

**Entries Close: Friday April 19<sup>th</sup> 2024**

\*\*\*\*\*No late entries will be accepted\*\*\*\*\*

## **Gundog Club of SA Inc.**

Affiliated with the South Australian Canine Association Inc., is conducting it's



# **RETRIEVING ABILITY TESTS for GUNDOGS (RATG)**

**Venue:** 415 Morris Rd. Prospect Hill

**Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2024**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Test</b>	<b>Judge</b>	<b>Start Time</b>
Sat 04.05.24 <b>Trial 1</b>	Novice RATG	Kate Eltringham (VIC)	8.30 am
Sat 04.05.24 <b>Trial 1</b>	Open RATG	Kate Eltringham (VIC)	to follow
Sat 04.05.24 <b>Trial 2</b>	Novice RATG	Rodney Watt (VIC)	Not before 11.00 am
Sat 04.05.24 <b>Trial 2</b>	Open RATG	Lynne Webster (SA)	to follow
Sun 05.05.24 <b>Trial 3</b>	Novice RATG	Lynette Lennell (SA)	8.30 am
Sun 05.05.24 <b>Trial 3</b>	Open RATG	Rodney Watt (VIC)	to follow
Sun 05.05.24 <b>Trial 4</b>	Novice RATG	Rodney Watt (VIC)	Not before 11.00 am
Sun 05.05.24 <b>Trial 4</b>	Open RATG	Lynne Webster (SA)	to follow

**Vetting:** Trial 1 and Trial 3: 8.10 – 8.25 am; Trial 2 and Trial 4 – 10.30 – 10.45 am

The Club reserves the right to engage a Reserve Judge if necessary. **Where entry numbers require Novice and Open stakes in a Trial may be run concurrently not consecutive as scheduled.** All competitors are asked to assist with stewarding.

<b>Entry Fees per trial:</b>	<b>Members</b>	<b>Non-members</b>
Novice and Open RATG	\$12.00	\$15.00

For membership discount please ensure membership is valid **before** entering



**Catalogue:** \$5.00 pre-paid with entry only (all 4 trials) or via Gundog Club & RA Facebook pages

**Vet Steward:** from Sub Committee

**SACA Rep:** TBC

**Trial Manager:** Julie Wallis **Trial Secretary and Assistant Trial Manager:** Carmel Nottle

**Entries to:** Carmel Nottle, PO Box 2236, Salisbury Downs, SA, 5108 or online via K9 Entries – members contact trial secretary/manager for discount code. **Please email payment advice if using EFT payment option - email: [carmel.nottle@unisa.edu.au](mailto:carmel.nottle@unisa.edu.au) or [gdcsaobed@gmail.com](mailto:gdcsaobed@gmail.com).** Cheques made payable to Gundog Club of SA Inc

**Prizes awarded** - 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place Sash; Judges awards (4 prizes) - Laucke Mills DIB's Premium Dog Bits voucher; Certificate to all qualifying entries; Other prizes and trophies where donated.



Hot weather policy applies: if forecast temperature at 10.00 am two days prior on eldersweather.com.au is 32° or above the trial will be cancelled, unless there is ample swimming water on the property. Where an Exhibition is cancelled in accordance with the Hot Weather Rules, no entry fees will be refunded. Effective 1st January 2019. Contact convenor if in doubt.

### **RATG Eligibility and Rules: Refer to ANKC Website**

A starting pistol **WILL NOT** be used at these Retrieving Ability Tests. **DUMMY:** The type of dummies used shall be at the discretion of the Judge in compliance with the Rules. Competitors are to supply their dummies. **DUMMIES** must be presented for inspection prior to close of vetting. Novice - two dummies required. Open – three dummies required. Separate dummies required for each dog per Test.

### **No catering or camping**

**There is to be No Training on designated Trial grounds within the 28 days before a Trial.**