**PENNINE TRAINING AREA OF THE NORTHERN GOLDEN RETRIEVER ASSOCIATION**

**WORKING TEST SCHEDULE FOR 2022**

**ALL ENTRIES CLOSE 5 DAYS BEFORE THE TEST DATE, NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED**

**ENTRIES VIA THE FTMS OR ENTRY FORM & CHEQUE FOR EACH TEST PAYABLE TO “PENNINE TRAINING AREA”**

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| **TEST 1 PUPPY OVER 12 MONTHS WORKING TEST FOR A.V. RETRIEVER**  **TEST 2 NOVICE DOG/NOVICE HANDLER WORKING TEST FOR A.V. RETRIEVER**  **TEST 3 NOVICE WORKING TEST FOR A.V. RETRIEVER**  To be held at Aston Hall, Aston in Sutton, Runcorn on the 5th of March 2022  By kind permission of Mr A Talbot and Mr M Mcpherson  Entries close: Tuesday 1st of March 2022  Judges: Mr M Nelson, Mr P Thompson, Mr S Marland and Mr M Kay  **Meet 9.00am for 9.30am start** |
| **TEST 4 OPEN WORKING TEST FOR A.V. RETRIEVER**  To be held at Eagland Hill Shoot, Pilling, on the 19th of March 2022  By kind permission of Mr and Mrs M Pilling  Entries close Tuesday 15th of March 2022  Judges: Mr K Broomfield, Mrs L Marson and Mr M Nelson  **Meet 9.00am for 9.30am start** |
| **TEST 5 PUPPY OVER 12 MONTHS WORKING TEST FOR A.V. RETRIEVER**  **TEST 6 NOVICE WORKING TEST FOR A.V. RETRIEVER**  **TEST 7 OPEN WORKING TEST FOR A.V. RETRIEVER**  To be held at The Lupton Shoot, Lupton, on the 10th of April 2022  By kind permission of Mr G and Mr J Mullaney  Entries close on Wednesday 6th of April 2022  Judges: TBC  **Meet 9.00am for 9.30 start** |
| **TEST 8 OPEN WORKING TEST FOR A.V. RETRIEVER**  To be held at The Hoghton Woodfold Shoot, Samlesbury, Nr Blackburn, on the 7th of May 2022  By kind permission of Mr L Hamilton  Entries close on Tuesday 3rd of May 2022  Judges: TBC  **Meet 9.00am for 9.30 start** |
| **TEST 9 NOVICE WORKING TEST FOR A.V. RETRIEVER**  **TEST 10 OPEN WORKING TEST FOR A.V. RETRIEVER**  To be held at Roan Lodge Gundog Training Centre, Nr Buxton on the 9th of July 2022  By Kind permission of Mrs L Morgan  Entries close on Tuesday 5th of July 2022  Judges: TBC  **Meet 9.00am for 9.30 start** |

**Entry Fees: PTA Members Non- PTA Members**

All Tests £10.00 £15.00

**All PTA members must also be members of the NGRA. Non- Members may run in PTA Working Tests but are not entitled to receive trophies. Our preferred method of entry is via the FTMS (website www.feildtrial.info). Paper entry forms are available from the club website – penninetrainingarea.org.uk. Any members or non-members competing in PTA Working Tests who require draw results and/or directions should enclose a SAE with the entry form and payment, or provide an email address. Alternatively contact the club Working Test Secretary whose details are below. PLEASE MAKE CHEQUES PAYABLE TO “PENNINE TRAINING AREA” and send by post to:**

**Ms Karen Parkinson**

**38 Peel Mount**

**Blackburn**

**BB1 2DU**

**Definition of classes:**

**Puppy:** Any Dog under 18 months of age on the day of the test

**Novice Dog/Novice Handler:** Handlers and dogs of any age not having gained any working test or FT award.

**Novice Dog:** Dog never having won a 1st, 2nd or 3rd place award in an Open working test or 1st place in any other working test. Puppy tests excepted. Or any award in a Field Trial or COM.

**Open:**  Open to all breeds of retriever

**Veteran:** Any dog 8 years or over on the date of the test

Tests are run under Kennel Club Gundog Rules and Regulations. No competing dogs to be run over the course except at the request of the judges. Bitches in season MUST NOT be brought to venues please.

Please look at our Pennine FB page before setting off for any of our events, as sometimes due to circumstances beyond our control, arrangements can change at the last minute or events can be cancelled.