Eastern Carolina Hunting Retriever Club

UKC Licensed Regular Hunt
September 12 - 13, 2026

I submit $_____ for entry fees. # of tests entering: SAT_____ SUN _____

Enter in Hunt Category: _____

Name of Retriever: _____

UKC #R: _____-_____ Call Name: _____ HRC Points: _____

Breed: _____ Male: _____ Female: _____ DOB: _____

Sire: _____

Dam: _____

Registered Owner: _____

Owner's H.R.C. Membership #: _____

Owner's Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-Mail: _____

Name of Handler: _____ Phone: (_____)_____

I certify this dog's immunization is current & has no known communicable disease i.e., Kennel Cough. FURTHER, I agree not to hold the Landowner(s), HRC, UKC or the Host Club responsible for loss of property, damage or injury incurred during this event. HRC, UKC, the Host Club and the Landowner(s) are NOT responsible for loss, accident, or theft, and further assume no responsibility for any damage or injury sustained by the handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assume no responsibility for injury to children who are to be under the supervision & control of their parent or guardian. FURTHER, by my signature, I acknowledge and ensure that the Handler understands that he/she will have the opportunity to view a test dog run the tests; that he/she has the option of withdrawing this dog from any test the Handler in his/her sole discretion deems unsuitable or unsafe; and agrees further that by participating in said tests he/she assumes all risk of harm or accident to either the Handler or the dog.

(Signature of Owner/Agent): _____

Address of Handler (If Handler signs above) Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

HRC MEMBERSHIP # OF HANDLER: _____

EASTERN CAROLINA HUNTING RETRIEVER CLUB

UKC LICENSED REGULAR HUNT

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HUNT LOCATION

Howell Woods Environmental Learning Center
6601 Devils Racetrack Rd
Four Oaks, NC 27524

ELIGIBILITY

This Hunt is held under the rules of the Hunting Retriever Club and United Kennel Club and is open to all breeds in the UKC **GUN DOG** group.

ENTRIES BEFORE DEADLINE

Hunt Secretary online:
WWW.HUNTSECRETARY.COM
P.O. Box 1704 Denison TX 75021
281-924-5024 support@huntsecretary.com

ENTRIES AFTER DEADLINE

Eastern Carolina HRC
Sherry Chalmers
9456 Seven Paths Rd Spring Hope, NC 27882
360-914-0896 Sherry_Chalmers@yahoo.com

TEST WILL OPEN FOR ENTRY: TUESDAY, AUGUST 4, 2026 AT 8:00 PM EST

ADVANCE ENTRIES WILL CLOSE ON
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2026
AT 11:59:59 PM Eastern Time

ENTRY LIMITS

	Started	Seasoned	Finished	
Max # of dogs per flight	50	35	35	
Dog limit per Handler	12 (all stakes)			
Entry limit per Dog	1 entry/stake per dog for each Licensed Test Day			

YOUTH HANDLERS

- Youth Handlers are allowed to enter any stake.
- Their entries will count towards total entry limit per flight.
- Are allowed to run their dog in a lower stake when it is also being run by an adult in a higher stake (only the higher stake points will count/accrue).
- May **not** run their dog in contention (at the same level), if also being run by an adult in that stake.

JUDGES AND HUNTS TO BE JUDGED

	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
STARTED	Jeff Bull Melanie Koons-Swanson	Jeff Bull Melanie Koons-Swanson
SEASONED	Brian Lanning Mark Parsons	Brian Lanning Mark Parsons
FINISHED	Nunzio Litterio Richard McCullough	Nunzio Litterio Richard McCullough

*** Denotes Apprentice/Grandfather Judge**

HUNT SCHEDULE and FEES

Check-In Opens	7:00 am		
Test Dogs Begin	7:50 am		
STARTED	8:00 am	**$75**	per dog/entry
SEASONED	8:00 am	**$85**	per dog/entry
FINISHED	8:00 am	**$95**	per dog/entry
WALK UP FEE: Accepted until stakes are full		**$10**	per dog/entry
Non-UKC Registered Dogs: Must provide Registration number		**$5.00**	per dog/entry
Non-HRC Members: Seasoned, Finished, Upland only		**$5.00**	per dog/entry

*** YOUTH PROGRAM ENTRIES:** Youth Program Handlers must provide their HRC Youth Handler Number on their entry form(s). Not enrolled yet? Online enrollment form and program info on the **PEOPLE/YOUTH HANDLERS** page of HRC website. **YOUTH HANDLER NUMBER MUST BE INCLUDED ON POINTS PASSES!**

SCRATCHES

CLUB SCRATCH POLICY (before closing): For scratches before the closing date, please contact Hunt Secretary at 281-924-5024 or email at support@huntsecretary.com.

CLUB SCRATCH POLICY (after closing): After closing date, all scratches will be handled based on Club Scratch Policy stated here: Full refunds shall be given for any scratch prior to closing of the early entry date. Scratches after the closing of early entry policy is as follows: full refund will be given for female dogs in heat, for injury, illness or death, when certified by a veterinarian. No action will be taken until the Hunt Test Secretary receives a written request including dogs name, test entered, whom to make refund check payable, address to mail refund, written vet excuse on clinic letterhead and signed by vet. There are no refunds for no-shows. Female dogs in heat shall not be allowed to enter or participate in the hunt test(s). The club shall follow the standard set forth by the UKC/HRC regarding female dogs in heat with the following club revisions:

1. All females suspected of being in heat during the day of the event shall be checked on site by the club appointed committee member or on-site vet technician.

2. If a female is found to be in heat during the event, checked and verified by the club appointed committee member or on-site vet technician and PRIOR to running, the dog shall not be allowed to participate any further. All entry fees for that dog shall be refunded.

3. If a female is found to be in heat during the event, checked and verified by the club appointed committee member or on-site vet technician and AFTER running any part of the test, the dog shall not be allowed to participate any further. All entry fees for that dog shall be forfeited.

SWAPPED ENTRY POLICY: THERE IS NO SWAPPING OF DOGS AFTER CLOSE DATE Eastern Carolina Hunting Retriever Club does not allow dogs to be swapped. If a dog has been entered and cannot run, then that entry falls under the scratch policy. If the owner/handler wishes to enter a dog in lieu of the scratched dog, they may do so, however, the new entry must have a new premium to enter along with a new entry fee. If the original entry is scratched and was entitled to a refund under the club scratch policy, that refund may be used for the new dog's entry.

***** WALK UPS ACCEPTED UNTIL STAKES ARE FULL *****
*****WALK UP FEE OF $10 PER DOG/ENTRY*****

COURSES

All Hunts will use: **Mallard Ducks.** Clothing worn in retrieving hunt tests by judges, hunt marshals, gunners and handlers must be full camouflage per the Clothing Policy stated in the current HRC Rulebook. Bring knee/hip waders for Seasoned & Finished. Bring orange hat & vest for Upland.

UKC CHAMPIONSHIP POINTS TO UKC REGISTERED DOGS

and dogs registered with UKC within 60 days of this event

STARTED	SEASONED	FINISHED	UPLAND
5	10	15	10

Rosette Ribbons awarded in all categories

MOTEL / CAMPING ACCOMMODATIONS

Best Western Smithfield	919-989-4047
Country Inn & Suites Smithfield	919-934-3411
Super 8 Smithfield (Pet Friendly)	919-300-7521

MEALS / BANQUET

No tailgate but there are several food options available in Smithfield!

COMMITTEES

HUNT SECRETARY	Sherry Chalmers
	360-914-0896 Sherry_Chalmers@yahoo.com
HUNT CHAIRPERSON	Will Webb
	919-606-4317
HUNT COMMITTEE	Billy Nelson, Bruce Underwood, Rufus Brown, Shawn Swindell, Steve Peedin
OFFICIAL GUNNER	Ken Herring
GAME STEWARD	Garry Stephens

HUNT VETERINARIAN

Quality Care Animal Hospital	919-963-3044
5941 Hwy 301 South, Four Oaks, NC 27524	

Hunting Retriever Club, Inc. encourages the participation of handlers of ALL ages and abilities. If there are accommodations which would make our event more accessible to you, please contact the club's hunt secretary as soon as possible prior to the hunt so that every effort can be made to host a safe and enjoyable hunt.

REMEMBER GUN SAFETY & SPORTSMANSHIP

Hunting Retriever Club, Inc.
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

In North America today, there is an organization that was established to test the hunting retriever in a true-to-life hunting environment. This organization, the Hunting Retriever Club, Inc., was created to develop the type of testing that you, and thousands like you, have wanted for years. The Hunting Retriever Club, Inc. (HRC) has established a no-nonsense, true to life, training and testing program where gun dog owners meet, train, learn and test their dogs afield.

The HRC was formed under the auspices of the United Kennel Club, Inc. (UKC). UKC was founded in 1898 as a purebred dog registry devoted to maintaining the inherent working abilities of hunting dogs. UKC sponsors more hunting dog events than any other such organization in the world.

You can renew your HRC membership or join HRC online on UKC's website by ordering the Hunting Retriever magazine. Each membership includes a subscription to the HRC magazine, which includes training and information articles as well as local Club event results and a list of upcoming events of the HRC local Clubs. You can choose a one- or two-year membership that will begin as soon as your application is processed.

If you prefer, you may use the paper application below. Please include a check or money order payable in United States funds, made out to *HRC, Inc.* or *UKC*. Send the application & fees to:

Hunting Retriever Club, Inc.
c/o United Kennel Club, Inc.
100 E. Kilgore Rd
Kalamazoo, MI 49002

MEMBERSHIP TYPES:

USA:	1 year	Individual $25.00	____	Family $30.00	____
	2 year	Individual $50.00	____	Family $60.00	____
Foreign/Canadian:	1 year	Individual $30.00	____	Family $35.00	____
	2 year	Individual $60.00	____	Family $70.00	____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

What HRC Local Club are you a member of? _____

Family members name(s):

_____

Would you be interested in forming an HRC sanctioned Club in your area? ____