

# Rainier Hunt Classic 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> August 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>

Sweetgrass Farm  
8001 VanBuren Rd, Everson, WA 98247

2 "A" Rated Trials  
Sanctioned by the Jack Russell Terrier Club of America  
Sponsored by the Tristate Jack Russell Terrier Club  
Trial by Committee

## Judges for Saturday

Conformation:	Brian Male (UK)
Go-to-Ground:	Ron Downey
Trailing & Locating:	Michelle Davies
Super Earth:	Debra West
Racing:	Lois Clough
Brush Hunt:	Frosty Walling

## Judges for Sunday

Conformation:	Catherine Brown
Go-to-Ground:	Debra West
Trailing & Locating:	Michelle Davies
Super Earth:	Ron Downey
Racing:	Yvonne Downey
Brush Hunt:	Forrest Walling

### Trial Administrator

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Trial Committee: Ken & Frosty Walling, Lynn Hawley, Jordan Hawley, Brooksie Edler, Sherri & Scott Rossmiller, Shelley Cox, Marlene Young, Leann Strunk, Tricia & Mike Morones.

Exhibitors and owners of terriers entered in **sanctioned** classes must be current JRTCA members

**All pre-entries must be postmarked by August 6, 2011**

Club website: [www.tristatejackrussellclub.com](http://www.tristatejackrussellclub.com)

### NATIONAL CHALLENGE YEAR-END AWARDS

The JRTCA will award the following National Challenge Awards. These award will be a combination of points earned in the following categories from November 1<sup>st</sup> to October 1<sup>st</sup> annually, with the trial year-end being October 1<sup>st</sup> (or the Monday following the first weekend in October). The JRTCA National Trial results are NOT included in the points for these awards. **This is no way intended as "Championship Titles," it is purely intended as recognition for those terriers who actively compete nationally.**

**More information located at the end of this premium!**

## Trial Agenda

### Friday

Setup is from noon until 4pm. Pre-registered trial packets will be available from 4:00 to 5:00pm.

\* **Note about Trailing & Locating and Brush Hunt – this class will start AFTER racing and BEFORE conformation begins.**

### Saturday

8:00	Check-in opens. No post entry for racing
9:00	Racing Meeting – at racetrack
9:30	Racing Starts
10:00	GTG and Super Earth Opens
11:00	Brush Hunt and Trailing & Locating will begin after racing *
Noon ish	Youth & Conformation begins after the conclusion of racing, Brush Hunt and Trailing & Locating
4:00	GTG and Super Earth Closes
6:00	Dinner, awards and special guest presentations

### Sunday

8:00	Check-in opens. No post entry for racing
9:00	Racing Meeting – at racetrack
9:30	Racing Starts
10:00	GTG and Super Earth Opens
11:00	Brush Hunt and Trailing & Locating will begin after racing *
Noon ish	Youth & Conformation begins after the conclusion of racing, Brush Hunt and Trailing & Locating
2:30	Lunch & Raffle and Silent Auction will be called
4:00	GTG and Super Earth Closes
4:30ish	Awards
5:00ish	Tear Down

*Times are approximate; please listen for announcements to be made.*

## RV Camping & Ring Side

RV Dry Camping is available \$25.00 for the weekend. Please make sure you mark RV Parking on your entry so we can better manage our camping area. \* **A camping pass will be issued please display prominently.**

**Also– Bring water!** Sherri's farm is beautiful but has a high water mineral content and the water is filtered. Her residence does not have the capacity to provide filtered water for the trial.

Ringside is available for \$25.00 for the weekend.

## Directions to Sweetgrass Farm

I-5 Northbound to Mile Post 256 – Exit Right (Northbound)

North on Meridian Rd 4.2 mi

Enter roundabout and take 2<sup>nd</sup> exit onto WA-539 N/Guide Meridian Rd. 1.6 mi

Enter next roundabout and take 1<sup>st</sup> exit to WA-544/ E. Pole Rd 6.7 miles

Turn slight left onto Mead Ave/ WA-544 and continue 1.3 miles

Turn left onto N. Washington St. 0.4 miles

N. Washington becomes Van Buren Rd 0.3 miles

8001 Van Buren Rd is on the left

**Super 8** (Best Bet!)

5788 Barrett Rd  
 Ferndale, WA 98248  
 (360) 384-8881  
 \$10 One-time Pet Fee (only if staying in room)  
 \$104.88 Single Queen \$115.00 Double Queen  
 Sunday 80.89

\*Be sure to mention Rainier Hunt Classic and please confirm BEFORE August 6<sup>th</sup> or lose the rate!

**La Quinta**

125 E. Kellogg Rd  
 Bellingham, WA 98226  
 (360)647-8000  
 Queen Suite \$129.00  
 Pet Friendly

**EconoLodge**

3750 Meridian  
 Bellingham, WA 98225  
 (360) 671-4600  
 Pet Friendly

**Rodeway Inn**

3710 Meridian  
 Bellingham, WA 98225  
 (360) 738-6000  
 Pet Friendly  
 www.RodewayInn.com

## Veterinary Services

Nooksack Animal Hospital (5 mins from trial site)  
 302 W Columbia  
 Nooksack, WA 98247  
 (360) 966-3207

Kulshan Veterinary Hospital (15 mins from trial site)  
 8880 Benson Road  
 Lynden, WA 98264  
 (360) 354-5095

Animal Emergency Care (25 mins from site)  
 317 Telegraph Rd  
 Bellingham, WA 98226  
 (360) 758-2200  
 Weekdays 6:00pm – 8:00am  
 Weekends 6:00pm Friday to 8:00am Monday

## Crossing the Border

Starting **June 1, 2009**, Citizens traveling between the U.S. and Canada by land or sea are required to present one of the travel documents listed below:

**Passport** – This is an internationally recognized travel document that verifies a person’s identity and citizenship. It is accepted for travel by air, land and sea.

**Travelling with Kids?** Bring their birth certificates!!

**Enhanced Driver’s Licence/Enhanced Identification Card**– Several states and Canadian provinces are issuing this driver’s license or identification document that denotes identity and citizenship. It is specifically designed for cross-border travel into the U.S. by land or sea. The animal must appear to be healthy.

**PETS:** Written certification from a veterinarian must be on hand verifying that the animal is free of diseases communicable to humans and has been vaccinated for rabies. The rabies vaccination certificate must have an expiration date of than 36 months or less; otherwise, the certificate must show that the animal was vaccinated within the preceding 12 months. Special requirements are needed if bringing puppies under 3 months. Please consult the border crossing website.

## Check out the great events happening during the trial

**FAST PASS** - Something new for the Rainier! Volunteers will be wearing special trial FAST PAST T-shirts. These special FAST PASS T-shirts will allow those volunteers to move to the front of the line in GTG, Super Earth, Brush Hunt and Trailing & Locating. Volunteers and workers many times cannot show their dogs or watch their kids compete due to their volunteer positions. This is a way to say "thank-you" and allow them time to compete.

We appreciate any help you can provide during this trial. The more help – the smoother a trial runs! Here is a quick rundown of the general areas we need covered:

- General setup
- Racing – Catchers Pen
- Dinner Setup and Break down
- Assistance with awards presentation during dinner
- General teardown

Please contact our Trial Chair, Sherri Rossmiller, if you are available for any of these positions. We can't do this without your help! Thank You!!

**Vendors** - Food vending during the trial: Lunch items will be available for purchase. Other dog related vendors will be setting up shop during our trial.

**Saturday Night Salmon BBQ!** This is a great way to end a day of Jack Russell fun! Join us for Salmon or Chicken on the patio – please make sure you sign up for this dinner on your entry – and bring your tickets to dinner!

**Guest speaker** – During our Saturday Night Salmon BBQ, Catherine Brown will be giving a hunting seminar

**Sunday Raffle & Silent Auction**– Get ready for another stupendous raffle! The club always appreciates your raffle donations! 50% of all raffle proceeds will be donated to Brigadoon Service Dogs.

**Weekend Senior High Point** – Dust off those 9 and older terriers (10' – 15") as we have special classes and a high point just for them! You keep track of your classes and placements. **A form will be available please ask.**

Hi-Point & Reserve awards will be given out on **SUNDAY** to the terriers gathering the most points in the following classes: Class 28 (Conformation), Class 64 (GTG), choose any (1) one class to record (Super Earth), Class 75 (Brush Hunt), Class 77 (Trailing & Locating), Class 83 or 84 (Racing Flats) and Class 95 or 96 (Steeplechase). You do not have to enter all of the classes but will have more points if you do. **\*\* Any 9 year and old terrier or working breed (10"-15") can enter any of these senior terrier classes – you do not HAVE to compete for a high point.**

## Perpetual Trophies

Tristate Jack Russell Terrier Club will be awarding  
6 perpetual trophies over the weekend

### **Awarded Saturday:**

**Best Open Terrier** – Donated by Foxnorton Terriers/Brian Male (UK)

**Best Working Dog** – Donated by Lynn Hawley & Marlene Young in memory of Forget-Me- Not  
Johnny Be Good

**Best Working Bitch** – Donated by TSJRTC in memory of Undercover Annie

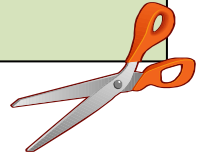
**Working Terrier Champion** – Donated by Sweetgrass Farms in Memory of Sweetgrass Libby

### **Awarded Sunday:**

**Best Family** – Donated by Tri-State Jack Russell Terrier Club

**Working Terrier Champion** – Barrie Wade (UK)

## Class Sponsorship



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**Please support the club by sponsoring one or more classes of your choice. All sponsors  
will be announced at the trial. Thank you for your sponsorship!!**

Best /Reserve Best is \$10 per class

Champion/Reserve Champion is \$20.00 per class

Kennel or Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

*(Please list classes in order of preference)*

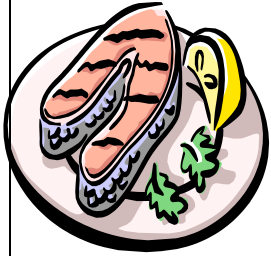
Saturday Class Preference:

(1) \_\_\_\_\_ (2) \_\_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_\_

Sunday Class Preference:

(1) \_\_\_\_\_ (2) \_\_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_\_

Don't Forget Saturday Night Dinner



Saturday Night Salmon or Chicken BBQ Dinner

Menu

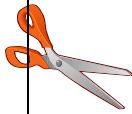
BBQ Salmon or Chicken, Assorted Salads & Dessert  
*BYOB*

Time & Place

Please join us on the patio at 6:00PM  
Awards after dinner – Racing, GTG, Super Earth, Brush Hunt and Trailing & Locating  
*Stay for the hunting seminar by Catherine Brown!*

Cost

\$20.00 Adults \$15.00 kids under 12 years



Please include the following catering order with your entries.  
Thank you!

**YOU MUST PRESENT A DINNER TICKET for the Saturday night dinner!**  
***No exceptions***

Salmon Choice

\_\_\_\_ Adult @ \$20.00      \_\_\_\_ Child @\$15.00

Chicken Choice

\_\_\_\_ Adult@ \$20.00      \_\_\_\_ Child @15.00

Total Enclosed for Saturday night dinner \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## Notes & General Information – Sanctioned Rules

Effective January 1, 2010 all JACK RUSSELL terriers participating in a Sanctioned trial must be either registered or recorded with the JRTCA. If your terrier is not registered or recorded there is an additional \$5.00 per day per dog fee for each one that is not either registered or recorded. Registering & Recording information is available on the JRTCA website at [www.jrtca.com](http://www.jrtca.com), under the JRTCA Link then find JRTCA Registry. Recording is different than Registering – please read the entire web page. This is in addition to the JRTCA Administration fee of \$2 per dog. Both fees are to be turned into JRTCA. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

### Important Notices for Exhibitors

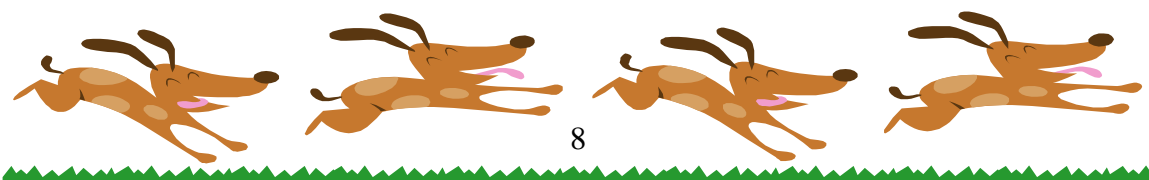
- Every effort will be made to start trial events on time. Dogs late to racing or conformation will be scratched.
- NO REFUNDS for missed classes.
- REFUNDS for classes will be given ONLY in cases of accident or illness to a terrier or owner or for bitches in season. Situations must be documented in writing.
- ENTRIES must be postmarked by August 6, 2012. Entries postmarked after that date will be considered post entries and charged accordingly. Please pre-enter for the trial, this helps the trial run smoother and is cheaper for you. No phone entries, please.
- CROSS ENTERING is not permitted within the Open Section of the Conformation Division. Also, terriers may not enter both the Open and Working sections. Same for racing.
- **NO PUPPIES under three months of age, or bitches in season will be permitted on trial grounds.**
- UNSPORTSMAN-LIKE CONDUCT WILL NOT BE TOLERATED AT ANY TIME DURING THE TRIAL. Anyone demonstrating poor sportsmanship, rude behavior, or causing trouble in any manner will be dismissed from the trial grounds. No refunds will be considered in this situation.

## General Rules - IMPORTANT

1. All sanctioned classes are open to Jack Russell Terriers only.
2. Exhibitors and owners of terriers entered must be current JRTCA members, and must not be a member of a conflicting JRT organization or register their JRTs in any all-breed registry or conflicting JRT organization registry. If an exhibitor is found to be in violation of this policy, entry will be disqualified and no refunds given. If a violation is confirmed after the trial, placements will be voided from all JRTCA records. Exhibitors must submit a completed entry form including a signed waiver for every trial they enter.
3. Entries MUST be within the 10 – 15” JRTCA height standard for all sanctioned classes (with the exception of pups who have not yet met the 10” height standard); measuring devices will be available on the trial grounds.
4. Puppies (under 12 months of age) are not eligible for a championship in any division but their own. Puppies are eligible to compete only if they have reached their four-month birthday (not 16 weeks). A puppy’s age is the actual age the pup is on the day of the trial.
5. Bitches in season may not compete in any division. Pre-entry fees of bitches in season to be refunded with a vet certificate from owner, or as otherwise agreed upon by the Trial Chairperson.
6. Spayed or neutered terriers may compete in Miscellaneous Conformation. They may not compete in Puppy, Family, Open or Working Conformation.
7. A terrier bred by a sanctioned JRTCA Judge may not be shown under that Judge in the conformation division.

8. If an Affiliated sponsored trial is chaired by Committee, all on the Committee may enter their terriers in any phase of the competition. If not sponsored by an Affiliated club, terriers owned or co-owned by the Trial Chairperson, or any member of their household, may not be entered in any phase of the competition, with the exception of Child and Youth Handling.
9. Terriers owned by judges may not be entered in the division in which they are judging, but may enter the competition in any other division.
10. Terriers owned by stewards may be entered in any division provided that they find a substitute to perform their duties or have someone else show their terriers.
11. Requests for the measurement of a terrier being shown in any class may be made only by another exhibitor in that class or by the Judge. These measurements will be considered the official height of the terrier in question. Requests made by spectators will not be honored. Only JRTCA height cards issued after September 1999 will be honored.
12. Excessive use of squeaky or fur-like baiting devices by exhibitors is prohibited in the Conformation ring and may result in the exhibitor being excused from the class. "Excessive use" will be at the judge's discretion.
13. Exhibitors participating in the JRTCA Working Terrier classes or Certificate Go-to-Ground must submit the appropriate JRTCA certificates with pre-entries or at the time of post-entry. The Judge may require a copy of the certificate be presented to the ring/den steward at the time of judging. Registered terriers may submit a copy of NHC application signed by a JRTCA Working Judge within 30 days of the date it was issued.
14. Puppies under the age of three months are not permitted on the trial grounds. Any person violating this rule will be excused from all classes entered, and asked to leave the trial site.
15. All dogs must be leashed or crated except when competition requires off leash work. No liberty leashes allowed.
16. Overly aggressive dogs or an owner's failure to control his/her dog, may result in disqualification at the discretion of the judges or the Trial Chairperson.
17. The abuse or severe disciplining of dogs on the trial grounds is prohibited. Anyone displaying such behavior will be asked to leave the trial site, and no entry fees will be refunded.
18. Dogs other than JRTs/Earthworking breeds on the grounds may be excluded or permitted at the discretion of the Trial Chairperson.
19. Exhibitors are responsible to double-check the classes they have entered and be on time. No refunds will be given for missed classes.
20. The owner/handler of a terrier entering any class does so at his/her own risk and agrees to abide by the rules of the JRTCA and the trial. A copy of the JRTCA Rule Book can be obtained by contacting the JRTCA office (410-561-3655) or it can be downloaded from the JRTCA web site ([www.terrier.com](http://www.terrier.com)).
21. Unsportsmanlike conduct, or the use of foul and abusive language, will not be tolerated. Anyone demonstrating such conduct will be asked to leave the trial site and no entry fees will be refunded. In addition, such conduct will be subject to penalties, which may include the suspension of membership, restriction from entering the JRTCA National Trial, and/or fines. Trial Chairpersons have the right to refuse any entry at their discretion.
22. All dogs brought to JRTCA Sanctioned Trials must be current on vaccinations. No dogs of any age may be brought to a trial who have suspicion of contagious or infectious disease.
23. THE JUDGES' DECISIONS CONCERNING PLACEMENTS ARE FINAL IN ALL DIVISIONS!

**Thank you and have a great trial!**  
*TSJRTC members*





## DIVISION A: CONFORMATION

*Youth handler will be the first class in the ring followed by child handler.*

### SECTION I: 4 UP TO 6 MONTH PUPPY CONFORMATION

Class 1: Dog Pups, 4 up to 6 months.

Class 2: Bitch Pups, 4 up to 6 months.

Class 3: **BEST 4 UP TO 6-MONTH PUPPY & RESERVE.** Open to the 1st and 2nd place winners of classes. Open to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place winners of class 1 and class 2.

### Section II: 6-12 MONTH PUPPY CONFORMATION

Class 4: Dog Pups, 6 up to 9 months

Class 5: Dog Pups, 9 to 12 months

Class 6: **BEST PUPPY DOG & RESERVE.** Open to 1st and 2nd place winners of classes 4 & 5. No entry fee.

Class 7: Bitch Pups, 6 up to 9 months

Class 8: Bitch Pups, 9 up to 12 months

Class 9: **BEST PUPPY BITCH & RESERVE.** Open to 1st and 2nd place winners of classes 7 & 8. No entry fee.

Class 10: **PUPPY CONFORMATION CHAMPION & RESERVE.** Open to Best Dog Puppy & Reserve (Class 6) and Best Bitch Puppy & Reserve (Class 9). No entry fee.

### Section III: JRTCA WORKING TERRIER CONFORMATION.

*Open to any JRTCA registered terrier owned by a JRTCA member which holds a JRTCA Natural Hunting Certificate. Terriers entering the Working Section may **not** cross-enter into the Open Section; no cross entering is permitted within the Working Section.*

Class 11: Bronze Medallion Dog. Open to any dog which has earned the JRTCA Bronze Medallion for Special Merit in the Field.

Class 12: Working Terrier Dog, 10 up to 12½"

Class 13: Working Terrier Dog, over 12½ up to 15"

Class 14: Working Veteran Dog, open to any dog 6 years and older.

Class 15: **BEST WORKING TERRIER DOG & RESERVE.** Open to 1st and 2nd place winners of classes 11 through 14. No entry fee.

Class 16: Bronze Medallion Bitch. Open to any bitch which has earned the JRTCA Bronze Medallion for Special Merit in the Field.

Class 17: Working Terrier Bitch, 10 up to 12½"

Class 18: Working Terrier Bitch, over 12½ up to 15"

Class 19: Working Veteran Bitch, open to any bitch 6 years and older.

Class 20: **BEST WORKING TERRIER BITCH & RESERVE.** Open to 1st and 2nd place winners of classes 16 through 19. No entry fee.

Class 21: **WORKING TERRIER CONFORMATION CHAMPION & RESERVE.** Open to Best Working Terrier Dog & Reserve (Class 15) and Best Working Terrier Bitch & Reserve (Class 20). No entry fee.

#### **Section IV: MISCELLANEOUS NON-SANCTIONED**

*Open to any adult JRT or Working Breed, including those spayed and neutered as noted. Judged on breed standard and condition of the dog, unless otherwise noted. All JRTs and Working Breeds are eligible for any Non-Sanctioned class. You may cross enter with any class in this section. Entries do not need to be registered or recorded with JRTCA.*

- Class 22: **Neutered or Spayed Terrier.** Non – Sanctioned. Open to any JRT or Working Breed 1 year of age or older that has been neutered or spayed.
- Class 23: **Spayed or Neutered Puppy.** Non – Sanctioned. Open to any JRT/Working Breed spayed or neutered puppy under 12 months.
- Class 24: **Novice Terrier.** Non-Sanctioned. Open to any JRT/ Working Breed who has not won a 1<sup>st</sup> place in any JRTCA sanctioned class.
- Class 25: **Tristate Bred.** Non-Sanctioned. Open to any JRT/ Working Breed bred in the Tristate area – can be spayed or neutered.
- Class 26: **Rescue Class.** Non – Sanctioned. Open to any rescue dog (open all breeds). Every entry will receive a special and unique gift.
- Class 27: **Costume Class.** Non – Sanctioned. Please use your imagination; terrier folk have a great sense of humor. All breeds welcome to enter!
- Class 28: **Pairs Class.** Non – Sanctioned. Best matched pair of JRTs/Working Breeds. Do not have to be owned by same owner.
- Class 29: **Veteran Terrier** Non-Sanctioned. Open to any Terrier/Working Breed 6 years or older.
- Class 30: **Super Veteran Terrier.** Non-Sanctioned. Open to any Terrier/Working Breed 9 years or older.

#### **Section V: SUITABILITY – (SANCTIONED)**

*The dog the judge would choose to take hunting to each of the quarry listed below. Open to any adult JRT including those spayed and neutered. Judged on breed standard unless otherwise noted.*

- Class 31: Suitability to Red Fox
- Class 32: Suitability to Groundhog
- Class 33: Suitability to Raccoon/Badger

#### **Section VI: OPEN ADULT CONFORMATION – (SANCTIONED)**

*No cross-entering is permitted within the Open Section. Cross-entering is **not** permitted between the Open Section and the Working Section.*

- Class 34: Bred by Exhibitor Dog. Open to any adult Jack Russell Terrier owned and bred by the exhibitor; must be handled by the breeder *under whose kennel prefix the terrier is registered* or a member of the breeder's immediate family.
- Class 35: Dogs, 1 year and older, 10 up to 12½", smooth
- Class 36: Dogs, 1 year and older, 10 up to 12½", rough/broken
- Class 37: Dogs, 1 year and older, over 12½ up to 15", smooth
- Class 38: Dogs, 1 year and older, over 12½ up to 15", rough/broken
- Class 39: Veteran Dogs, 6 year and older
- Class 40: **BEST DOG & RESERVE.** Open to 1st and 2nd place winners of classes 34 through 39. *No entry fee.*
- Class 41: Bred by Exhibitor Bitch. Open to any adult Jack Russell Terrier owned and bred by the exhibitor; must be handled by the breeder *under whose kennel prefix the terrier is registered* or a member of the breeder's immediate family.
- Class 42: Bitches, 1 year and older, 10 up to 12½", smooth
- Class 43: Bitches, 1 year and older, 10 up to 12½", rough/broken

- Class 44: Bitches, 1 year and older, over 12½ up to 15", smooth  
 Class 45: Bitches, 1 year and older, over 12½ up to 15", rough/broken  
 Class 46: Veteran Bitches, 6 year and older  
 Class 47: **BEST BITCH & RESERVE.** Open to 1st and 2nd place winners of classes 41 through 46. *No entry fee.*  
 Class 48: **BEST OPEN TERRIER & RESERVE.** Open to Best Dog & Reserve (Class 40) and Best Bitch & Reserve (Class 47). *No entry fee.*

### Section VII: FAMILY- (SANCTIONED)

Open to a sire or dam with at least two, but not more than three offspring at parent's side. Judged on Breed Standard and consistency of type. Stud Dog/Brood Bitch must be an intact. Offspring may be intact or spayed/neutered.

- Class 49: Brood Bitch & Produce  
 Class 50: Stud Dog & Get  
 Class 51: **BEST FAMILY & RESERVE.** Open to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place winners of (Class 49) and (Class 50). *No entry fee.*

## DIVISION B: YOUTH

Child and Youth handler classes will be the first conformation classes in the ring- youth will go first and child will follow.

The Child/Youth Handler must handle the SAME terrier in all Child/Youth Division classes entered. The intention of this division is for the Child/Youth to have a positive experience. They should have basic knowledge of the history of the Jack Russell Terrier as well. This information is available on the Jack Russell Terrier Club of America website: [www.JRTCA.com](http://www.JRTCA.com).

**GTG Reminder!!!** For those terriers entered in the Child/Youth Division AND in the GTG Division, please remember that the terrier MUST run their Sanctioned GTG class BEFORE the Child/Youth handler GTG class.

- Class 52: **Child Handler.** Open to any youth aged 5 through 9, handling a Jack Russell Terrier, six months of age or older. This class is offered as an introductory experience in handling and learning about the Jack Russell Terrier. Judged on child's ability to present his/her dog and beginning knowledge of the Jack Russell. Quality of the dog NOT to be considered.
- Class 53: **Youth Handler.** Open to any youth aged 10 through 16, handling a Jack Russell Terrier. Judged on the youth's ability to present his/her dog and knowledge of the Jack Russell Terrier. Quality of the dog NOT to be considered.
- Class 54: **Child G-T-G. Non-Sanctioned.** Open to any youth aged 5 through 9, handling a Jack Russell Terrier. Judged on the child's ability to present his/her dog and knowledge of Go-To-Ground. To be run through the 10-foot Novice liner; time not to be considered.
- Class 55: **Youth G-T-G.** Open to any youth aged 10 through 16, handling a Jack Russell Terrier. Judged on the youth's ability to present his/her dog and knowledge of Go-To-Ground. To be run through the 10-foot Novice liner; time not to be considered.
- Class 56: **CHILD HANDLER HIGH SCORE & RESERVE – Non Sanctioned**  
 Awarded to the highest scoring child and runner-up in classes 52 and 54. The points are awarded as follows: 1<sup>st</sup> = 8 points; 2<sup>nd</sup> = 6 points; 3<sup>rd</sup> = 5 points; 4<sup>th</sup> = 4 points; 5<sup>th</sup> = 3 points; 6<sup>th</sup> = 2 points; and participation = 1 point.
- Class 57: **YOUTH HANDLER HIGH SCORE & RESERVE**  
 Awarded to the highest scoring youth and runner-up in classes 53 and 55. The points are awarded as follows: 1<sup>st</sup> = 8 points; 2<sup>nd</sup> = 6 points; 3<sup>rd</sup> = 5 points; 4<sup>th</sup> = 4 points; 5<sup>th</sup> = 3 points; 6<sup>th</sup> = 2 points; and participation = 1 point.

In the case of a tie for the High Score awards, it will be broken by a handling class to be held in the Conformation Ring; judge(s) to be decided by the Trial Chairperson.

## DIVISION C: GO TO GROUND - (SANCTIONED)

Class 58: **Pre-Novice Puppy.** Open to Jack Russell puppies 4 up to 6 months. Entry in Pre-Novice Puppy class does not affect the puppy's eligibility to enter the Novice Class after 6 months of age. (One minute to reach quarry; mark quarry for 15 seconds; may leave earth and re-enter.)

Class 59: **Novice Puppy:** Open to Jack Russells 6 up to 12 months which have not scored 100% in this class at a previous JRTCA trial. Entries earning a score of 100% at this trial may, upon payment of the entry fee, enter the Open Puppy Class at this trial. (One minute to reach quarry; may leave earth and re-enter several times; work quarry for 30 seconds.)

Class 60: **Novice Adult:** Open to Jack Russells one year of age or older which have not scored 100% in this class at a previous JRTCA trial. Entries earning a score of 100% at this trial may, upon payment of the entry fee, enter the Open class at this trial. (One minute to reach quarry; may leave earth and re-enter several times; work quarry for 30 seconds.)

Class 61: **Open Puppy.** Open to Jack Russells 6 up to 12 months which have scored 100% in a Novice Go-To-Ground class at this or a previous JRTCA trial. Not open to any puppies which have previously achieved 100% in this class. Puppies earning a score of 100% at this trial may, upon payment of the entry fee, enter the Puppy Championship GTG class at this trial. (30 seconds to reach quarry; may leave earth once and re-enter; work quarry for one minute.)

Class 62: **Open Adult.** Open to Jack Russells one year or older which have scored 100% in a Novice Go-To-Ground class at this or a previous JRTCA trial. (30 seconds to reach quarry; may leave earth once and re-enter; work quarry for one minute.)

Class 63: **PUPPY CHAMPIONSHIP.** Open to Jack Russells, 6 up to 12 months which have earned 100% in an Open Go-To-Ground class at this or a previous JRTCA trial. A copy of a 100% Open score sheet shall be submitted with pre-entry or be shown to the Den Steward at the time of the class. First and second place winners will be Puppy Go-To-Ground Champion and Reserve. (30 seconds to reach quarry; may leave earth once and re-enter; work quarry for one minute.)

Class 64: **10 up to 12½" CHAMPION CERTIFICATE.** Open to any adult Jack Russell 10 up to 12½", one year and over, which holds a JRTCA Trial Certificate. A copy of the certificate must be submitted with pre-entry or be shown to the Den Steward at the time of the class. First and second place winners will be Go-To-Ground Champion and Reserve. (30 seconds to reach quarry; may not leave earth; work quarry for one minute.)

Class 65: **Over 12½ up to 15" CHAMPION CERTIFICATE.** Open to any adult Jack Russell over 12½ up to 15", one year and over, which holds a JRTCA Trial Certificate. A copy of the certificate must be submitted with pre-entry or be shown to the Den Steward at the time of the class. First and second place winners will be Go-To-Ground Champion and Reserve. (30 seconds to reach quarry; may not leave earth; work quarry for one minute.)

Class 66: **VETERAN CERTIFICATE.** Open to any adult Jack Russell 6 years of age or older, who holds a JRTCA Trial Certificate. CROSS-ENTERING IS NOT PERMITTED BETWEEN CERTIFICATE CLASSES. (30 seconds to reach quarry; may not leave earth; work quarry for one minute.)

Class 67: **Super Senior. Non Sanctioned.** Open to any Terrier/Working Breed 9 years of age or older. 10" up to 15." This is an unsanctioned GTG class which is eligible for the Super Veteran High Point. You may cross enter with your normal sanctioned GTG class. **NOTE: YOU MUST RUN YOUR SANCTIONED GTG BEOFRE RUNNING THE SUPER SENIOR CLASS!! NO EXCEPTIONS! You do not have to compete for the high point to enter this class.**

### **Go-To-Ground - (NON-SANCTIONED)**

Class 68: **Non Sanctioned Go-To-Ground.** Open to Jack Russell or Working breed. (30 seconds to reach quarry; may leave earth once and re-enter; work quarry for one minute.) **May not cross-enter with any Sanctioned GTG Class.**

### **DIVISION D: SUPER EARTH- (SANCTIONED)**

**Open Super Earth** –are not champion classes. *You must pass the Open class and submit your paperwork to JRTCA to compete in the Certificate classes in future trials.*

30 seconds per 30 feet of tunnel to reach quarry; may leave and re-enter earth; work quarry for one minute.

Class 69: **6 up to 12 month Puppy Super Earth**

Class 70: **10 up to 12½” Super Earth.** Open to terriers one year and older.

Class 71: **Over 12½ up to 15” Super Earth.** Open to terriers one year and older.

Class 72: **10 up to 12½” Veteran Super Earth.** Open to terriers six years and older.

Class 73: **Over 12½ up to 15” Veteran Super Earth.** Open to terriers six years and older.

### **Certificate Classes: (SANCTIONED)**

Open to JRTs one year and older who holds a JRTCA Super Earth Trial Certificate. A copy of the Certificate must be submitted with pre-entry or shown to the registration desk with post-entry. First and Second place winners will be Super Earth Champion and Reserve. No cross entry between Adult and Veteran is permitted.

30 seconds per 30 feet of tunnel to reach quarry; may leave and re-enter earth; work quarry for one minute.

Class 74: **ADULT CERTIFICATE SUPER EARTH.** Open to Jack Russell Terriers, one year and older, which hold a JRTCA Super Earth Trial Certificate. A copy of the certificate must be submitted with pre-entry or be shown to the Den Steward at the time of the class. First and Second Place winners will be Adult Super Earth Champion and Reserve.

Class 75: **VETERAN CERTIFICATE SUPER EARTH.** Open to Jack Russell Terriers, six years and older, which hold a JRTCA Super Earth Trial Certificate. A copy of the certificate must be submitted with pre-entry or be shown to the Den Steward at the time of the class. First and Second Place winners will be Veteran Super Earth Champion and Reserve.

### **SUPER EARTH - (NON-SANCTIONED)**

Class 76: **Non Sanctioned Super Earth.** Open to any Jack Russell or Working breed. (30 seconds to reach quarry; may leave earth once and re-enter; work quarry for one minute.) **May not cross enter with any Sanctioned Super Earth Classes.**

\* Note about Trailing & Locating and Brush Hunt – this class will start AFTER racing and BEFORE conformation begins.

### **DIVISION E: BRUSH HUNT (NON-SANCTIONED)**

*Non-Sanctioned and open to all Jack Russells and Colored Terriers/Working Breeds  
Adult Class counts towards the Super Senior High Point*

Open to all terriers. The event will be a simulated “Brush Hunt” situation with multiple locations that the dog can access and check for quarry. The dog will be visible to the handler at all times. One location and one location only will have the actual quarry available for the dog to locate and react to.

The event will begin when the judge tells the handler to release the dog. The handler will establish the event time for each dog, when the handler believes the dog has successfully located quarry by telling the judge “**TIME.**” If the dog and handler together have successfully identified the location where quarry is present the time is recorded. If the handler calls “**TIME**”, and the dog is at a vacant location the team is a “No Time” and released from the event.

Each dog can compete only once for time.

Class 77: **Puppies, 6 up to 12 Months.** The terrier is judged on his ability to follow a line in a simulated natural hunting environment, to locate, mark and open on quarry.

Class 78: **Adults, 1 year and older.** The terrier is judged on his ability to follow a line in a simulated natural hunting environment, to locate, mark and open on quarry.

### **DIVISION F: TRAILING AND LOCATING (NON-SANCTIONED)**

*Open to all Jack Russells and Colored Terriers/Working Breeds  
Adult Class counts towards the Super Senior High Point*

This event is a simulated hunting experience where you, your terrier and the Judge will walk through a natural setting as your dog follows a scent to a quarry. Both you and your terrier should be prepared to walk as a team, with the dog under control (off leash) just as in a hunting situation.

Class 79: **Puppies, 6 up to 12 Months.** The terrier is judged on his ability to follow a line in a simulated natural hunting environment, to locate, mark and open on quarry.

Class 80: **Adults, 1 year and older.** The terrier is judged on his ability to follow a line in a simulated natural hunting environment, to locate, mark and open on quarry.

## DIVISION G: RACING (SANCTIONED)

First event of the day – to begin at 9:30 am. The Racing Judge will hold a brief meeting at the race track at 9:00am. Our racing judges for both days will be travelling from Canada, so there may be delays.

### Quick Rule Run-down:

- Terriers must run in flats & steeplechase races to compete in championship
- No cross entering between classes (puppy, adult and veteran – pick one).
- ALL TERRIERS/DOGS MUST BE MUZZLED! Plastic basket muzzles or closed-ended cloth muzzles only. No figure eight or open-ended muzzles.
- 4-6 month puppies do not qualify for Puppy Championship classes.

### Section 1. Flat Races

- Class 81: **Pups**, 4- 6 months. Non- Sanctioned.
- Class 82: **Pups**, 6 up to 9 months, under 12½"
- Class 83: **Pups**, 6 up to 9 months, over 12½" up to 15"
- Class 84: **Pups**, 9 up to 12 months, under 12½"
- Class 85: **Pups**, 9 up to 12 months, over 12½" up to 15"
- Class 86: **Seniors**, 9 Years and older, 10" up to 12½"
- Class 87: **Seniors**, 9 Years and older, over 12½" up to 15"

We are keeping the Puppy and Senior classes together for consistency as they jump the same height in the Steeplechase classes.

- Class 88: **Dogs**, 1 year and older, 10" up to 12½"
- Class 89: **Dogs**, 1 year and older, over 12½" up to 15"
- Class 90: **Bitches**, 1 year and older, 10" up to 12½"
- Class 91: **Bitches**, 1 year and older, over 12½" up to 15"
- Class 92: **Veterans**, 6 years and older, 10" up to 12½"
- Class 93: **Veterans**, 6 years and older, over 12½" up to 15"

### Section 2. Steeplechase Races

Puppy & Senior terriers race over low hurdles, up to 8". We are running both the Steeplechase and the Championship races for the Puppy and Senior classes back to back since they will be using the same 8" jump height limit.

- Class 94: **Pups**, 6 up to 9 months, under 12½"
- Class 95: **Pups**, 6 up to 9 months, over 12½" up to 15"
- Class 96: **Pups**, 9 up to 12 months, under 12½"
- Class 97: **Pups**, 9 up to 12 months, over 12½" up to 15"
- Class 98: **Seniors**, 9 Years and older, 10" up to 12½"
- Class 99: **Seniors**, 9 Years and older, over 12½" up to 15"

**\* We will run the puppy and senior championship together due to the same 8" jump height.**

- Class 100: **UNDER PUPPY RACING CHAMPION & RESERVE. Under 12½"**, Open to 1st place winners of classes 82, 84, 94 & 96. *No entry fee.*
- Class 101: **OVER PUPPY RACING CHAMPION AND RESERVE. Over 12½" up to 15"** Open to 1st place winners of classes 83, 85, 95 & 97. *No entry fee.*
- Class 102: **UNDER SENIOR RACING CHAMPION AND RESERVE. 10" up to 12½"**. Open to 1st place winners of classes 86 & 98. *No entry fee.*
- Class 103: **OVER SENIOR RACING CHAMPION AND RESERVE. 12½" up to 15"**, Open to 1st place winners of classes 87 & 99. *No entry fee.*

**Jumps change back to regular height for the rest of the steeplechase races**

- Class 104: **Dogs**, 1 year and older, 10" up to 12½"
- Class 105: **Dogs**, 1 year and older, 12½" up to 15"
- Class 106: **Bitches**, 1 year and older, 10" up to 12½"
- Class 107: **Bitches**, 1 year and older, 12½" up to 15"
- Class 108: **Veterans**, 6 years and older, 10" up to 12½"
- Class 109: **Veterans**, 6 years and older, 12½" up to 15"
- Class 110: **UNDER ADULT CHAMPION AND RESERVE. 10" up to 12½"**. Open to 1st place winners of classes 88, 90, 104 & 106. *No entry fee.*
- Class 111: **OVER ADULT CHAMPION AND RESERVE. 12½" up to 15"**. Open to 1st place winners of classes 89, 91, 105 & 107. *No entry fee.*
- Class 112: **UNDER VETERAN RACING CHAMPION AND RESERVE. 10" up to 12½"**. Open to 1st place winners of classes 92 & 108. *No entry fee.*
- Class 113: **OVER VETERAN RACING CHAMPION AND RESERVE. 12½" up to 15"**. Open to 1st place winners of classes 93 & 109. *No entry fee.*



## NATIONAL CHALLENGE YEAR-END AWARDS

For the first time in 2011 the JRTCA will award the following National Challenge Awards. These award will be a combination of points earned in the following categories from November 1<sup>st</sup> to October 1<sup>st</sup> annually, with the trial year-end being October 1<sup>st</sup> (or the Monday following the first weekend in October). The JRTCA National Trial results are NOT included in the points for these awards.

Depending on how well this is received by the membership, the JRTCA would like to make this an annual award system, subject to revisions as experience/interest warrants. Additional awards may be added as deemed necessary.

This is no way intended as "Championship Titles," it is purely intended as recognition for those terriers who actively compete nationally. We understand that people in different areas of the country may have varying access to trials, but also understand that many of our members travel extensively to attend sanctioned trials. We hope that these awards will add enjoyment to the competition for those who choose to participate by attending as many sanctioned trials as possible.

The awards will be provided by the JRTCA, and given out at the annual National Trial dinner party, followed by announcement in True Grit and in the on-line Yearbook.

Points will be tracked from all JRTCA sanctioned trials; 8 points will be awarded for each championship, and 6 points for each reserve.

National Challenge High Score Adult Racer

Based on all Adult Championship racing classes (sizes combined)

National Challenge High Score Veteran Racer

Based on all Veteran Championship Racing classes (sizes combined)

National Challenge High Score GTG Terrier

Based on all GTG Championship classes, including puppy championship (sizes combined)

National Challenge High Score Super Earth Terrier

Based on all Super Earth Championship classes (sizes combined)

National Challenge High Score Agility Champion

Based on Agility II & III High Score Recipients.

National Challenge High Score Open Terrier

Based on Best Open Terrier & Reserve Classes

National Challenge High Score Working Terrier

Based on Working Terrier Conformation Champion & Reserves