**EASTERN COUNTIES GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB (K.C. ID No 1312)**

**Novice Dog / Novice Handler and Special Puppy Working Tests**

**(Golden Retrievers Only)**

Held under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations

**Saturday 12th August, 2023**

 **“Grove Farm”, Beccles Road, Raveningham, Norwich, Norfolk NR14 6NX**

**By kind permission of Mr & Mrs P Warde**

Sponsored by Skinner’s Dog Food and Sporting Saint.

**Judges** ***Mr S. Ellis (A672) and Mr T. Strowger (NP2841)***

**Definition**  **Novice Dog/** Neither dog nor handler to have won ANY award at a Field Trial,

**Novice Handler:** or a1st, 2nd, 3rd or 4th in an Open Working Test, or a 1st in ANY Working Test.

**Special Puppy:** For dogs less than 24 months of age on the date of the test.

**Entry Fees**  Members £8 Non Members £10

**Entries Close:** Entry forms must reach the WT Secretary, Dr M Hamilton, The Old Stables, Banham Rd,

Quidenham, NR16 2PQ by **Saturday 29th July, 2023.**

**Draw** Please send a SAE or provide your e-mail address if a copy of the draw is required. All entries will run unless otherwise notified.

**Refreshments** Competitors and spectators must make their own arrangements.

**Meet** **9.00am for a 9.30am start.**

**Prizes Rosettes** awarded to 1st to 5th in each test.

Trophies are confined to members.

**Murphy’s Luck Trophy:** Novice Dog/ Novice Handler Test winner. Kindly presented by Mr & Mrs D Ewings.

**Presidents Trophy:** Best Improver in the Novice Dog/ Novice Handler Test.

Presented in memory of the late Mr M Twist.

 **Novice Dog/** Best Debutant, Best Bred by Exhibitor & Best Junior

**Novice Handler Specials:** handler. Kindly presented by Sporting Saint.

**Rosettes:** Best Heel Work, Best Marker & Best with

an Award in The Show Ring.

 **Millgreen Trophy:** Special Puppy Test winner. Kindly presented

by Mr & Mrs D Barnes.

**Storm Tankard:** Best dog puppy in the Special Puppy Test. Kindlypresented by Mr & Mrs D Ewings.

 **Woodbarn Trophy:** Best bitch puppy in the Special Puppy Test. Kindly

presented by the late Mrs Barbara Webb*.*

Dog Food from **Skinners Dog Food** awarded to 1st to 3rd place prize winners in each test.

*PLEASE NOTE:*

*NO DOGS, other than those entered in The Test, will be allowed on the Ground BITCHES IN SEASON will*

*not be allowed on the ground under any circumstances.*

**Mobile contact number on the day 07962006242**

**Directions to the Venue**

**From Norwich**.

A47 towards Gt. Yarmouth then take the A146 to Gillingham/ Beccles, at McDonalds’ roundabout 1st exit

A143, after 200 yds turn left up Raveningham Road, after 1 &1/4 miles Club signs on left.

**From A14 Newmarket** **and the West.**

A11 to Norwich then A47 towards Gt. Yarmouth then as above.

**From Bury St Edmunds.**

A143 to roundabout junction A146 2nd exit, 1 mile as above.

**From Lowestoft**.

A146 to Gillingham/ Beccles roundabout 2nd exit then as above.

**From Gt Yarmouth**.

A143 to Haddiscoe at top of slope outside village turn right onto B1136. About 2 miles at cross roads

turn left to Beccles. 1 1/2 to 2 miles depending on entrance Club signs on left.

**From Ipswich.**

A12. Turn left on to A145. Straight over 1st set of traffic lights, right at next set.

At mini roundabout turn left and at roundabout take 1st exit on to A146.

At roundabout take 3rd exit on to A143 and first left on to Raveningham Road. Look out for club signs

on the left.