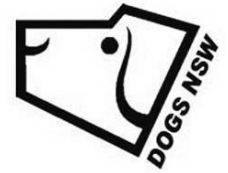


# Entries Close: 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2026



## 2026

### NSW STATE RETRIEVING TRIAL CHAMPIONSHIP



HOSTED BY THE WORKING GUNDOG CLUB INC

### HARTLEY NSW

SATURDAY 15th & SUNDAY 16th AUGUST 2026

#### JUDGES:

**Mr Joe Barber (NSW) and Mr Paul Hamson (NSW)**

**CHAMPIONSHIP STAKE:** Eligibility is limited to Gundogs that have achieved first place in a Restricted Stake, placed first, second, or third in an All-Age Stake, or hold the title of All Age Retrieving Dog. A range of game, as per the regulations, will be used. Proof of eligibility must be submitted with entries for any dog without a title before the entry deadline. The committee retains the right to appoint substitute judges without prior notice.

**PRIZES:** Trophy, Sash, Cash and Dog Food for 1st to 5th Place. A 'three dog' Team Event will be run as in previous years.

**AWARDS:** Special Category Award and Team Event Winners will receive a sash and certificate.

**ENTRY FEE:** \$65 per dog. Enter online at [www.showmanager.com.au](http://www.showmanager.com.au) or submit paper entries to the secretary, Sandra Hodges, 54 Hill Street, Scone NSW 2337. Cheques made payable to: DOGS NSW Retrieving Trial Championship. Online catalogue included with entry fee. Non-exhibitor and hard copies: \$3 per catalogue.

**DRAW:** The draw for the judging order will occur at **6 pm on Friday, August 14th**, prior to the draw dinner at the Hartley School Hall. Additional information regarding the trial and draw dinner will be communicated via the Retrieving Australia website and Facebook.

**JUDGING COMMENCES:** 8.00 am

**VETTING:** 7.15 am - 7.45 am

All competing dogs and bitches must be vetted on each day of the trial. Bitches in oestrus can't compete and are not permitted within the vicinity of the trial grounds.

**DOGS NSW REP:** Louise Bennett

**TRIAL MANAGER:** Natalie Squires - Extreme weather phone: 0423 911 951

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** Dogs and their handlers who finish the Championship are expected to remain on the grounds until judging is complete for the trial presentation and photographs. This is essential to secure future sponsorship.



**PLEASE NOTE:** Exhibitors are reminded that by entering or competing in any ANKC/State Controlling Body-sanctioned event, the exhibitor and/or competitor accepts the terms and conditions set out in the State Controlling Bodies Constitution, Rules and Regulations, along with the ANKC rules relating to the event, in force at the time the event is held.

Furthermore, it is a term and condition of entry to any trial conducted by the Dogs NSW State Championship Retrieving Trial Committee that a person who enters a dog in a trial or handles a dog during a trial must not return to the property where the trial is held or visit that property before the trial without permission. Permission can only be granted in writing by the person who organised the property for the trial.