

ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON **Tuesday, July 13, 2021, at 8:00 AM MDT** at the Trial Secretary's address.

ENTRIES CLOSE ON **Thursday, August 12, 2021, at 8:00 PM MDT** after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows.

PREMIUM LIST

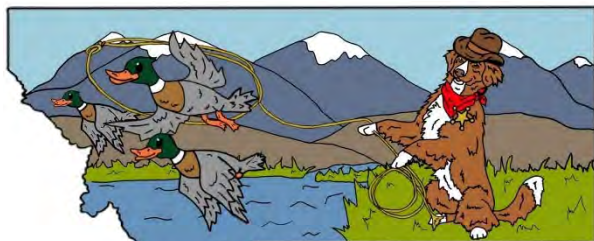


Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever Club (USA)

(AKC Member Club)

National Specialty - Scent Work Trials

(Entry limited to NSDTR)



TOLLER ROUND-UP

2021 NSDTRC (USA) National Specialty

All levels Container, Exterior, Interior and Buried, and Detective Class

Tuesday, September 7, 2021 | Event # 2021608616

Trial Location: Red Lodge Airport

10 S White St, Hangar 10, Red Lodge, MT 59068

ENTRY LIMIT: 125 entries

To be held Indoors and Outdoors



CERTIFICATION

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina DiNardo, Secretary

OFFICERS OF THE Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever Club (USA)

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Vice President..... Joy Annunziato
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3321 Sherborne Dr
Fort Mill, SC 29715-8380

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Diane Sox 460 Oliveta Place, La Canada, CA 91011 crewsox@charter.net 816-601-4528	Ellen Calnan PO Box 18297, Missoula, MT 59808 RedTileServices@gmail.com 406-544-2418 Text and/or Email Only

EVENT COMMITTEE

Diane Sox, Sue Ingham, Kim Simons, Amy Meissner, Stephen Sox

JUDGE

Penelope Scott-Fox, #102462
Altadena, CA

SHOW VETERINARIAN (ON CALL)

Grizzly Peak Animal Hospital
7165 US Hwy 212, Red Lodge, MT 59068
406-446-1778

ALSO ON CALL (staffed 24 hours, veterinarian on call)

Moore Lane Veterinary Hospital
30 Moore Lane, Billings
406-252-4159

EMERGENCY SERVICES

FIRE – AMBULANCE - POLICE

Carbon County 911

***** COVID-19 NOTICE *****

COVID protocols in place for this event will be determined by guidelines and recommendations that are in place at the time of the event. CDC, State of Montana, Carbon County, AKC, NSDTRC (USA) and Yellowstone Dog Sports resources will be used to develop final protocols and they will be detailed in the exhibitor's confirmation letter. *By entering these trials, you agree to accept and abide by any requirements in place during the trials.*

POTENTIAL requirements *may* include:

- Completed and signed facility and/or club waiver of liability.
- Wearing an acceptable face covering or mask that covers both nose and mouth indoors or during certain activities (judges briefing, walking courses or others).
- Social distancing and masks required indoors when distance cannot be maintained.
- Limited crating indoors.
- Limited persons in building (judge, ring crew, competitors, observers) at any one time.

DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to NSDTR dogs SIX (6) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration or Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) as NSDTR. Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) as NSDTR must be spayed or neutered in order to compete.

Condition of the Dog. Dogs with physical challenges (including amputees) are eligible to participate provided that, in the opinion of the judge, they display no signs of physical discomfort and can safely complete the search. Dogs with bandages, sutures, or visible wounds are not eligible. Deaf dogs and blind dogs are allowed to enter. Dogs that are both deaf and blind are able to participate so long as the handler is in control of the dog at all times, the dog can complete the requirements of the class, and the dog does not appear to be under undue stress in the opinion of the judge.

ENTRY FEES

First entry*	\$25.00
Additional entries* in the same trial	\$22.00
The Detective class	\$50.00

*An entry is defined as a single run by a single dog, in a single class.

Entry fees include a \$3.50 per run AKC recording fee.

Mail entry forms and fees to:

Ellen Calnan
PO Box 18297
Missoula, MT 59808

Please make checks payable to the **NSDTRC**.

No entries will be accepted by phone, email, fax, or hand delivery. If you are sending entries by "express" or "overnight" mail, you **MUST** use USPS Priority or Priority Express to the Trial Secretary's PO Box and must include the signature waiver. No entry shall be made, and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

Illegible entries will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. Entries that do not include the correct amount of entry fees will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor.

WAIT LIST INFORMATION

The club is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of 25 entries will be placed on the club's wait list. All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to the closing date and time. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. Any wait listed entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial will receive a full refund.

STAGING AREA, HANDLER'S BRIEFING, AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

The Staging Area will be out of view of search area(s). Staging area will include crating, warm-up and waiting area, as well as the secretary table for check-ins and posting of running order and results.

The **Handler's Briefing** will take place in view of the search area prior to the start of each class, after the hide(s) have been set and after the Demo Dog has run. In the Handler's Briefing the judge will explain if there is an off-leash option, number of hides, maximum height of hides and maximum time for the search. **NO DOGS** are to be present during the Handler's Briefing.

The club shall designate a **warm-up area**. One labelled container per target odor being used in the trial on that day will be placed in the warm-up area. This will allow handler-dog teams to prepare themselves for the search prior to their run. Each team should limit their warm-up to two minutes or less so that others may be able to use the warm-up area as well. Clubs may also place blank containers.

SEARCH AREA, TRIAL SITE, AND RING CONDITIONS

Search Area Sizes and ring conditions will be as required in the *Regulations for AKC Scent Work*.

Trial Site. It is not appropriate to scout the trial location prior to the trial date. Many search locations are real-life environments and such visits may risk the host losing the opportunity to use the location in the future.

Possession of Odors and Training. Chapter 5. Section 35 of the Scent Work Regulations state "No person other than those engaged in the administration of a trial shall be in possession of any target odor when on the trial grounds. There shall be no training on the grounds of the AKC Scent Work trial, other than the designated warm-up area".

Spectator Area. Spectators are encouraged. Any person not handling a dog in the current class, or any person who has already completed their run in the class may choose to watch the search from the spectator area. Handlers may not watch other exhibitors from their class prior to their run except in the case of Handler Discrimination classes. No one outside the search area may assist the handler or disclose the location of the hide.

Crating space will be available on a limited basis and will be detailed after closing. The club and Red Lodge Airport will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.

Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Event Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available.

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

A qualifying score is required for the awarding of ribbons and prizes in all Scent Work Trial Classes. All trophy donors will be listed in the catalog. Custom wood trophies are crafted by Alexander Westerso, Laz3D Designs.

Placement rosettes will be awarded in each class as follows:

<i>First Place</i>	<i>Blue</i>
<i>Second Place</i>	<i>Red</i>
<i>Third Place</i>	<i>Yellow</i>
<i>Fourth Place</i>	<i>White</i>
<i>Qualifying Score</i>	<i>Dark Green</i>
<i>Detective Class Qualifying Score</i>	<i>Emerald and Black</i>

First Place in Each Scent Work Class will be awarded an Engraved Cutting Board.

Each High in Trial winner (Novice, Advanced, Excellent, and Master) will be awarded an Engraved Cutting Board and a Rosette

High in Trial Calculations

Only teams who participate in the same difficulty level in all elements offered (Container, Interior, Exterior, Buried) and qualify in each are eligible to win **High in Trial**. One High in Trial winner is chosen per difficulty level (there is no separate High in Trial for the Novice A and Novice B sections). High in Trial is determined by adding the team's faults across the elements. If there is a tie based on faults, then the team's times across the elements will be summed and the faster-finishing team will win. The High in Trial award is not recorded by the AKC.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Scent Work, by downloading them here: <http://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/RSW001.pdf>

Safety, Behavior and Liability: The safety of the dog is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all searches safely. It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. The Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever Club (USA) (NSDTRC) and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. The NSDTRC reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against the NSDTRC or any official thereof.

Collars, Leashes and Harnesses: During searches, dogs must wear a properly fitted collar or harness approved by the judge. A wearable camera such as a Go Pro may be mounted to the dog's harness, if desired. Leashes may be of any length and/or retractable. The leash should be made of plain, pliable material.

All dogs must be **on leash at all times**, and retractable leashes may not be used when on trial grounds (except during judged searches). Dogs must enter and exit the search area with the leash attached to the collar or harness, including when waiting in the search area before and after the search. An off-leash option may be offered at the discretion of the judge, only if the area is completely enclosed.

No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee.

Dogs pulled after closing because of injury or other medical condition are not eligible for a refund except as described in the Wait List section above.

Bitches in season will be refunded the full entry fee. Notification in writing must be given to the trial secretary no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class of the trial.

RINGSIDE

Judges are not required to wait for dogs. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at the search area when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility to provide service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

Exhibitors MUST check-in. At check-in you will receive your armband number. Once the time and location for check-in is determined all exhibitors will be notified by email.

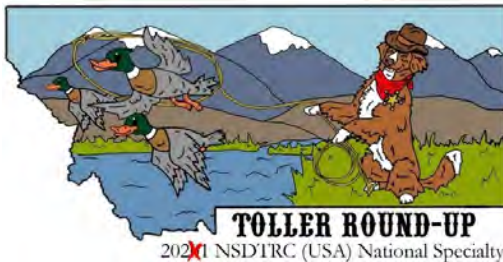
Claims will be arbitrated as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

HOST HOTEL, RV PARKING, LODGING INFORMATION

Please see the show premium and the website for the most current information regarding the host hotel, RV parking and lodging.

<https://nationals.nsdtrc-usa.org/>



Send Entries to:
Ellen Calnan
PO Box 18297
Missoula, MT 59808



AGREEMENT

I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim of loss, injury or damage to this dog.

Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other person. I (we) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us). I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN THIS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

CLASSES OFFERED (all will be judged on Tuesday, September 7, 2021):

Container	Interior	Exterior	Buried	Detective
<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Novice B	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice B	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice B	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice B	
<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	
<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent	
<input type="checkbox"/> Master	<input type="checkbox"/> Master	<input type="checkbox"/> Master	<input type="checkbox"/> Master	

Entry fees: \$25.00 for first class; \$22.00 for each additional class. Detective Class: \$50.00

Make checks payable to "NSDTRC"

First Class: 1 @ \$25.00 **\$25.00**
 Add'l Classes: _____ @ \$22.00 \$ _____
 Detective Class: _____ @ \$50.00 \$ _____
Total Due: \$ _____

BREED		SEX
NOVA SCOTIA DUCK TOLLING RETRIEVER		
AKC® NAME	CALL NAME	
AKC® NO <input type="checkbox"/>	DATE OF BIRTH	
ILP NO. <input type="checkbox"/> PAL NO.	PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST COUNTRY)	
<input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY	BREEDER	
SIRE		
DAM		
ACTUAL OWNERS		
OWNERS ADDRESS		
CITY, STATE ZIP + 4		
HANDLER NAME	ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable	
EMAIL		

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry

X: _____

When submitted, entry forms must be legible, and include correct fees, the agreement (next/back page), and the owner/agent's signature. Incomplete and/or illegible entry forms will not be processed. **Please provide a legible email address**, as all trial information after closing will be provided via email.