.

Club Rules:

- The Club/Hosts accept no responsibility for injury, loss or damage to persons or property however occasioned.
- Mobile Phones should be silenced at the events. Photographs should not be taken except from permission of the chief steward.
- 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 J7.i.). The Kennel Club must be notified in writing of all such refusals with the society's reason.
- All payment should be made on the day of a field trial.

Field Trial Secretaries

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May the club committee wish all the competitors the very best of luck for the coming season.

Lancashire and Merseyside Field Trial Society, ID677.



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