



THE KENNEL CLUB

Making a difference for dogs

INFORMATION FOR INTERNATIONAL TEAMS

1. **DOG REGISTRATION/ATC NUMBERS**

ENTRIES FOR THE WORKING TESTS WILL ONLY BE ACCEPTED FOR DOGS THAT ARE REGISTERED WITH THE KENNEL CLUB OR WHICH HAVE AN 'AUTHORITY TO COMPETE' (ATC) NUMBER.

WE CANNOT ACCEPT ENTRIES WITHOUT THESE NUMBERS.

Applications for an ATC Number can now be made **on line**:

[http://www.thekennelclub.org.uk/registration/authority-to-compete-\(atc\)/](http://www.thekennelclub.org.uk/registration/authority-to-compete-(atc)/)

OR the form can be downloaded in several languages from The Kennel Club website:

<http://www.thekennelclub.org.uk/item/2757>.

The application will take at least **28 days** to process. **Applications by e-mail are no longer accepted.**

Please Note: Dogs entered for the Training Day only **do** require an ATC number unless they are registered with the Kennel Club.

2. **ENTRIES FOR THE INTERNATIONAL RETRIEVER TEAM EVENT**

All entries for the International Retriever Team Event should be sent by email to Kate Broers at the Kennel Club: Kate.Broers@thekennelclub.org.uk

3. **CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES**

International Team Event: **Thursday 16 May**

Training Day: **Thursday 16 May**

Retriever Working Tests: **Monday 6 May**

Please ensure that your entries arrive on time.

4. **INTERNATIONAL ENTRY FEES**

£200 per team (4 x £50)

A fee of £25 will be made for a non-competing Team Captain and £25 for a Reserve team member travelling with the team.

All entry fees should be paid when the entries are sent to the Kennel Club.

5. **ENTRY FEES AS STATED ON THE SCHEDULE**

International Team Event: Payment of entry fees should be made by one of the following methods and notified by e-mail to Kate Broers: Kate.Broers@thekennelclub.org.uk

All payments must include the code 'PA521'

(a) **Credit Card.** Please complete attached form.

(b) **Direct Bank Transfer:**

Barclays Bank

Account No: 80771643

Sort Code: 20-95-61

IBANGB 08 BARC20956180771643 SWIFT: BARCGB22

When payment has been made, please notify Kate Broers so that your payment into The Kennel Club account can be identified.

(c) **UK cheque** made payable to 'The Kennel Club Ltd'

6. **GUNDOG WORKING TEST AND TRAINING DAY ENTRIES**

All entries for the Gundog Working Tests and the Training Day should be sent to Kate Broers at The Kennel Club. The address is on the schedule and entry forms.

Online Entries: Entries for the Gundog Working Tests can be done online. If you wish to use this system go to: www.ft.fossedata.co.uk

Gundog Working Tests: **Online Entry** is available for these Tests. Payment of entry fees will be taken after the event only if you compete on the day.

If you do not use the online system, payment must be made by one of the methods described above.

Two-Day Open Retriever Test: £20 per Dog

Novice Retriever Test: £15 per Dog

Training Day:

If you are sending your entry by email, your entry fee must be paid on the Training Day.

7. **QUALIFICATION FOR OPEN RETRIEVER WORKING TEST**

If the Open Retriever Test is over-subscribed, preference in the Draw will be given to dogs that have gained a place or Certificate of Merit at a Field Trial (UK), been placed First, Second or Third in an Open Gundog Working Test (UK), or won a Novice Gundog Working Test (UK).

8. **ACCOMMODATION**

Some International Team members have stayed at the following hotels in previous years and found them very good and reasonably priced. **When booking, you should check whether they allow dogs in the bedrooms.**

Premier Inn Chesterfield West, Baslow Road, Eastmoor, Chesterfield, Derbyshire

Postcode:

S42 7DA

Telephone:

0871 527 8240

Distance from Chatsworth:

5.4 miles, 8.6 km.

Driving time to Chatsworth:

Approximately 10 minutes

Premier Inn Chesterfield North, Tapton Lock Hill, Off Rotherway, Chesterfield

Postcode:

S41 7NJ

Telephone:

0871 527 8238

Distance from Chatsworth:

12.3 miles, 19.7 km

Driving time to Chatsworth:

Approximately 25 minutes

There are many other hotels and plenty of bed and breakfast accommodation in the area which can be found on the internet.

Space is available at the Chatsworth ground for caravans and camper vans. If you wish to reserve a space please contact Anne Heading – anne.heading@gmail.com

9. **POLO SHIRTS**

The International Team members and husbands/wives/partners will be able to purchase Kennel Club Gundog Working Test Polo shirts at Chatsworth, subject to availability. If you would like to purchase a shirt, please contact the Kennel Club Office to reserve one for you as only a limited number may be available: gundogs@thekennelclub.org.uk

10. **TIMETABLE OF EVENTS**

Wednesday 12 June:

Training Day for Retrievers with Mark and Jamie
Bettinson, Alan Schofield and Gordon Hay
Training Day for Spaniels and HPRs

Thursday 14 and Friday 15 June:

International Retriever Team Event
Drinks Reception and Buffet Supper

Saturday 15 June:

Gundog Working Tests:
Retriever Open (Day 1)
Spaniel Novice
Hunt Point Retrieve Novice
Young Handlers

Sunday 16 June:

Gundog Working Tests:
Retriever Open (Day 2)
Spaniel Open
Hunt Point Retrieve Open