



**ESSEX**  
**Hunting Retriever Club**  
**UKC Licensed Regular Hunt**  
**July 18-19, 2026**

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**HUNT LOCATION**

Jack Miner Migratory Bird Sanctuary  
 332 Road 3 W, Kingsville, ON, N9Y 2E5

**OPEN TO ALL UKC GUN DOG BREEDS**

This Hunt is held under the rules of the  
 Hunting Retriever Club and United Kennel Club.

**ENTER ONLINE: [WWW.HUNTSECRETARY.COM](http://WWW.HUNTSECRETARY.COM)**

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: \_\_\_\_\_

**THIS CLUB WILL BE USING EARLY ENTRY CODES**

**Entries open to MEMBERS with codes: MAY 8, 2026 at 7pm EST**

**Opens to the PUBLIC starting: MAY 18, 2026 at 7pm EST**

**Advance Entries will close on**

**Monday July 6, 2026 at 11:59pm EST**

**Entries AFTER CLOSING must be sent to:**

**Nicole Gibbs @ [Essex.HRC.secretary@gmail.com](mailto:Essex.HRC.secretary@gmail.com)**

**WALK UPS WILL BE ACCEPTED SPACE PERMITTING WITH A \$10 FEE**

Started entries close on the 30<sup>th</sup> entry per flight.

Seasoned entries close on the 30<sup>th</sup> entry per flight.

Finished entries close on the 30<sup>th</sup> entry per flight.

Each dog is limited to one (1) entry per Licensed Hunt.

12 DOG ENTRY LIMIT PER HANDLER

**JUDGES AND HUNTS TO BE JUDGED**

	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Sunday</b>
<b>Started</b>	Mary Lou Wickens Tim Nagy	Mary Lou Wickens Kevin Miller
<b>Seasoned</b>	Rusty Wismer *Greg Montgomery	Tim Nagy *Greg Montgomery
<b>Finished</b>	Phil Swedberg Chris Postma	Phil Swedberg Chris Postma

**\* Denotes Apprentice/Grandfather Judge**

### **HUNT SCHEDULE & ENTRY FEES**

Test Dogs Runs at 7:30AM

Started	\$45 US (\$60 CND)
Seasoned	\$55 US (\$75 CND)
Finished	\$65 US (\$85 CND)

### **ADD \$10 PER DOG/PER DAY FOR WALK UPS (SPACE PERMITTING)**

Add \$5 for each entry for NON-UKC Registered Dogs  
Registration number MUST be provided.

Add \$5 for EACH Seasoned/Finished/Upland entry of dogs  
Whose owners are NOT HRC members.

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### **COURSES**

Ducks will be used in all Hunts.

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.

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### **PRIZES to UKC Registered Dogs**

(and dogs registered with UKC within 60 days of this event)

United Kennel Club Championship Points

5 UKC Championship points for Started

10 UKC Championship points for Seasoned

15 UKC Championship points for Finished

Rosette Ribbons in all Categories

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### **CAMPING ACCOMMODATIONS**

There is non-hook up camping allowed in front of Jack Miners for the weekend for a fee of \$25, with access to bathrooms facilities. (**No Showers**).

### **MOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS**

ADAMS GOLDEN ACRES MOTEL

438 MAIN ST W, KINGSVILLE, ON N9Y 2K2  
519-733-6531

BEST WESTERN

566 BEVEL LINE RD RR1, LEAMINGTON, ON N8H 3V7  
519-326-8646

### **MEALS**

Lunch will be available for \$5 on Saturday and Sunday  
Banquet dinner Saturday night for \$15

### **HUNT SECRETARY**

Nicole Gibbs

[essex.hrc.secretary@gmail.com](mailto:essex.hrc.secretary@gmail.com)

### **HUNT CHAIRPERSON**

Chris Myers

### **HUNT COMMITTEE**

Chris Myers & Larry Wood

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### **SCRATCHES**

Scratches require veterinarian's certificate.

(Illness, Injury or Bitch in Season)

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### **OFFICIAL GUNNER**

Chris Myers

### **GAME STEWARD**

Rusty Wismer

### **HUNT VETERINARIAN**

Walker Road Animal Hospital  
3577 Walker Rd  
Windsor, ON N8W 3S5  
519-972-9000

***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):  
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Would you be interested in forming an HRC sanctioned Club in your area? \_\_\_\_\_