

AKC Advanced Hunt Test Judge's Seminar

Sponsored by



Colorado Foothills Retriever Club & Pikes Peak Retriever Club

When: April 30 and May 1, 2011 (8 a.m. to Dusk each day)

Where: Bass Pro Shop Denver-Saturday - 8 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Platte Valley Outdoors – Saturday – 12:30 p.m. to dusk
Platte Valley Outdoors - Sunday– 8 a.m. to dusk
(Directions on page 2)

Time: Starts 8:00 a.m. both days running to dusk

Cost: \$80 if registered by April 23, 2011
\$100 if registered after April 23, 2011 (includes walk ups)
(lunch is included on Sunday Only)

Your spot is reserved once payment/check is delivered. Post mark dates will be used to determine first come status.

Registration: Limited to 40 Attendees, a waiting list will be held for any cancelation requests.

Refund Policy: This event will be held as a rain or shine event, event coordinators may elect at its own discretion to reschedule the event to fall in case of blizzard or tornado. Other than these acts of god, we will hold the event rain or shine. If the event is not postponed and is held as planned, no refunds will be allowed. If you have signed up and cannot make it, refunds will only be made if a replacement attendee is arranged.

Event Purpose: This AKC event is intended for Hunt Test Handlers and Judges to advance their working knowledge of how and why tests are set up the way they are. Specific aspects of the mechanics of a test set up such as bird placement, the use of terrain, visual considerations and how dogs react to certain elements or conditions will be demonstrated. Actual test set ups will incorporate challenges for Junior, Senior and Master level of dogs with each test run by qualified dogs and judged by each registered participant. The goal is to provide participants insight into more advanced concepts than the normal one day, classroom, Judges Seminar can offer. This is where concept and theory meets the real outdoors with working dogs participating in the event.

Event Description: This is a two day event which includes one-half day classroom work (Sat. morning) and the rest of the day plus Sunday spent in the field. AKC representatives will design the test set ups utilizing the various elements. The sponsoring clubs will conduct the tests utilizing at least three dogs at each test level for each series of tests. For example, the Master tests will be run by a dog that has a MH title with several additional passes, a dog with three or four passes but no title and a dog that is just getting started at the Master

level (this will be the same for the Senior and Junior levels). Registered attendees will be provided with Judges sheets and will score dogs in the field with the scoring later discussed. This seminar fulfills an AKC seminar requirement for judging. Attendees need not have attended a previous seminar.

Motel Accommodations: Many motels are at Hwy 119 and I-25, just minutes from Platte Valley Outdoors.

To Register: Send your registration fee, name, address, phone number and e-mail address to:

Joe Brakke
321 North Shores Cir
Windsor, CO 80550
Attn: AJS Event
Email address: joeb@lpbroadband.net

Make checks payable to Colorado Foothills Retriever Club

Bass Pro Shop Denver

7970 Northfield
Denver, CO 80238
(720) 385-3600

Directions: From the West - take Exit 4 off of Hwy 270 on to Quebec St. taking a right by the light. Stay right until you get to Northfield Blvd, take right on Yosemite St head south to Bass Pro.

Directions: From the East of I 70 and Havana St. – take Exit 280 off of I 70 North to E 47th Ave., take a left and this will become Northfield Blvd. and 49th Ave taking you to the West to Northfield Mall, Bass Pro is located at the South West of the Mall off of Yosemite.

Store does not officially open until 9:30 so enter store through the **exit doors**, state you are here for the event and they will direct you to the room.

Directions to Platte Valley Outdoors:

We will depart Bass Pro promptly at 11:30 a.m., take I 270 North West to I 25 (5-6 miles) and then North bound on to the Fort Collins Exit 0, just stay right after the I 76 Exit. Proceed North 27 miles to Exit 243, HWY 66 to Platteville, Go East 8 miles to HWY 85 / Platteville intersection. Take Hwy 85 South past Fort Vasquez split in road or the museum and immediately after get Right on CR 28 (1 mile from Hwy 85 and Hwy 66). Upon making a right on CR 28 TAKE AN IMMEDIATE LEFT ON CR 25.5 heading south (you should only go 40 ft on CR 28, No More) Take CR 25.5 down ½ Mile you be looking to take a right on to the property towards the Platte River – Watch for CFRC white signs to guide you in.