WVRC Working Tests held at Devereux Wootton, 8th June 2024

For AV Retrievers – Open, Puppy and Special Puppy

We held our second working tests of the season at Devereux Wootton, Norton Canon, Herefordshire, by the kind invitation of Patrick Wrixon. We are extremely grateful to him for his kind support in letting us have a test on his ground and for all the hard work he put in beforehand cutting tracks etc. And then throwing dummies for us all day!

Thank you to our judges Wayne Skett, Paul Egginton, Clare Gould and Jean Tidmarsh.

Our stewards (Jean, Veronica, Chris, Sue, Jane and Sarah) kept the competitors well organized and moving promptly between tests. Thank you too to our dummy throwers, Andy (despite the one lost in the hedge!), Tom (who came despite his broken foot), Terry, Shayne, Steve, Julian. Thank you to Jean for organizing the catering and providing cakes that everyone was very grateful for at the end of the day, Chris for the delicious coffee and walnut cake, and Veronica for the helper goody bags (Jammy Dodger Minis are amazing!!).

I am very grateful to all our team, and to those competitors who helped during the opposite half of the day to when they were competing. Well done for offering and thank you.

Thank you very much too to our sponsors Skinners, who provided prizes to our winners, and to Sporting Saint who provided vouchers for helpers. Their support is very appreciated.

Congratulations to everyone in the awards.

Results:

Open

1st Greyhill Velvet At Bucksbrow, Lab/Bitch, Elizabeth (Sid) Davis

2nd Cornstraw Snipe, Lab/Bitch, Ruth Warner

3rd Klato Isaac Of Flypatch, Lab/Dog, Tim Brain

4th Nobsquinton Teasel Of Croftferry, Lab/Bitch, Steve Prosser

COM Kenxtwen Date With Destiny At Omachie, Lab/Dog, Alan Rees

COM Crystlstream Harris, GR/Dog, Mary Jarrod

COM Dawn Scott, Diglake Napravnik, Dawn Scott

Puppy

1st Bellesbank Pintail, Lab/Dog, Steve Lax

2ndAshport Kenelm, Lab/Dog, Veronica Harris

3rd Nortnewydd Blooming In Bala, Lab/Bitch, Geraint Ellis

4th Jinkster Jollyboy, GR/Dog, Mary Jarrod

COM Croftferry Brie, Lab/Bitch, Steve Prosser

COM Balbirnie Solo, Lab/Dog, Karen Vere-Hodge

COM Diglake Constance, Lab/Bitch, Annabelle Dodd

COM Mynydddu Robey, Lab/Bitch, Kathryn Robey

Special Puppy

1st Therlbriar Xavier, Lab/Dog, Nicky Wellfair

2nd Kenzduo Calm Before Storm, Lab/Bitch, Pat James



Open award winners with the judges.



Puppy prize award winners with the judges



Special Puppy award winners with the judges.