



Field Trial Championships

6th, 7th and 8th February 2026

Headquarters: Twizel

Commencing 9am Friday, 8.30am Saturday and Sunday

Entries including minors close: 6.00pm 16th January 2026

Order of Running: Friday – 9am Novice Walk-Up Retrieve, 1pm Walk-Up Retrieve
Saturday - 8:30am WRC Retriever, Novice, Puppy
Sunday - 8:30am CGDC Retriever, Limit

Trials Captain: Graeme Palmer, Mike O'Donnell, Blair Milligan

Shotguns will not be used in this trial. An alternative blank shot firing device will be used.

Conditions of Entry:

- 1) All championship dogs must be purebred & registered on DogsNZ Register Part 1.
- 2) Full pedigree name and registration number must be supplied at time of entry.
- 3) All competitors and dogs compete at their own risk.
- 4) Engraving to be the responsibility & cost of the winner.
- 5) NZGTA Rules & Regulations will be available at the Secretary's office.
- 6) The committee reserves the right to replace judges and change grounds in unforeseen circumstances.
- 7) Eight or more dogs to be entered for third place trophy to be awarded
- 8) Shotguns will not be used in this trial. An alternative firing device will be used.
- 9) Retriever Walk Up – A ballot will be held at the Tai Tapu Pub on the 17th January 2026 at 6:30pm if required. The draw for order of running will be made at the Captain's briefing.
- 10) All competitors must be a member of the NZGTA (in addition to being a member of an affiliated club) in accordance with Clause 3.4.4 of the Constitution of the New Zealand Gundog Trial Association.

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PAYMENT MUST BE MADE AT THE TIME OF ENTERING – ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED UNTIL PAYMENT IS MADE

Novice Walk Up Retrieve **Judges:** TBA on the day

Prize, Sash and certificate 1st to 3rd placings Entry Fee \$20

Walk Up Retrieve **Judges:** Bill Johnsen and Mike Weir

One Challenge point to winner Entry fee \$20 + \$5 NZGTA levy Total \$25

Prize, Sash and certificate, 2nd and 3rd placings prize, sash, cert

WRC Retriever **Judges:** Land: Mike Weir Water: Bill Johnsen

Land: Three marked birds

Water: Two marked birds and one blind – Birds may be set in any order

One challenge point to winner Entry Fee \$20 + \$5 NZGTA Levy Total \$25

1st WRC Trophy, Prize, Sash and certificate, 2nd and 3rd placings, prize, sash and certificate

CGDC Retriever **Judges:** Land: Bill Johnsen Water: Gary Ward

Land: Two marked birds and one blind – Birds may be set in any order

Water: One marked bird and one blind bird – Birds may be set in any order

One Challenge point to winner Entry Fee \$20+ \$5 NZGTA Levy Total \$25

Prize, Sash and certificate 1st to 3rd placings

Minor Trials: Judges to be appointed on the day

Limit Land: 1 marked bird and 1 blind bird

Limit Water: Two marked birds Entry fee, Aggregate \$20

Prize, Sash and certificate 1st to 3rd placings

Novice Land: Two single marked birds

Novice Water: Single marked bird Entry Fee, Aggregate \$20

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Puppy Land: Single marked bird (or handler's dummy)

Puppy Water: Single marked bird (or handler's dummy)

Entry Fee Aggregate \$10

Prize, Sash and certificate 1st to 3rd placings

Entries close 16th January 2026 6pm

Enter digitally via the Canterbury Gundog Club website:

Click [HERE](#) to enter

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Make payment via Direct Credit to CGDC Westpac Armagh St.

Account 03 0855 0410515-00

Particulars – your name

Reference – Feb Champs

By entering this trial, I abide by the terms and conditions on this schedule and accept that The Canterbury Gundog Club, The Working Retriever Club and organisers accept no liability for damage, loss or injury to competitors, spectators or their property whilst at this event.