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## ENTRY METHOD

**ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON February 15, 2024** at the Trial Host's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.

**ENTRIES CLOSE ON April 5, 2024** after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted. Entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

**DAY OF EVENT ENTRIES:** Day of event entries will not be permitted at this Fetch testing.

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## PREMIUM LIST



**"Hosted by Judge Bridgette Ashmore"  
At REACH K9**

**All Levels (Novice, Intermediate, Advanced, Retriever) will be offered**

**\*\*You may ONLY earn one title each day! \*\***

If you test and pass Novice on Sat, you can test for Intermediate on Sunday  
If you test and pass Intermediate on Sat, you can test for Advanced on Sunday  
If you test and pass Advanced on Sat, you can test for Retriever on Sunday

<b>April 6, 2024</b>	<b>April 7, 2024</b>
<b>Test 1:</b> Event # 2024762820	<b>Test 1:</b> Event #2024762822
<b>Test 2:</b> Event #2024762819	<b>Test 2:</b> Event #2024762821

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### Event Location:

3417 Maidens Rd  
Powhatan, VA 23139

### ENTRY LIMITS

*None*

*To be held Outdoors – Weather dependent*

### Testing Hours:

Novice: 9:00 – 11:00  
Intermediate: 11:30 – 1:00  
Advanced: 1:30 – 2:00  
Retriever: 2:30 – 3:00



**AMERICAN  
KENNEL CLUB**

## CERTIFICATION

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina DiNardo, Secretary

### OFFICERS OF THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

President .....Dennis B. Sprung  
 Secretary..... Gina DiNardo  
 Treasurer.....Theodore Phillips

### DELEGATE TO THE AKC (APPLIES TO AKC MEMBER CLUBS ONLY)

TRIAL CHAIRPERSON	TRIAL SECRETARY
James LaBollita	Candice Grace
3155 Anderson Hwy	6429 Chestnut Church Rd
Powhatan, VA 23139	Mechanicsville, VA 23116
jim@reachk9.com	candicegrace11@gmail.com

### EVENT COMMITTEE

*Ashley Morsberger, Jon Ranck, Jaci Combs, Summer Mims, Kelly Smith*

*Event Committee must have a minimum of five, including chairman. Individuals judging at the trial may not be on the event committee.*

### JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

Bridgette Ashmore # 102246	Jaime Carnahan Ranck # 113456
Powhatan, VA	Powhatan, VA
Test 1 on Sat 4/6 and Sun 4/7	Test 2 on Sat 4/6 and Sun 4/7
Novice, Int, Adv, Ret	Novice, Int, Adv, Ret

**FOR AKC CLUBS: VETERINARIAN ON CALL (OR IN ATTENDANCE)**

**Veterinarian** (on-call) River Run Animal Hospital, 1403 Anderson Hwy, Powhatan, VA 23139, 1(804)589-5394 phone number. **Directions** Turn Right on rt 60; Office is on the right in 10.4 miles

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

Fire/ Ambulance/Police- Name of County  
**911**

**LOCAL HOSPITAL** – Johnston-Willis Hospital 1401 Johnston Willis Dr,  
Richmond, VA 23235 (19.3 miles away)

**TEST LEVELS OFFERED & Dates**

<b>April 6, 2024</b>	<b>April 7, 2024</b>
<b>Test 1:</b> Event # 2024762820 Novice Intermediate Advanced Retriever	<b>Test 1:</b> Event #2024762822 Novice Intermediate Advanced Retriever
<b>Test 2:</b> Event #2024762819 Novice Intermediate Advanced Retriever	<b>Test 2:</b> Event #2024762821 Novice Intermediate Advanced Retriever

**Move-Ups to the next higher level WILL NOT be offered.**

**DOG ELIGIBLE TO ENTER**

This trial is open to all dogs SIX (6) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP), an AKC Canine Partners listing number or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate. Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete.

**Condition of the Dog.** Dogs with physical challenges (including amputees) are eligible to participate provided that, in the opinion of the judge, they display no signs of physical discomfort and can safely complete the Fetch test. Dogs with bandages,

sutures, or visible wounds are not eligible. Deaf dogs are allowed to enter so long as the handler is in control of the dog at all times, the dog can complete the requirements of the test, and the dog does not appear to be under undue stress in the opinion of the judge.

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## ENTRY FEES

For pre-entries:

### Mail entry forms and fees to:

REACH K9  
3155 Anderson Hwy  
Powhatan, VA 23139

*Please make checks payable to: **REACH K9***

No entries will be accepted by phone, email, fax, or hand delivery. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to TRIAL HOST at [bridgette@reachk9.com](mailto:bridgette@reachk9.com). No entry shall be made, and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

**Illegible entries** will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and the Trial Secretary will add a \$35.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

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## WAIT LIST INFORMATION

There is no wait list, as there is no maximum number of runs.

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## SIGN-IN and CRATING Areas

There will be a secretary table for check-ins and information.

Dogs will be crated out of view of the Fetch test area, or far enough away as to not cause a distraction to the dog being tested. Alternately, dogs may be worked from their vehicles.

## ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

**Exhibitors are responsible** for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Event Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show grounds.

## RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Qualifying Score.....*Dark Green*  
 New Title .....*Rosette*

### NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

#### **SAFETY, BEHAVIOR and LIABILITY**

**The safety of the dog** is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all searches safely. **It is expressly understood** that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. The American Kennel Club and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. The American Kennel Club reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against the American Kennel Club or any official thereof.

**Collars, Leashes and Harnesses.** During searches, dogs must wear a properly fitted collar or harness approved by the judge. A wearable camera such as a Go Pro may be mounted to the dog's harness, if desired. Leashes may be of any length and/or retractable. The leash should be made of plain, pliable material.

**All dogs must be on leash** at all times, and retractable leashes may not be used when on trial grounds (except during judged searches). Dogs must enter and exit the search area with the leash attached to the collar or harness, including when waiting in the search area before and after the search. An off-leash option may be offered at the discretion of the judge, only if the area is completely enclosed.

#### **REFUNDS**

**No entry fee** will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee. Dogs pulled after closing because of injury or other medical condition are eligible for a refund.

**Bitches in season** will be can run at the end of the run order. Notification in writing must be given to the trial secretary no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class of the day of the trial.

#### **RINGSIDE**

**Judges are not required** to wait for dogs. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at the search area when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility to provide service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

**EXHIBITOR CHECK-IN:** Please check in at the secretary table. We will run dogs as they are ready.

**Claims will be arbitrated as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.**

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations. Additionally, clubs should include any specific local or state health requirements; for example, proof of rabies vaccination.

## DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

The address is 3417 Maidens Rd, Powhatan, VA. There will be signage marking the entrance, as well as parking information.

### MAP



## AKC Official Entry Form

Saturday 4/6/2024 (Test 1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Retriever
Saturday 4/6/2024 (Test 2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Retriever
Sunday 4/7/2024 (Test 1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Retriever
Sunday 4/7/2024 (Test 2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Retriever

**Entry fees: \$20 per class**

*Make checks payable to the REACH K9*

**# of classes  
entered:** \_\_\_\_\_

**X \$20**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**Total due**

*Trial Secretary will add a \$35.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.*

AKC Registered Name		Registration Number	
		<input type="checkbox"/> AKC/PAL/ILP/CP <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign	
Call name	Date of birth	Sex	
Breed			
Owner			
Owner's Address			
City		State	Zip
Telephone	Email		
Handler name (if different from owner):		Junior Handler # (if applicable):	

**Fields marked in blue are REQUIRED.**

**Fields marked in gray must be completed if the information is known.**

**\*\*\*Be sure to read the Agreement and sign on the reverse. No form will be processed without your signature!**

Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site at:

## AGREEMENT

I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim of loss, injury or damage to this dog.

Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other person. I (we) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us). I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN THIS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

**SIGNATURE** of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry.

**SIGN HERE**

**X:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**In case of Emergency – Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_