



# FLAT-COATED RETRIEVER SOCIETY OF CANADA

**National Specialty Show for Flat-coated Retrievers** 

**Obedience & Rally Obedience Veteran & Juvenile Sweepstakes Specialty Conformation Show** Altered & Non Regular Classes **Junior Handling Conformation** 

September 5-7, 2015

#### This event is held under Canadian Kennel Club rules.

SHOW VENUE

INDOORS - UNBENCHED - UNEXAMINED

**Exhibition Park** 200 Prospect Road, Hwy 333 Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada

### **SHOW SECRETARY**

John Macdonald

**ENTRIES CLOSE:** 

August 17, 2015 at 10:00 pm

24 Carrie Crescent Beaverbank, NS, B4G 1B2 Phone: 1-902-865-8383

#### OTHER EVENTS AT THE SAME LOCATION

Friday evening - Provincial Junior Handling Finals Halifax Kennel Club - 3 Conformation Shows, 4 Obedience & 4 Rally Trials - Sept. 5-7. 2015

Keeshond Club of Canada National Specialty – Sept. 5, 2015 Atlantic Labrador Retriever Club of Canada Regional Specialty - Sept. 6, 2015 Clumber Spaniel Club of Canada National Specialty - Sept. 6, 2015

#### JUDGES AND JUDGE ASSIGNMENTS

Ann Kilminster All Regular and Non Regular classes

Ashwell Grange Court, Stroat Chepstow, NP16 7LS England

Linda Brox Juvenile and Veteran Sweepstakes

Rr 32, Cambridge, ON N3H 4R7

Susan Bell All Obedience Classes

c/o Glencrieff 7111, Con 1, RR 2, Puslinch, ON NOB 2J0

Marie Sawford All Rally Classes

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#### ENTRY FEES

## MAIL ENTRIES TO: John Macdonald 24 Carrie Crescent, Beaverbank, Nova Scotia, B4G 1B2

# CHEQUES SHOULD BE MADE PAYABLE TO:

# Flat-coated Retriever Society of Canada (FCRSC) Specialty

Listing fees are payable with the entry fee for dogs that do not have their Individual registration number at closing date. Official CKC entry forms must be used. **Please photo copy the enclosed entry forms if you require more than were supplied.** 

There will be no refunds on overpayments or duplicate entries

Cheques dated after close of entries will not be accepted. Returned cheques will be assessed a \$40.00 service charge. Please do not send entries by Registered Mail. To comply with instructions issued by the Canadian Kennel Club, we will be unable to accept any entry reaching our Show Secretary after the closing time and date. **Please allow ample time for delays in the mail.** 

# DOG SHOW ENTRY SERVICE



Important: Entries taken until 6:00pm on the day of closing. This is a privately owned business and charges a fee for this service.

## Important Note Regarding Emails & Faxes

It will be the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that any electronic submission, either email, facsimile, or any document transmitted electronically, reaches the proper authority or recipient, within the times and limits as regulated for each document in the CKC Rules & regulations. Sent fax receipts, and/or, copies of sent emails, will not be taken as evidence of receipt by recipients.

ATTENTION US EXHIBITORS: Personal US cheques WILL be accepted however, they must be payable for the AMOUNT OF THE ENTRY AS LISTED ABOVE, payable in US funds. Discounted cheques will not be honoured. Do not mark personal cheques payable in Canadian funds or "at par". Tendering of an NSF cheque in payment of entry fees will be considered non-payment of entry fees. The owner of a dog entered in this show is entirely responsible for any error in the entering of his dog, regardless of how, or by whom it was made.

## **SWEEPSTAKES**

Juvenile Sweepstake entrants must be entered in the Regular classes. Veteran Sweepstake entrants may be entered in a Regular class, an Altered class or For Exhibition Only. Spayed and neutered veterans may compete.

Juvenile Sweepstakes: Classes will be divided by sex & age as follows:

6 to 9 months 9 to 12 months 12 to 18 months

Veteran Sweepstakes: Classes will be divided by sex & age as follows:

7 to 9 years 9 to 11 years 11 years and over

#### **JUVENILE & VETERAN SWEEPSTAKE AWARDS**

75% of the Sweepstakes entry fees will be awarded as follows:

BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES

15% of all sweepstakes \$\$ received

10% of all sweepstakes \$\$\$ received

10% of all sweepstakes \$\$\$ received

The winner from each of the above classes will compete for Best in Sweepstakes and Best of

Opposite Sex. A trophy will be offered for Best in Sweepstakes and Best of Opposite Sex. Rosettes will be offered for  $1^{st}$  to  $4^{th}$  place in each class.

#### Be proud of your own dog - show it off in Sweepstakes!

The FCRSC Juvenile and Veteran Sweepstake events provide a great opportunity for owners and breeders to showcase the potential of their young dogs and the longevity and soundness of their veteran dogs. The FCRSC strongly encourages all owners to handle their own puppies and veterans in sweepstakes, whenever possible. If you are physically unable to show your own dog on the move, you may bring a "runner" into the ring to move the dog for you.

## **CONFORMATION CLASSES**

#### REGULAR CONFORMATION CLASSES

The following CKC classes, divided by sex will be provided.

Junior Puppy
Senior Puppy
for dogs 6 months of age but under 9 months of age
for dogs 9 months of age but under 12 months of age
12-18 Months
for dogs 12 months of age but under 18 months of age
Canadian Bred
for dogs born in Canada; champions in any country excluded

Bred By Exhibitor for dogs owned and handled in the ring by the breeder for this class,

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need not handle the dog for further awards

Open for all dogs

Veteran 7 to 9 for dogs 7 years of age but under 9 years of age Veteran 9 to 11 for dogs 9 years of age but under 11 years of age

Veteran 11 plus for dogs 11 years or older

Specials Only for dogs that are registered individually, in the records of the

Canadian Kennel Club or have a CKC ERN number and have attained Championship status. The entry of a 'listed' dog is not allowed.

#### **NON-REGULAR AND UNOFFICIAL CONFORMATION CLASSES**

Dogs must be entered in a regular class or for exhibition only

Baby Puppy for dogs 3 to 6 months old

Exhibition Only dogs entered in this class may not compete in any Regular class but

may enter and compete in Non-regular classes

Stud Dog & Get Stud dog and two or more of his get, not necessarily owned by the

same owner.

Brood Bitch & Progeny Brood Bitch and two or more of her progeny, not necessarily owned

by the same owner.

Brace Two dogs of the same breed, not necessarily of the same sex or

owner.

Must be handled by one person on one lead

Field Dog Has a CKC/AKC WCX, one SH leg, MH title or a CKC sanctioned field

trial placement. Class divided by sex.

Gun Dog Has a CKC/AKC WC, WCI or JH title. Class divided by sex.

## **SEXUALLY ALTERED CLASSES**

Eligibility for the Altered Classes shall be limited to dogs over 6 months of age that have been spayed or neutered. Points MAY NOT be carried from regular competition judging to the Altered Class judging. These classes will be judged immediately after Best of Breed in the regular classes.

#### **OBEDIENCE CLASSES**

Novice A & B, Open A & B, Utility A & B (Pre-Novice, Novice C and Novice Intermediate) SEPARATE ENTRIES ARE REQUIRED FOR EACH CLASS ENTERED State Jump Heights Pre-Novice for all dogs over 6 months of age. (Not eligible for HIT Competition)

"A" Classes for dogs handled by owner or immediate family member through all exercises. "B" Classes for trainers, multiple entries, exhibitors who have attained a Can. CDX degree or

dogs who have earned titles in another country.

"C" Classes for dogs who have completed a C.D. title in Canada. (Not eligible for H.I.T. competition)

C.D.I. Class Novice -Intermediate, for dogs who have earned a C.D. title in Canada (Not eligible for H.I.T. Competition)

Open for dogs who have earned a C.D. in Canada.

Utility A for dogs who have earned a C.D.X. but not a U.D. in Canada.

Utility B for dogs who have earned a C.D.X. or U.D. in Canada

Exhibition Dogs 6 months & over, not in competition.

#### **RALLY OBEDIENCE CLASSES**

Exhibitors entering both Obedience and Rally must fill out separate entry forms

Novice A For dogs that have not earned the RN title or a CD or higher and is

handled by the owner or immediate family member

Novice B For any dog until such time as a qualifying score in Advanced is

earned.

Intermediate For dogs that have earned a RN title.

Advanced A For dogs that have earned the RN title but not earned the RA title and

is handled by the owner or immediate family member

Advanced B For any dog that has earned the RA title. Any one who has obtained a

CDX on a dog.

Excellent A for dogs that have earned the RA title but not earned the RE title and

is handled by the owner or immediate family member

Excellent B For any dog that has earned the RE title or any on who has obtained a

CDX on a dog.

A Bitch in season may not compete in Obedience or Rally Trials. Entry fees will be refunded ONLY if the Trial Secretary BEFORE commencement of the trial receives a Veterinarian's Certificate

## **CONFORMATION AWARDS**

Rosettes and prizes will be offered for the following.

Best Of Breed Best Opposite Sex Best Of Winners Best Puppy

Winners Dog Winners Bitch Reserve Winners Dog Reserve Winners Bitch
Best Stud Dog Best Brood Bitch Best Field Dog Best Field Bitch
Best Working Dog Best Working Bitch Best Brace 1st In Each Class

Best Altered Best Of Opposite Altered

Prizes will be offered for the following

2<sup>nd</sup>, 3rd, 4<sup>th</sup> In Each Class

AWARD OF MERIT will be awarded at the discretion of the Judge up to 1 award for every 10 dogs/bitches in BOB competition

# **OBEDIENCE AND RALLY OBEDIENCE AWARDS**

Rosettes and prizes will be offered for the following. All prizes are for qualifying scores only.

High In Obedience Trial Qualifiers In Pre-Novice

1st In Class for each Obedience Class 1st In Class for each Rally Obedience Class

Prizes will be offered for the following 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3rd, 4<sup>th</sup> In Each Obedience & Rally Class

# **FCRSC PERPETUAL TROPHIES**

Perpetual trophies remain the property of the Club. Keeper trophies will be presented to winners.

BEST OF BREED

WINNERS DOG

HIGH IN TRIAL

BEST OF OPPOSITE

WINNERS BITCH

BEST PUPPY

## **CATALOG ADVERTISING**

Advertise the accomplishments of your special Flat-coat, tell us about your upcoming stars or just say "yahoo and good luck to participants"!

> Deadline for catalogue ads is **AUGUST 2<sup>nd</sup>**, **2015** Submit ads to Leah Hurrell Ihurrell@shaw.ca

Page size – 8.5 x 11 inches Full page ad with one photo: \$40.00 Half page ad with one photo: \$25.00 Set-up Fee if ad not camera ready: \$15.00 Catalogue advertising payable to FCRSC Specialty (US rates at par)

# JUNIOR HANDLING (CONFORMATION) Saturday, September 4th, 2015 TIME and JUDGE: TBA

Fee: \$2.00

Registration will take place at the secretary's table for 2 hours prior to the event

Competition for juniors between the ages of 7 and up to 18 years of age by Dec. 31, 2014. Dogs handled by the juniors must be entered in a Class or For Exhibition Only at the FCRSC show or trials. Dogs need not be owned by the junior.

# Rosettes or ribbons & suitable prizes will be presented to BEST JUNIOR HANDLER and 1st to 4th placements in each class

# The Flat-Coated Retriever Society of Canada is sponsoring boosters as follows: Halifax Kennel Club Show on Sunday September 6th

## Conformation, Obedience & Rally

Prizes to be offered in conformation for BOB, BOS, BW, WD, WB, RWD, RWB, BP Prizes to be offered in obedience for High in each class and HIT in the first trial of the day Prizes to be offered in rally for High in each class in the second trial of the day...

# SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

# FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4th

Hospitality Meet & Greet

# SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5th

FCRSC Conformation Show

FCRSC Sweepstakes

Annual General Meeting & Awards Banquet HKC All Breed Conformation, Obedience & Rally FCRSC Obedience & Rally Trials

# SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6th

FCRSC Booster at Halifax Kennel Club HKC Conformation, Obedience & Rally Dinner out at The Shore Club

## MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7th

FCRSC Working Certificate Test **HKC All Breed Conformation** 

#### PPRIZE and TROPHY DONATIONS

All donations will be greatly appreciated and will be acknowledged in the Specialty Catalogue if received prior to the deadline of August 5, 2011. Please contact Karen Archbold Email: fcrsc.web@gmail.com

#### HOSPITALITY INFORMATION

There will be a reserved Hospitality area for the FCRSC at the show site; if you have any questions or concerns, or just want a place to touch base with some other Flat-coat people, please come see us.

# FCRSC ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING Saturday September 5, 2015

Join us for the FCRSC Annual General Meeting on Saturday, immediately preceding the Banquet and Awards presentation in the Prospect Room at Exhibition Park at approximately 7 pm

# SPECIALTY BANQUET Saturday September 5, 2015

Join us for our annual FCRSC Specialty Awards Banquet and Silent Auction in the Prospect Room at Exhibition Park. **Reservations required.**Please see the website for details:www.2015.flatcoat.ca

# SILENT AUCTION Saturday September 5, 2015

The FCRSC will be holding a Silent Auction at the grounds on Saturday, to be completed at the Specialty Banquet. All donations will be gratefully accepted.

Please contact: Kathy Howland <u>at fleetwing1@gmail.com</u>

<u>JUDGING SCHEDULES</u> will be mailed to exhibitors, posted on Canuck Dogs at <u>www.canuckdogs.com</u> and posted at: <u>www.2015flatcoat.ca</u>.

**ACCOMMODATIONS:** Chocolate Lake Best Western, 20 St. Margarets Bay Road, Halifax, 800-780-7234 Mention the FCRSC to get the rate of \$115 plus tax

## **ALTERNATIVE ACCOMMODATIONS:**

Lakeview Inn & Suites, 98 Chain Lake Drive, Halifax, 902-450-3020 (mention the FCRSC) Quality Inns and Suites, 980 Parkland Drive, Halifax, 902-444-6700 (special rate for dog shows), Esquire Motel 771 Bedford Highway, 1-800-565-3367

Please respect the hotel properties. Dogs should not be left unattended in motel rooms unless crated. Be sure to clean up after exercising your pets.

## **RV PARKING**

The Halifax Kennel Club has negotiated motor home/trailer hook-up facilities at Exhibition Park. Please see the HKC premium list for further details.

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

- The Show & Trial Superintendent will be in full charge of the show, which will be governed by CKC rules.
- Children, accompanied by an adult, are welcome at our show, however, please do not allow them to disturb dogs without permission of owner/handler.
- All exhibitors will be held responsible for clean up on the show premises and surrounding areas for their own dogs or dogs they are handling and must use the designated areas.

- It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to have their dog at ringside when it is scheduled.
- The ALRC and Exhibition Park will not be held responsible for any equipment left on the grounds overnight.
- A judge officiating at a show shall not be subject to indignities of any kind during the progress of the show and it is the duty and obligation of the show-giving club to see that this rule is effectively carried out. (Dog Show Rules, Sec. 4.1.3)
- No person may approach a judge, either directly or otherwise, orally or in writing, to favour his entry. Disciplinary action will be taken against any person who violates this rule or against a judge who fails to report any contravention of this rule to the CKC within 14 days of the act. (Dog Show Rules Sec. 4.1.6)
- The ALRC and the Show Committee will use care and diligence for the welfare of the
  dogs and exhibitors, but will not be responsible for, or assume and liability in the
  event of an accident, or other misfortune to either the dogs or exhibitors or patrons.
  If, because of riot or civil disturbance or any other acts beyond the control of the
  MGRC and their Show Committee, it is impossible to open or close the shows, no
  refund of entries will be made.
- Only dogs entered in the Shows & Trials will be permitted on the show premises.
- The precincts of the show shall be the building and the entrances to it..

#### CHAMPIONSHIP POINTS

 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.

•	Dogs competing*	1	2	3 to 5	6 to 9	10 to 12	13 or more
•	Points allocated	0	1	2	3	4	5

 includes the dog awarded Winners. Additional points provided if the dog awarded WINNERS places in Group.

# Dogs Competing in	First Pl	Second Pl	Third Pl	Fourth Pl
13 or more breeds	5	4	3	2
10 to 12 breeds	4	3	2	1
6 to 9 breeds	3	2	1	1
5 breeds	2	1	1	1
4 breeds	2	1	1	0
3 breeds	2	1	0	0
2 breeds	1	0	0	0

#### **EVENT REGISTRATION NUMBER FOR FOREIGN DOGS**

Effective Jan/1992 all dogs that are foreign-born and foreign-owned and enter Canada for the sole purpose of entering CKC events will no longer require a CKC registration number but will require an ERN - Event Registration Number. This ERN does not register a dog for breeding purposes as defined in the Animal Pedigree Act but rather enables a foreign-owned dog to be awarded titles by the Canadian Kennel Club. Each dog must have its own number. To obtain an ERN, mail or fax a photocopy of the dog's registration certificate with certified cheque, money order, VISA or MasterCard number (expiry date, cardholder's name and signature). Provide your complete address for return of the ERN to you. ERN, AT THE LATEST, MUST BE APPLIED FOR WITHIN 30 DAYS OF FIRST DAY OF ENTERING A CKC EVENT. A CKC ERN registration form can be downloaded from the CKC website: http://www.ckc.ca

#### ATTENTION ALL CANADIANS WHO ARE NOT CKC MEMBERS

Effective January 1, 2011, the CKC has instituted an annual Non-Member Participation Fee for awards and titles for a CANADIAN non-member of the CKC. These fees apply only to dogs wholly owned by a non-CKC member and are not applicable to CKC members. Non CKC member participants must either purchase a CKC membership or pay the non-member participation fee within 30 days of notification or the CKC will cancel any awards and titles. More information, and application forms can be downloaded from the CKC website: http://www.ckc.ca

For more information on the **FCRSC CONFORMATION**, **OBEDIENCE**, **RALLY EVENTS** please see our website at: <a href="www.2015flatcoat.ca">www.2015flatcoat.ca</a> or send an email to Kathy Howland <a href="mailto:at fleetwing1@gmail.com">at fleetwing1@gmail.com</a>

For information on the **FCRSC WORKING CERTIFICATE TEST** on Monday, September 5<sup>th</sup>, visit the specialty website at: www.2015flatcoat.ca

For information on the **HALIFAX KENNEL CLUB (HKC) shows and trials**, and all other events (additional obedience and rally obedience trials on Sunday and Monday), please visit <a href="www.canuckdogs.com">www.canuckdogs.com</a> & or contact show secretary John Macdonald at <a href="cuordha@ns.sympatico.ca">cuordha@ns.sympatico.ca</a>